LOCAL MARKET.

London, Monday, Nov. 5.

The farmers who had hay in today endeavored to boost prices higher than has yet been paid this season. They were, however, only able to obtain about what has been paid the last two or three weeks, viz., $13 to $14 per ton; nearly all at the latter figure. There was only ten loads offered. Straw sold at $6 per ton or $3 50 when sold by the load. Not many loads of oats were offered. Sales were made at $1 05 to $1 09 per cwt.

Mr. McIntyre purchased a deckload of live hogs at $5 50 per cwt. for selects. The same buyer paid $4 50 per cwt. for a few fat sows.

COTTON.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 3.—Cotton—Futures opened barely steady; Nov. $9 81; December, $9 87; March, $10 03; April, $10 10; May, $10 14; July, $10 20.

Futures closed steady; November, $9 86; December, $9 83; January, $9 90; February, $9 97; March, $10 06; April, $10 12; May, $10 14; June, $10 12; July, $10 26.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands, $10 20; middling gulf, $10 55; no sales.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

Liverpool, Nov. 3.—John Rogers & Co. quote Canadian steers at 12c; ranch steers, 11c.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Nov. 2.—Beans—Cash and the futures, $1 37 asked.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 3.—Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining, 3⅝c; cen test, 3⅞c; molasses sugar, 3⅛c; refined quiet.

LONDON.

London, Nov. 3.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 8s 9d; centrifugal, 10s 9d; beet sugar, November, 8s 7½d.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Sugar—Prices are unchanged; extra granulated, $4 88; yellow, $3 08, in barrels; in bags, 5c less; Ontario, $4 22.

DAIRY MARKETS.

LONDON.

London, Saturday, Nov. 3.—Today's dairy market was one of the largest of the season, 2,447 boxes being offered by twelve factories. The market was nevertheless firm, only 327 boxes being sold, although as high as 12 11-16c was offered. The factories which sold were: Warwick, 100; Elgin, 122, and Union, 115. The offerings:

Ridgetree	165
Avonbank	500
Muncey Road	130
Blanshard and Nissouri	200
Warwick	100
Elgin	122
Union	115
Farmers' Union	185
West Nissouri	175
Malahide	520
Aylmer	280
Uttoxeter and Galladank	280
Total	2,447

WATERTOWN.

Watertown, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Cheese—Sales, 4,300 at 12c.

BELLEVILLE.

Belleville, Ont., Nov. 3.—At the regular meeting of the cheese board today the offerings were 2,229 boxes white and 150 colored; sales were 670 at 12 11-16c and the balance at 12⅝c.

BROCKVILLE.

Brockville, Ont., Nov. 3.—At the regular weekly meeting of the cheese board today 2,391 boxes were offered, 1,800 of which were colored and the balance white; 400 sold on the board at 12½c.

COWANSVILLE.

Cowansville, Que., Nov. 3.—At the weekly meeting of the Eastern Townships Dairymen's Exchange today, 24 creameries offered 942 boxes of butter and eight factories offered 251 boxes of cheese. Sales: Butter, 346 boxes at 23¾c, 596 at 23⅞c; cheese, 85 boxes at 12¼c, 40 at 12½c, 21 at 12 7-16c; 145 boxes unsold.

WINCHESTER.

Winchester, Ont., Nov. 3.—At the regular weekly meeting of the cheese board tonight 391 white and 295 colored were registered; 391 white and 24 colored sold on the board at 12½c. Buyers, Ault, Weir, McMaster and Johnston.

VANKLEEK HILL.

Vankleek Hill, Ont., Nov. 3.—There were 888 boxes of cheese boarded here today, all selling on the board at 12¾c, the bidding being brisk all through the meeting, as the buyers tried to outbid each other.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 3.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 19c to 25½c; dairies, 18½c to 23c per lb.

Cheese—Steady, 12½c to 13¼c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 3.—Butter—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 5,591 packages.

Cheese—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 8,672 boxes; weekly exports, 5,306 boxes.

GRAND TRUNK

Shares bought and sold. Private wire system of Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, members New York Stock Exchange, Chicago Board of Trade, etc.

H. C. BECHER.

Bond and Stockbroker. Free Press Bldg.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Nov. 3.—Beans—Cash and the futures, $1 37.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 3.—Oil opened and closed at $1 58.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Nov. 3.—Credit balances, $1 58.

LONDON.

London, Nov. 3.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 7-16d; spirits, 8d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Nov. 3.—Petroleum, 19 francs 50 centimes.

COTTON.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 5—Cotton—Futures opened steady; November, $9 85; December, $9 95; January, $9 90; March, $10 04; May, $10 04; June, $10 20; July, $10 24.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Baled Hay—Prices are steady, at $10 to $10 50 per ton for No. 1 timothy, in car lots here.

Baled Straw—Very firm, at $6 per ton in car lots here.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—Wheat—Ontario, No. 2 white and red, 71c; mixed, 70c; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 82c; No. 1 northern, 80c, at lake ports.

Oats—No. 2 white, 35½c to 36c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 54c to 54½c, at Toronto, 1c more outside.

Buckwheat—54c to 55c.

Rye—72c.

Barley—No. 2, 51c; No. 3 extra, 49c.

Peas—80c.

Flour—Ontario, $2 70 bid for 90 per cent. patents, in buyers' bags, outside, for export; Manitoba, first patents, $4 50; second patents, $4; bakers, $3 90.

Millfeed—Bran, $16 50; shorts, $18 50.

Eggs—21c to 22c.

Cheese—12½c to 14¼c.

Butter—Farm.

STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 5. 12:45.

	Ask.	Bid.
Bank of Toronto	238	..
Bank of Commerce	..	150
Imperial Bank	..	220
Standard Bank	..	221¼
Bank of Hamilton	216	215
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	257½
Bank of Ottawa	..	229
Traders' Bank	140	..
Western Assurance	80	..
National Trust	..	148
Ontario & Qu'Appelle Land	..	100
C. P. R.	170	175
Ont. Transfer	..	175¼
St. Catharines, N. & T.	..	75
Rio	..	45½
Toronto Electric Light	154	..
Canada General Electric	128½	128¼
Bell Telephone	149¼	..
Niagara Navigation	..	135
Northern Navigation	..	120
Twin City	..	95¼
Sao Paulo Tramway	140	139½
Dominion Steel, com.	29½	28½
Nova Scotia Steel, com.	..	76½
North Star	..	16
Mackay, com.	73¼	71¾
Mackay, pfd.	70½	69¾
City Dairy, com.	34¼	..
Mexican Electric	..	46
Canada Landed	123	119
Canada Permanent	125	..
Dominion Savings	88	..
Rio bonds	76	74½
Mexican Power bonds	..	77¾
Dominion Savings	..	71
Mexican Bonds	77¼	..
Metropolitan	194	..
Hamilton Provident	..	122
Huron & Erie	192	183
Landed B & L	124	..
London & Canada L. & A.	108½	..
Toronto Mortgage	114	..
London Loan	..	112
Ontario L. & Deb.	..	138

Morning Sales: Sao Paulo, 25, 25, 25 and 10 at 138, 25 and 25 at 138½, 25 at 139, 10, 75 and 25 at 140; Mexican L. and P., 25 at 49¾; do, bonds, 1000 at 77¼; Northern Navigation, 40 and 10 at 105; General Electric, 7, 4, 5, 10, 10 and 25 at 134, 25 and 10 at 133 and 10 at 133½; Mackay, common, 100 and 10 at 72¼, 50 at 72½; do, preferred, 100 at 68¾, 15 at 70; Twi City, common, 25 at 111; Rio, 5 at 44; Dominion Bank, 12 and 20 at 265; Bank of Commerce, 20 at 181½; Imperial Bank, 5 at 230¾; Standard Bank, xr., 90 at 232; C. P. R., 50 at 176; Canada Permanent, 65 at 123.

Listed: Nipissing Mines Company.

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

[Usher, Playfair & Martens.]

Toronto, Nov. 3.

	Ask.	Bid.
Nipissing Mines	31½	30½
Foster	.340	337
Buffalo	.400	390
McKinley-Darragh	.450	390
Silver Queen	.199	198
Silver Leaf	21	20
Abitibi	36	..
Beaver	50	45
Tretheway	8.75	8.50
Canadian Goldfields	8½	7¾
Canada Cycle	..	30
Packers		

Sales: Nipissing, 10 at 31¾; Foster, 500 at 335, 50 at 340, 100 at 339, 300 at 340, 100 at 339½, 150 at 340, 25 at 340, 225 at 340, 100 at 339, 100 at 339, 500 at 336, 500 at 337, 500 at 337, 500 at 335, 500 at 334, 500 at 330, 500 at 335, 100 at 336, 500 at 337, 600 at 336, 300 at 337, 200 at 336, 100 at 339, 500 at 338, 100 at 329, 400 at 338; Silver Queen, 1000 at 200, 100 at 200, 500 at 200, 500 at 200, 100 at 198, 1500 at 199, 200 at 199, 1000 at 198, 500 at 198, Silver Leaf, 300 at 20, 100 at 21; Tretheway, 100 at 9.00, 50 at 8.75, 100 at 8.75, 25 at 8.75, 5 at 8.75.

HUGHES WILL WIN; HEARST WILL WIN

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litical faith. Although the Republicans are willing to admit that the Democrats are to make gains over their present representation in Congress, they do not concede the former all they are claiming. Many of the clerks, both Democrats and Republicans, in the various departments who still hold their legal residences in the states from which they were appointed have gone home to vote.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 5.—The political campaign in Connecticut prevails unusually quiet this year. The Democrats express themselves as hopeful that their candidate, Charles F. Thayer, will be successful. The Democrats expect to carry more senatorial districts than last year, and also to show an increase in their numbers in the House of Representatives.

The Battle in Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 5.—The campaign in this state and city closed practically on Saturday night, and the party managers devoted to final preparations for tomorrow's battle. A governor and other state officers, legislature and congressmen will be chosen. Edward S. Stuart, the Republican nominee for governor is opposed by Lewis Emery, jun., the candidate of the Lincoln party and Democrats. Last year the Lincoln Democratic fusionists elected William Berry, state treasurer, by a big majority. The fact, however, that Philadelphia is the home of Mr. Stuart makes a prediction as to the outcome of the election difficult. He is personally very popular, and it is thought by many that he will carry the city, and thereby overcome whatever majority the state outside of Philadelphia might give to Mr. Emery. The Republican and Fusion leaders both claim the state and city.

At the Hub.

Boston, Nov. 5.—The state campaign in Massachusetts reached its eleventh hour today. The heaviest part of the work of arousing interest among the half-million voters in the different issues in the campaign had been performed, and all that remains today was to close up whatever gaps might have been left in order that each side might present a solid front for tomorrow's contest. It was arranged that both candidates for governor should remain on the stump until a few hours before the opening of the polls.

Keen Fight in Rhode Island.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 5.—With all the political leaders actively working today in preparation for the closing rallies tonight in the interests of the Republican and Democratic parties one of the liveliest campaigns in the history of this little state drew to a close. Both parties cited statistics to support their claims for victory at the polls tomorrow, but the outcome today appeared to be uncertain. Mayor James H. Higgins, of Pawtucket, the Democratic nominee for governor, is seeking to defeat the present incumbent, George H. Rutter, Republican. The fight for the general assembly has been particularly keen this year, and the outcome is much in doubt.

At the Windy City.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Since the closing of the campaign on Saturday, Chairman Boeschenstein, of the Democratic state central committee, and Chairman West, of the Republican committee have busied themselves in obtaining what they term an accurate forecast of the result of Tuesday's election. Their estimates of the results vary widely. Chairman Boeschenstein claims that the Democrats will carry Cook County by 10,000 votes, and that the Democrats will certainly gain six to eight congressmen. Chairman West asserts that the Republicans will have a plurality of at least 35,000 in Cook County, and allows the Democrats one congressman in addition to the one they already have in the twentieth district. It is admitted generally that the legislature will elect a Republican successor to Senator Callum.

ROOSEVELT WANTS BIG MAJORITY

Republicans Claim Victory by at Least 58.

THE DEMOCRATS ARE HOPEFUL

Give Details of Gains They Expect to Make, But Claim No Michigan District.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 3. — With but two full days intervening before the country will elect the sixtieth congress, there is decidedly a general area of "high pressure" in the political atmosphere.

The expert prognosticators have stopped analyzing local conditions. They have made their final claims, covering the whole area, are sitting tight and waiting for Tuesday.

The Republican claim, emanating from the headquarters of the Republican congressional campaign committee in New York, is this:

"The Republicans will have a majority of 58 in the next House of Representatives."

The analysis of this claim from the same source is:

"Sure Republican districts, 222; sure Democratic districts, 130; doubtful, but probably Republican, 21; doubtful, but probably Democratic, 13."

The Democratic congressional campaign, with headquarters in Washington, has figured out 67 Democratic gains over its present representation in the House. Chairman James M. Griggs, of this committee, thinks this claim is rather too conservative. In analyzing the claim to show where the gains are expected, Mr. Griggs is quoted as saying:

Democratic Analysis

"The claim of a Democratic gain of ten in New York is safe. The claim of one gain each in Massachusetts, North Carolina, Kentucky, Montana, Delaware, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Idaho and Virginia, is good.

"The claim of a gain of six in Pennsylvania is too conservative. The same may be said of the claim of a gain of six in Illinois. We will gain eight in Missouri. Concessions are made to us of five or six in Ohio, but we will do better than that. The computation that puts us down for only one in Indiana is in error. New Jersey is to be counted on for a gain of three, while gains will be made in Iowa, Nebraska and California."

Should the Democratic prediction of a gain of 67 be realized that party would have a majority of 22 in the 60th Congress.

Battle in States

While from a national standpoint the congressional election is regarded as emphatically important, in some localities it has been thrown entirely in the background by state politics. Twenty-three state elect their governors on Tuesday, twenty elect legislatures, ten minor officers or justices of their supreme courts. Oklahoma will pass upon her state constitution. Arizona and New Mexico will decide the question of joint statehood.

Perhaps the most notable feature of the campaign in all of its ramifications has been the extent to which the personality of President Roosevelt has been brought forward.

"Support the President," was the battlecry of the Republicans in ever congressional district.

"We can support him better than you," was the defiant answer of some of the leaders of the Democracy.

President Roosevelt has made it known to the country that he wants a Republican Congress. All but two of his cabinet officers have taken the stump to further this desire of their chief. In New York State the President was personally represented by Secretary Root, in a speech remarkable in character. The President will vote at Oyster Bay on Tuesday. He will reach the White House to receive the returns in the evening.

Washington, which has been the one spot devoid of political turmoil, has watched the battle feeling, but not expressing. No banners, no red fire, no speeches disturb the even tenor of the government clerk. But on election day he will go quietly away to his voting booth, cast his ballot and return to his task. The indications are that a large percentage of the government force will go home to vote.

TYPOS' CHIEF TALKS

Lynch Says Eight-Hour Fight Is Now Confined to the East.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 5. — President Lynch, of the International Typographical Union, addressed a meeting of local No. 91, and leaves for the A. F. and L. convention at Minneapolis.

Of the eight-hour fight, he says the war is now confined to the east.

"But in the last month several strongholds have been captured, and some important contracts on the eight-hour basis have been signed," said Mr. Lynch.

The Ottawa trouble he ascribes to the desire of 75 members to evade the payment of dues. There are still 200 members.

THE SWITCHMEN

Railroads To Be Asked to Grant an Eight-Hour Day.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—An important meeting affecting the relations between the railways and their switchmen will be held in this city tomorrow.

At this conference the switchmen will present to the road managements a request for the eight-hour day, but it is not expected that this demand will be insisted upon absolutely. However, the switchmen are not satisfied with the railroads' proposition to increase wages 3 cents an hour, and will try to secure a better offer in this respect.

The outcome of this conference probably will govern relations between switchmen and their employers throughout the United States and Canada.

BICKLE'S Anti-Consumptive Syrup is agreeable to the taste, and is a certain relief for irritation of the throat that causes hacking coughs. If used according to directions it will break the most persistent cold and restore the air passages to their normal healthy condition. There is no need to recommend it to those familiar with it, but of those who seek a sure remedy and are in doubt what to use, the advice is—try Bickle's Syrup.

COURT IN CEMETERY

Evidence Taken Amongst Tombstones to Settle a Legal Point.

Cork, Nov. 5.—The remarkable spectacle of a count of inquiry sitting and taking evidence in a graveyard, among the tombstones, was witnessed on Wednesday afternoon at St. Joseph's Cemetery, Cork.

A Cork man named John Sullivan died intestate in Seattle some years ago, leaving property valued at over $1,000,000, and several commissions were issued by the superior court of Washington for the taking of testimony in Cork and elsewhere of Irish claimants to the estate.

On Wednesday the commission assembled in the graveyard. The commissioners sat on a tombstone, and the official stenographer on a grave, while gathered around were several professional gentlemen, American and local.

Permission was obtained from the owners of the cemetery to open a particular grave, and the diggers commenced their grewsome task. After going down three or four feet they brought to the surface breast plates alleged to have been on the coffins containing the remains of the parents of the late John Sullivan. These were carefully protographed. The coffin containing the remains of Hannah Callaghan was next taken up and laid by the side of the open grave. The remains of four other persons were also brought to the surface, and arranged in a heap, with four skulls in the background. These were photographed, and an inventory made by the shorthand writers present.

The remains were then replaced in the grave, and the grave closed.

DR. McMULLEN'S JUBILEE

Beloved Woodstock Pastor Celebrates 50th Anniversary of Ordination.

Woodstock, Nov. 4.—Rev. Dr. McMullen celebrates his jubilee here today, the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination.

Rev. Principal McLaren, of Knox College, Toronto, occupied the pulpit at the morning service.

Dr. McLaren referred to his early associations with Dr. McMullen as students in Knox College and later as pastors in the Presbytery of London, over 45 years ago.

At the evening service Rev. Dr. Fletcher was heard with keen interest by another large congregation.

For the past 46 years Rev. Dr. McMullen has faithfully ministered to the congregation of Knox Church. During this time he has witnessed the steady growth of the congregation to being practically the largest in the city.

Success has crowned his every effort. His resignation is now in the hands of the Presbytery of Paris and will be accepted on Tuesday next.

Dr. McMullen's successor is Mr. R B. Cochrane, M.A., son of the late Rev. Dr. Cochrane, of Zion Church, Brantford, who for the past eight months has been the efficient assistant here. Mr. Cochrane was the unanimous choice of the congregation. His induction takes place within a few weeks.

Rev. Dr. McMullen was born on Jan. 9, 1831, and is therefore in his 76th year. In 1849 he entered University College, Toronto, and graduated from Knox College in 1856. In November of the same year he was inducted as pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Millbank, Ontario, and four years later came to Knox Church of this city.

In the course of his ministry he has held many important offices in the organizations of the church, elected moderator of the synod in 1874 and moderator of the general assembly at Halifax in 1888.

On Tuesday evening next a public reception will be tendered Dr. McMullen. Addresses are to be presented by the congregation, the Ministerial Association, the corporation of Woodstock, the congregation at Millbank, and a number of prominent speakers.

ONTARIO BANK AFFAIRS

Reported That New York Brokers Owe Institution $2,000,000.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—According to ex-Manager McGill's statement on record at the Ontario Bank, it is said that big New York brokers are shown to owe the bank about $2,000,000.

The accuracy of these statements, however, is not believed in, although the prosecution may send a commission to New York to look into the facts thoroughly.

The court inquiry, beginning on Tuesday, will include in its scope the probing of all the ex-manager's speculations.

On Monday, the shareholders' committee will meet to decide whether to employ special counsel. The name of J. W. Curry, K. C., is mentioned.

EXTENDING THE BOUNDARY

Expansion of Manitoba and Ontario North To Be Discussed at Ottawa.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Premier Whitney, Hon. Mr. Foy, the attorney-general, and Hon. Mr. Matheson, the provincial treasurer, will be present on Ontario's behalf at the conference to be held in Ottawa on Saturday, between representatives of the Dominion Government and of the provincial governments interested in Manitoba's demand for the extension of the boundaries of that province northward to the shore of Hudson Bay.

The confidence in the belief that Ontario will get considerable of the territory giving access to Hudson Bay is said to be very strong in the Government circles, and has been shown in various ways.

For instance, the question of an extension of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway to James Bay, the southern portion of Hudson Bay, has always been more or less seriously talked of, and in the summer of 1905 preliminary surveys to Moose Factory, near the mouth of Moose River, which empties into the bay, were made, $7,500 having been voted by the Legislature for that purpose.

During the conference, it is expected that the Ontario and Dominion representatives will discuss the application of the former for a federal bonus for the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway.

IT IS GOOD FOR MAN AND BEAST.—Not only is Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil of incomparable value in the household, but the farmer and stockman will find it very serviceable in the farmyard and on the cattle range, often saving the services of a veterinary surgeon. In injuries to stock and in cases of cough and pains it can be used with good effect.

FATAL RIOTS IN NEW YORK STREET

Mob Attacks Strike Breakers and a Striker Is Shot to Death.

New York, Nov. 4.—Augustus Lamb, a striking chauffeur, 3 years of age, was shot through the neck and critically wounded last night when an Eighth avenue street car in which four strike breakers and an equal number of private detectives were riding was mobbed.

Police reserves who had been summoned by a call from three stations dispersed the mob after the rioting had continued for a half hour.

Lamb was taken to a hospital and the strike breakers and detectives arrested. The rioters escaped.

Strike breakers and officers boarded the car near the garage of the New York Transportation Company, whose electric car chaffeurs are on strike. Strikers and sympathizers followed the car, pelting it with missiles.

The mob smashed the car windows and attempted to reach its occupants. Then the detectives began firing, and Lamb went down. The men arrested are charged with being suspicious persons.

There was a clash on Fifth avenue during the afternoon between sympathizers with the striking chauffeurs of the New York Transportation Company and the special police employed to guard the new men hired by the company.

At Forty-fifth street and Fifth avenue a crowd of 100 men surrounded a car which was proceeding down the avenue with two guards following on bicycles. They knocked one of the guards off his bicycle, and one of the rioters mounted the wheel and rode away with it. The car was allowed to proceed, but the guard, Albert Partington, who had captured one of the rioters, was roughly treated.

A policeman came to his assistance, and together they managed to hold the crowd at bay until the police reserves arrived. Partington's prisoner was then taken to the police station.

While the fight was going on traffic at that point was stopped.

ANOTHER OPEN WINTER

Says Ezekiel Bonzy, the Aged Weather Prophet of Penabscot.

Veazie, Me., Nov. 4. — "We are going to have antoher open winter in 1907." said Ezekiel Bonzy, the aged weather prophet of Penobscot Valley. "I can smell it in the air.

"The birds are staying later than usual this Fall, which is always taken as a sure sign that Winter will not week I was and thes man mfwyp week I saw wallows and humming birds and thistle birds, all of which are in the habit of getting away late in August.

"The hens have hardly begun to shed their feathers yet,and most years they have moulted and started in to lay by Oct. 1. The partidges are very thinly clad with feathers.

"The corn husks are very scant and gauzy. Burns on beechnuts and hazelnuts are so thin and soft that a child can bite through the toughest of them.

"Cattle and horses out at pasture are looking as sleek as they did in June, indicating that they have not begun to think of putting on winter overcoats. Woodchucks, which should have retired for the winter in September, are out loafing at the entrances of their burrows.

"Last year at this time the muskrats had built their mud houses all along the upper reaches of the Penobscot River, and now one can go by canoe from Old Town to Medway and never see a sign of a muskrat house. Unless there has been a great strike among the carpenters and builders who put up muskrat houses, some of the homes will not be fit for occupancy until next year.

"Hunters who have shot deer say that the antlers are still growing, or in the velvet stage, though the love making season with deer is only two weeks away. Though there have been seveal cold nights, and though I have rubbed the backs of several fat cats to get electric sparks out of the fur, I have not heard so much as a crackle as yet. This is because the coating of fur on the cats has ot become thick enough, proving that the cats are not making and haste about putting on winter garments.

"Right here in the village the old maids and grass widows are still coming out in white and peekaboo shrtwaists, and the fathers of marriageable daughters have not set up the parlor stoves or bought the coal for the winter's courting. It seems as if they expected that most of the courting would be done on the piazza or over the garden gate, as in Summer.

"Unless the signs fail, ice will be high and pneumonia will be plentiful and graves will be opened often between now and next March."

A STRENUOUS SURVEY

Is the Delimitating of the New Alaskan-Canada Boundary.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 5. — Mr. A. J. Brabazon, D. L. S., and party of surveyors, who have been engaged all summer on topographical work in the Yukon, have returned home. Their particular work was to make observations for the object of accurately delimitating the boundary between Canada and Alaska. A number of engineers and surveyors from the Geodetic Survey of the United States worked in conjunction with the Canadian party.

Mr. Brabazon and his associates encountered many perils, especially the canyon of the Alsek River. At this point the walls rose perpendicularly 2,000 feet, and rock slides were frequent all season. On the other side was a glacier, two miles long, which discharged thousands of tons of ice every day. It was weary work waiting for the waters to rise in the tidal rivers, and persevering in face of the fact that never before had any voyageur been able to make his way in at that season of the year. The party penetrated some ten or twelve miles above the boundary.

PREVENT DISORDER.—At the first symptoms of internal disorder, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills should be resorted to immediately. Two or three of these salutary pellets, taken before going to bed, followed by doses of one or two pills for two or three nights in succession, will serve as a preventive of attacks of dyspepsia and all the discomforts which follow in the train of that fell disorder. The means are simple when the way is known.

RUN DOWN BY FAST FREIGHT

Two Men Killed and Two Injured in Accident on the G. T. R.

St. Thomas, Oct. 4.—A terrible accident which caused the death of two men, and the serious injury of two others occurred near Shedden Station this morning. Wm. Jones, 21 years of age, Wm. Butts, 60 years old, Eugene Butts and Norman Hanan were on a hand car which was run down by a fast M. C. R. freight. The first two named were killed instantly.

The two other men, George Wynn and James Burch jumped of in time.

The men were working on Hawkin's steel gang at Tilbury, and came to St. Thomas during the day on No. 37, and were returning home when the fatality happened.

Coroner Gustin, of this city, was notified and ordered an inquest. The bodies were removed to Shedden Station, and arrived in the city tonight on No. 10.

FATHER O'HANDLEY DEAD

Demise of Priest Who Eloped With a Hamilton Girl Is Announced.

Hamilton, Nov. 5.—A report from New York, which it is impossible to further confirm at present, announces the death of Rev Father Alexander O'Handley, a Roman Catholic priest, who created a big sensation here a year ago last January, when he eloped to Toronto with Miss May A. Finch-Noyes, a prominent society girl, and daughter of a large clothing manufacturer

Father O'Handley came to Hamilton from Antigonish, N. S., highly recommended by his bishop. He was connected with St. Mary's Cathedral staff until the fall of 1904, when he was transferred to Brantford. Miss Noyes was brought up in the English Church, but became a convert at a mission at the cathedral, and was instructed by Father O'Handley. Shortly after being transferred to Brantford he went to Toronto with Miss Noyes, and was married by Rev. Alexander Gilray, of College Street Presbyterian. Church. He went from there to New York.

It is said he was received into the church again before his death.

IN LINE FOR THE PRIMACY

Bishop Sweatman May Succeed to Late Archbishop Bond.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—The Right Rev. Arthur Sweatman, Bishop of Toronto, is in line for the exalted position of Primate of All Canada. The Bishop of Toronto would come next in the order of seniority, and there is every possibility that a meeting of the House of Bishops will be held this month, and his appointment will be made. Bishop Sweatman would be made a metropolitan Archbishop and then raised to the dignity of primate. Bishop Sweatman is an Englishman, and a graduate of Cambridge. His first ministry was at Islington, where he founded the Islington Boys' Institute. In 1885 he came to Canada to take the post of head master of the Hellmuth College at London, Ont. He was canon of London cathedral in 1875, and later Archdeacon of Brant. He was clerica secretary and for a time administrator of the Diocese of Huron, and on May 1, 1879, was consecrated Bishop of Toronto in succession to the late Bishop Bethune.

He is the third Bishop of Toronto, has now passed his 70th year, and holds numerous offices in connection with institutions of the Anglican Church. During his regime as bishop, the Diocese of Toronto has greatly increased in importance, and the post of administrator is now much more onerous than formerly. Before the last synod meeting a proposition was on foot to give Bishop Sweatman the assistance of a coadjutor, but the idea did not crystallize. The expected change, following the death of Archbishop Bond, may, it is thought, require some appointment of the kind spoken of last spring. Archbishop Bond for several years latterly had the assistance of Bishop Carmichael as coadjutor.

PROMISES FAIR TREATMENT

Education Minister on the Christian Brothers' Decision.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—When asked as to what action the Government were likely to take in regard to the position of the Christian Brothers in the separate schools of the Province, Dr. Pyne, minister of education, said:

"I am not in a position to say, and must decline to make any premature statement on the subject. I have only seen what appeared in the press regarding the result of the appeal, and in any case nothing can be done until we get the full text of the judgment and see exactly what has happened.

"However, one thing is certain," added Dr. Pyne, "the best interests of the school will be studied out, and everybody concerned may rely upon receiving fair treatment. Nothing will be done suddenly in the matter, and the process of eliminating the unqualified will be gradual.

"The Government realize that this is a most serious question, and careful thought will be brought to bear upon it.

"I have no doubt whatever that this decision will be for the ultimate benefit of both teachers and pupils," concluded the minister.

A BLACK-HAND OUTRAGE

They Dynamite Building on Failure to Secure Blackmail.

New York, Nov. 4.—Unsuccessful in their alleged attempts to blackmail Francisco Messina, a prosperouse tailor of Brooklyn, members of the so-called "Black Hand" Society, to the police say, today hurled a dynamite bomb against the front door of the tenement in which he lives and conducts his business, and caused damage of $3,000 to the building and surrounding property.

Scores of persons felt the shock of the explosion, but no one was injured. There was no doubt among the police that a deliberate attempt had been made by an organized band of blackmailers to wreak vengeance on Messina and his family.

Following closely a half-dozen similar outrages in the same neighborhood, this attack has spread terror among the poorer Italians, and many of them today began arrangements to leave the district.

Messina had received several letters within a month, demanding from $400 to $1,500.

Tonight detectives arrested three men, who described themselves as Frank and Antonio Passaminati and Baldassico Pamaite.

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