As round the world we go we find people generally judge a man by his dress. It may be all wrong, but as long as it's a fact it behooves us all to be up-to-date in our clothing. The Oak Hall stores sell up-to-date clothing all the time—correct in style—good in quality and always moderate in price.

8.50 for Men's Excellent Suits and Stylish Overcoats—Suits in the new colorings, made from good tweeds in desirable patterns. Overcoats of all the new fall fabrics—cut right up-to-date.

10.00 for Men's Finer Suits and Swell Overcoats—Suits of all the new patterns and most desirable colorings, plaids, stripes, checks and plain effects, finely tailored. Overcoats in smooth or rough effects and decidedly stylish.

$12.00 for Men's Very Fine Suits and Overcoats—Suits of fine tweeds, serges and worsteds, in blacks, greys, browns, oxfords and fancy mixtures, beautifully tailored. The overcoats are of the newest materials and are of the latest cut.

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HAMILTON NEWS

HAMILTON'S WARM GREETING

To Her Gallant Sons Who Fought the Battles of the Empire in the Dark Continent.

MAGNIFICENT DEMONSTRATION.

Military Turned Out in Strength, and Societies and Scholars Swelled the Enthusiasm.

Hamilton, Nov. 6.—(Special.)—There was a hot time in the old town to-night. Never before was there such an outburst of enthusiasm. Hamilton did itself proud, and covered itself with glory by the way it welcomed its heroes from the South African battlefields. The city was ablaze for three hours. Tens of thousands of incandescent lights, in various designs, shone along the line of march, and thousands of flags and miles of bunting were flown. The decorations were in a number of cases very fine. The two most notable ones were those of the Macdonald Club and the Conservative headquarters. The Macdonald Club saw that the monument of the great chieftain of the party was properly illuminated. Around it was a double arch and festoons of incandescent lights, with flags and streamers. The inscription was, "The Macdonald Club welcomes our heroes."

Conservative Headquarters.

The front of the Conservative headquarters was covered with a gigantic Union Jack, fringed and festooned with electric lights. In the centre was a huge maple leaf, and in front of this was the figure of a soldier in khaki.

As the heroes passed an appropriate setpiece was fired from the roof of the building.

The Spectator also made an elaborate pyrotechnical display from the roof of its high building.

The brave soldiers, who were Lieut. Marshall, Sergt. Rutherford, Ptes. C. Holland, C. Tice, K. Cassels, W. Warwick, W. Warren, took seats in an illuminated drag, besides Pte. Sutton and Fish, who returned some weeks ago.

Greatest Procession Ever Seen.

Then the greatest procession ever seen in Hamilton started for Victoria Park, via James, King, Cannon, James and King-streets. It was composed of: Mounted Police, 13th Band, drag with the boys from South Africa, guard of honor (High School Cadets), 4th Field Battery, 13th Bugle Band, 13th Regiment, 77th Band, 77th Regiment, Army and Navy Veterans, Veterans of '98, Acting-Mayor TenEyck and Council, Free Library Board, Public School Board, Separate School Board, Hamilton Football Club, Hamilton Bicycle Club, Ancient Order of United Workmen, Victoria Yacht Club, Rambler Bicycle Club, St. Patrick's Athletic Club, S.O.E. Band and societies, Victoria Flute Band, Orange Societies, pipers' band, Normal College students, cabs containing citizens.

Kenny Was Grand Marshal.

Sergt. Peter Kenny was grand marshal, and his first assistants were Rance Wilson and A. Goodenough, and they did their work well.

Arrival of the Boys.

The soldiers came in on the C.P.R. train from Toronto, arriving at the Hunter-street station at 8 o'clock, and were met by the 13th Regiment, the 77th Wentworth Regiment and about 5000 citizens. As the train pulled in thousands of rockets went up, and the bands played and the thousands cheered.

The Drag Broke Down.

An unfortunate accident happened in front of the Royal Hotel, the drag containing the heroes breaking down. Some of them got into other conveyances, and others walked to the park, where an attempt was made to hold a welcome meeting. Fully 10,000 persons were there, and the noise was so great nearly all speech-making was cut out. Chaplain Forneret offered a prayer, after which a laurel wreath, given by Fessenden Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire, was presented to the boys by the chaplain.

The City's Address.

Then Acting-Mayor Ten Eyck read an address of welcome, and the bands played "God Save the Queen." At the Drill Hall subsequently the boys were entertained by the officers' mess and their respective companies. Lieut. Marshall was presented with a signet ring, on which was the 13th coat of arms, Sergt.-Major Huggins making the presentation.

No Serious Accidents.

No serious accidents were reported up to midnight. The bunting in front of the Gurney-Tilden foundry took fire, and made a fierce blaze, which the fire department extinguished. Fireworks caused a fire in front of Oak Hall and several places on King-street, but no serious damage was done.

Where Credit Belongs.

To Ald. and Commodore Frank E. Walker is due great praise for the way in which the demonstration was carried out. He was chairman of the Reception Committee, and he and Ald. Ten Eyck took the place of the Mayor, who is on "a month's leave of absence."

Minor Matters.

Burwell Griffin, druggist, corner of Hess and Hannah-streets, was at to-day's Police Court fined $25 and costs for selling liquor without a doctor's order.

A. M. Griffith, the well-known runner, was seriously hurt in the leg at the Bridge Works yesterday.

El Aroma, imported cigar, 5c, at Noble's.

The flagpole of the Canadian Club on the Gore extension was blown down yesterday afternoon.

Ward's Restaurant, 6 York-street, open day and night; beds 10c, 15c and 25c. 36

John H. Tilden says he will not be a candidate for the Mayoralty next year.

HENRY A. TAYLOR,
DRAPER.

A gentleman's wardrobe without its "Tuxedo," or dinner coat, is not just as complete as a man in society ought to have it—I make a specialty of them—fine tailoring.
THE ROSSIN BLOCK.

Vote against the big machine which works for the Liberals in both federal and provincial elections.

CAPT. BARKER BANQUETED.

A Brilliant Function of Ionic Lodge, A. F. & A. M., in the Temple.

The Masonic quarters in the Temple Building were gaily decorated last night, on the occasion of a banquet given by Ionic Lodge No. 25, in honor of the return of Capt. Barker from South Africa. Union Jacks and shields bearing the names "Otter" and "Barker" were prominent in every part of the blue room, where the banquet was held. There was a brilliant gathering of great men of the craft.

Among those present were: M.W. Bro. Kivas Tully, P.G.M, R.W. Bro. Aemilius Irving, R.W. Bro. Aubrey White, R.W. Bro. William Roef, R.W. Bro. Barker, R.W. Bro. B. Allen, R.W. Bro. A Forte, R.W. Bro. W. D. McPherson, Rev. Prof. Clark, Major Manley, Col. Bruce and the worshipful masters of many of the sister lodges, together with a large array of visiting brethren.

The past masters of the lodge also turned out in great force to welcome the hero, and great enthusiasm prevailed. Mr. S. B. Sykes, W.M., occupied the chair. The usual toasts were proposed and responded to by prominent members of the order, Capt. Barker replying to the toast of "Our Guest."

Keep your eye on pluggers. Carry your information to the headquarters of the Conservative party.

SQUIRE WINGFIELD DEAD.

County Magistrate for Twenty Years and Founder of the Sons of Scotland.

Death came suddenly to Mr. James M. Wingfield, J.P., an old resident of this city, at his home, 18 Melbourne-avenue, early yesterday morning. Heart failure was the cause of death. Mr. Wingfield was born in Scotland, and came to Toronto in 1854. He filled the position of County Magistrate for 20 years, and was also a Division Court bailiff. He had the distinction of being the founder of the Sons of Scotland Society in Canada, and was a past chief of the order, as well as a leading officer of the Oddfellows. He was a member of Parkdale Methodist Church. A widow, one son, Mr. Charles Wingfield, and two daughters, Mrs (Dr.) Lynd, and Miss Ida Wingfield, survive.

Sir Wilfrid did not deign to reply to H. H. Cook.* It is a verdict by default.

Great Britain's Only Gold Mine.

From The Chicago Record.

Up in an obscure corner of North Wales the only gold mine in the United Kingdom is being worked. It is known as St. David's. Here a profitable plant, covering 730 acres, is in active operation. Eight or nine lodes outcrop on the property, three of which have been tapped. One of the "reefs" averages one and one-half feet in width, another two and one-half feet and the broadest of the trio five feet. The total results from all sources show a recovery of 14½ pennyweights gold per ton of ore, and the total cost of mining, milling and concentration is placed at the extremely low figure of $2 a ton. The use of water and the hydraulic mining system, combined with a low wage scale, enable this abnormally cheap cost of production, and the $291,960 of the company's capital stock is paying out dividends of $2 a share. The St. David's mine is said to be still undiscovered as far as its ultimate possibilities are concerned.

Remember it is your last chance for five years. Don't let it pass.

Left His Old Coat.

A sneak thief last night carried off an overcoat from the hallway of a house at 19 Elizabeth-street, occupied by L. Rosen. The thief, however, left an old garment in its place, which is now in the custody of the police.

GENERAL GASELEE'S DESPATCHES ABOUT THE RELIEF OF PEKIN

Gen. Dorward Also Peports, Giving Little News, But Paying Tribute to the Gallantry of American Officers Who Did Great Service to the British Forces.

London, Nov. 6.—The Gazette to-night prints Gen. Gaselee's despatches to the Secretary of State for India, referring to the operations for the relief of Pekin, and Gen. Dorward's report of the operations about Tien Tsin. Gaselee, among half a dozen others, mentions for special services two Americans, "who gallantly supported our fighting line, viz., Major Quinton and Capt. J. R. M. Taylor," both of the 14th U.S. Infantry.

Gen. Dorward's report gives little news, but, relating to the withdrawal of the 9th U.S. Infantry, after it had suffered so heavily in the attack on Tien Tsin, he says: "I would specially bring to notice the conduct of Major Jesse Lee during the retirement. In him the regiment possesses an officer of exceptional merit.

Instances of Personal Bravery.

"Among many instances of personal bravery during the action, I would specially bring to notice the conduct of Capt. Smedley Butler, U.S. Marines, in bringing a wounded man in from the front, under heavy and accurate fire. Butler was wounded while so doing, and was himself carried out of the firing line by Adjutant Leonard, who, I regret to say, was dangerously wounded in so doing.

"Capt. Lawton of the 9th U.S. Regiment, brought me the news of their condition under a heavy fire. When returning, and guiding the reinforcements of his regiment, he was severely wounded."

GUNBOATS AT CANTON.

Speculation as to the Meaning of it—Is Germany About to Grab Again?

Hong Kong, Nov. 6.—The presence of 11 gunboats at Canton causes continued speculation. The action of a German vessel, reported to be sounding in the vicinity of Honan and Fatt, has caused a rumor that the Germans intend to obtain a concession, owing to the increasing trade and crowded conditions of Shamen.

RUSSIA'S REPLY PUBLISHED.

The Czar's Government Indicates That the Agreement is Just What Was Wanted.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 6.—The text of the Russian reply to the Anglo-German agreement note is published.

The first point, providing for open ports on the rivers of the Chinese littoral, is favorably received, as it does not alter existing treaties.

The second point is all the more in harmony with Russia's intentions, as the integrity of the Celestial Empire is the fundamental principle of Russian policy.

As regards the possibility of a violation of this principle, in the third article Russia refers to her note of May 28, and repeats her declaration that such violation would compel Russia to modify, as circumstances might require, the attitude she has taken up.

LU CHUAN LIN PROMOTED.

He is Notoriously Anti-Foreign and the Appointment Bodes Ill for Peace.

Shanghai, Nov. 6.—The statement cabled to The New York Sun a few days ago that Lu Chuan Lin, who is strongly anti-foreign, has been appointed president of the Board of Censors and president of the Board of Rites, has been confirmed. Leading Chinese consider his rapid promotion as most unfavorable to a speedy settlement of the present troubles, and declare that he is worse than Prince Tuan of Kang Yi, the president of the Board of War, who is said to have committed suicide.

Li Hung Chang to-day telegraphed to Sheng, Director of Railways and Telegraphs, that England and Japan insist upon the reformation of the Government, but that the other powers only emphasize their demand for the speedy punishment of those officials who aided or abetted the massacre of foreigners.

RUSSIA'S CUTE SCHEME.

Invites China to Take Charge Under the Czar's Protection, Which Means a Gobble.

London, Nov. 6.—A despatch to The Times from Pekin says that Vice Admiral Alexijeff has addressed a communication to Li Hung Chang asking him what the intentions of China are regarding Manchuria, and inviting China to resume the government of the country under the protection of Russia, which Admiral Alexijeff assures him will be to the advantage of both countries. Thus, adds the correspondent, another step is reached in the absorption of this magnificent province by Russia, for protection in such a case spells empire.

ON THE WAY TO ENGLAND.

Col. Otter and the Balance of the Canadian Troops Will Visit the Old Land.

London, Nov. 6.—The remainder of the Royal Canadian Regiment left Cape Town to-day on the Hawarden Castle. They will come direct to England, where they will be the guests of the Mother Country. A grand reception awaits them, as the gallant conduct of the Canadians has won the admiration of every Englishman. The scenes on the arrival of Col. Otter and his men will rival, and likely surpass, those witnessed on the return of the troops up to date.

THE BOYS ALL COMING HOME.

Balance of Canadian Troops, Including the Strathconas, May Be Back by Christmas.

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—The Militia Department this morning received a cablegram from Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain which indicates that the assistance of the colonial troops now in South Africa will be dispensed with at an early date, and that the remainder of the Canadian contingents, horse, including the Strathconas, foot and artillery, will speedily be on their way to home and rest. When the Canadian contingents left there was a lack of ammunition in the Imperial stores in South Africa, and all that could be spared of various kinds was shipped from Canada's stores with the boys of the contingents. The cablegram from Mr. Chamberlain received this morning asks for information as to the quantities so sent, and concludes by asking if the Canadian Government will accept ammunition shipped from the Imperial stores now at Cape Town, in repayment. The reply, it is needless to say, will be in the affirmative. The fact that the Imperial War Office is in a position to contemplate a reduction of its store of munitions of war at the base of operations is of itself very strong evidence that practically the war is over, and an indication that the members of Canada's contingents will probably reach home in time for Christmas. The Department expects that this enquiry will be followed by an intimation regarding the sailing of the Canadian contingents.

BRAVE CAPTAIN CHALMERS.

Lost His Life in Trying to Rescue His Comrade, Major Sanders, Who Was Wounded.

London, Nov. 6.—Lord Roberts, in a despatch dated Johannesburg, Nov. 5, reports to the War Office as follows:

"Smith-Dorrien states that Major Sanders and Capt. Chalmers (of the Canadian Mounted Rifles) behaved with great gallantry in the action of Nov. 2. Sanders rode out under a heavy fire to bring in a horseless non-commissioned officer. Sanders was wounded and his horse was killed, and Chalmers went to his assistance. Sanders implored him to leave, but was refused, and the gallant Chalmers was, I grieve to say, killed."

Steyn's Cool Proposal.

Lord Roberts has cabled to the War Office that former President Steyn, in a speech to Delarey's burghers, Oct. 22, said Mr. Kruger had gone to Europe in order to "get intervention," and if that failed "the Transvaal would be auctioned off to the highest bidder."

Boers Continue Their Lying.

Lord Roberts reports that while the Boers are disorganized and their ammunition and supplies scarce, ex-President Steyn is endeavoring to bolster up the cause by spreading false stories. Addressing Delarey's men recently, he said that De Wet had captured Norval's Point, and that 5000 Cape Dutch had risen against the English.

KRUGER IN GOOD HEALTH.

The Old Man Has Arrived at Ras Jibutil, and is Waiting There for Instructions.

Ras Jibutil, Nov. 6.—The Dutch cruiser Gelderland, with ex-President Kruger on board, has arrived here. She has been directed to await instructions from The Hague at Port Said with regard to Mr. Kruger's landing in Europe.

The Gelderland will stop three days. Mr. Kruger is in excellent health. Dr. Heymans declared Mr. Kruger was going to Europe purely on a holiday.

This morning Mr. Kruger was found sitting on deck with his legs wrapped in sheepskin.

"May they fight without remission!" he exclaimed energetically, filling his pipe, referring to the Boers. "That is what we ask."

The Genesis of the "Topper."

I can well imagine, writes a correspondent of The London Free Lance, what the most fashionable coterie of my youthful days, consisting of the Countess of Blessington, Count d'Orsay, Viscount Canterlope, Lord Chesterfield, Col. Anson, "Black Bottle" Cardigan, "Dolly Fitzclarence," "Poodle" Wombwell, Jimmy Macdonald, Frank Villiers—to extend the list no further—would have thought of the straw hat innovation amongst carriage folk which held sway during the prevalence of the phenomenally hot weather of the past summer. Curiously enough, it was only a few days ago that I became acquainted with the origin of the "topper," as explained in one of the delightful letters of the Baroness Cecile de Couriot, lady-in-waiting to the Princess de Lamballe, Princess of Savoy-Carignan, published by Mr. Heinemann. Writing from Paris, 19th Nivoise XI., the baroness says: "The latest thing for gentlemen on the Corso at a review at Longchamps was the new high hats. These are tall cylinders of black felt, smooth as mirrors, and look exactly like chimney pots. I really thought I must be at a masquerade. Thiery, who invented them, made a wager that he would introduce the very most absurd shape imaginable, and it would become fashionable. He won his wager, for these tall black pillars are now quite de rigeur with the exquisites."

There will be no hugging the machine to-night.

Sight Restored at Bridal Altar.

That is a touchingly beautiful story which comes by cable from London, telling how an English nobleman, blind from childhood, had his sight restored just as he was leading his bride to the altar and then and there saw her for the first time.

The sentimental value of the story is made complete by the fact that the bridegroom was drawn more deeply in love than ever by this sudden vision of his bride in all her loveliness of maidenly blushes, orange blossoms and wedding gown of angelic white. He had wooed and won her "sight unseen," as the children's old nursery game has it, but she turned out to be even fairer than his fancy had painted her. He had made no mistake in buying "a pig in a poke," if so homely a comparison is permissible where a bride is concerned, observes The St. Louis Republic.

Impassioned poets and fervid novelists of the ultra-romantic school will not fail to make timely and effective use of this fascinating incident from real life. The shelf-worn cynic of the great world, however, may not be so deeply impressed. He is fully capable of claiming that the recent London case is by no means the first on record where a man's eyes were opened by marriage.

A Queer Idea of Voting.

At one of the booths in the Scotland division of Liverpool, England, on polling day, The Manchester Despatch records, an elderly man was observed to be struggling with a voting paper for about half an hour. He bent over it in a constrained attitude, making crab-like motions with his hands, and now and then he would put his tongue out, as if showing it to a doctor; then his hands wandered to his head, he tilted his hat back, and scratched his head vigorously. His struggles became more violent. He had inked his hand, and the ink spread to his face, till he looked blotted all over. A groan burst from him.

"Hello!" said the presiding officer, "what's the matter?"

The unhappy man turned slowly round, and held out a crumpled piece of paper. "It's this, sir!"

"Who?" asked the presiding officer.

"O'Connor!"

The officer had a fit of laughter—the voter had drawn the outline of a human face on the paper, supposed to look like Mr. T. P. O'Connor.

A ROAST

On Temperance People.

A little woman out in Tower Hill, Ill., takes a fall out of the temperance people in a letter containing the following: "It is amusing to see some staunch temperance people who would as soon be caught stealing a horse as to be seen going into a saloon, that are tied down, hard and fast, to their coffee cups as much as an old whiskey sot is to his morning dram. They give the same excuse that the old sot does, they act the same way, the habit is just as fixed. Their dram does not as quickly intoxicate, but its steady use just as surely breaks down the nervous system and ruins them physically and mentally, frequently settling up some fixed form of chronic disease.

"Consistency, thou art a jewel, just as much to-day as of old. Either break away from your savery—tea, coffee or any other pernicious habit you may have—or quit preaching to others. I know what I am talking about, for I was a coffee slave for a time, and can speak truthfully of its effects. It almost ruined my nervous system, caused constipation, headaches and sleeplessness. I suppose if I had drank enough at one time to make me entirely drunk, I might have felt easier.

"Finally the stuff began to cause coughing after my meals; then I concluded to part company with the demon, and at once, upon the advice of some friends, took up Postum Food Coffee. The change was marvelous. I passed from an invalid to a healthy person in a very short time. I had quit a drug and taken up a strong, powerful, nourishing food in liquid form, and owe my present health to Postum Food Coffee." Name will be furnished by Postum Cereal Co., Limited, Battle Creek, Mich.

Where Too Much GAME MARS THE Huntsman's Sport

"We went up the Humber River, a two days' journey by canoe, and camped," said Frank Seaman of New York, referring to a hunting trip into the wilds of Newfoundland, "and found cariboo so numerous that there was positively no sport in the hunting of them. Four miles from our camp, on our first day's hunt, we came upon 57 of the big antlered game, feeding quietly, all in sight and range. Before that, on our way up the river, we had seen a band of 42.

"As we were not in that wilderness for slaughter the abundance and contiguity of cariboo really marred our pleasure, speaking from a sportsman's point of view. For instance, I selected as my mark one day a particularly fine bull, with magnificent head and antlers, and fired to strike him behind the shoulder, which I did, but the bullet passed clear thru his body and carried away the lower jaw of a cow cariboo that stood on the other side of him. The spectacle of the crazed, bellowing, mutilated creature was not pleasing by any means. We remained in camp only two days, and had that great band of cariboo to select from as we desired, and it was still in that locality when we came away.

"Professor Shields, the naturalist, who was my companion in the hunt, was particularly anxious to secure a specimen of an antlered cow cariboo, for, unlike other species of the deer family, the female cariboo is frequently decorated with horns. He had not succeeded in getting such a cow up to the time we decided to break camp, and if he had not held on to the hope of getting one even then we might not have had any cariboo meat or antlers to fetch along with us, but our guide would have had more of his own meat on his shins.

"As I said, the place where we came upon this great band of cariboo was four miles from our camp. Ordinarily four miles is nothing of a tramp for a hunter to have before him, even if he has had a fatiguing day's hunt, but the covering of four miles of such ground as lies under the feet in that part of Newfoundland is enough to exhaust a man even in the thought of it. As a matter of fact, it is not ground. It is water underlying a covering of yielding moss or vegetable accumulation, into which one sinks to the depth of a foot or more as he makes his way along, thus doubly wasting his energy. The sinking down tires him, and the lifting of his feet to the surface tires him, and frequent pauses for rest are necessary to one unused to such travel. The native guides, however, seem to mind the traveling over this stretch of unstable footing no more than they might the solidest of ground. Stunted spruce trees and water birches are scattered about in the morass, which perhaps once was a lake. To carry in any burden of game over such a country was almost out of the question with us, and there were a fine cariboo head and antlers and a choice hindquarters of cariboo meat to be fetched into camp before we pulled up stakes; so in the afternoon we despatched George, our guide, to the hunting ground to pack them in, and with a charge from Prof. Shields to be on the lookout for an antlered cow, and get it if possible.

"We expected George back by dark, but he didn't get back till next morning. He had spent so much time in vain search for a cow with antlers that darkness had overtaken him before he was half way to camp, and he had to lie by for the night. He hung the cariboo head and quarters on the branch of a tree, and went to sleep at the foot of the tree. Some time during the night he dreamed that the tree had fallen and was lying across his legs. He awoke, but so entirely wide awake that he did not start, altho he felt a weight on his legs such as that with which he dreamed the fallen tree was oppressing him. Trained to the possibilities of a night in such a spot, and in such circumstances, he lay perfectly still, and presently made out in the darkness the unmistakable figure of a bear standing erect, both of his hind feet planted on the guide's legs, half way up between his ankles and his knees, in the act of reaching up and helping himself to the tempting cariboo meat hanging on the branch.

"The guide had placed his rifle within easy reach. He cautiously got possession of it without alarming the bear. He fired with much deliberation as to aim. The bear fell dead, but in the convulsion of death the animal's long, sharp claws closed on the guide's legs with such a terrible clutch that the flesh was torn from them in great patches, clear to the bone. George's bullet had entered just beneath the bear's under jaw and came out at the back of the head.

"The willow grouse shooting of Newfoundland is to the sportsman one of the chief charms of that great game region, but we learned that the birds had been almost unknown for two years. The natives accounted for it by the fact that two years before there had been a destructive raid of wolves from Labrador into the northwestern wilds of Newfoundland, where the nesting places and spring and summer feeding haunts of the grouse are, the belief being that during that raid the wolves destroyed and devoured the birds to such an extent that the survivors were few—so few that the restocking of the grouse haunts to anything like their old-time abundance of game had as yet been impossible."

AUSTRALIA'S NEW NATIONAL SONG.

A national song has been adopted for the newly formed Australian Federation. It is composed and written by Australians, the music being the work of Joseph Gillor and the words being by Marion Miller. It is called "Australia's Cherished Dream," and is as follows:

They're gathering for the Roll-call from
The East unto the West!
Now, rise up every slumb'ring one, and follow with the rest.
I hear the bugles sounding, and the trumpet's steady blare,
And a Nation's mighty shouting with its thunder rends the air!
They're mustering fast, and faster! From the hilltops to the sea,
They chant the glorious tidings of a well-won victory!
They gather not for bloodshed, tho their weapons brightly gleam,
But with joyful pride to realize Australia's cherished dream!

REFRAIN.

They come, they come! their banners stream on ev'ry wind that blows,
And Federation's holy name in ev'ry fold discloses.
Now, hail! oh, standard-bearer, and face the rising sun,
The Nation's first great festival its joyance hath begun.

They count their tens of thousands with a wild exultant thrill,
Like their own forest trees they stand, defying ev'ry ill.
Like their own forest trees that cleave firm rooted to the sod,
Their hearts shall cling to native land, their eyes look up to God!
Now may the mighty Lord of Hosts each arm with courage nerve,
That manfully and loyally our country we may serve!
That never party feeling may with discord swell the tone,
The Ruler of the Universe meant but for love alone.

Too Smoothly.

"And now, darling, it only remains for you to say when——"

But at this moment the automobile, which had reached the top of the hill, started down the other side with frightful velocity. The young man hastily applied the brake. It failed to work.

He shut off the power.

It was too late.

The maddened machine raced down the steep grade.

At the foot of the incline there was a sharp turn to the left.

Here the automobile left the turnpike and ran down the embankment, throwing the young couple out and landing them in a big pile of sand.

"Never mind, darling," exclaimed the youth, who, with hat gone, collar loose at one end, and coat ripped up the back, was presently engaged in digging sand out of the hysterical maiden's mouth, "this is one time that the course of true love ran smooth, even if it did get a bit of a jolt at the end of the run."

"Cyrus Winterbottom," she said, half an hour later, as they were journeying towards home in a farmer's wagon, "I believe you did the whole thing on purpose, so you could have the chance of saying something smart."

McKINLEY AND ROOSEVELT ARE ASSUREDLY WINNERS

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votes as the national candidates, but in the other counties there is little variance between his vote and McKinley's. His plurality will not be more than 25,000 less than the President's. Both branches of the Legislature are Republican by increased majorities. There have been elected four additional Republican Congressmen."

AND THEY ALL WENT HOME.

Half an Hour After Midnight the Republican National Committee Were Satisfied.

New York, Nov. 7.—At 12.30 this morning, National Committeemen Manley, Gibbs and Bliss held a conference at the conclusion of which the following statement was given out:

"On the returns received at Republican headquarters up to this hour the Republican National Committee claim to have elected McKinley and Roosevelt by an electoral vote of 284, with the possibility of 21 votes in addition, making a total 305. These 21 votes consist of the 13 votes in Kentucky, and 8 in Nebraska.

"The States we surely claim for McKinley and Roosevelt are California, Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming."

The committeemen then closed their desks and left for their homes.

EX-GOVERNOR STONE GIVES UP.

Acknowledges the Defeat of the Democrats and Closes Up the Headquarters.

New York, Nov. 6.—Ex-Governor Stone at midnight made the following announcement: "I give up.

"The returns telegraphed these headquarters from New York, New Jersey and Connecticut show that these States have gone Republican. Returns from Maryland and West Virginia are incomplete. My information from the Middle and Western States is so indefinite that I cannot form an opinion as to the result. As I do not know the facts I will wait before I say finally what I think is the result."

Mr. Stone then closed the Democratic National headquarters in New York for the night.

WITH ROUGH RIDER TEDDY.

The Vice-President-Elect Received the News in His Home at Oyster Bay Calmly.

Oyster, Bay, L.I., Nov. 6.—Gov. Roosevelt, surrounded by his family, to-night received the returns at his home. The Governor at no time during the evening seemed anxious about the result. He did not make any special arrangements to receive the news, and depended on messages to be brought from the telegraph office in the railroad station, nearly three miles away.

The first definite information of the Republican victory was conveyed to the Governor at about 10 o'clock. The Governor was in the reception room with his wife and daughter. When he appeared at the door to meet a newspaper correspondent, he was clad in full evening dress. He invited his visitor into the parlor, and closely scrutinized the returns, and briefly commented on the result. After reading the message, he said:

"Isn't that fine? It shows what the American people are.

"It shows that they want the good times to continue, and are in favor of honest money, and are for the flag."

Message to His Chief.

The Governor at once dictated the following despatch to President McKinley:

"To President William McKinley, Canton, Ohio. I congratulate you and far more the nation; you have my heartfelt gratitude over the result. Theodore Roosevelt."

Governor Roosevelt also sent messages of congratulation to Senator Mark Hanna and Chairman Odell, Governor-elect.

SOME OF THE RETURNS

Down in Kentucky, Where the Governor Was Murdered, the Democrats Have Won.

Louisville, Nov. 6.—Incomplete returns from 33 counties outside of Louisville give Beckham, for Governor, 8500 majority over Yerkes. Bryan is running a little ahead of Beckham in the same counties.

Democrats Gained in Indiana.

Indianapolis, Nov. 6.—Two hundred and sixty voting precincts in Indiana give McKinley 29,268, Bryan 23,214. Same in 1896 gave McKinley 28,424, Bryan 23,740. Net Republican gain 1370.

New Jersey Returns.

Trenton, N.J., Nov. 6.—(Midnight.)—Fuller returns bear out the statement that New Jersey will give McKinley and Roosevelt 50,000 plurality.

The Vote in Ohio.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 6.—Republican State Chairman Charles Dick has given out the following statement:

Returns received up to this hour (11 p.m.) justify claiming that Ohio has given McKinley a plurality of from 75,000 to 80,000, and the election of 17 and possibly 18 out of the 21 Congressmen, making a gain of 2 and probably 3 members of Congress.

McKinley has carried his own state without doubt by an increased plurality, but at midnight it is impossible to give the figures, owing to the unusually meagre returns received.

Croker's Consoling Message.

New York, Nov. 6.—The following telegram was sent to-night. "W. J. Bryan, Lincoln, Neb.: As you no doubt already know, the state has gone heavily against us, but whereas this county in 1896 gave McKinley 23,000 majority, it gives you to-day 33,000, a gain of 56,000. We are defeated but not discouraged. Richard Croker."

"The Country is Saved."

Chicago, Nov. 6.—At midnight Vice Chairman Payne sent the following telegram to Col. Roosevelt:

The country is saved. We have beaten Pettigrew and captured Nebraska, Legislature and all.

Ethel's Look Into the Future.

From The Chicago Times-Herald.

Little Ethel had been out playing with little Harold from across the street for at least an hour before grandma succeeded in getting her to come into the house.

"What do you and Harold play, anyway?" the old lady asked.

"Oh, we play that we are like Cousin Addie and Mr. Dutton."

"Goodness me! Why, your Cousin Addie is Mr. Dutton's intended!"

"Yes, I know, and I'm Harold's intended."

"Goodness me! But they are going to get married."

"So are we, when we grow up."

"Goodness me! And what then?"

"Oh, I suppose we'll have children."

"Goodness me! And then what?"

"Then they'll get to be intendeds."

"Goodness me! And what next?"

"I suppose then they'll have children and

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