The despatch also refers to minor affairs

near Hoopstad, Orange River Colony, last Wednesday, and a sharp fight ensued.

age was not intended in an offensive sense

With Men Who Suffered at Paardeberg. Father Point, Oct. 27 .- The Dominion

Serious Charge.

London on a Spree.

Regiment of Infantry.

# Eloquent.

New York; Oct. 29 .- Mr. and Mrs. Bryan breakfasted at 10 o'clock in their hotel Parterson, N. J., that the present Grand with Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, of New Jury will take up the inquiry into the Haven, and Governor William J. Stone. death of Jennie Bosschieter, for whose After breakfast the party adjourned to murder McAlister, Death, Campbell and

Dr. Parkhurst, the pastor, was not informed of Mr. Bryan's presence and his sermon was an exposition of a portion of Word was evidently passed through the congregation during the service that Mr.
Bryan was in church for, when the benediction was pronounced, almost the entire
congregation made a dash for the doors congregation made a dash for the doors and filled the sidewalk and street in front of the building. This crowd was also augmented by those who were on the street and in the park and by the time that the party reached the hotel 2,000 people were crowded about him. So dense was the crowd in fact that it became necessary for several park policemen to go in advance of Mr. Bryan and clear a way for him through the crowd. As he disappeared in the entrance of the hotel cheer after cheer burst simultaneously from 2,000 throats.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 23.—The Prohibition special train with John G. Woolley and party aboard rested on a siding at Saratoga today until 2.45 this afternoon, where it was attached to the rear of a regular train arriving at Albany at 4.20. Mr. and Mrs. Woolley were entertained at dinner by Mrs. Alida Cole, of Saratoga, returning to the special at 2 o'clock. The party leaves Albany at 10.25 tonight and makes a two hours' run to Herkimer, remaining there the balance of the night. A tota there the balance of the night. A tota of seven stops is scheduled for tomorrow.

New York, Oct. 27.-Referring to the charges that he had held trusts in a speech at the Fifth Avenue Hotel last night, Senator Scott, of West Virginia, said: "I did not say anything that could be construed to mean what is implied in the published report. I did not say anything resembling what I am reported as saying. No speeches were made."

New York, Oct. 27.-For the dinner give in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan the Hoffman House ballroom was most elaborately decorated. It commenced at 6 o'clock lasting over an hour. William R. Hearst sat at the head of the table. On his right sat Mrs. Bryan and on his left was the Colonel. When the dinner ended the part at once started for the meeting. An enormous crowd had gathered around the Hoff

Mr. Bryan was driven at once to the Broadway meeting, where he addressed the Italian American League.

New York, Oct. 27 .- William J. Bryan arrived at the Grand Central station abo 3.30 p. m. He was met by W. R. Hearst president of the National Association of Democratic clubs, and James W. Oliver chairman of the executive committee of the State Association of Democratic clubs. Mr Bryan's appearance was greeted with cheer ing by large crowds of people. The party

When Mr. Bryan stepped from his can when Mr. Bryan stepped from his can at the station the crowd which had been gathering for two hours crowded down the narrow plank walk alongside the train Police Inspector Harley and Capt. Price had gone down the rear. The rush of the crowd behind bore them down and there was a strangel for the two ways to be compared for the two ways to be compared for the two ways. was a struggle for the two men to keep
the crowd from completely surrounding.

Mr. Bryan as he stepped off the car. In
the meantime the Yale students had pour
ed out of their cars of the forward part
of the train and blocked the narrow walk
so that Mr. Bryan could not pass up
toward the street. There was a struggle
of 15 minutes nearly before the crowd of
shouting students could be forced back and
many of them were roughly handled by
the police. The Yale men were finally
forced back and then formed in line and
led the way on toward the street. There was a struggle for the two men to keep led the way on toward the street. There led the way on toward the street. There an open carriage stood and to this Mr Bryan was escorted. The Yale men strung out ahead of the carriage and following it came a delegation of Democrats for Norwalk, Conn. The crowd that surrounded the carriage could not be kept back by the police and one man clung to the side of the carriage are it was during a way. of the carriage as it was driven away, for some distance, in a vain endeavor to shake hands with Mr. Bryan. He was finally pulled off by a policeman and the carriage passed to the Hoffman House.

# Remains of the Last Victim.

to ket, Mass., Oct. 27.—The body of be fishing steamer Petrel picked up be fishing steamer Petrel picked up body of Thomas Wall. The body was found in the channel near Half Moon shoal, in the vicinity where that of Conrad Goss was found.

# A Son of Edwin Arnold.

New York, Oct. 27.-Julian Tregenna New York, Oct. 27.—Julian Tregenna Biddulph Arnold, the second son of Sir Edwin Arnold, sailed for Europe, a prisoner on the Cunard liner Cambria, today. Arnold was brought here from San Francisco last Wednesday by two Scotland yard detectives. He was charged with the emberdement of large sums of money in bezzlement of large sums of money in London early in the year. Arnold's wife is still in San Francisco.

# Pray Suspected of Crime.

Boston, Oct. 27.-Charles H. Pray, of East Tilton, N. H., 27 years of age, was arrested tonight at No. 7 Laconia street on suspicion of being in some way connected with the murder of Geo. Hurlburt, a farwith the murder of Geo. furiburt, a far-mer, in Belmont, N. H., on the morning of Sept. 20. Pray declares his innocence and will accompany the officers to New Hampshire without extradition papers.

# An Unfortunate Identified.

New York, Oct. 27 .- The budy of the man found floating in the harbor at Portland, Me., during the morning of October 24, has been identified by P. C. Kingsland, of 26 East 61st street, as that of Charles Adams, 55 years old,

## The Great Talkers Still Wax How the Doctor Found Jennie Bosschieter's Foty.

New York, Oct. 28-It is now said in Mr. Bryan's room, where the candidate received Congressman Richardson and several local politicians.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Bunett then left the hotel and walked through the park to the Madison avenue Presbyterian church. When Mr. Bryan first appeared on the street there were few people about but those who were there instantly recognized him and with many a shout followed him to the door of the church.

Yale and Harvard boys who came to New York with Mr. Bryan on Saturday were nized him and with many a shout followed him to the door of the church.

Yale and Harvard boys who came to New York with Mr. Bryan on Saturday were also at church and occupied seats a short distance in front of Mr. Bryan.

Dr. Parkhurst, the pastor was a short with the case:

ion with the case:
"It has been stated that the four men made two calls at my office and that the girl was alive when the carriage first arrived. They came but once and it was then too late to render aid to the unforunate. I am positive of the exact time of their arrival because when the bell ang at the head of the bed I looked at and at the head of the bed indexed at the head of the bed indexed at the clock on the mantel and saw it was I rederiction.

Alexander and paid his was told that there had been an accident made by Re and asked to come at once. Through the tube I asked particulars and was met with he word that the patient was in a car-

arry her in.

"But without further parley I brushed past them and went out to the carriage.

It was a two-seated rig that I had often seen at the Eric depot. I did not see the lackman. There were two men standing the lackman the lackman are the process of the opposition in York county.

Minister to Speak at Musquash. t the curb near the door of the carriage. I knew Campbell by sight. Inside the the curb near the door of the carriage. I knew Campbell by sight. Inside the arriage on a rear seat a young woman year half seated, half lying across the back of the seat. Her head lay sidewise across her breact. I lifted her head and laid it back gently. It was himp and lifeless, the clothing was disarranged, the hair langing about her neck and shoulders. Her waist had been loosened and only the wo top buttons of the waist were buttoned. There was no pulse. The heart beat treest in the Opera House here tonight.

When I climbed into the rig to make to closer examination the four men gather d at the side of the carriage. Their faces were white and they looked a question. The body was cold. Boys, I said to hem, 'I can do nothing; she is dead.' They seemed to draw back and were all ogether when I stepped within the door and left them in conference at the curb. The speakers were John L. Carleton Arthur. There was great enthusiasm, thoroughly in according to the stepped within the door and left them in conference at the curb. t was five minutes after 2 when I return-

d undairs. Dr. Townsend said the men had insisted hat the woman should be taken into his office even after she was pronounced lead. Early the next day he saw the acount of the finding of the body of Jennie

Sosschicter near Wagaraw bridge.

During his examination of the young woman in the carriage it had been too woman in the carriage it had been too bark to distinguish the features and the recumstances of the position of the body with the gash in the back of the head and he fractured skull, reported in the auropsy, added to the mystery.

On Friday afternoon he decided to seek he advice of professional friends who were made acquainted with the full deails. When it appeared that the cores.

ails. When it appeared that the cases vere identical the authorities were notified. Dr. Townsend visited the chief of police and gave the information in his cossession, and the arrests of Sculthorpe, Cerr, McAlister, Death and Campbell fol-

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Miss Emma E. Williams, daughter of Gilbert Williams, of Gagetown, N. B., died at Boston on Monday, the 19th inst., of pur amonia. The body was brought home for burial and was interred in the cemetery at Gagetown on Thursday, 25th inst., the services being conducted by the Rev. Mr. brother and sister of the deceased young lady, accompanied the body from Boston. The many friends of the family join with the relatives of the deceased in their sor-

# Oxford Professor Dead.

London, Oct. 28-The Right Hon, Friedrich Max-Muller, corpus professor of comparative philology at Oxford University, is dead.

# THE SALT EXTRACTED FROM THE JUICES OF

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Marysville, N. B., Oct. 29.—Hon. Andrew G. Blair, minister of railways, addressed a meeting in the interest of the Liberal candidate for York here tonight. There was an immense gathering of people from the town, the surrounding country and 500 came down on a special train from Fredericton.

London, Oct. 27.—A despatch received at the war office from Lord Roberts, dated Pretoria, Friday, Oct. 26, referring to the fighting of General Barton's column with General De Wet's forces, October 25, says: "The British losses were heavier than at first reported. An additional officer and 12 men were killed and three officers and 25 men were wounded. The Boers left 24 dead and 19 wounded on the field and 26 Beers, were made prisoners. Three Roers

Alexander Gibson, sr., occupied the chair Borers were made prisoners. Three Boers who held up their hands in token of surgical and 18 wounder on the held and 26 Boers who held up their hands in token of surgical and 18 wounder on the held and 26 boers. render and then fired on the British were court martialled, convicted and sentenced made by Rev. Dr. McLeod in no gentle fashion. Dr. McLeod has designated the to death. I have confirmed the sentence he word that the patient was in a carriage at the door. It was cold, but I vaited only to don a bath robe and went town stairs. When the door was opened two men whom I knew as George Kerriand Wakter McAlister shoved me aside and quickly stepped inside. Then I was old that a young woman had been hurt and both men declared that they would arry her in.

"But without further parley I brushed past them and went out to the carriage."

The despatch also refers to minor affairs in which the troops of General Kitchener and General Methuen were engaged and to a serious incident between Springfontein and Philippolis, Orange River colony, where 50 cavalrymen were ambushed and captured by the Boers, only seven of the Canada Eastern railway as the price of his support in this election.

In making this statement he was supported by Hon. Mr. Blair, who made a scattered in all directions." residents of this town as the surfs and

Minister to Speak at Musquash.

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At Loch Lomond.

The speakers were Lieut. Col. Tucker, Mr. a patrol of Cape police, with a convoy, John L. Carleton and Mr. Douglas Mc-Arthur. There was a big attendance and great enthus asm, the meeting being thoroughly in accord with the speakers and indicative of the people's choice of Col. Tucker as their representative.

Fredericton, Oct. 29-(Special)-Mr. E. H. McAlpine, of St. John, arrived in the city this morning and will address meetings in this county for a week in the in-terest of Mr. Alexander Gibson, jr.

A Plethora of Candidates.

Ottawa, Oct. 29.—(Special)—Edward operations."

Kidd, of Burritts Rapids, got the Conservative nomination today in Carleton county. Mr. Hodgins, M. P., was turned London, Oct. 29—The solice down. Macleod Steward says he will run as an independent Conservative.

Mr. McKellar got the Liberal nomination some time ago.

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 29—(Special)—H. A. Calvin, Conservative candidate for Frontenac, has declared his approval of the preferential tariff arranged by Hon. Mr. Fielding. He believed he said a mutual preferential tariff impossible of ful-fillment and, in his opinion, the Laurier administration has not gone far enough in its reduction of duties.

Norwich, Ont., Oct. 29-(Special)-The South Oxford Conservatives in convention today, unanimously selected Stephen B. King, of Ingersoll, as their standard bear-

Writ Against Clark Wallace.

Toronto, Oct. 29—(Special)—On behalf of Senator Fulford, of Brockville, a writ of Senator Fulford, of Brockville, a writ against Clarke Wallace, claiming ten thousand dollars, was issued here this morning for alleged slander. The state-ment complained of is the one made by Mr. Wallace at a political meeting at Toronto Junction to the effect that Sen-ator Fulford paid \$50,000 for his senator-abin

ten mines, employing 4,000 men; the Forest Mining Company at Archibald, employing 800 men, who have been on strike since last January; the Green Ridge Coal Company, employing 400 men, and the Clark Tunnel Coal Company, employing 100 men. At all the other mines there was a complete resumption.

The Ontario & Western Company post ed the required amendment to its notices this afternoon. Eight collieries will re-sume work tomorrow. At the Forest (ompany's two collieries at Archibald the men did not resume because the local grievances have not been adjusted. With the exception of these and two collieries that were not in shape to start up, all the mines of the Lackawanna Valley were at work today.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 29—The employes of the Susquehanna Coal Company at Nanticoke were in session all day discussing whether or not they should return to work fered to pay the increase in wages, the same to hold good until April 1, but the officials refused to post the notices or sign an arreement. This evening the emsign an agreement. Into evening the employes took a vote on the question and the majority agreed to accept the terms of the company. All hands will go to work tomorrow.

Sweet m re is nobility's true badge.-

Many St. John Pulpits.

China now prevail here, owing to the fact that Count Von Buelow is known to en-tertain reasonable ideas about Germany's tangible interests therein and much is "What Business has the Preacher in Politics?" was the subject of a sermon by Rev. H. F. Waring in the Brussels street Baptist church last evening. The reverend his influence as imperial chancellor upon gentleman took his text in 2 Timothy, 4-2,

the word was to preach righteousness. Will slowly unravel itself and lead to a The preachers' business is not to botster satisfactory issue without necessitating up the truths of the gospel, but simply any further large amount of actual host tilties or an elaborate strategic campaign. to announce them.

said, "any business in politics? If politics military party is dissatisfied with this is, as some claim, a game of chance, he view. Doubts are still entertained here is, as some claim, a game of chance, he has not; but, if it is the science of social Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching and conduct he has."

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said, will exist in politics as long as those who elect the politicians use it in their

Brussels, Oct. 28.—The Transvaal agency announces that Mr. Kruger will arrive at Marseilles on the Butch cruiser Golderland November 11 or November 12. Mr. Kruger will proceed to The Hague without stopping at Paris, and, after expressing his thanks to Queen Wilhelmina for Dutch hospitality on board the Golderland, he will appeal to the powers to in-tervene in the South African settlement on the basis of article three of The Hague patch from Cape Town to the Daily Mail

"The police," says the correspondent, "were compelled to abandon two Maxims. Ultimately reinforced by the Yeomanry, they succeeded in getting away with the convoy; but they lost seven killed, eleven wounded and 15 captured. The colonials were outnumbered, ten to one, and the engagement lasted two hours.

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many, they succeeded in getting away with the convoy; but they lest seven killed, eleven wounded and 15 captured. The colorials were outnumbered, ten to one, and the engagement lasted two hours.

"The Boers have 15,000 men in the field, nearly half of whom are in the Orange River Colony. These are Idvided into commandoes of some three hundred each, but are capable of combination for large of operations."

War of War Correspondents.

London, Oct. 29—The solicitors of Mr. Winston Churchell have written to the solicitors of the Earl of Rosslyn wheeling in the name of Mr. Churchill, to withdraw or apologize for Mr. Churchill, to Early half captured the court and the solicitors of the Earl is receiving briles was a traitor to self, fellow country in interests. The man who would not keep his hands from giving in the name of Mr. Churchill, to withdraw or apologize for Mr. Churchill, to Early in despatches and letters from South Africa to English newspapers, had libelled British officers and made assentions that were nothing short of falsehoods.

This morning Mr. Churchill writes to the Daily Mall repudain generating the famous cavalry regiments."

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church, preached a very interesting sermon, taking for his subject: "The Qualifications of a Representative and the Responsibility of an Elector." He said the representative must be a man that was honest and faithful, and a man who can London. Oct. 27.—Londoners are having a boisterous holiday, though the City of London Imperial Volunteers did not arrive. The great thoroughfares are filled tonight with immense crowds, singing, dancing and parading to the music of bands. Business, by general consent, will be partially suspended on Monday and the courts will be a reading man; one who is just and well able to form an opinion. be trusted; that he must have good judgment and an education, and he must be a worker. For the

# President Elliot's Opinion of School

Father Point, Oct. 27.—The Dominion line steamer Dominion, having on board 33 invalided Canadians, passed here at 2.15 this afternoon inward. Among the men on the Dominion are Pte. B. Hennessey, Fredericton, N. B.; Pte. W. W. Dondoe, St. John, N. B.; Pte. N. Dorlan, Charlottetown, P. E. L. and Pte. W. O. Swatridge, St. John N. B. all of the Parallo Canadian. Boston, Oct. 27 .- "Some perils in the oublic schools" was the theme discussed at the Massachusetts Schoolmasters' Club St. John, N. B., all of the Royal Canadian F. Edward Cummings, of Harvard Univer- ly routed, 600 of them being slaughtered. sity, and Associate Pastor Edward Everett | On the Eve of an Attack. A Massachusetts Farmer Arrested on a Hale and by President Chas. W. Elliot, of Harvard. President Faunce said in part: Marlboro, Mass., Oct. 28 .- Daniel Fitzperil of all educational work, and that is Cheou.

tered the boy's body, two taking effect directly over the heart, while the others ranged downward to the thigh. A brother of the boy at once carried him in the wagon to the office of Dr. Richardson, who in turn notified Chief of Police Pope, who placed Fitzgerald under arrest. The latter was much excited and is understood to have admitted that in fred the gun but, said he did not in the public school in every election campaign."

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## Good Advice Given From Germany Still Discussing the New Chancellor.

Berlin, Oct. 27-More sober views about

This week's developments in German in-

ernment measures. The agrarian party published several utterances this week informing Count Von Buelow that if he introduces the canal bill afresh, as the

## (From Monday's Daily Telegraph.)

Baptist church last evening. The reverend gentleman took his text in 2 Timothy, 4-2, "Preach the word."

He proceeded to show that to preach the proceeded to show that the proceeded to show that the proceeded to show the preach the proceeded to show the proceeded to show the proceeded to show the proceeded to show the preach the proceeded to show the proceeded to show

o announce them.

"Has a herald of righteousness," he this week, show this belief. Only the

The speaker then without mentioning the alleged latest edict of the Emperor any political party, showed by a discussion of the methods of politicians that there is room for vast improvement, which, he claimed can only be brought about by Christianity. He objected to the use of the word "Cappa gn." which is too sugthe word "Campagn," which is too suggestive of war. The tactics of many politicians are like those of persons who claim that all is fair in love or war. This is ternational politics have plainly demon-strated what enormous difficulties the new chancellor will have to contend with wrong. There is honor in love; there is

sidered.

and overcome to bring about something approximating a harmonious cabinet both for Prussia and the empire and resultant harmonious action in all-important gov-Politicians depend too largely on villification, which is twice cursed. It curses him that villifies, and him that is villified. Their strategy is like that of war, largely deception. Their spoils system, he

North German Gazette promised, they will make war upon him and defeat him.

Authoritatively, the correspondent of the Associated Press learns that the new German tariff schedule does not contain. There was a large congregation at the Douglas avenue Christian church last evening when Rev. J. C. B. Appel preached an eloquent sermon on Christian Citizenship or the Duty of a Christian Voter. Mr. Appel took his text from Mark 12-17: "And Jesus answering, said unto them, render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's, and they marvelled at Him."

The preacher said that the first thing to come up, what was the citizenship in the bought serime to the constant that the first time of the Associated Press learns that the new ing when Rev. J. C. B. Appel preached an eloquent sermon on Christian Citizenship or the Duty of a Christian Voter. Mr. Appel took his text from Mark 12-17: "And Jesus answering, said unto them, trender to Caesar the things that are God's, and they marvelled at Him."

The preacher said that the first thing to come up, what was the citizenship in the pulpit and the consideration of what right a pulpit should have to touch on the matter. The pulpit, he said, has to deal with all that has been left to mankind. The lack of considering these things in the pulpit often results in the government being left to the unrighteous and the Godless. He said that the cleansing power should be used in politics as in all other conditions of of life. In the representative form of government under which we are now living it demands about all that the God-fearing and followers of Christ use their powers of influence left the evil get into powers with a written request to relinquish his

it demands about all that the God-fearing and followers of Christ use their powers of influence lest the evil get into power and the bright prospects of this land be blighted. He touched on the need of Christian watching to guard against all corrupt practices in connection with an election. not urge him to reconsider the resignation It also appears that his parting with th

Rev. C. T. Phillips, the pastor of the church, preached a very interesting sermon, taking for his subject: "The Qualipossible. Earl Li spoke with enthusiasm of the resumption of commercial relations. The impression of the Messagero's correspondent is that Li Chang Hung is fully aware of the disagreement among the al-lies and that this constitutes his strength-

London, Oct. 27-The Chinese minister here, when showed the despatch from Tien Tsin saying information had been received from Japanese sources that the Dowager Empress is seriously ill at Tai Huan Fu, expressed the opinion that her illness referred to a period prior to the court's departure for Tai Huan Fu. The officials of the Chinese embassy understand that the Chinese court is still at Tung Kwan,

Chinese Rout Rebels. London, Oct. 28-A special despatch this afternoon by President W. H. P. Faunce, of Brown University, President between Imperial troops and rebels October 23, and that the rebels were ultimate-

Paris, Oct. 27-According to a despatch of Harvard. President Faunce said in part:
"I do not know about the perils of the
public schools, but I do know about the

"I do not know about the perils of the
ment is preparing to attack 10,000 Boxers
and disbanded regulars southeast of Tung

Mariboro; Mass., Oct. 28.—Damel Fitzgerald, a farmer, was arrested today
charged with shooting his 10-year-old son,
Michael, and will be arraigned on Monday.
The boy is not believed to be dangerously
wounded. The affair occurred this morning at the Fitzgerald farm on the Stowe
road, two miler from this city. According
to the boy's story, he was harnessing the
horse for the purpose of taking his mother
to church when his father came out of the
house and ordered him not to take the
horse away. He had a shotgun in his hands
and without any parleying, so far as can
be learned from the boy's story, he raised
the gun and fired. Some 15 bird shot entered the boy's body, two taking effect directly over the heart, while the others

igreement with Germany," says the Post, she would have been compelled to do so with Russia. This would have been a serious blow to German trade. Germany in her capacity of an honest broker has served Russian interests."

## Russians Report Massacres.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 27.—Despatches from Mukden received at the war office say that proof is at hand that 400 native Christians vere massacred before the Russian occupation. Fifty modern guns, several thousand small calibre rifles and 20,000,000 cartifless have been found. ridges have been found.

A District Mined. St. Petersburg, Oct. 28.-The Russian St. Petersburg, Oct. 28.—The Russian sappers who were employed to dig and destroy the mines at Mukden, official despatches say, found the whole district nined; and it was only the unexpected arrival of the Russians that prevented wholesale destruction. A special commission was appointed to investigate.

The advices also say that the provincial treasurer escaped and that the Chinese querillas had been looting extensively, heir booty including the Manchu throne.

Itherwise There Would Be Trouble. London, Oct. 29.—The St. Petersburg sorrespondent of the Daily Express claims to have authority for the statement that, when peace is restored, Russia will hand

pack to its owners the railway from Tong ou to Niu Chwang. London, Oct. 28.—The Chinese imbrogolio is in a state of stagnation. Shanghai ends renewed rumors that the court from sinan Fu is sending agents to collect funds n the southern and central provinces.

Advices from Pao Ting Fu give harrowing eccounts of the sufferings of missionaries at the hands of Boxers; and it is reported that ten missionaries are still at Cheng

The correspondent of the Morning Post t Pao Ting Fu, wiring Oct. 20th, says:
"The Boxers declare that the provincial treasurer has ordered them to kill all foreigners. He allowed eleven American and four British to be massacred."

## The True Issue.

Sir,—While the ward politicians and anvassers of different grades are strenuusly endeavoring to whatewash their raders and to blacken their opponents, it is well for the sober-minded citizen, intent only on the country's welfare, to almly consider the issues at stake and indeavor to arrive at a just conclusion as o which of the great parties should for he next five years be entrusted with the uanagement of public affairs. A moment's effection will convince hum that the choice is called to make is not a choice beween the present government and an ions might create, but that the preference he is called to express is a preference nce he is called to express is a preference or one of the two great parties now existing—a preference for the party ed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier or he party led by Sir Charles upper. It is quite conceivable that either ir Charles or Sir Wilfred might be unbejectionable personally and that the genral policy of either might be commendible, while the administration of the varius departments was inefficient, extravalant and wasteful, or that legislation was promoted injurous to the peace and prospersions. ant and wasteful, or that legislation was promoted injurous to the peace and prosecuty of the country. It is unfortunate, erhaps, that differences in respect of solicy are not more clearly defined than hey are, but after all no one can be blam-d for this because well defined and im-ortant differences do not exist. There is nd can be no quarrel over Protection ve ree Tade or important tariff reform; there is and can be no quarrel over the and of vigorous development of our own sountry and its resources because both arties are by their acts, committed to dvanced, perhaps too advanced, positions on these directions. The issues of five, en or more years ago are practically dead oday and any attempt to make them ee the great question for decision by the lectorate has reference solely to adminisration. Is the government fairly economical or extravagant and wasteful? Is it in honest, efficient and prudent trustee, in honest, efficient and prudent trustee, in has it forgotten that it is a trustee and treacherously betrayed the trusts it accepted? In answering this question here must be considered the nature and extent of the objections made for it by its predecessor—obligations which, under our system of government, could not be repulated. It will be clearly impossible for any honest critic, having an intelligent any honest critic, having an intelligent rasp of all the facts, to affirm that the government has been either imcompete or dishonest in administration, and it will be equally impossible to affirm that New Brunswick has not been intelligently and carefully looked after by the minister for his section. If we are convinced of this here remains for the electorate of St. John the question whether we will sustain Mr. Blair or allow the New Brunswick governmental consideration, on various grounds, and a careful review of the past five years, in comparison with the years pefore, will convince the fair-minded catto promote its interests for the next parliamentary term is not George E. Foster, but Andrew G. Blair.

# Ship News.

The Furness line steamer Mediana arrived in port Saturday afternoon direct from London. She had a rough voyage and it took 18½ days in the accomplishment. The steamer had some 700 tons of mixed cargo. She began loading at midnight Sunday and will take some 500 standards of deals, some pulp and other cargo. This will be the Mediana's last trip at least under present owners, for she has been said to Francisco. sold to a French concern.

Mr. W. Malcolm Mackay has chartered two steamers for the Cushing Pulp &

Fibre company on time charters, three and the other of six months. American schooner C. R. Flint, Capt. Maxwell, arrived Saturday from Philadel-

and Miner collided in a thick fog in Hal-ifax harbor on Friday. The Miner was badly damaged. It is estimated that the repairs will cost \$1,200. The Lily was only slightly damaged. No one was

Boston, Oct. 28.—The fishing schooner The Anglo-German Agreement.

Berlin, Oct. 28—The Berliner Post publishes today an inspired article devoted to showing that the Anglo-German agreement will in no way interfere with Russia's interests in Manchuria.

"If England had not arrived at an of the anglo-German agreement was hauled off by a tug and towed into T wharf. The schooner is not leaking and is thought to be very slightly damaged.