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LONDON, Nov. 15.—A Paris dispatch to the Chronicle says it is announced that Sara Bernhardt will be made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

British Surveying Party in Peril.
CALCUTTA, Nov. 15.—More than 6,000 Waziris have gathered on the frontier of Waziristan at Janikhel, and are threatening the British party sent out to fix the boundary. An attack is expected by the British.

Liberty of the Press Outraged.
DRESDEN, Nov. 15.—Herr Gradnauer, editor of a Socialist newspaper in this city, has been sentenced to ten months' imprisonment for publishing an article asserting that while serving in the capacity of a non-commissioned officer he propagated Socialism in the army.

The Viennese Worried.
LONDON, Nov. 15.—The Vienna correspondent of the Standard says the impression that England is tending towards an alliance with France and Russia and an estrangement from the Triple Alliance causes uneasiness and regret, which are reflected in the Vienna press.

That Wedding.
ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—Although not officially announced, the wedding of the Czar and Princess Alix is quite likely to take place on Nov. 23 or 24. The foreign princes are expected to remain for the celebration. This is said to have been Alexander III's dying wish, and some one of the frequent and sudden changes of the court arrangements may prevent the execution of the plan. The date of the funeral is as likely now to be the 17th as the 20th.

"Waleski."
ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—The Czar's constant and noted attentions to the Prince of Wales, here called Waleski, have been much noted, and thought to prelude closer relations between England and Russia. The Prince of Wales and the Duke of York had a grand reception at the Anichkoff Palace this afternoon. All the generals and staff officers now in St. Petersburg went ablaze with their medals and orders. The gorgeousness of the scene was hardly dimmed by the signs of mourning. The Grand Dukes assisted at the reception, and most of them signed the Prince of Wales' visitors' book.

Rosebery and the Lords.
LONDON, Nov. 15.—Lord Rosebery's reference in his speech at Glasgow to the House of Lords is variously interpreted. He declared that he was not a single chamberlain, but that he did not despair of solving the problem which America, France and Hungary had solved to the perfect satisfaction of their respective peoples. The Times, in a leader, says it thinks it indicates that nothing will be done prior to an appeal to the country. The Daily News says that the speech disposes altogether of the idle rumor that the Government intend to dissolve Parliament at an early date. The Graphic approves of Lord Rosebery's suggested reform of the House of Lords, but is suspicious of his intentions while the terms of the resolution that will deal with the matter are undisclosed.

Dreyfus, the Spy.
PARIS, Nov. 15.—Inquiry into the case of Capt. Albert Dreyfus, who is now confined in the military prison on a charge of high treason for having sold information concerning the frontier forts to the Italian Government and otherwise betrayed the military secrets of the Government, has disclosed the existence of a widespread system of spying with which Capt. Dreyfus was connected. Three more arrests have been made as the result of inquiry, the persons arrested being two Germans and a Frenchman. General Mercier, Minister of War, ordered a search of their apartments, with the result of finding a number of incriminating documents revealing a plot of wide ramifications, and it is expected that a number of arrests in connection therewith will soon be made.

Lord Lansdowne's Brother.
A special dispatch from London says: It has just leaked out that a nuptial suit, brought by Lady Edmund Fitzmaurice against her husband, was tried in chambers and decided off-hand. The suit should not have been heard in ordinary course for several months. The lady, who is the daughter of W. F. Fitzgerald, of Litchfield, Conn., and of New York, married Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice in 1889.

The suit was undefended, the allegation being that the marriage was never consummated. Lord Edmund is the only brother of the Marquis of Lansdowne, late viceroy of India, and was Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs in Gladstone's 1890 Government. He recently tried to re-enter Parliament but the Liberal party managers disapproved his candidature, as it now appears, because this suit was known in aristocratic circles to be pending.

Twenty-One People Drowned.
LONDON, Nov. 15.—The British ship Culmore (Captain Reed), last reported at Hamburg, Oct. 1, from Liqueur, foundered in yesterday's gale 80 miles off Spurn Head, Yorkshire. Twenty-one persons were drowned, including the captain and his wife. Eight of the bodies were washed ashore this morning. It is believed that the British steamer Zaida, last reported at Hamburg, Nov. 1, from Saffi, was also lost yesterday. Heavy floods are reported on the island of Cyprus. A dispatch from

Limasol says 21 persons have been drowned and that the number of domestic animals destroyed is far in the thousands.

The British barkentine Perilla, which was caught in the storm that prevailed in the Channel and the North Sea during the last three days, has been towed to Yarmouth, having lost her anchor and sails. Her mate was crushed to death on Friday by being caught between the wheel and the wheelhouse. Several other schooners were picked up and towed to Yarmouth.

As the results of the violent winds, heavy rains and overflowing rivers, the inhabitants of some of the riverside villages at Eton and Windsor are obliged to approach the doors of their houses in boats. Upwards of 1,000 persons in Bath have been rendered homeless by the overflowing of the Avon. Generally the rainfall continues, but the gales have subsided.

Kissing the Dead Czar.
LONDON, Nov. 15.—The Daily News correspondent in St. Petersburg says: More than 10,000 sick persons from the provinces have arrived, hoping to be cured of disease by kissing Alexander the Third's forehead. One old couple walked three days from Schliesselsburg to the capital. The patience of those wishing to see the body is remarkable. For instance, persons standing at the bourse at midnight on the 13th did not reach the cathedral until 6 o'clock on the morning of the 14th.

ROME, Nov. 15.—The Prince of Naples started today for St. Petersburg to attend the funeral of Alexander III.

The Tageblatt (Berlin) says that just before his death Alexander III. urged the present Czar not to keep the theaters too long in mourning. "I do not wish," he said, "to have so many become unhappy and lose their bread by my death."

Nicholas II. has since given 600,000 roubles to actors and others made idle by the closing of places of amusement.

The Czar, the Princess Alix of Hesse, the Grand Dukes, the Princes of Wales and the British and German embassies were at the station today to receive the Duke of York, the Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha and the Princess Irene, wife of Prince Henry of Prussia. The Czar received the Duke of York, who is an old friend, most cordially. Most of the court's time every day is occupied with the reception of royal visitors.

The Eastern Conflict.
There seems to be a hitch in the United States mediation in the Chinese-Japanese war. State Department officials remain mute on the matter, and similar silence appears to have been imposed on the legations of the contending powers in Washington. Nevertheless it is understood that no notification has yet been received from Japan of the acceptance of the United States offer of mediation, though that proposition was cabled to Minister Dunn to be presented to the Government at Tokio nine days ago. China is said to have given a reluctant assent, hampered by conditions which do not seem to have been complied with. There is an impression in diplomatic circles that the offer of mediation on the part of the United States may fail of its object.

A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Yokohama says that the land forces at Port Arthur, comprising the defenses in the rear, are much stronger than the seaward rear, the enemy having placed in them 100 forts, the number having been placed in them 100 additional guns. The Japanese expect that if the Chinese make any defense of these positions the engagement will be a sanguinary one.

A dispatch from Chongchun says that the officers of the Korean Government, whose tendencies are pro-Japanese, are framing a constitution to be issued at the beginning of 1895.

A dispatch from Tien Tsin says it is reported there that Col. Von Hakenken has been put in complete command of the Chinese army.

The Daily Graphic has this dispatch from Tien Tsin: Chinese reports emanating from Port Arthur are to the effect that the Chinese still hold two forts at Talien Wan and have repulsed the Japanese after desperate fighting. The Japanese are said to be closing gradually around the Chinese position. At Port Arthur every preparation has been made for the Japanese attack, and the garrison is resolved to offer vigorous resistance. Part of Gen. Suig's army has retaken Kinchow and Mo Tien hills. The Japanese were routed and pursued for miles.

The Central News correspondent says that Gen. Weiha has been beheaded in consequence of the defeat of the Chinese army under him at Ping Yang.

SAVE THE CATARACT!
Every Effort Will Be Made to Prevent the Spoilation of Niagara.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The refusal of the recent Constitutional Convention to take action looking to a curtailment or abrogation of the powers of the six companies tapping Niagara River to the possible injury of the falls, has somewhat nettled the commissioners of the National Reservation. They have appealed to Secretary Gresham to enter into an international agreement with Canada to secure the object in question. A meeting of the commissioners was held today, when the question of the spoilation of Niagara was reached.

President Green said it was the function of the commissioners to exhaust every effort to prevent it. He had written to Secretary of State Gresham on the matter, and also to the Canadian Minister of State, and the latter had replied in a most friendly spirit, promising co-operation.

THE SOLAR METER.
A New Navigation Instrument of Great Utility.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The solar meter, a navigation instrument invented by Lieut. W. H. Beecher, U. S. N., excites much attention at the Maritime Exchange, where it is being exhibited. The use of the sextant is done away with by the solar meter, which is so constructed that when adjusted from observations taken in the heavens results are determined at a glance, which are otherwise obtainable only by long figuring.

The instrument determines a ship's latitude, longitude and compass errors by observations of the sun and stars at all hours of day and night without reference to the sea horizon.

One instrument has been placed on a North German Lloyd steamer, one is to be placed on the Cunarder, Lucania for trial, and one is being placed on the United States cruiser San Francisco. The Government has contracted for others for naval vessels.

—Mr. L. B. Young died at Toronto yesterday morning.

TRADE IN CANADA, As Reported by Dun & Co.'s Commercial Agency.

Advance in the Price of Wheat—Remittances Fair—Produce Generally Low.

TORONTO, Nov. 15.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly statement of trade in Canada says: The wheat market has shown more life this week. Ontario wheat is up 3 cents and Manitoba 4 cents. The advance is attributed to higher prices in Europe and the United States. Both Liverpool and Chicago quotations are now the highest for three months, and holders are greatly encouraged in consequence.

The milder weather has had some influence on trade. Orders are chiefly for small lots, but prospects are considered fair.

The sugar market is a trifle weaker owing to offerings of German. Granulated yellows, however, are firm on limited offerings.

Business in hardware and leather continues featureless.

Remittances are fair, and with increased activity and higher prices for wheat the circulation of money promises to be a little freer.

Offerings of hogs have increased, and packers have reduced quotations. They now pay \$5.20 to \$5.35 for good car lots; cured meats are low in sympathy.

Nearly all kinds of produce are low, while apples are firm, with good trade reported by exporters.

The failures for the week ending the 15th inst. are 33, as compared with 41 in the corresponding week of last year.

FIERCE FOREST FIRES.

Several Camps in Colorado Reduced to Ashes—Heavy Loss Entailed.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 15.—At 3 o'clock a fierce wind and dust storm struck the city from the north. Many plate glass windows and awnings were destroyed. The temperature fell 20 degrees in 30 minutes. Before the storm broke dense clouds of smoke could be seen rolling up the mountains around Gold Hill, 40 miles distant. At 6 p.m. wet snow began falling, but it is probably too late to save Gold Hill from destruction.

BOULDER, Col., Nov. 15.—A forest fire, which was started from a camp fire last evening, has been raging all night and today north of the mining camp of Gold Hill, a town of 500 inhabitants fifteen miles from here. A courier arrived at Boulder at 1:30 p.m., reporting that all the buildings at Camp Talcott, a short distance from Gold Hill, were burned except the stamp mill, and that the fire had reached the western portion of Gold Hill, burning the mill of the Prussian mine. Several ranch houses were burned this morning, two men named Ehler and Seaman being badly burned. At 3 p.m. the fire was spreading toward the town of Copper Rock. It is believed that many small camps will be burned. The residents of Gold Hill who have not come to Boulder have assembled on the top of Horseshoe Mountain and are watching the progress of the flames which consume their former homes. The loss will amount to over \$1,500,000. There will necessarily be great destruction.

Three Men Drowned.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Nov. 15.—In a terrible storm that prevailed this morning the little steamer Antelope, of Chicago, capsized near the mouth of Grand Haven harbor, and three of her crew were drowned.

The Toronto Boddiers.
TORONTO, Nov. 15.—Mayor Kennedy had an interview with Judge McDougall today concerning the resumption of the bodge investigation. His honor told his worship that everything could be done that was possible to open the inquiry at an early day.

Three Children Cremated.
OAKLAND, Tenn., Nov. 15.—While Jeff Raynor and his wife, who live near Oakland, were picking cotton this afternoon their home caught fire from burning grass and burned to the ground. Their three children, aged 3, 5 and 12 years, perished in the flames.

Miners in Deadly Peril.
WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 15.—No. 3 breaker boiler houses and other outbuildings located near the town of Plymouth were destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is estimated at nearly \$200,000. There were ten miners in the mine at the time the fire broke out. They were saved by being hoisted to the surface through a second opening.

Glaze in Chatham.
CHATHAM, Nov. 15.—Early this morning the servant girl at Mr. E. H. Edwards' residence, west side of Victoria avenue, awoke almost suffocated. She gave the alarm, and Mr. Edwards found the fire to be located in the back kitchen. The brigade responded with alacrity and the premises were saved. Damage about \$50; covered by an insurance in the London Mutual.

Erastus Wiman's Appeal.
NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The appeal of Erastus Wiman from the conviction and sentence in the Court of Oyer and Terminer to five years and six months in State Prison for forgery was on the calendar for argument in the general term of the Supreme Court today. Presiding Justice Van Brunt announced that the case would not be reached today, and must therefore go over until the December term.

Great Gale on Lake Ontario.
TORONTO, Nov. 15.—A terrific gale was blowing from the west across Lake Ontario today, and it was dangerous for vessels to venture outside the harbor. The steamer Macassa experienced a rough time in getting over from Hamilton. The decks were swept from end to end throughout the journey, and Capt. Zealand and his crew were gratified that they had no passengers on board. The wind blew 60 miles an hour, but little or no damage was done.

New York's Horse Show.
NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The afternoon attendance was the largest so far this week, and for the first time society turned out and filled the boxes. In the evening there was a blockade of the people in front of the entrance from 8 to 9 o'clock. At the latter hour the garden had some 15,000 people in it, and the sale of admission tickets was stopped. Fully 3,000 people were turned away after that time. Every seat in the garden was taken. The Astors, Vanderbilts, Belmonts, Cruzers and other well known families were in their boxes, and men and women of distinction occupied the seats on each side.

Late Canadian News.

Many Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria Cases in Montreal.

A Hamilton Man Pleads Guilty to Forgery.

Winter rates on the railways take effect at once.

Mr. Thomas Headley, of Stratford, aged 80 years, poisoned himself with Paris green.

The Farmers' Binder Twine Company, of Brantford, has declared a dividend of 10 per cent.

The Rev. Dr. Chintiquy remains very ill in Montreal, and his condition is causing his friends grave anxiety.

Rev. A. Stewart, for the last eighteen years pastor of North Easthops Presbyterian Church, has resigned.

At Birtle, Man., Webster was committed for trial for manslaughter in causing the death of Adam Boie.

The rate on parcels between Canada and Japan by post will be reduced to 20 cents per pound on and after Jan. 1, 1895.

Rev. Mr. O'Brien, of St. Michael's, Belleville, has been transferred to Brockville. He will be succeeded by Rev. Mr. Carson, of Prescott.

The residence of the late Sir John Abbott at Montreal is being prepared for Lord and Lady Aberdeen, who will occupy it about Nov. 28.

W. E. Morris pleaded guilty to forgery at the Hamilton police court on Thursday and was sentenced to eighteen months in the Central Prison.

The interlocking tower, on the M. C. R. at Pelton, was burned to the ground Wednesday afternoon. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

The provincial health authorities have been notified of one case of smallpox at Stratford, and steps have been taken to prevent the spreading of the disease.

In St. Thomas on Thursday, Mr. George Orlish was charged with allowing liquor to be consumed in his shop about Oct. 21. Orlish pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and \$75 costs.

A patient at Mount Hope Insane Asylum, Dartmouth, N. S., named Wm. Brissel, was found dead, having hanged himself from a window by a towel, which he took from the bathroom.

Among the animals quarantined at Point Edward, Ont., has been found a Durham bull (the 11th Duke of Niagara), 18 months old, affected with tuberculosis. The animal will be slaughtered.

The largest reduction at this session of the Toronto court of revision was made on Thursday, when counsel for the Grand Trunk Railway Company succeeded in getting the assessment reduced on the company's property in ward 4, division 1, by \$110.

The Montreal Board of Health are taking stringent steps to cope with the scarlet fever and diphtheria cases, which are now numerous in the city. The civic hospital has been thrown open and \$2,000 appropriated to purchase a supply of Dr. Roux's anti-oxine.

Dr. Hutchison, Montreal, chief medical adviser for the G. T. R. Insurance Society, met a committee representing the employees on Thursday at the company's office in the Union station, Toronto. The employees were represented by delegates from Stratford, Hamilton, London, Sarnia, Toronto, Montreal and Richmond, Quebec.

The Ontario staff of court reporters has lost one of its most valued members in the death of L. B. Young, which occurred at noon on Thursday at Toronto after a somewhat lengthy illness. He was one of the most accomplished stenographers on the staff of official reporters for the High Court of Justice, and was but 35 years of age.

MR. ESSERY'S OPINION OF THE LONDON CONSERVATIVES.

In a speech, delivered in this city, a year or two since, Mr. E. T. Essery said: "The Bible and Beer — if the Tories knew as much about the Bible as they know about beer, it would be a God-send to the people."

The Baptist Congress.

DETROIT, Nov. 15.—The general committee of the Baptist congress has elected Dr. H. M. Saunders, of New York, chairman, and re-elected Secretary Rauschenbush. The subject of the morning session was "The Interpretation of the Old Testament as affected by modern scholarship."

Prof. J. F. Sampay, D.D., of J. J. Seville Theological University, Dr. Howard Osmond, of the Rochester Theological Seminary; President Rufus Crown, of Newton Theological Seminary; A. J. Fox, of Detroit; Rev. J. A. Johnston, D.D., of Kalamazoo; Rev. Joseph Horst, jun., of the Watchman, and Dr. W. C. Robinson, of the Chicago University, took part in the discussion.

Struck the Cook Crowd.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Nov. 15.—A courier has just arrived from the Arkansas bottoms and reported that he by chance ran into the Cook gang in their quarters. They received him without fear of their whereabouts being reported to the officers. A number of farmers who live near the rendezvous of the gang reported the situation to United States Attorney Jackson, and asked that they be commissioned to lead twenty deputy marshals against the outlaws. The posse was given full authority, and at once started for the gang's quarters. As the farmers are familiar with the country in which the bandits are hidden the report of a battle is expected soon, unless news of the plan is carried to the gang.

Steamship Arrivals.

Nov. 15. From
Portland..... Halifax..... New York
Rosarian..... Fame Point..... London
Columbia..... Southampton..... New York
Cevic..... Liverpool..... New York

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Silks,
Dress Goods,
Table Linens,
and Underwear

You will understand what a sale in a store like this means. Whatever the lowest prices are in any store in any city it is likely that there are lower prices here. A price that is sheer cost to some, or a price claimed to be even less than cost, is often a price at which we sell at a profit in the regular course of business every day throughout the year. How much better, then, can you do here now.

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