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NEW YORK FEELS EASIER.

NO NEW OR EVEN SUSPICIOUS CASES REPORTED.

One Death from Cholera At Swinburne Island Was the Record of the Day—The Passengers On the Wyoming Refuse to Be Transferred to Fire Island, But Afterwards Agree to Go.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—The news regarding the cholera was reassuring yesterday. No new cases or even suspicious cases were reported in the city, and none developed at lower quarantine. One death took place on Swinburne Island. The clear air of the early fall aided the efforts of the health authorities of the city and of the port in their work against the spread of the dreaded disease. The scare which followed the official announcement that there was cholera in the city has given place to a feeling of confidence. The most dramatic incident of the day at quarantine was the revolt of the cabin passengers of the Wyoming, who refused to go to Fire Island on the steamer sent for them. The second cabin and steerage passengers on the same ship have issued appeals to the public praying that they be released from quarantine. The United States of Colombia, having established a quarantine at Colon against all vessels coming from New York, the Central and South American Consuls, and the Pacific Mail Steamship Company yesterday sent a protest to the Columbian Minister at Washington and the Panama Railroad notified the Columbian Government that the establishment of the quarantine at Colon was a violation of the company's charter rights. Unusual quiet was observed at the office of the Health Board yesterday morning. President Wilson and Dr. Bryant were in consultation for two or three hours, but they said later that no business of importance was transacted. Sanitary Superintendent Edson reported that he had sent a note to the president of the Belt Line horse car company, directing the removal of filthy mats from the floors of the company's cars and commanding a general cleansing of the cars. No reply had been received from the company, and no improvement in the condition of the cars was noticeable, Dr. Edson said. He was directed to inform the company that the Health Board would stop the running of the cars if the orders were not complied with.

President Martin of the Police Board and Dr. Edson later went to see Police Superintendent Byrnes and requested him to direct the police to inspect the cars of all the other lines in the city with a view to compelling cleanliness. Mr. Byrnes said he would give the necessary orders.

The Health Commissioners indignantly denied a report that they were concealing any cases of cholera in the city. They said no suspicious cases had been reported in the city since the previous day and no sickness had occurred in the houses which had been infected. The watch at such houses was being maintained as a precautionary measure.

Refused to Be Transferred.

The steamer Cepheus left quarantine this morning and went down the bay to transfer the passengers of the steamer Wyoming to Fire Island. The passengers positively refused to be transferred, stating that the vessel was not infected. Dr. Jenkins says he will have them removed to-morrow whether they will or not.

The second cabin and steerage passengers of the Wyoming, who have been held in quarantine since Sept. 6, have issued an appeal to the public demanding immediate release from their "vexatious and unjust" detention. They say: "We had a prosperous voyage and a clean bill of health, save the indisposition of a baby who had been delicate since its birth some months ago. During the fumigation of the vessel the steerage passengers have been exposed to serious dangers from the strong remaining traces of sulphur, damp berths, etc. Two children have sickened, owing to these causes, and, with their mother, have been taken ashore. Since then not an individual on board has had one moment's sickness. We are not classified as cholera-stricken vessel. Our silence has been due to daily promises of release. There is, however, a limit to human endurance, and surely we have reached that limit and, therefore, in the interest of humanity, demand our immediate release."

LATER—At a late hour this evening Dr. Jenkins was informed that the Wyoming cabin passengers had changed their minds and were now anxious to go to Fire Island. The Cepheus will in consequence transfer them and the cabin passengers of the Rugia to Fire Island to-morrow.

The Situation in Europe.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The following is the cholera situation in Europe to-day, as gathered from a large number of cablegrams received this evening: At and about Paris yesterday there were 50 fresh cases and 13 deaths; at Havre 6 new cases and 3 deaths; at St. Petersburg 41 cases and 15 deaths. The disease seems to be steadily decreasing throughout Russia. Berlin had another case yesterday—that of a waiter who had formerly been employed as attendant in a Hamburg hospital.

At Hamburg there were 286 fresh cases and 127 deaths reported yesterday. These figures, however, include 96 fresh cases and 45 deaths which occurred on previous days, thus showing a decrease both in the number of patients and the mortality. No demands were made on the Hamburg authorities to-day for the transportation of the bodies of victims to the mortuary until a late hour. A fact showing the return of confidence on the part of the people is that the usual concerts were given in the St. Paul Bergarden this afternoon for the first time in several weeks. Other public concerts will be resumed to-night.

The steamship Servia which sailed from Queenstown for New York to-day carried 380 saloon and 224 second cabin passengers. Her steerage was empty. The Arizona also sailed with an empty steerage. She had 187 saloon and 296 second cabin passengers on board.

The Queenstown authorities announce that henceforth until all danger of cholera infection has ceased a doctor will board all the American liners arriving at Queenstown from ports in the United States, and that if any sickness is found on a steamer the vessel must be placed in quarantine before any of the passengers disembark. Otherwise the steamer must proceed direct for Liverpool, only communicating with Queenstown for the purpose of procuring the services of a pilot.

When the steamer Appleton from Newcastle arrived at Queenstown to-day it was found by the health officials that a seaman on board of the vessel was suffering from a choleraic disorder. The doctors who have examined the patient do not believe that the disease is of the Asiatic type. The steamer was at once ordered to be placed in quarantine and to be thoroughly disinfected and fumigated.

Quarantined at Colon.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—According to a Herald cable from Panama the Pacific Mail liner Newport was refused a pratique at Colon yesterday. The health officers found all well on board, but there were 10 passengers who had no certificates from the Colombian consul at New York. The Newport was ordered to anchor four miles out for nine days.

No New Cases in New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The Board of Health issued a bulletin to-day in which it was stated that no cases or suspected cases of cholera had appeared since the last bulletin and no deaths from cholera had occurred since Tuesday.

The steamboat Cephus landed the 325 cabin passengers of the steamship Wyoming at Fire Island this afternoon. Not the slightest opposition was offered by the Islip health authorities or Bay men. In fact, not one of either was to be seen afloat or ashore. No sickness was reported.

Instructions to Customs Officers.

OTTAWA, Sept. 17.—The Customs Department has issued the following telegram:

To Collectors of Customs:

The Minister especially instructs you to exercise the greatest possible vigilance in order to locate any suspicious articles in which infection might exist, which may be imported from infected localities in the United States. You are to report all such cases to the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, by wire. The Minister orders that all customs officers are to act promptly and efficiently as to quarantine officers, according to instructions sanctioned by law, which will be sent you by the Department of Agriculture.

The ports notified are: Nova Scotia—Digby, Yarmouth, Canso, Pictou, Sydney, Weymouth, Lunenburg, Barrington and Windsor.

Ontario—Port Arthur, Collingwood, Sarnia, Windsor, Amherstburg, Clifton, Fort Erie, Niagara, Brockville, Prescott, St. Thomas, St. Catharines, Hamilton, Toronto, Belleville, Kingston.

New Brunswick—Fredericton, Moncton, St. Andrews, St. John, McAdam Junction.

Quebec—Cookshire, Hemmingford, Montreal, Quebec, Patton, Sherbrooke, Stanstead, St. Armand, Coaticooke, St. Hyacinthe, St. John's, Sutton.

'TWAS CRIMINAL RECKLESSNESS.

Driving Across the Track in Front of a Trolley—Buggy Smashed and Occupants Thrown Out.

There was another trolley accident in King-street Saturday. Like the previous ones, it was the fruit of carelessness, but through the cool-headedness of the motorman a fatal result was obviated.

The trolley was traveling eastward at pretty good speed, and when near Spadina-avenue a couple of boys attempted to drive a horse and buggy across the track while the motor was only a few yards away. The boys saw the motor coming, but were determined to run the risk in spite of remonstrances from bystanders and the men on the car.

When the motor-man saw that an accident was unavoidable he reversed. But the only effect even this had was to lessen the blow, for the buggy was caught with terrific force and dashed to one side, while its two occupants were sent sprawling some 15 yards further.

Fortunately the cost of their recklessness was only a number of bruises, a severe shock and a smashed buggy. They probably wont monkey with the motor car again.

In reversing the car a portion of the motor was burned.

Collision on the G.T.R.

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 17.—The train from Cornwall with the Cornwall lacrosse team and a large party of excursionists collided with a west bound freight train near Vaudreuil station to-day. The engines were reversed and the brakes were applied before the trains met and the damage to the rolling stock was not great. A passenger named Bertler was cut in the eye, one of the drivers of the engines was slightly hurt and Lafortune, a fireman who belongs to Cornwall, and who jumped, was seriously injured.

Canada's Samson Honored.

The strong man, Louis Cyr, who has been giving exhibitions of his great strength at Hanlan's Point, has left us, though not without something with which to remember our city.

The French-Canadians living in this city decided to present Mr. Cyr with a cane as a token of the esteem in which they hold him and also as a reward for the way in which he has upheld the reputation of their race for feats of strength.

Accordingly a subscription was started and taken up actively by French-Canadians exclusively, which has resulted in their buying a cane, with massive gold head, bearing a suitable inscription. The presentation took place last night at the Union Station, previous to the departure of the 9 o'clock train. Mr. Quesnell made an eloquent presentation speech, in which he dwelt upon the necessity of physical exercise to acquire a healthy mind, and congratulated Mr. Cyr on his achievements both at home and abroad. Mr. Cyr replied happily and said that if Canada's name for strength diminished it would be through no fault of his. He also said a few words in English and was applauded several times by his hearers. The cane bears the following inscription in French: "Presented to Louis Cyr by the French-Canadians of Toronto, September, 1892."

Mr. Cyr left for Montreal, where he is to be presented with a gold medal to-night.

Assessment System.

There are many plans of life insurance upon the market. Some are good, others better. Sensible people want the best, that is what you are looking for. The six years' distribution deposit plan, originated and operated only by the Covenant Mutual Benefit Association of Illinois, is the cheapest and best life insurance in the world. Forty thousand policy-holders attest its popularity. $850,000 surplus. Full Government deposit. A. H. Hoover, manager, 17 Jordan-street, Toronto. ed

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The Late Bishop O'Mahony.

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Personal Mention.

Mr. J. F. Black of Montreal is at the Rossin.

Mr. W. B. Hollingsworth of Chicago is at the Rossin.

Mr. C. A. McCleland of Peterboro is registered at the Rossin.

Mrs. T. H. Stinson of Hamilton is a guest at the Queen's.

Mr. F. Fairchild of Winnipeg is at the Queen's.

Prof. Rentual of the Melbourne, Australia, University is a guest at the Queen's.

Rev. James McGaw of Melbourne, Australia, is at the Queen's.

Mr. Thomas J. Mason, Victoria, B.C., is at the Queen's.

Mr. George M. McComas and wife of Baltimore, Md., are at the Walker House.

Mr. George L. Harrison, business manager of "My Jack" company, is registered at the Walker.

Rev. Dr. J. O. Miller, delegate to Pan-Presbyterian Assembly, and wife of York, Pa., are at the Palmer House.

Rev. Dr. Ramsay of Closeburn, Scotland, delegate to Pan-Presbyterian Assembly, is a guest at the Palmer House.

At the Palmer: G. Burrow, B. D. C. Taskett, New York; James Gorman, St. Louis, Mo.; James Mitchell, Goderich; Thomas H. Robb, Burlington, N.J.; L. B. Puentin, Boston, Mass.; J. E. Brooks, Listowel; B. J. Nash, London; A. J. Crawford, Brampton; Will Uffman, Cincinnati, O.; J. A. McSloy, St. Catharines.

KINDERGARTENS OF CRIME.

THIS IS WHAT REV. W. F. WILSON CALLS POOL ROOMS.

His Second Sermon on Gambling—Denunciation of Lotteries—Tickets Peddled on the Streets—Professional Gamblers' Shady Tricks—The Pastor is Compiling a List of Names.

Rev. W. F. Wilson in New Richmond Methodist Church, McCaul-street, preached to an overflowing congregation his second sermon on "gambling," with special reference to pools and lotteries. His text was Gal. vi.

7. Be not deceived: God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap.

In the course of a very earnest sermon he said: "I desire to persuade the gamblers to quit their business, to get those who are their victims to quit their gambling, and to prevent the young from becoming slaves of this vice; destroy the habit, but save the man. The more I investigate, I am more thoroughly persuaded that this vile habit is sapping the very foundations of society.

"Not only are our centres of amusement polluted and the fountains of commerce tainted, but this fascinating tyrant has entered our higher social circles, and in some form or other, like a slimy serpent of death, has crossed the threshold of almost every home.

It Is An Abominable Nuisance.

"My feeling is that no man, or corporation of men, have a right to force this curse upon our city and foster this abominable nuisance in our midst.

"I call upon the ministers of the Church of Jesus Christ, all good citizens, irrespective of creeds, our Board of License Commissioners, the proper authorities whose duty it is to suppress this and all kindred evils, to work and free our city from the disgrace and distress that will come upon us if we permit this evil to prevail.

"Now, as to the pool rooms, there are about 50 licensed pool and billiard rooms in this city. There are some 128 tables in connection with cigar stores, and about 50 directly connected with hotels and saloons. But over 75 per cent. of the whole of them are either just opposite, alongside or above some saloon or liquor store.

"Other branches of trade can flourish anywhere, but it seems almost necessary, in order for pool and billiard rooms to prosper, they must be shadowed by the curse of rum.

Kindergartens of Crime.

"Doubtless there are many respectable men whose rooms are kept strictly within the law, but I firmly believe that numbers of them are nothing less than kindergartens of crime. In some of them a great deal of liquor is consumed, and gambling on the quiet is carried on.

"Would I do away with them entirely? That is an open question.

"1st. I would permit no sub-letting whatever. Make every proprietor responsible for the pool-room on his premises, and make his license contingent on its good management and strict observance of the law. Then permit no man to have a license who has been convicted of selling liquor or gambling. If we are to have these places let clean men control them.

"Lastly, I would take the licensing power out of the hands of the City Council, so that no political or municipal influence could be used. I make no reflection whatever on Ald. Verral and his committee of this year, but I do say that in the past there have been committees whose conduct in granting licenses was outrageous—and some of whose members have been found intoxicated, while others of them played cards in these places on the Sabbath Day.

The Lottery Evil

is rapidly spreading its baneful influence in our midst. There are several companies in operation, some Canadian and some American. Notwithstanding the United States mail and United States express companies have refused to handle their tickets, yet hundreds of them are sold in the city every month.

"I am creditably informed that there are many places where tickets may be bought, of some of which I have positive information. There are saloons, cigar stores and barber shops whose names I have, who during the past 30 days have disposed of many of these tickets.

"But one of the worst forms of all of disposing of these tickets is that of peddling them on the public streets and selling them to young men while at their business. This is a positive fact and I can readily prove it.

"It is a crying shame that these things cannot be abated. I want our license commissioners and their inspectors to investigate a little, and in several prominent saloons if they give the tip they'll get the ticket.

"I would cancel every license and close up every shop if it could be proven they permitted another ticket to be sold.

Back Up the Officials.

"And for the peddler, give him 50 days with Governor Green and this lottery curse will die. Let our laws be clear, yet strong. Let us back up our officials in the discharge of their duty and there is not a commission room we cannot close or a lottery agent we cannot drive from our land.

"The professional gambler is necessarily dishonest; win he must. If necessary he'll bribe the jockey to throw the horse, to mark the lottery ticket to win the prize. His stock in trade is fraud.

"Can I, can I won't you quit? I appeal to you by the sacred memory of your mother, the purity of your wife and the sweetness of your little child. I appeal to you by the many who may be ruined by your example, and, lastly, I appeal by the gambler's death and hell for you to quit."

THE CHURCH RE-OPENED.

The Renovation of Central Presbyterian Sanctuary—A Sermon all About Money.

The Central Presbyterian Church, Grosvenor and St. Vincent-streets, which for the last few weeks has been in the hands of the painters and decorators, was re-opened yesterday morning. The ceiling and walls have been handsomely frescoed in pretty combinations of cream and light blues, while the balcony and pillars are resplendent in a new coat of bronze and gilt. The choir will hereafter be seated in front of the pulpit instead of in the recess in the rear as formerly. The organ is as yet unfinished, so is the Jennings memorial window. The church has been lighted by electricity and recarpeted. It now presents a remarkably tasteful appearance.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. R. McShane Edgar, Dublin, Moderator of the Irish Presbyterian General Assembly, and delegate to the Pan-Presbyterian Council. He took as his text: "If therefore ye have not been faithful in the unrighteous Mammon, who will commit to your trust the true riches? And if ye have not been faithful in that which is another man's, who shall give you that which is your own?"

The preacher dwelt upon the fact that rich men derided the idea of ministers handling the subject of money in the pulpit, inferring that as divines were generally poor they could not be posted on the question. "But," said he, "if that is the case how will they feel when they come before the Almighty at the last grand review and endeavor to explain about the disposal of their riches? They are simply stewards of His and every penny of it unworthily spent will be subject to a divine rebuke.

This money test will decide whether we are God's children or the devil's. It is also a test of character. Do you think God ever prompted a man to be miserly or to spend money for his mere selfish amusement? By no means! The money is given us to help in the cause of Christ.

"If our pockets are not converted, as well as our hearts, we are deceiving ourselves in fancying that we are converted at all.

"God says we should so use these apparent

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DISASTROUS EXPLOSION.

Seven Men Killed and Twenty More Badly Scalded.

COMBER, Ont., Sept. 17.—A boiler in Force & Dickinson's stave mill at Staples, a small village on the Leamington and St. Clair Railway five miles from here, exploded, by which seven men were killed outright, one fatally injured and about 20 more or less scalded. The particulars were as follows: About 6.30 a.m. the night watchman gave way to the regular day engineer. At that time there were 26 pounds of steam in the boiler that exploded. The fire was increased, and it is supposed that there was 80 pounds pressure on the boiler at the time of explosion. Fortunately there were a great number of the hands absent, owing to the early hour, or it is likely the fatalities would have been greater. The scene is horrible in the extreme. Arms and limbs were literally torn from the bodies of the victims, while their sculls were crushed and the brains scattered about.

Drs. Abbott and Anderson of Comber, were summoned and did all in their power to relieve the wounded. Those dead are John Ewing, Michael Dupuis, Joseph Papineau, Isaiah Chauvin, Jerome Chauvin (two brothers), W. Peter Daust, and Moise Ouilette.

J. Boane is fatally scalded, and there are between 15 and 20 slightly scalded.

The air is full of rumors regarding the condition of the boiler. Some contend it was old and unfit for use, while an employe of the mill says that the boilers were in good running condition, but that he believes that scales had formed on the plate and interrupted some of the valves. The boiler was carried fully 200 feet, passing in its flight between two residences. Bricks and other debris were carried in all directions, but the houses in the neighborhood escaped with a few broken windows. The two Chauvins and Daust were single men; the others were all married, with families depending on them for support.

COLLISION AT VAUDREUIL.

An Accident on the Grand Trunk Without a Fatality.

VAUDREUIL, Que., Sept. 17.—The Moccasin Grand Trunk train from Cornwall this morning came into collision with a freight train in the yard here. The engineer and fireman of engine No. 196 were slightly injured, the engine being badly damaged. The passengers were in no wise injured, as none of the cars left the track. The track was immediately cleared. The Moccasin arrived at Montreal one and a half hours late.

The Carnegie Company Weakening.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Sept. 17.—Eighteen workmen from Philadelphia arrived this morning and were put at work in the mills.

Under cover of darkness last night a large number of Hungarians held a meeting on the river bank near the mill yard. They were addressed by representatives of the Carnegie Steel Company and it is said that they voted to return to work by the end of next week.

It is generally conceded by friends of the strikers that the efforts being made by the firm to induce this class of men to return to work is an indication of a weakening on the part of the company. There is not nearly so much work being done in the mills today, and the officials of the company refuse to talk to reporters on the situation, or give a reason for the evident inactivity.

Hamilton's Statue of Sir John.

HAMILTON, Sept. 17.—A largely attended meeting of gentlemen interested in the erection of the Sir John A. Macdonald memorial statue was held in the Board of Trade rooms at noon to-day. Senator Sanford occupied the chair, and among those present were: Messrs. A. McKay, M.P.; William Hendrie, Matthew Leggatt, J. F. Flavelle, W. Young, James Roderick, J. F. Scott, Robert Evans, John A. Bruce, J. J. Stuart, J. Somerville, W. A. Robinson, Adam Brown, ex-M.P., Alexander Ross, E. Furniss and C. R. Smith.

The object of the meeting was the selection of a site for the statue, which is rapidly nearing completion. Quite a lively discussion took place on the various sites proposed, strong feeling in favor of placing the statute on King-street, just opposite the Post office, and others favoring its location nearer Hughson-street; but eventually it was decided to place it at the intersection of John and King-streets.

The Iron Hall Fraud.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 17.—Assignee A. E. Stockwell of the Mutual Banking Trust Surety and Safe Deposit Company, of which concern he was also counsel, was arrested this afternoon on a warrant issued on an affidavit made by George S. Graham, receiver for the Order of the Iron Hall for Pennsylvania. The affidavit charges Stockwell with conspiracy with others to divert the funds of the Iron Hall into various unlawful channels, but particularly into the Mutual Banking Company, which obtained, as it has been revealed, $170,000 of the order's money. He is now awaiting the appearance of a bondsman.

French-Canadians Moving Out.

QUEBEC, Sept. 18.—The exodus of French-Canadians from the province, and especially from this section, to the United States continues apparently without any abatement. Within the last 20 days upwards of 25 families belonging to Levis and its adjoining parish of St. Joseph and St. David have sold out all they had and taken their departure.

Knew Where the Wealth Was.

ROME, Sept. 17.—A despatch from Cagliari, Sardinia, says 30 armed brigands attacked the residence of the parish priest at Sedda last night and stole all the money and valuables they could find. The priest and servant were badly wounded and a villager who went to their assistance was shot dead.

She May Be Confiscated.

OTTAWA, Sept. 17.—The United States mackerel seiner Hattie Maud, which is now at St. John, N.B., is held for violating the treaty of 1818 by shipping seamen from a Canadian port without having a modus vivendi license. The Government proposes to let the law take its course, the penalty being confiscation.

The Pacing Record Broken.

TOPEKA, Kas., Sept. 18.—Riley Medium broke the world's record for pacing over a half mile track here yesterday, pacing three heats, the third in 2.11 3-5.

Mrs. Harrison Has Consumption.

LOON LAKE, Sept. 17.—This has been the most favorable day Mrs. Harrison has experienced since she was stricken down with pleurisy. Her physicians express confidence this evening of her recovery from that particular complaint. They admit, however, that the seeds of consumption are still present and are apt to continue their steady inroad on her constitution.

For indigestion, mental fatigue and dyspepsia use Adams' Pepsin Tutti Frutti. It is an absolute cure for indigestion. Sold by all druggists and confectioners, 5 cents.

The raging toothache, why endure when there is found an instant cure in Gibbons' Toothache Gum?

What this warm weather suggests is something that will boil the kettle, cook an egg, or fry a beefsteak in a hurry. Harvie's kindling wood is just the thing. Try 6 crates for a dollar delivered c.o.d. Harvie & Co., 20 Sheppard-street. Tel. 1570. 136

RODE TO DEATH IN A COAL CART.

Prompt Medical Assistance Might Have Saved This Man's Life.

Certain facts connected with the death of Thomas N. Ramsden of 427 Front-street east, who died on Friday night, were deemed worthy of investigation by Coroner Johnson, who empanelled a jury and held an inquest on Saturday night in the hotel at Front and Cherry-streets.

Ramsden was employed in the Consumers' Gas Company's Works, and about 2.40 p.m. on September 10 he was found lying in the purifying house by John Allister, a fellow employe. Ramsden had been trying to fix a rupture with which he had been affected for ten years, and which had re-opened. Thomas Ferry, another employe, stated that he went to Ramsden, who was in great agony, and tried to help him. He then told William Sinclair, the foreman, that Ramsden was dying, and that he had better telephone for a doctor. The foreman, instead of calling a doctor, had the unfortunate man removed to his home in a coal cart, after lying on the floor for several hours.

Dr. John S. King was called by Ferry, and went to Ramsden's house, where he gave whatever attention was possible. Ramsden was very weak when the doctor first saw him. He said that he had been hurt, but was not willing to answer any questions. He died at 9 p.m. on Friday.

Drs. A. J. Harrington and D. C. Myers made a post mortem examination and testified that Ramsden had died from a condition of the bowels induced by the reopening of the rupture. Had it been properly attended to, they said, the injury would not have caused the man's death.

The coroner, in his charge to the jury, impressed upon them that if they found Ramsden's death to have been hastened in any way by neglect or otherwise they should bring in a verdict to that effect, naming the responsible parties. The jury, however, after a stormy half hour, found that Ramsden had died from natural causes and not otherwise.

SULLIVAN'S BENEFIT.

A Great Crowd See the Champion and Ex-Champion Spar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—John L. Sullivan was extended a great ovation in Madison Square Garden to-night. Nine thousand men and 300 women gave wild applause when the fallen champion appeared in the ring to wind up his benefit with a friendly bout with Jim Corbett, his victor. It was a Sullivan audience, and he bowed his acknowledgments to the deafening applause in good form. Corbett of course was well received. Both were called upon for a speech and both responded briefly.

Time was called and the men went to the centre of the ring for business. They were attired as in the ring at New Orleans. If the crowd expected any heavy hitting it was disappointed. Three tame minute-and-a-half rounds were all that was seen in the fistical line.

Sullivan, however, got in some licks, and notwithstanding his recent defeat looked the more masterly of the two as they appeared to-night. None of the scars which Sullivan received in the New Orleans fight were visible. Corbett also showed off to fine advantage.

After the show was over, Corbett was given a reception at the Tenderloin Club in West Thirty-Second-street, and when this was over he went to the Coleman House, where Mike Dwyer turned over to him the $20,000 stake which he won at New Orleans.

A Homeless Horse Thief.

William W. McWorld, alias McGuire, who has no permanent residence, was arrested yesterday by Detective Slemin and Acting Detective Harrison on a charge of horse stealing. On Sept. 13, it is alleged, the prisoner hired a horse and rig from C. R. Notman, 179 Queen-street west. On the 14th he sold the outfit to Thomas J. Worthy, 16 Scollard-street, taking a cow in exchange. The cow he then sold to a Yonge-street butcher for $15. He was arrested on a Yonge-street car and was driving a horse which he had just hired at another livery stable.

East York's Harvest Home.

Zion Methodist Church, East York, was twice crowded yesterday on the occasion of the harvest services held there. In the afternoon Rev. G. K. Adams occupied the pulpit and in the evening Joseph Tait, M.L.A. exhorted his hearers to be thankful for the bountiful harvest. This afternoon a lengthy program of games with prizes will be carried through with. There will be a football match between the Don and York Mills clubs. A fowl dinner will be served from 4 to 6 p. m. A concert and entertainment will be given in the evening at which addresses will be delivered by ministers and friends.

Pipe Smokers.

You may be satisfied with the brands of tobacco you have been using for years. Grant it; that you are satisfied. As there is always room for improvement, we ask you to try our OLD CHUM PLUG, or CUT smoking tobacco; we believe you will be BETTER satisfied. In any case, a trial won't hurt you. 126

George Harcourt & Son.

Now that the Exhibition is over do not delay leaving your measure with us for a fall overcoat, or suit, merchant tailors, 57 King-street west.

Local Jottings.

The season closed at the Island last evening, when the lights were extinguished.

Detective Davis arrested Edward Kupitz, 170 St. Patrick-street, on Saturday. The arrest was made on an old warrant charging Kupitz with horse stealing.

Three additional charges have been preferred against C. W. Rigg who passed so many worthless bank notes at the Exhibition.

Friends of Frank Harper and Robert Hamilton, the young men who were asphyxiated in York-street, claimed the bodies on Saturday, and they were removed to Columbus.

Conductor Snider will deliver his popular lecture, "Life on the Rail and People You Meet," at the Clinton-street Methodist Church to-night.

The talented Mrs. Olivet Henderson gave a stirring address at the meeting of Broadway Gospel Temperance Society meeting yesterday afternoon, her subject being, "How to Elevate the Masses."

On Saturday afternoon, it is said, George Lancefield, 23 Scott-street, had a fight with a street car conductor. P. C. Allen arrested him and he will be charged with assault. He was admitted to bail.

Commencing Monday, Sept. 19, the steamer Lakeside will leave daily at 3.30 p.m. for Port Dalhousie and St. Catharines, connecting with trains for Niagara Falls and Buffalo and all points on the Welland division.

The great interest taken by visitors at the fair will warrant the York Pioneers in proceeding with the erection of the proposed memorial ball alongside the old log house in Exhibition Park.

An alleged disorderly house at 6 Blair-avenue was raided on Saturday night. Morris and Annie Harney were arrested as keepers, and Martin and Kate Broderick will be arraigned as frequenter and inmate respectively.

For nearly a year the detectives have been on the lookout for Charles McIntyre, 383 King-street west, who it is alleged committed an indecent assault on Grace Miller. He returned to the city, and yesterday he was arrested. He will probably be tried at the sessions with Edward McGee, who is to be tried on the same charge.

The Late Sir Daniel Wilson.

Recently made photographs can be had at Herbert E. Simpson's, 143 College-street. 136

TENANTS WANT THE LAND.

A DISPOSITION IN IRELAND TO OUST THE LANDLORDS AT ONCE.

The Tenants Believe That They Should Have Possession of Their Holdings as Owners—It is Likely that the Dynamiters Now in Prison will be Liberated at an Early Day.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—Ireland is at length free from government by proclamation and removable magistrates. Chief Secretary Morley has kept the promise made by the Liberal party to the Irish people so far as this important step is concerned. The evicted tenants are plucking up courage and have in several instances again taken possession of their former homes. They run very little risk in so doing as, the proclamations under the Coercion Act having been revoked, the landlords cannot appeal to extraordinary measures for vindication of their claims, which would have to be decided by a jury of the vicinage. There is a strong disposition throughout Ireland to effect a summary expulsion of all landlords and have the tenants assume possession as owners. This agitation is held in check by the fact that many of the tenants have suboccupiers under them, who might be inclined to assert a similar claim against the tenants from whom they hold. However, it is generally believed that some method will be found for the tenants of the farms to take complete possession practically, if not nominally, as owners. This will establish a new and powerful land-owning class, bound by its interests to support an Irish Home Rule Government against the Conservative element in Great Britain and Ireland. The release of Daly, Daly and other Irish political prisoners is expected at an early date. The chief reason for not appointing Sir William Harcourt Home Secretary was his opposition to the release of these men. Sir William Harcourt has always asserted that the conviction of the alleged dynamiters was justifiable and they ought to be kept in prison. Mr. Asquith, the new Home Secretary, has no embarrassing record on this subject and will doubtless be willing to release anybody he is ordered to let go.

The Duke of York's Trousers.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—Miss Hicks, a working ladies' delegate, told the Trades Union Congress that she knew a fever den in London where the Duke of York's trousers were made and that she sewed trousers herself next door. This statement, which was meant as an attack on the sweating system as laying open high and low alike to infection, has been disproved in the case of the Duke of York. Royalty's clothes are produced in a great factory which employs many men, which largely supplies America and which is kept in good sanitary condition. But Miss Hicks was right in affirming that the high prices paid to fashionable tailors do not insure customers against the production of garments in fever slums.

TAKING TENANTS CATTLE.

Mr. Redmond Says the Irish People Will be Driven Wild by Bailiffs.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—William H. Redmond, the Parnellite who represents East Clare in the House of Commons, has written a letter in reference to the midnight expedition of bailiffs to seize cattle belonging to tenants on the Bodyke estate in Clare. Mr. Redmond in his letter describes himself as an anxious but peaceful writer, but says he must point out to Mr. Balfour, which he does, the sending of armed police at midnight to hunt the cattle of poor people who, under stress of circumstances, are unable to meet the full demands of their landlords, is likely to cause extreme irritation and excitement. He concludes by declaring that unless the Government stops these midnight raids of the police the people will be driven wild.

EVIDENTLY MAD.

An English Clergyman Kills Himself Under Distressing Circumstances.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—The Rev. Joseph Weedon, vicar of Moreton Parish in Lancashire, committed suicide at Rhyl, a watering place in Wales, yesterday morning. Weedon was considered to be a man of exceptional piety and was happily married. A fortnight ago, when he started on his vacation, he behaved strangely toward his wife and finally told her that he would have to leave her at home as he did not have money enough to pay the board of two persons. Mrs. Weedon remained at home. Mr. Weedon met a pretty young servant girl from Moreton at a station a few miles off, and proceeded with her to Rhyl, where he introduced her at the hotel as his wife. The couple lived on extravagantly that when the bill was presented on Thursday night Weedon was unable to pay it. The landlord threatened proceedings, but Weedon held him off with promises to raise the money. On the next morning Weedon bought a revolver, went to the hotel and shot himself dead. The coroner's jury to-day gave a verdict of suicide in a fit of insanity.

Insane at a Foreign Hotel.

BERLIN, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Clothilde Fliess, said to be the widow of a prominent New York physician, staying at a hotel in this city, to-day became raving mad. Her rooms are on the fourth floor of the hotel, and dashing to a window she attempted to throw herself to the street. Persons passing saw her and shouted to her to go back. This diverted her attention and prevented her from immediately jumping. A fireman rushed up stairs and grasped her around the waist. She fought like a tigress, and it was with the greatest difficulty that she was secured.

Suicide of a German Baron.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—The truth concerning the death of a man supposed to have been Max Vitkaf of No. 267 Bowery, came out yesterday when Alexander von Schoneberg visited President Wilson of the Health Board. It appears that Nitkaf was Baron von Wittken, and instead of cholera morbus his death was due to arsenic. He was found sick in Mercer-street Tuesday night, and when taken to Bellevue Hospital gave his name as Vitkaf. Wittken came from a noble German family and was a lieutenant in the Prussian army. On reaching this country he was penniless and went to work in a Bowery lodging house. It is supposed he took the arsenic with suicidal intent.

What the Kaiser Said.

BERLIN, Sept. 17.—The Reichsanzeiger, the official organ, this evening says that William Steinway's statement regarding the suggested visit of Emperor William to the Chicago Columbian Exhibition was incorrect. In the report of his recent audience with the Emperor Mr. Steinway was made to say that if His Majesty would visit Chicago he would be greeted with boundless enthusiasm by the German-Americans there, and it was stated that the Emperor responded: "My going to Chicago is not at all impossible." The Reichsanzeiger declares that what the Emperor really said was that it was not very possible that he would go there.

Later Views of Mars.

GENEVA, Sept. 17.—Prof. Brooks, director of the Smith University, has recently made most interesting observations and discoveries in the planet Mars. The star is now much better seen than when it was directly in opposition. He has observed many of the so-called canals, thus confirming the discoveries of Schiaparelli. The melting away of the snow from the south pole of Mars has been specially noted, the encroachments of the summer's heat leaving two large fields of snow or ice which have since disappeared. Prof. Brooks also announces the discovery of clouds upon Mars which at times obscured the continents and oceans usually distinctly visible.

THE MONTREAL SYNOD.

A General Synod to be Established to Meet in Toronto.

MONTREAL, Sept. 17.—At to-day's session of the Anglican Synod the principal question was a conference between the bishops of the lower house on the proposed consolidation of the various sections of the church in Canada, as proposed in the scheme formulated at the Winnipeg Conference. The scheme proposes the establishment of a general synod, including representatives from all the ecclesiastical provinces in the Dominion, the first meeting of which will be held in Toronto in 1893. The conference lasted three hours and there was a great deal of discussion, many of the speakers objecting to the establishment of a general synod on the ground that it would interfere with the Provincial synods.

Dean Grisdale, Prolocutor of the Province of Rupert's Land, and Canon O'Meara of Winnipeg appeared before the conference and declared that the Province of Rupert's Land, which embraces eight dioceses, would heartily agree to the consolidation if the provincial synods were retained. No decision was reached at the conference, but the question will come up for final decision before the end of the synod. Memorials were also adopted at the death of Metropolitan Bishop Medley of Fredericton and Bishop Williams of Quebec.

ONCE A STREET WAIF.

Married a Missionary in Japan, but Had a Wife in Iowa.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 18.—Advices from Koko, Japan, give full details of the divorce granted to an American missionary, Cora Lafferty Harvey, from Conrad Harvey, whom she married two years ago. The ground was bigamy, Harvey having a wife in Iowa.

The proceedings show that Harvey fled to Japan four years ago, having embezzled $3000 in Iowa. He was very devout and through his piety he deeply impressed a rich Belgian merchant, Mr. Derenen of Koko, who made him manager of his business. When Derenen returned to Europe he left a liberal deposit to Harvey's credit in the bank.

Soon after that Harvey married Miss Cora Lafferty, and American missionary, who was an orphan. He set up a fine establishment, but soon abandoned his wife and left with Derenen's money. It is thought he returned to America.

Investigation showed that he married Della Pierce at Yale, Guthrie, County, Ia., in March, 1885, and soon