HAMILTON. CANADA MONDAY. OCTOBER, 28 1907.

# DARING ATTACK ON A YOUNG WOMAN

Toughs on the Mountain Side Are Getting Bolder

# Mountain People Want Gang Broken Up Before

street was the scene of another daring attack on a respectable young woman on Saturday night. A ruffian, believed to be one of the gang that has been terrorizing women who are obliged to travel these paths, made an attempt to

be attacked a girl within a few feet of grat her. She managed to clude him, and ran screaming for help towards the incline. The fellow chased her for some distance, but as he neared the light, he evidently became frightened and disappeared.

The mountain residents along the brow, who have to make frequent trips up and down the roads and steps, are greatly worked up over the operations of the gang that has been terrorizing women along the roads for the last six or seven weeks. There has been case after case of purse snatching in broad daylight within that time, by the thief or thieves who have wrestled with the victims until they broke the chains holding the purse or handbag and threatened them when they resisted. The hold-up to break up the gang.

measure against the windrawai of currency from circulation, and not because of any extraordinary local necessity, the Bc>ton Clearing House Association today decided to issue clearing house loan certificates bearing interest at 7.3 per

Securing Gold.

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London, Oct. 23.—The United States secured all the bar gold offered to-day in the market, totalling nearly \$5,000.

One, The price paid was \$18.50. This is 10 cents higher than previous quotations, indicating the keenness of the competition. Both Paris and London bid against the United States.

London Optimistic.

Parisian Opinion.

are also approved.

# **NEW YORK FINANCIERS BEGIN** THE WEEK IN HOPEFUL MOOD

#### British, French and German Opinion of Situation ---Run on Small Banks.

New York, Oct. 28.-Fortified by the | measure against the withdrawal of cur remedial plans adopted on Saturday for the protection of New York's supply of currency, financiers began the new business week in a hopeful frame of mind. They were especially encouraged by the precautionary measures taken in other cities, including the issuance of clearing house certificates at various other centres besides New York, believing that these measures will be effective throughout the nation at large in keeping neout the nation at large in keeping necessary supplies of eash within the control of the banks for use in carrying on the business of the country. The greatest danger throughout this. is the dendency of small depositors to withdraw their funds from the banks and to place them in safe deposit vaults where they were withdrawn absolutely from circulation in the channels of trade where they are so badly needed.

The importation of gold is expected to assume large proportions—and will

to assume large proportions and will aid greatly in providing funds for the banks,

#### Confidence in London

London, Oct. 28.—The confidence felt here in the general soundness of the here in the general soundness of the financial situation in the United States was further evidenced at the opening of the stock exchange this morning, when American rails were pushed up 2 to 3 points over parity, a fair amount of business being transacted. Copper shares ruled strong at a sudden increase over fifteen dollars per ton in the price of the metal.

Lines of depositors remained in front Lines of depositors remained in front of the doors of the Lincoln Trust Co., and the Trust Co., of America despite the heavy rain which fell throughout the night. The all-night line at the Lincoln Trust Co., numbered 80 persons and forty-five were waiting their turn at the Trust Company of America.

Three persons remained in line all night in front of the Riverside bank, a small state institution at 8th avenue, and 57th stree. At 9 o'clock the inle in front of this bank numbered 35 persons. The Trust of America issued nayment

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to depositors as usual at 10 o'clock to-day. There were 50 depositors in line. The Lineoin Trust Co. also opened for business this morning as usual. The lines of waiting depositors were much smaller than at the opening hour of Sat-urday.

At the Northern Bank, a State insti-tution, at 693 Broadway, there were 60 persons in line at the opening hour.

To Reform Corporations.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—A despatch from Indianapolis says: During a conversation at a dinner at the Columbia Club last night. Federal Judge Peter S. Grosscup, (Continued on page 3.) **GRIMSBY MUCH EXCITED** 

OVER "SCALE" IMPORTATION.

Five Car Loads of Infected Pears Have Arrived

From United States.

Grimsby is in a state of excitement. The fruit growers there have spent thousands of dollars fighting the San Jose Scale and are determined that the pest shall not be imported in ear load lots from the United States if they can prevent it.

The Grimsby Canning Company has just about completed the local pack, but has been trying to get outside fruits to keep things running. On Friday it succeeded in securing five cars of pears from the United States. When the first car was opened and unloading started several people pronounced the fruit to be badly infected with San Jose Scale. Samples were sent to the local pack, the declared it to be the pest. He advised management to unload no more unstable to destroyed immediately.

# CANADA AHEAD.

Doing More Business With New foundland Than the States.

More Serious Crimes Are Committed.

The mountain road near James artists apparently have no fear of the pclice. He makes little effort to hide its identity. In one case he attacked two women at nontime within a short distance of Aberdeen avenue. He is gang that has been lying women who are obliged with the second in ront of another woman whose pure he grabbed and coolly searched it these paths; made an attempt to these paths; made an attempt to the fellow chased her for, some with as he neared the light, he became frightened and disaptive to make free the makes free to her promptly run down how some more services.

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U. S. SOCIALISTS WHO HAD TO LEAVE RUSSIA.

Mrs. William English, formerly Miss Anna Strousky-The portrait in the Medallion is Mr. Walling.

#### HE FELL DEAD AT HOSPITAL

WILLIAM H. MAGEE WAS GOING

THERE FOR SLIGHT OPERATION. a Throat Trouble and Decided to

London Optimistic.

London, Oct. 28.—While the sensation morgers here and in other European capitals have seized on the crisis in New York to discredit American finance and financial methods, there is a strong note of optimism in more reliable and saner quarters. Though the crisis is disturbing to the nerves of the financial world, it is not forgotten that the industrial and agricultural position of the United States is extremely satisfactory.

Parisian Opinion. Have the Operation, But Heart Failed Him at Door of Institution. Dropping dead as he walked in hrough the doors of the City Hos-

pital to undergo an operation for a throat affection, shortly before noon was the tragic and sudden end of William H. Magee, a marble polisher for H. N. Thomas, York street. On Parisian Opinion.

Paris. Oct. 28.—The prevailing opinion in financial circles here is that the worst phase of the crisis in New York is over, if it does not extend to the interior of the country. No skepticism exists regarding the enormous wealth and resources of the country or the solid base of its prosperity and the utmost confidence is expressed in J. Pierpont Morgan and the coterie of bankers at the helm. Saturday deceased was around town and told his friends that he was go ing to the hospital on Tuesday morning to undergo the operation. morning he was unable to wait and

morning he was unable to wait and decided to have it over quickly. He was with his sister and another lady and just as he walked through the door he gave a gasp and grabbed a man who was standing by. When picked up he was dead.

Deceased was a well-known resident and lived with his sister near the corner of Florence and Locke streets, on Florence. He was unmarried.

His body was removed to A. H. Dodsworth's undertaking emporium and prepared for burial, and the funeral will take place on Wednesday from his sister's home to Hamilton cemetery. The measures of relief taken by the clearing houses in New York and by Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou Berlin, Oct. 28.—The violent financial squall in the United States is regarded here as having passed as quickly as it came up. The great Berlin banks are

ers that the crisis assuring the which has gripped New York is remained, which has gripped New York is remained and that conditions in America are so sound that no deep seated consequences sound that no deep seated consequences of powerful The operation which the deceased The operation which the deceased was to have undergone was not a serious one and he had not regarded it as such himself. The suspense of waiting for the operation and the pitch of excitement he was screwed up to probably caused his untimely end His death wil be deeply regretted by a large number of acquaintances, and his employer also feels it keenly. and that conditions in America are so sound that no deep seated consequences can follow. The report of powerful heads of financial interests who happen to be here has sent word to Amesterdam that now is the time to invest in Ameri-can securities.

#### ....... HAVE A BUTTON.

Have you one of the latest Tiger buttons to wear at Thursday's great game?

The Times has a few, and any one who is sending a copy of today's paper, containing the report of Saturday's victory over Montreal away to a friend, can get one at the office. The supply is lim-

#### The Hero of Blenheim

Was never so popular as Marlborough skin food is now. This preparation is a perfectly clean toilet article, which re-lieves chapped and roughened skin, as well as feeds the skin tissues. This pre-paration is sold in 50c jars by Parke & Parke, druggists.

#### SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

.To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills,

#### Made in Glasgow, Scotland.

Macdonald's cut golden bar smoking tobacco owes its popularity to the high-class leaf from which it is made. It is sold for 25 cents a tin at peace's cigar store, 107 kips street east.

#### The Man tergay morning. In Overalls

There was a panic in Montreal on Saturday night. It wasn't a financial— it was a Tiger panic.

"Borden and Boodle" will be the next

The Flatt park is not flat.

If I were you I wouldn't bank much on your York Loan money.

The Nelligan charges must be nearly outlawed by this time.

But how is the city going to the quarrying on the mountain? out Mr. Webb?

Of course, when we hear of a man being sandbagged, suspicion points to the sandsucker.

The proposed Myles road down face of the mountain is measured yards, not miles.

The Montreal people now know what the yellow peril is.

Was Zandray another name for boodle

It is not pleasant to reflect that those neglected wives who appear before the Police Magistrate from time to time with complaints against their husbands were once happy, blushing brides.

The objections to watered stock in New York do not hold good with the farmers, who like their stock watered.

While cheering for the Tigers don't forget to talk up the ward system and conest government.

Although well supplied with thirsty citizens, Hamilton lays no claim to being the drunkenest city in Canada.

After the battle is over it will be time enough to count the dead. But I fear me for the Queen's Own.

That story in the papers about a man being killed with drinking too much tea may be true. But whoever heard of tea killing a woman?

Having given the S. P. S. chaps a din-ner, the city can hardly help giving the Tigers a feed. They are a first-class ad-for the city. the city.

If Col. Gibson wants any city favors to: the Cataract Company he better win that battle.

Everything is quiet in Turkey this week, but not so with the turkeys. There is great slaughter among them.

the national anthem when our famous

Hamilton expects that Dundas will do

Sent in: The Bengali papers have hailed Mr. Keir Hardie, M. P., as "an angel and not a man." We cannot afford Fool Hardie-ness in India.

#### **GIVES WARNING**

#### That There Will Be Cutting of the Licenses Next Spring.

The hotelmen of this city will have to hustle this week, as they are given only until Thursday next to pay the last half of their license fee. Inspector Birreli gave them 15 days after the time had clapsed to pay the first half, and he got himself in hot water with the

being sandbagged, suspicion points to the sandsucker.

The Montreal newspapers are now explaining to their sporty readers how it happened that the 'best' team got beaten. But the explanation is not very satisfactory.

We will have little cause for thankfulness on Thanksgiving Day if the fortune of war goes against us in the struggle with Toronto's invading forces.

The Montrealers are too late with their kicking. They should have done the kicking when the game was in progress, not after it was finished.

# the by SPANISH ROYALTY.

#### King Alfonso, Queen and Son Welcomed at Paris By President.

Paris, Oct. 28.-King Alfonso, Queen Victoria, their son, the Prince of the Asturias, and their suites passed a few hours in Paris while on their way to England. Although travelling incognita as the Duke and Duchess of Covadonga, they were received with royal honors, the public buildings displaying the Spanish as well as the French colors. President Fallieres, Premier Clemenceau, the Infanta Isabella, aunt of King Alfonso King George of Greece and the members of the Spanish embassy welcomed their Spanish majesties at the railroad station. Spanish majesties at the railroad station. The young prince was sleeping soundly in the arms of the Countess Llanos, his head governess, and he did not wake up while the exchanges of speeches of welcome and thanks were being made. The royal party will leave Paris at midnight for Cherbourg, wher they will embark to-morrow for England on board the British battleship Renown.

#### AND IT WAS.

"The best football story ever put or an extra," was what hundreds said on Saturday, after reading the Times extra. Their judgment was good.

#### For Thanksgiving.

Everything is quiet in Turkey this week, but not so with the turkeys. There is great slaughter among them.

Any other alderman want a favor before the year is up?

E. and O. E. subscriber writes: That was a graceful salute when the bells of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church rang out

# THEY AGAIN CHARGE CITY WITH HOLD-UP.

Solicitors of the Electric Railways Flay Aldermen Over Tactics They Pursue.

### Department Has No Intention of Cleaning Out Other Filtering Basin This Fall.

city verbally, we now desire on behalf of the company to place on record in connection with the closing up of the agreement between the city and the different railway companies interested in the double tracking of Main street, that the provision put into the agreement requiring the railways to pave the entire width of Main street, from James to Hughson streets, from between two feet outside the track and the curb, is on its face a very unjust exaction for the city to have made, and would not have been listened to by the railway corporations interested but for the exigencies of the situation. It was necessary to have the connections made between the Brantford & Hamilton Railway and the Terminal Station, and this connecting link completed, and the penalty or exaction of which we complain was not sufficiently great to warrant us in resisting what we cannot deventure. city verbally, we now desire on behalf connecting link completed, and the penalty or exaction of which we complain was not sufficiently great to warrant us in resisting what we cannot characterize otherwise than as a hold-up on the part of the City Council. For a year past it has been understood that there would be no difficulty in this connection being made if we would consent to putting down the same character of work as was provided for under the Radial by-law as regards King street east, and we never dreamed that there would be any departure from that understanding, or that it was necessary to have everything in black and white before going on with the completion of the Brantford & Hamilton Railway and the Terminal Station. An informal understanding with the city corporation should be about as sacred as with an individual, if such understanding were acted upon.

"There are members of the Council whose views are about as we have expressed, and the object in writing you at the present time is to put on record what the city knows very well is the position of the railway companies, that this extra exaction must not be taken as a precedent, and that it is submitted by the companies solely because they cannot help themselves."

Gibson, Osborne, O'Reilly & Levy, solicitors for the several electric railways controlled by the Dominion Power & Transmission Company, have sent another caustic letter to City Clerk Kent, in which they flay the aldermen for the hold-up methods pursued in dealing with the companies over the double tracking of Main street from James street easterly to the Terminal Station. The exaction of being forced to asphalt the block between James and Hughson streets, the solicitors declare, would not have been submitted to for a minute only for the fix the company was in. The letter, which is as follows, will probably re read at the City Council meeting to-night.

"As has already been intimated to the city verbally, we now desire on behalf of the company to place on record in

It is likely application will be made at the City Council meeting to-night by L. Bercowitz and Nicholas Erdos, who are interested in establishing a school here to teach foreigners the English language, to teach foreigners the English language, for a grant towards assisting the work. Mayor Stewart is an enthusiastic supporter of the scheme and has promised to give it his hearty, support. He thinks it is one of the best things Hamilton could do for these foreigners to teach them the English language. It is not expected that there will be any difficulty getting the use of two rooms in the old Custom House.

The new chemical wagon for the Fire Department arrived yesterday afternoon and was taken to the Central Fire Station, where it is now housed. The Chief made a test this morning and it worked like a charm. It is a red wagon, and is built on the new style, with a low box and gear.

Building permits have been issued to M. White for a brick house at the corper of West avenue and Robert street, for John McCormick to cost 82,200 and to H. G. Gummo for alterations to a brick house at the corner of Caroline and Bold streets for H. Baxter to cost \$350.

Bruce, Bruce & Counsell have writ-ten City Solicitor Waddell asking that the city convey to their client J. M. Young the alleys north to Barton street, between Mary and Elgin streets.

The Court of Revision-will hold its first session at the City Hall at 3 o'-clock to-morrow afternoon to begin hearing the 480 odd appeals filed. The night sessions will begin at 8 o'clock. There will be no session on the holiday.

The members of the Parks Board and Board of Works will go out on the 3.10 Dundas car to-morrow afternoon to inspect the Flatt property offered to the city for a park.

It has leaked out now that the Fire and Water Committee has not the slight-to-morrow afternoon.

# FIRE DID \$15,000 DAMAGE AT CO-OPERATIVE STORE

## Large Warehouse on MacNab Street and Its Contents Destroyed by Fire.

floor or the cellar, as they were eating up the structure above, where they spread via the elevator shaft, in the rear. The flames ate through the roof, and soon the floors were gone, and only the blazing roof left. The fire started to spread from the burning ruins to Wilkins & Kompass' factory, next door, and they burned the edge of the roof, but were soon put out. The water ran into that firm's cellar and will cause considenable loss. After the flames had broken through the roof and the sparks started to fly, some of them landed on the roof of the Robinson Co's. stable, but they were noticed in time. If they had once got a start on the stable a number of horses would have been lost,

A fire which started yeterday morning in The Canadian Co-operative Concern, Limited, MacNab street south, did \$1,500 damage before it was finally extinguished. The alarm was turned in by the police, who saw the flames at 2.35 a. m., and the department quickly responded Breaking into the place, they found the whole of the interior in flame, which had apparently started near the ground floor or the cellar, as they were eating the structure above, where they were street as a result of the removal of the company to their King street store.

## HAMILTON GIRL'S STRANGE DEATH IN NEW YORK CITY.

#### Helen Worth or Burke Dies Under Suspicious Circumstances--Doctor's Statement.

stances, indicating four play, of Helen Worth, or Helen Burke, the name she was ed hurriedly, and found the woman

New York, Oct. 26.—(Special)—Coron-r Shrady has ordered to-day an autop-ic the mysterious death clothes. Dr. McLeod, of West Fiftysy ir the case of the mysterious death yesterday, under suspicious circum-terday, under suspicious circum-terday and treated her with simple rem went under here, who formerly resided in Hamilton with her parents, who are thought to live there. She took up her residence with a Mrs. Hall, said to be a nurse, in apartments at 110 Fifty-Ninth street. Helen Worth was a hand-