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Threshing is about over. Miss Hattie Seaman was the guest of Miss M. Russell on Sunday. Mr. Alex. Boyce intends taking down the fence opposite his residence and having an open front. Oscar Goulet paid a flying visit to friends on the 18th Concession on Sunday. While cutting clover St. Russell's team ran away and broke the machine to pieces. Fortunately, no one was hurt.

NORTH ORFORD.

Mrs. Pebbles, of Winnipeg, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hetherington one day last week. D. McPherson was a Highgate visitor on Wednesday. Everybody in this vicinity is preparing for Thameville's great event.



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LUSITANIA MADE SLOW RUN.

Eastbound Voyage Takes Five Days Four Hours—Stokers Blame Coal. Queenstown, Sept. 28.—The Cunard line steamer Lusitania, from New York Sept. 21, arrived here at 3:54 a. m. yesterday, the passage thus occupying 5 days 4 hours and 19 minutes, or 8 hours 25 minutes more than her outward run. The only record broken was that of the Lucania of the same line.

The comparative slowness of the voyage cannot be attributed to fog. On only one day, Monday, was fog entered on the log, and the ship ran 624 miles that day, only six miles below her best day's work. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday a strong northeasterly wind, with a rough sea, was encountered. The American coal was said by the engineers not to have been so satisfactory as the coal used during the westward trip, and the stokehole work was not altogether up to the proper mark. But the confidence of the engineers in the Lusitania's ability to beat all competitors when things are running smoothly is not diminished. The new liner behaved splendidly during the very heavy weather of the last three days of the trip, and the passengers were lavish in their praise of the comfort which they enjoyed on board the vessel.

WHERE WAS THE ERROR.

Conclusion: Find No Fault in Connection With Quebec Bridge. Ottawa, Sept. 28.—The commission which has been making an enquiry into the causes of collapse of the Quebec bridge brought its Canadian findings to an end in Ottawa yesterday afternoon, and go to New York next week.

Mr. Holgate, the chairman, after the last witness had been examined, said: "As far as we have been able to learn, there had been the greatest care taken all along the line to ensure the safety and permanency of the Quebec bridge structure. "The best engineers on the continent prepared the plans and specifications, and a wonderful care and accuracy in carrying them out was shown. "We found absolutely no traces of dishonesty or craft in connection with the construction of the bridge. This seems to be the case of the best engineering brains on the continent and the very best accepted engineering methods being on trial. "As far as the Government's concern, it seems to us that everything is quite regular, and everything was done that should have been done."

Minard's Liniment for Sale Everywhere.

"old boys reunion" and Fair, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1 and 2. Mr. Moore spent Wednesday in Duart.

TOMMY AGAIN.

So you go to school now, said Tommy's uncle. Yes, sir, said Tommy. And what part of the exercises do you like best? Why, the exercises that we get at recess.

JACK WAS THERE.

Jack was very much interested in ships, and one day when the teacher suddenly asked the next boy— "What is a dromedary?" Jack very proudly exclaimed: "I know, teacher! A dromedary's a two-masted camel. Our own heart, and not other men's opinions, forms our true honor."

REFORM HOUSE OF LORDS.

Lord Rosebery Prepared to Outline a Plan.

London, Sept. 30.—Lord Rosebery is chairman of the select committee appointed to consider the reform of the House of Lords. The committee was appointed against the wishes of the Government. It will sit and take evidence for the greater part of the next session.

In his latest public utterance Lord Rosebery has made it quite clear not only that his committee intends to deal fully with the question of a reasonable reform of the Upper House, but that its recommendations will in all probability form the basis of a bill. All the radical headquarters arrangements had been almost completed for commencing the long threatened autumn campaign against the gilded chamber. The crusade promised to be rich in furious assaults against the House of Lords, but the ball had been set rolling in the wrong direction, with the spirited defence of that very position by the man who was formerly Premier, and who is admittedly the most brilliant Liberal statesman of the day.

Lord Rosebery had declared that he was not a House of Lords man, but he certainly is a second chamber man. He has said, "I am from the bottom of my heart and soul convinced by every iota of political life and historical experience that an effective second chamber is necessary."

STRIKE ON LUSITANIA?

Story That Six of the Stokers Were Placed in Irons.

New York, Sept. 30.—The Herald's London cable states: Passengers on the Lusitania, who reached London at 10 o'clock last night, had a great deal to tell about strikes and rumors of strikes which enlivened the voyage across. Last Monday morning a large delegation of strikers, with their faces carefully freed from coal dust and wearing their best clothes, wended their way to the bridge and asked to see the captain.

One of them was received, and complaint was made, it is said, of the quality of food served to the men, and the commander agreed to have the ship's doctor pass upon it. The ship's doctor pronounced it all right, and the men were ordered below. The story went about the ship that some of the men refused to work and that six were put in irons.

HALIFAX POOL RAIDED.

Police Swept Down, Made Many Arrests, Recovered Money.

Halifax, Sept. 30.—The police department sprang a big sensation on Saturday night by raiding Neville's Billiard Hall, where pools on the exhibition were being sold. Chief Powers, accompanied by a body of detectives and sergeants, went to the bowling alleys so quickly that there was no time to get anything out of the way, and they scooped in \$1,247 in money, the books and papers, besides arresting one of the large number present.

This was B. M. Beckwith, a well-known commercial traveler and a prominent sporting man. Included in the booty was \$500 one of those present had won on the 21st. Saturday, Beckwith was released on \$2,000 bail, and will be arraigned in the Police Court this morning. More arrests are likely to follow.

WELL-DRESSED MAN KILLED.

Found Near Track of Aylmer-Hull Railway.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—An unknown man, well-dressed, with a good watch, and about 25 years old, died at the Water Street Hospital yesterday morning.

He was found lying unconscious near the track of the Aylmer-Hull Street Railway line, some four miles from this city, and was brought to the city. His skull was very badly smashed and part of the brains were coming from the wound.

Whether he had fallen from a car, or how he got there, is not known. He was brought to the city from the Hull railway station by a C. P. R. detective, and Dr. V. McKinnon and Dowling attended him at the hospital. Up to 6 o'clock the body had not been identified. Dr. Lyster, the Hull coroner, was notified.

DROPPED SIXTY FEET.

Regina, Sask., Sept. 30.—About one o'clock Saturday afternoon while John McPherson and Mr. Stewart were polishing the brick top of the tower of the new city hall a rope on one side of the scaffold gave way. McPherson was precipitated 60 feet on the stone steps, and died from his injuries. Stewart clung to a rope and was rescued. McPherson was unmarried and had only recently arrived in the city.

Unionists Hold Seat.

London, Sept. 30.—The determined attempt made by the Labor Socialist candidate to capture the seat in the House of Commons for the Kildale division of Liverpool made vacant by the death of David Macdonald, Unionist, resulted in failure, and the outcome of the by-election was that Charles MacArthur, Unionist, secured the seat with a slightly increased majority.

Found Dead on Track.

Hamilton, Sept. 30.—James A. Plant, aged 23, who lived with his grandfather, Joseph A. Plant, of 13 Fisher street, was found dead on the railway tracks near Burlington yesterday morning. A kit of machinist's tools was found near him. His mother lives at Trafalgar, near Oakville, and his father is a manager of a big plant in Oregon.

Killed by Train on Street.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 30.—Mrs. H. C. Munsell and Mrs. Henry Holmes, both of Springfield, Mass., here to attend the Millennial Dawn Tract Society convention, were killed Saturday night on Main street by a Norfolk & Western Railroad shifting train.

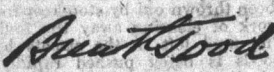
The police had to interfere to prevent Mr. Holmes jumping into the river.

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Rudyard Kipling Arrives.

Quebec, Sept. 28.—Rudyard Kipling, whose prose and verse have charmed the English-speaking world, was a passenger on the Empress of Ireland which arrived in port at a very early hour yesterday morning. It was expected that he would remain in the city for a few days, as the apartments had been reserved for him at the Chateau Frontenac, but at the last moment he decided to proceed west without delay, and, accordingly, left on the O.P.R. special at 8 o'clock for Montreal.

He left his cabin with Mrs. Kipling and crossed the wharf to take the train, which was in waiting just a few hundred feet away, thus almost entirely excluding the possibility of his according an interview on things Canadian.

He wore a dark overcoat and derby hat, and although he is slightly below medium height, there is a magnetism about his personality that instills confidence in his sincerity.

"Yes," he said to a reporter, "I've come to Canada and I expect to be here for several weeks. Your country has undoubtedly made wonderful progress since I was last here ten years ago, and it will indeed be most interesting for me to note as I go through your principal cities what steps you have made in this direction. I have followed closely your doings out here, and it's a great pleasure for me to be among the Canadian people once more."

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Early Baseball Teams.

Baseball teams existed as early as 1845, but the first league was formed in 1857, when the National Association of Baseball Players was organized. This, as the title implies, was an organization of players—in fact, of amateur players for long, however, and in 1871 baseball was placed squarely on a professional basis, when came into existence the National Association of Professional Baseball Players. It will be noted that the players still governed the sport, and they continued to do so until 1876, it was in this period that there grew up the great abuses which menaced the very life of baseball—namely, gambling and the buying and selling of games. In 1876 the players were deposed from the government of professional baseball, and they have never since controlled the game.—Henry Beach Needham in Success Magazine.

Each position has its corresponding duties.

Selections

"SOLID GOLD" IN LAW.

Meaning of a Puzzling Term in the Jewelry Trade.

The term "solid gold" has been the cause of much discussion on the part of manufacturers of gold articles and of much misapprehension on the part of the public for some time past, and the recent law fixing the commercial definition of the phrase is welcomed on all sides.

According to this law, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, 10 carat gold is the commercial "solid gold," and all articles containing more alloy than this or all articles with parts which contain more alloy are henceforth to be known as plated, filled or rolled gold and must be so marked by the manufacturer. For example, a pin with a top of "solid" gold, even to the value of 15 carats, cannot legally be called solid if hinge, hook or pin is not 10 carat gold, while another pin of 10 carats throughout, though of much less intrinsic value than that of 15 carats, is legally "solid gold." This law was made to protect the manufacturing jeweler against the makers and sellers of "phony" jewelry and has been heartily endorsed by the legitimate trade all over the United States.

"It is a law which we have long needed," said a St. Louis wholesale jeweler, "but solid gold is a misnomer, and for one should be very glad to see the term abandoned and the value stamp used in its place. Commercially speaking, there never was such a thing as 'solid gold'—at least not for the last 200 or 300 years. Some of the ancient jewelry of the Roman and the renaissance periods was made of pure gold, worked up by hand with the crudest tools, and that is, of course, of far greater value on account of the purity of the material as well as its quaint and beautiful workmanship and its antiquity than any modern products of the goldsmith's art."

"But alloy has been used to a constantly increasing extent since, because jewelers found that the harder the gold was rendered by good alloy the greater its wearing qualities and the more secure, therefore, the setting of the gems it contained. Our jewelry now is of 18, 14 or 10 carats, according to the design and character of the article, and it is much more frequently 10 than 18."

"The law requires us to mark on the article itself or on the card to which it is attached the exact value of the gold in all the parts, just as the food manufacturers are now obliged to state the ingredients of the package on the label, and a heavy penalty is attached to the use of the words 'solid gold' if any part of the article contains less than 10 carats of gold."

"There is a bill now being prepared to be introduced at the next Congress to abolish the use of this term and substitute the carat stamp for it, and both wholesale and retail jewelers over the country will work hard for its passage. We believe the term is calculated to deceive, even when fully explained. This bill, if passed, will require manufacturers to stamp all gold articles with the number of carats which the article will be allowed for error, but the manufacturer within this limit. This would be a great help to the buying public as well as to us, for then everybody could see at once what he is getting and there would not be so many chances for a comeback at us."

Mushroom Breaks Asphalt Walk. Illustration of the wonderful strength of growing vegetable matter is afforded in a fitting manner by a mushroom brought to the office of the News by T. J. Trustler. The mushroom, which is of the edible kind, grew under the asphalt pavement of the Middle drive. Its strength in growing was sufficient to bulge up the pavement for a radius of more than two inches and finally to break off the hump of asphalt.

Imbedded like a cap in the center of the mass of asphalt is the pileus of the mushroom. This is perfectly formed. The stipe or stem is slender and only slightly bent. The circular piece of asphalt displaced is about four inches in diameter and about an inch and a half thick. The surface is filled with veins and cracks, showing that the asphalt gave way slowly under the gradually increasing pressure of the mushroom beneath.—Indianapolis News.

Future of Aristocracy. That an aristocracy which perpetuates itself and renews itself with all the best blood of the country may be a benefit to a country is proved by the example of England, where the past is always the base of progress. In France the aristocracy, fought by royal politics, decimated by revolutions, exhausted by a new regime, has been reduced to a small number of families. The Duc de Rohan says: "There is no longer an aristocracy; money has killed it."—Paris Vie Heineuse.

The Cure. "How's your wife?" "She's having constant trouble with her head." "Can't the doctor help her?" "No—nobody but the milliner."

A Patriot. "Say, Freddie, what's a patriot?" "Oh, it's one of those fellows who tries to make something out of his country."

All men are equal—till they are found out.

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Cass Chadwick's Condition.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 30.—Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, who is serving a term in the penitentiary for bank wrecking, is in a critical condition. Her doctor says: "I examined Mrs. Chadwick this morning and found her heart very irregular, and her articulation bad. Although her condition is not dangerous, it is not improbable that she may drop off at any minute."

Quebec Bridge Commission. Ottawa, Sept. 30.—The members of the Royal Commission have changed their plans and will not go to New York yet. It is likely they will return to Quebec, where a further examination of the wreck will be made before they cross the line to go to Philadelphia or New York.

Buried \$150. Brockville, Sept. 30.—A woman in Westport lost \$150 in bills, the cold lateral having been placed in a stove for "safe" keeping during the summer months when it was not in use. The loser is a poor woman who has to earn her own living.

Cuban Strike Spreading. Havana, Sept. 30.—The railroad trainmen's strike, which was inaugurated Sept. 28, is spreading. Neither the United nor Western Railroads were able to operate trains on Saturday. The Santiago express, just before entering Havana, was held up by strikers, who attempted to assault the engineer, but the quick arrival of the police reserves dispersed the crowd.

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