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THIRTEENTH YEAR.

OSMAN DIGNA REDIVIVUS.

THE OBT-KILLED MAHDI REAP-PEARS IN THE SOUDAN.
He Occupies Sinak and Has Rained Close to Sinak.—The French Forces in Dahomey.—Col. Doda's Marching Upon the Capital With His Forces.—General Foy's News.

SWAKIN, Egypt, Nov. 3.—Osman Digna, who has been reported dead dozens of times, has reappeared in the Soudan with a number of his followers? He has occupied Sinak and has rained close to this place.
An Egyptian outpost 50 miles from Sinak has been captured.
The friendly tribes fled before the raiders.

STORMING THE CAPITAL.

Continued French Fighting in the Land of the Fighting Amazon.
Paris, Nov. 3.—Col. Doda, commanding the French forces, has telegraphed details of the fighting that took place on Oct. 20 and 21. His despatch says that the French were attacked at Akas by the whole strength of the Dahomeyans.

They were repulsed with heavy loss after two days' fighting.
King Behanzin then desired to come to terms. The French commander, as a preliminary condition, insisted upon the evacuation of the Dahomeyans living along the River Koto. King Behanzin refused, and on Oct. 20 the French column attacked and carried the two lines of entrenchments between Akas and Koto. On Oct. 27 the French captured an important line along the Koto, the strongest fortified position they have yet captured.

The total French loss throughout these battles was 10 killed and 73 wounded. After staying three days on the banks of the Koto Doda advanced along the road to Kana, preparing for his final march to Akas, the capital.

The Dahomeyans, according to unofficial reports, were armed with five Krupp guns and several mitrailleuses, which the French were unable to dismount. Two French officers were killed.

BY THE DOCTORS' ORDERS.

Gladstone Must Attend No Banquets, Not Even the Lord Mayors.
London, Nov. 3.—Mr. Gladstone has written a letter to Mr. Knill announcing his inability to attend the banquet and expressing his regret. His decision not to attend the banquet is due, he says, to the explicit advice of his physician, Sir Andrew Clark, who has insisted for the last seven years that he should be absent from all public banquets, and who will not permit an exception to be made for the present occasion.

In concluding, Mr. Gladstone says: "I must congratulate you on the spirit and success with which you sustained the discussion respecting my function—the principle of religious freedom."

A GRUESOME FIND.

19 Fatiguing (Hampden) Bodies Discovered in Search of a Murderer's House.
St. Petersburg, Nov. 3.—While the police were searching the house of a suspected murderer, they discovered a number of bodies in 19 persons—men, women and children. It is not known whether these persons were murdered or whether the cellar in which they were found had been used as a secret burial place.

LUNACY IN THE GREEN ISLE.

An Enormous Increase During the Past Decade Reported.
London, Nov. 3.—Irish statistics show an enormous increase of lunacy in Ireland. This is attributed partly to emigration, partly to the robust living of the weak and infirm here. In 1881 the proportion was 355 lunatics to every 100,000 of the population, against 249 in 1880.

BASS BREWERS STRIKE.

5000 Go Out Because of a Disagreement About Working Hours.
London, Nov. 3.—The Northumberland colliers have accepted a five per cent. reduction in their wages.
The employees of the Bass Brewery Company struck to-day against new regulations the company has adopted with regard to the working hours. This strike involves 5000 men.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN ENGLAND.

A Bill to be Introduced in the House of Commons.
London, Nov. 3.—At the coming session of Parliament Viscount Wolmer (Liberal-Unionist) will introduce in the House of Commons a woman's suffrage bill which is expected to receive 150 votes.

NEWFOUNDLAND FISHERIES.

The French Government Issues Another Yellow Book on the Subject.
Paris, Nov. 3.—A yellow book on the Newfoundland fisheries dispute between France and England has been issued. It is a sequel to a previous yellow book issued on the same subject. The book issued to-day presents documents in support of the French position. The failure to arbitrate the dispute cannot be charged to the French Government.

LAUGHTER OF THE INNOCENTS.

Seven Dead Infants Found on an Australian Baby Farm.
Sydney, N.S.W., Nov. 3.—A great scandal has been caused by the discovery of a baby farm at McDonald, a town south of this city.
The bodies of seven infants have already been unearthed in the back garden of a house occupied by a family named Makin. The principal members of the family have been arrested.

All Householders May Sue.

London, Nov. 3.—The Constitution Revision Committee of the Chamber of Deputies of Belgium have by a vote of 13 to 4 adopted a clause granting the franchise to householders. The committee yesterday rejected a proposal for general universal suffrage.

London's Latest Jewel Case.

London, Nov. 3.—Another crowd of curious spectators packed the court-room to-day to listen to the closing evidence in the celebrated Leadon-Smith jewel case. Both Mrs. Leadon and Mrs. Smith were accompanied by a group of interested friends. The testimony was not nearly so sensational as on the previous days, and consisted mainly of an attempt to prove the original ownership of the jewel in question.

Protesting Against the Home Rule Bill.

London, Nov. 3.—At a meeting of the North of England Liberal Association to-day a significant demonstration of discontent against Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule policy was made. The meeting decided to send a strong protest to the national Liberal federation.

THE HAND THAT PULLED THE WIRES.

Member of Parliament Gives Some Inside History of Le Caron, the Spy.
His Successful Career.
London, Nov. 3.—There can be no doubt that Thomas Beal, alias Henri Le Caron, is a man who in his time has played many parts, and some of them are not precisely those that are usually ascribed to him. He is a man who has played many parts, and some of them are not precisely those that are usually ascribed to him.

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HIGH-PRICED AFFECTIONS.

Mrs. Church Made to Pay Dear for Her Darling.
A Bradford Jury Gives Mrs. Quick \$4500.
The Little Note That a Careless Husband Let in His Pocket Proved of More Value Than a Lottery Ticket to His Wife.

BRADFORD, Nov. 3.—The jury in the case of Quick v. Church this afternoon returned a verdict of \$2500 for the alienation of the husband's affection and \$2000 for failure to support—\$4500 in all. The case was a novel character and the only one of the kind ever tried in Canada or indeed in England. Mrs. Sarah Jane Quick, a resident of Woodstock and wife of Joseph Quick, formerly foreman in Kara's organ factory, and now first in last had the least suspicion of her husband's infidelity.

He took in the shrewdest and shrewdest members of the Irish Brotherhood from Mr. Gallagher, who was in command of the Irish forces, and was a party to all their plans, and regularly communicated his information to the British authorities. It seems incredible that, as man after man with whom he associated was betrayed, the traitor was never detected by Le Caron.

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PREACHED TO HIS MOOD.

Therefore Dr. Heber Newton Was Not Guilty of Heresy, Say the Commissioners of the Protestant Church.
New York, Nov. 3.—The commission appointed more than 12 months ago by Bishop Potter to investigate charges of heresy against the Rev. Dr. Heber Newton, rector of the Episcopal Church of All Saints, in this city, has reported the charges "not proven."

The commission decided "That the catholicity of the Episcopal Church was brought into question by his mood. The utterances of Dr. Newton must be ascribed to his mood and we trust that he upon consideration, will see his way clear to revoking the utterances in question."

Dr. Newton has been informed of it, and now in the cloud over his head has been removed he has asked his congregation for a 12 months' leave of absence in order that he may have rest and calm.

KILLED BY EATING CHESTNUTS.
Over-Indulgence in the Fruit Carried Off by a Fatal Illness.
Oshawa, Ont., Nov. 3.—Little Ella Mason, daughter of Mr. Charles Mason, was buried this afternoon from her father's residence at Oshawa. Her death, which took place on Tuesday, is supposed to have been caused from over-indulgence in chestnuts.

BIRDIE GOT HER REVOLVER.
It Didn't Prevent the Exposure of Her Husband's Infidelity.
Detroit, Mich., Nov. 3.—Dr. Frederick W. Courtney came here from San Francisco three months ago with his wife and set up a splendid medical practice in one of the fashionable streets. Converts to spiritualism were made rapidly. Selmonless than 20 attended the night sessions, and his income from private sittings was large.

William Cook, a municipal employe in the City Hall, attracted Mrs. Courtney's eyes in the ghostly figure that issued from the cabinet, claiming to be the spirit of his great-grandfather appeared. Cook jumped over the front circle and grabbed the figure. It was Mrs. Courtney, who had been desperate but silent stranger. He was helpless in the arms of Cook, who called loudly for assistance.

Just as that was done Courtney spoke for the first time. He cried: "Birdie! Birdie!" and rushed into the room, whipped out a revolver and was on the point of shooting Cook in the head when she was seized and disarmed.

Courtney confessed that he was a fraud and left the city on a night train.

BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT.
The Suit Against Inspector Archibald For Malicious Prosecution.
Ottawa, Nov. 3.—In the Supreme Court to-day, Justice Archibald v. McLaughlin was taken up. The case is an appeal from the decision of the court below given against Archibald, who is suing for damages for malicious prosecution of David and Margaret McLaughlin, charged with keeping a house of ill-fame.

AFRAID OF GREENLAND.
The Electrician's Crew Demoralized by an Unusually Rough Passage.
St. John's, N.F., Nov. 3.—A series of storms which have ravaged this island region have caused a great deal of damage. The electrician's crew demoralized by an unusually rough passage.

STREET RAILWAY NEWS.
Electric Cars in Yonge-street Next Week—About More Trolley Poles.
McKay & Duke of York City, their owners, ordered the captain to again attempt to reach Greenland, but the crew, they have appealed to the American consul, do as they see fit.

A Hole in Her Hull.
The Mail Mission Auxiliary held its monthly meeting yesterday in Association Hall. In the absence, en route for Europe, of Mrs. Edward Blake, the president, Mrs. Byrne took the chair.

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CANADA MAY NOT BE SCHEDULED.

Satisfactory Reports at Ottawa With Respect to the Plague Pneumonia Scare—Butter and Cheese Shipments.
OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—Advice received here to-day show that the reports from Canada as to the non-existence of plague pneumonia, backed by representations from Messrs. Abbott, Foster and Tupper, are having a good effect, and although the danger is not quite passed and great pressure is being brought to bear on the British Government to schedule Canada it is believed now that this extreme measure will not be resorted to.

Professor Robertson, Dairy Commissioner, is shipping to England this week about 150,000 pounds cheese and 15,000 pounds butter from the Dominion dairy stations at Perth, Ont., Kingston, N.B., and New Perth, P.E.I. These goods will be in simple lots in Liverpool, Manchester and London, and will prove a good advertisement of the excellent quality of the Canadian dairy products.

WITHHOLDING THE ORDER.
More Cases Must Develop Before Canada is Scheduled.
LONDON, Nov. 3.—Herbert Gardner, President of the Board of Agriculture, is not satisfied with the reports of the veterinary surgeons in Canada, and he has written to the Hon. Secretary of State for the Colonies, asking that the order of the High Court of Arbitration will leave this country in a few weeks for Paris, where the court will sit.

ALAN POOL YORICK.
No Wonder the Buffalo Residents Did Not Know Him Well.
BUFFALO, Nov. 3.—While crossing a street near the city line to-day the workmen plowed up skulls and other relics of human anatomy together with metal.

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The Orators of Northern District Banquet at Jackson's Hall.
Jackson's Hall, Yonge and Bloor-streets, was the scene of feasting and much merry-making last night.

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THE BEHRING SEA CASE.

GETTING READY TO CASE FOR THE UNITED STATES.
Secretary Foster and His Assistants Hard at Work Preparing Arguments—No Documents to Be Made Public—Every Thing Will Be Reserved Until After the Award Has Been Made.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The reply to the English counter case in the Behring Sea negotiations is approaching completion at the State Department and will soon be ready for the United States counsel to lay before the arbitrators.

The work of preparing the reply has been going on for some weeks at the State Department under the direct charge of Secretary John W. Foster. The lawyers and clerks who are engaged in the work have been shut up in the large room occupied by John B. Moore when he was Third Assistant Secretary of State, and no one from the outer world has been allowed to enter the room.

The representatives of the United States before the High Court of Arbitration will leave this country in a few weeks for Paris, where the court will sit.

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SIGNALLED "ALL'S WELL."

Pointman Holmes Tells the Story of His Sleep, Which Halted Ten Passengers Down Death's Deceitful.
LONDON, Nov. 3.—Throughout the night men were working upon the debris of the wreckage of the express and goods trains which collided near Think yesterday morning.

The statement that Holmes, the signal man, who had been refused leave of absence by the station master on the night preceding the accident, and that he had fallen asleep and neglected the signals, was confirmed to-day by Holmes himself. The signal man says: "The station master was willing to relieve me, but I was unable to get a substitute. I went on duty protesting that I was unfit to work and soon fell asleep. I forgot the goods train, but directly I was signalled 'all clear' to the express I remembered that the goods train was on the same line. All I could do then was to wait for the crash."

Think, where the calamity occurred, is a little town of about 3000 inhabitants, in the north of England. It is the seat of the manufacture of coarse linen and sailing.

A CRUEL FATE PURSUES THEM.
Survivors of a River Collision Fall Victims to One on Land.
LIVERPOOL, Nov. 3.—During a collision in a fog between a Birkenhead ferryboat and the Eurydice yesterday one person was drowned and several others injured. The ferryboat was carrying the cattle of the Eurydice taking the boat's dock from stem to stern.

CHARGED WITH ABORTION.
Lena Greely Swears Out a Warrant Against Medical Student Large, Who Was Sued for Breach of Promise.
A young medical student named Second Large, living at 211 George-street east, was arrested last night by Detective Duncan on the serious charge of procuring an abortion.

PROHIBITION IN NOVA SCOTIA.
The Legislature to be Asked to Suppress the Sale of Liquor.
HALIFAX, N.S., Nov. 3.—At a prohibition convention at Annapolis, it was unanimously decided to approach the Legislature to-day with a petition for the complete suppression of the liquor traffic. It was stated that the leading liquor firms of the Dominion are not at all deterred by the prohibition which is prohibited by Local Legislatures.

ITS PORK FACTORY AGAIN BURNED.
Aylmer Has Hard Luck With Establishments of This Kind.
AYLMER, Ont., Nov. 3.—This morning about 9 o'clock John Marshall's large pork packing establishment was destroyed by fire, which originated from the office stove upstairs. Mr. Marshall was in Toronto.

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