

## Evening Edition Quidon Advertiser. Evening Edition



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HAPPENINGS OF THE HOUR ing-house, at No. 68 Seaton street, yesterday morning.

The engines at the central pumping station yesterday were shut down for a short time for trifling repairs and the water in the reservoir dropped to eight feet. Half of that is sediment and fungus growths in the reservoir.

The McKinley Bill Passed by the U. S. Flood in Europe.

CANADIAN.

Lady Macdonald has gone to Banfi.
The second day of the Toronto Industrial
Exhibition yesterday was a great success.
The necessary deposit has been made to
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ountry of Mantangary.

At Guelph, yesterday, Miss Guthrie,
hter of Mr. D. Guthrie, M. P. P., was
ed to Mr. James Scott, jun., of To-

mry Jackson, of Ottawa, gets three
in the penitentiary for criminally asting a little girl named Toomer several
ths ago.

nee George's only public appointat Montreal Wednesday was the Monshamrock lacrosse match, which was
by the Shamrocks by 5 games to 0.
c charge of criminal libel brought by
fney-General Martin against Mr.
son, of the Winnipeg Free Press, for
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A fashionable wedding took place yesterday morning at St. Luke's Church, when Mr. Arthar H. S. Vankoughnet and Miss Gertrude Smith, daughter of Mr. S. E. Smith, of Sherbrooke, Que., were united. Miss Sybil Seymour was bridesmaid and Mr. Charles Walker was the best man.

A pleasant event took place yesterday in the marriage of the Rev. John McMillan, B.A., M. D., Crinan, Cnt., and Miss Rosella, second daughter of the late Dennis B. Pearson, Aurora. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Pearson, and her cousin, Miss Annie H. Pearson. The groomsmen were Messrs. Henry C. and Charles E. Pearson, cousins of the bride. Dr. McMillan was appointed in January last by the Board of Foreign Missions of the United States Prebyterian Church to the mission station at Garboon on the west coast of Equatorial Africa and under the French protectorate. The newly-wedded couple will sail by way of New York and Liverpool some time next month.

At Loretto Abbey yesterday morning eight young ladies took the white veil, having gone through the prescribed probation of six months. Their names are Miss Long, Collingwood, or Sister Mary Irene in the institution; Miss Ling Chicago, Sister Mary Agnes; Miss Barry, Ottawa, Sister Dorothea: Miss Riordan, Guelph, Sister Mary Pauline; Miss Gumpfreit, Germany, Sister Mary Pauline; Miss Cuprally, Lindsay, Sister Mary Putcheria; Miss Lacy, Eaganville, Sister Felicitas. Bishop Walsh preached the sermon. Arges, was dismissed.

The Allan steamer Grecian, just arrived restorday at Quebec, narrowly escaped description while at sea. Fire was discovered in her hold on the 5th inst., and after being apparently suppressed broke out again on the 7th.

In the interim sessions at Belleville, Ont., on Wednesday, before Judge Lazier, Geo. Levis, a boy 14 years old, was tried for criminal assault on Hannah McQuillan, aged 6 years. Judgment will be given on Monday.

Alonday.

A large audience assembled in All Saints' Church, Hamilton, Wednesday afternoon to witness the marriage of Miss Mary Ethel Stewart, daughter of the late C. E. Stewart, of that city, to Mr. Frederick Clarence Jarvis, of Toronto.

Impedee.

Hornellsville, N. Y., Sept. 11.—The highest flood which has been known in this section since 1850, with one exception, visited the valley of the Canisteo yesterday morning. After a night of unusually hard rains a third of the city was inundated. Crosby Creek was sweeping down Canisteo street and covering the Erie yards. Canacanea Creek was overflowing, as was the river. The fire department did good work in securing bridges and buildings. The Erie was completely tied up. Three through trains were lying at this city all day.

Advices from Canisteo report that village completely under water. Almond and Alfred Center are badly flooded. Advices from Wellsville say that the water is un-Jarvis, of Toronto.

Mr. Phillippi Hebert, the Canadian sculptor, has arrived in Montreal from Paris after an absence of some years. He comes to Canada to assist at the inauguration of his bronze group of Abenaki's Indians next week. He says Canadians are taking a foothold in Paris, and are daily making themselves known in all branches. making themselves known in all branches. Officer Hawkins, of Brantford, of the inland revenue service, has been transferred to the Winnipeg division; Officer Slattery, of Prescott, transferred to Ottawa, and replaced at Prescott by Officer Boyle, recently appointed at Brantford; Officer Henwood, now of Windsor, replacing Mr. Hawkins at Bratford; Miss Bradley, of Ingersell, transferred to Windsor in place of Mr. Henwood.

American.

A bank at Bay City, Mich., was robbed of \$5,000 yesterday by three expert thieves. The Alaska Commercial Company, which still has the sealing monopoly on the Siberian coast, expects to have a total catch this season of 60,000 skins.

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The McKinley Tariff Bill yesterday passed its final stage in the Senate on a vote of 40 to and now goes to the Conference Commiss of the two Houses.

The Western Union Telegraph directors have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent. The statement estimates the net revenue for the quarter at \$2,000,000.

Chauncey M. Depew, who returned to New York yesserday, in his speech at a luncheon tendered him by his admirers, approved Cartral affair, see in regard to New York Continent and the service of the serv

dent, Ontario, Dr. A. H. Wright, Toronto; Quebec, Dr. S. P. Lachupelle, Montreal; New Brunswick, Dr. S. H. Coburn, Frederickton; Nova Scotia, Dr. John Stewart, Pictou; Manitoba, Dr. D. Young, Selkirk; British Columbia, Dr. E. A. Prager, Nanaimo; Prince Edward Island, Dr. Taylor, Chariottetown; Northwest Territories, Dr. E. A. Kennedy, Fort McLeod. The association decided to meet next year at Montreal.

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The Dominion Millets' Convention decided to ask the Dominion Government to change the law so that four standards will be selected twice a year, the Board selecting them to include three representatives of the association. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, J. C. Hay, Listowel, re-elected; vice-president, W. H. Mellrum; secretary, David Plewes, Brantford, re-elected; treasurer, William Galbraith, Toronto, re-elected; executive committee, the officers and presidents of local associations. Rules were adopted regulating trade terms as between buyers and sellers. Messre. Hunt and Saunby, London, and Thomas Goldie, Guelph, were appointed a committee to find out the best means of accorp lishing a needed remedy against railway ship agents issuing through bills of lading on four without a guarantee of lading on four without a guarantee of lading on four without a guarantee of lading on stream of the convertion closed.

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A TOTAL LOSS.

The Destruction of Ireland's Potato Crop Complete.

An African King Dines with His Victim's Head Before Him.

Getting Around the Verdict in a Breach of Promise Case.

Cholera on the Increase in Valencia Spain—Earthquake Shock at Malaga —The Highland Poetess Dead— Mrs. Maybrick Out of

Cholera in Spain.

Madrid, Sept. 11.—In Valencia ye day, 24 new cases of cholera and seaths from the disease were reported.

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Limerick, Sept. 11.—At a meeting of the Board of Poor Law Guardians here yesterday a report was received saying that the potate crop was totally destroyed.

Royalty "Takes a Tumble."

OPOETO, Sept. 11.—The Empress of Austria, who is visiting Portugal, while walking near this city, slipped and fell. Her Majesty received several contusions, none of which are of a serious nature.

Death of a Highland Poetess.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The famous Highland poetess, Mary MacKellar, is dead. It was she who translated the Queen's Life of the Prince Consort into Gaelic. She was much beloved both by the common people and the royal family.

Secretary Matthews Scored.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The Times has an editorial bitterly denouncing Home Secretary Matthews for failing to suppress disorder on the part of striking workingmen. The article declares that the Secretary is, by his weakness, training the working classes to believe that the Government will not prevent them from indulging in riot and bloodshed.

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London, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Maybrick, who is a prisoner for life for the poisoning of her husband, has just finished the year of solitary confinement with which her punishment was ordered to begin. She has now been placed in the ranks of second-class prisoners for the remainder of her term. Efforts to secure her pardon are still being vigorously mushed.

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St. Phersburg, Sept. 11.—Precautions are being taken at Kovno for the protection of the Czar. The roads are lined with troops, and travelers are subjected to a rigid scrutiny. No Galicians are allowed to cross the border. Even the inhabitants of Kovno are compelled to possess police passes, and will not be allowed to have their houses during the maneuvers.

Soldiers vs. Strikers.

London, Sept. 11.—At 9 o'clock last washed out. ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 11.—The Chemun ELMINA, N. Y., Sept. II.—Incomening River is not rising now, and the worst is over. The Inter-State fair grounds are flooded. The water stands two feet deep on the race course. A great deal of damage has been done to crops in the Chemung Valley Valley.

At Addison the water is the highest

LONDON, Sept. 11.—At 9 clock last night the troops at Southampton were obliged to make a succession of bayonet charges in order to clear the streets. At midnight the excitement had subsided. Two gunboats have arrived off this port. The union has issued an order withdrawing their pickets. This action causes surprise and gives color to a rumor that the London leaders will not help the strikers. known in 26 years. Charles Townsend made a wager that he could swim the Canistee River, and insanely plunged in. His body has not been recovered. His body has not been recovered.

The damage to crops and personal property in the Chocton Valley is very great.

The trains are still at a standstill on the Erie and Delaware and Lackawanna and

grains of strychnine. died in great agony a was 72 years old and Lynn, Mass., and a se Lord Stanley at

UNDER WATER.

SARNIA, Sept. 11.—Lord here vesterday afternoon a Henry Tyler and Sir Jose the purpose of visiting He was met by Sir He He was met by Sir Henry I Hickson, Chas. Mackenzie Joseph Hobson. The her made at the G.T.R. suite of Edward. A pleasure trip t river was taken during the

ally known. By his intimate friends, however, the fatal termination of his malady had for some time past been anticipated. Death has relieved the eloquent preacher from the most excruciating torture, his sufferings for months past having been incessant. He was a victim of neuralgia in its mortal form, and the end came when the disease reached the heart. The newspapers contain long obituary notices in terms of the highest eulogy, and are unanimous in declaring Canon Liddon to have been the brightest ornament of the Church of England during this century. The deceased prelate, who was probably the foremost preacher of the English Church, was bern in 1829. He became a student of Christ Church, Oxford, where he graduated B. A. in 1850. In 1853 he secured the degree of M. A., and taking orders filled successively numerous important positions. In 1870 he was installed a canon residentiary of St. Paul's Cathedral, and in the same year he was appointed Ireland Professor of the Exegesis of the Holy Scripture in the Was created D. D. and an honorary D. C. L. He resigned the Ireland professorship in October, 1882, and is understood to have devoted the greater part of his time to a life of the late Dr. Pussy. Canon Liddon was the author of "The Divinity of Jesus Christ" and numerous other well-known works.

THE METHORISTS.

THE METHODISTS.

Proceedings of the Quadrennial Conference.

The New Secretary-Dr. Carman Superannuation—The Union of Protestant Churches.

Montreal, Sept. 11.—The newly-elected secretary, Rev. S. F. Heustis, was born in 1833 at Wallace, N. S., and is of Loyalist descent. In 1858 he entered the minist distributed in the conference of Eastern and Eastern and Pattern and Pa

ferences, he has continued to hold to the present.

Dr. Carman, in closing his quadriennial address yesterday, spoke of the superannuation fund, condensing his views as follows: (1) We must have such a fund; (2) it must be safely and economically managed; (3) it must be adequate or nearly so; (4) ministers must contribute; (5) our people must contribute; (6) it must be levied on a just basis; (8) it must not not be regarded as a "pauper fund;" (9) it should not unduly press upon the poorer field of men; (10) it should not lose its hold upon the laity; (11) annual conferences must guard the door as to the claimants; (12) as to the ministers, the levy might be a percentage of salary; (13) as to the laity the present basis seems just; (14) ministers should be responsible; (15) it issot likely that the present payment should be reduced yet; (16) have no oppressed ministers and yet hold circuits; (17) fund should be connexional; (18) each year must clear itself, no debt or credit accounts; (19) claimant should not be salaried and superannuated too.

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annuated too.

The London delegates chosen as members of the Nominating Committee are: Revs. J. R. Gundy and John Milne.

Rev. Dr. Ryckman presented the report of the committee appointed to meet with the joint Union Committee in Toronto last year. It recited the proceedings of the joint committee, and continued:

It may be added that the Anglican portion of the joint committee seems to be strongly and unanimously in favor of a union. In both the Presbyterian and Methodist sections there did not seem to be the san occident of the joint committee seems to be strongly and unanimously in favor of a union. In both the Presbyterian and Methodist sections there did not seem to be the san occident of the joint committee and discussion that prevalled throughout the entire conference, there. Your committee beg to report that both Anglican and Presbyterian representatives intimated their intention to move their respective churches to reappoint their committees and make arrangement for subsequent conferences. Your committee therefore recommend that the General Conference appoint or reappoint its section of the joint committee, with instructions as may be undertaken with a view to union among the Protestant churches of this country. The committee called attention to the Lambeth resolution, which had been named by the Anglican Synod as the basis for union, and the Synod as the basis for union, and the Synod as the basis for

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That the adequacy or inadequacy of the creeds mentioned as a doctrinal basis may be a proper basis of a discussion in any future negotiations that may be held, and especially that historic Episcopacy must be defined in harmony with the teaching of the New Testament regarding the constitutions of the Christian churches and the identity of the New Testament bishop and presbyter.

Rev. T. G. Williams was afraid that the statement that the Anglican delegation was more in favor of union than the Methodist delegation would be misunderstood. He had no doubt that the Anglicans were in favor of union as they would understand

in favor of union as they would understand it, but it meant absorption.

Dr. Ryckman defended his report, claim-

pecuniary Joan of Arc.

Chastly African Meal.

London, Sept. 11.—Much indignation is expressed in France over the fact that Samudoo, the so-called West African mahdi, who recently made a treaty of friendship with the English, followed up the treaty by purchasing from the British a a large quantity of guns and cartridges, and thereupon proceeded to attack the French. Notwithstanding his guns, he got the worst of the fight. Samudoo is said to be as peculiar an individual as the original Mahdi. He was born in the Kingdom of Bornu; his mother was the Nubian slave of an Arab trader. His father took good care of him, and as he grew up he became imbued with the idea that it was his mission to restore the supremacy of the prophet in Western Africa. The King of Bornu, noticing that the young man was ambitious, ordered him to be decapitated, as a lesson to other ambitious youths. Samudoo was warned by a friend and fled to Senegal. There he remained until disturbances in Bornu tempted him to return. The dissatisfied element accepted him as a leader and he made himself master of the country. The King of Bornu was one of his prisoners and Samudoo sat down to Dr. Ryckman defended his report, claiming that it was a bare statement of fact. Some of the Presbyterian and Methodist delegates were not in favor of union in any form. They said that they preferred to work for Christ as they were.

The report was referred to a special committee.

mittee. [Special to the Advertiser.]

MONTREAL, Sept. 11.—This morning the Conference received a standing invitation from Sir William Dawson to the museum and other university buildings.

Among requests from other bodies for cooperation was one from the North Carolina Presbyterians asking to join in a petition against war. Dr. Burns, of Hamilton remarked that Christian nations are disgraced by the sword.

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The Priseners' Aid Association asked the Conference to memorialize the Dominion Government and appoint a standing committee on prison reform.

Dr. Wallace McMullen was welcomed as a delegate from the British Wesleyans. Then memorials were taken up, the Toronto Conference sending the biggest share. The Nominating Committee made a long report constituting the various committees, which was adopted.

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the country. The King of Bornu was one
of his prisoners and Samudoo sat down to
his first dinner in the royal palace with the
monarch's head on a plate before him. He
is now the master of a considerable portion
of West Africa.

Canon Liddon.

London, Sept. 11.—Canon Liddon's death
was a surprise to the public, the fact of his
serious illness not having been very gener-Teeth extracted without pain. Conscion ness retained during the entire oper tion. Parents should pay strict attents to children's teeth from the age of the years. O. H. ZIEGLER, Dentist, 1923 das street.

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 11.—The Royal Mail Company has locked out all its men and has ordered its vessels to go to Plymouth instead of putting in here.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 21.—There are signs of a collapse of the strike in the shipping trade. Many of the men at Melbourne and Brisbane and at the New Zealand ports are applying for reinstatement.

STRIKE OF HEN WORKERS IMMINENT.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The Scotch iron masters have refused to consent to the workmen's demands and a strike is imminent.

TRAIN DISPATCHERS DISSATISFIED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The train dispatchers, it is reported, are strengthening their organization preparatory to asking for higher pay. Another thing which should receive their attention, says one of their members, is to take steps to prevent inferior and incompetent men taking the position of train dispatcher. It is claimed that 50 per cent. of the collisions in this country are the result of employing incompetent men in train dispatchers' offices, and at way stations inferior telegraph operators.

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VIGTORIA, B. C., Sept. 11.—The Wellington strike is about over and is a failure to the strikers. Over 100 men are working and more going every day. The Belgian miners, who have been the agitators in the demonstration, now complain that they have been used badly by the English miners, who secured work at other district mines. They will probably go to work in a body.

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THE SUSPECTS.

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 11.—John Kiernan and John Cordial, two of the Knights of Labor charged with wrecking the Montreal express Thursday night on the Central Hudson Railroad were arraigned before County Judge Griffith. The prisoners pleaded not guilty to a charge of placing obstructions on the track, and the examination was adjourned till Saturday at 10 clock. The afiidavit of T. A. Harrington, assistant superintendent of the Central Hudson Railway, charges five men with the offense—John Reed, John Cordial, John Kiernan, Thos. Cain and Arthur Buett. It is said Buett fled the next morning after the wreck—his right name is said to be Buell.

Labor Netes.

into force with the painters of Winnipeg.

A Pittsburg, Pa., telegram says: "The
Knights of Labor have levied an assessment
of 25 cents per head on all members of the
organization for the benefit of the N. Y.
Central strikers."

MIDDLESEX FALL ASSIZES.

municated with the authorities. The Johnson family, were suspected, and the youngest son afterwards acknowledged that he had taken the goods, and was al-lowed to go by Judge Elliot on deferred sentence. The defendants were charged

there was nothing to show that the boy's parents had any knowledge of the goods being in the house, and that the evidence of the constables, Ward and Graham, went to show that the goods were secreted in the house, and where they could not be seen in the ordinary duties of the household. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

The Queen vs. Lucius Henry was then called. The prisoner was charged with assaulting Peter Beaver near the Caradoc Reserve, both of the parties being Muncey Indians. The evidence was not sufficiently strong to secure a conviction and the prisoner was discharged.

The grand jury brought in three true bills against Harry Foster, of Baltimore, for fraud.

bills against Harry Fester, or fraud.

A true bill was also returned in the coff the Queen vs. B. R. Burwell for perjumpers of the Queen vs. B. R. Burperjury. The prisoner was charged having sworn falsely before Squire of Strathroy, in a case tried before was which a hotel-keeper named fain which a hotel-keeper named fain the company of the parties of the company which a hotel-keeper na being tried for selling liqu

dendation to mercy.

Queen vs. Joseph Craner—Horse ling, accessory before the fact. The mer was charged with having been an mplice of William Pfenner in stealing

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the commission of the crime to the was now putting in time. Ellen Pfenner, wife of the previous witness and sister of the prisoner, was called, but nothing of importance was brought out in her testimony. James McKeown testified nothing of importance was brought out in her testimony. James McKeown testified that on Monday evening after the horse stealing, a horse was found in the barn which a boy on the farm said belonged to Pfenner. It was put in there without his knowledge or permission. For the defense H. Greenslake and Tillie A. Craner were called. The latter testified that she saw Pfenner making a bridle out of spice of from provious to the night the of a piece of rope previous to the night the horse was stolen. When the evidence was all in the Judge expressed the conviction that there was not sufficient evidence to

LAST MOMENT DISPATCHES.

is forbidden.

The Queen has granted a pension of £30 a year from her private purse to Lady Seymour, widow of Sir Francis Seymour.

The murderer of the Servian consul at Pristina has been condemned to death. His accomplices were sentenced to imprisonment.

Four Russian officers, one of major-general, have been banished to Siberia for the theft of Government prop-It is feared corruption is deep re

A Melon Thief Shot Dead. Armone, I. T., Sept. II.—A shooting affray occurred at Buckhorn Postoffice, cast of here, yesterday, because of a raid on a melon patch belonging to Henry Burch, Will George was shot through the neck and killed, and Burch was wounded.

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Only Paste.

New York, Sept. 11.—Diamonds supposed to be worth \$10,000 were taken by the customs inspectors from W. H. Madkhurst, a young Englishman, on his arrival here a few days ago. Investigation shows the diamonds are made of paste. Their value is about \$75.

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