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"In Tremont street there used to be a stammering college kept by Prof. Graves," says Mr. Guild. "Next door to this college was a flower store. Now Prof. Grave's method was to ask each pupil what phrases he would like to learn to say perfectly. Then the professor would drill the pupil on that one phrase or sentence, and when the stammerer repeated it smoothly a cure was pronounced. Well, one day a friend of mine, who was afflicted with the stuttering habit, decided to patronize the professor. Before he went into the studio, however, he stopped to look in the flower store at some very hand
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WHICH WAS WHICH.

(New York Times.)

Lieut.-Gov. Guild of Massachusetts, who is making many speeches in the present state campaign, delights to tell a stammering story which he declares has its setting in his beloved town of Boston.

"In Tremont street there used to be a stammering college kept by Prof. Graves, "Is shall be able t-t-to be a stammering college kept by Prof. Graves," is also be telled to seasy cr-cryscanth-th-the--m-m-mum before the darn th-thing I-fades!"

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RUSSIA AND CHINA AT WAR.

Fighting Reported in Manchurian Territory.

10,000 Chinese Troops Have Crossed the Border-Russia's Usual

Duplicity.

TIEN TSIN, Nov. 13.—It is reported here that Russian troops marching towards Shan Hai Kwan encountered a force of Imperial Chinese troops and that fighting ensued, the Russians, it is asserted, pretending that the imperial force was a band of Chinese robbers. Altogether over 10,000 Imperial troops have crossed the frontier into Manchuria.

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SEATTLE, Wn., Nov. 13.—A letter
eccived here from Shanghai states
that Russia is constantly changing the
names of her warships to create concusion and uncertainty concerning the
novements of the ships. The same
dids that both Russia and Japan are
actively pushing preparations forward.

"BOBS" HAS PNEUMONIA.

Caught a Chill While Unveiling a Statue - Making Favorable Progress Toward Recovery

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Lady Roberts his morning said that the condition of cord Roberts, the commander-in-chief, was quite satisfactory. That there were no complications and that he was making favorable progress towards revery. Lord Roberts is suffering from meumonia, which developed from a hill contracted at the unveiling of the nemorial to Prince Christian Victor at Windsor last Friday.

TO GROW COTTON IN JAMAICA

KINGSTON, Ja., Nov. 13.—Sir Daniel Morris, the imperial agricultural commissioner to the West Indies, addressed a large gathering of planters yesterday, strongly urging the importance of establishing the cotton industry on an extensive scale in Jamaioa. The address made a deep impression and it is believed that many planters will follow the advice of the imperial commissioner. There is a general movement in the BZritish West Indies towards the supplying of coton to the British markets, so as to make them less dependent upon foreign sources.

(Washington Post.)
M. Linn Bruce was spending a night at an out-of-town hotel last month, and when, upon going up to his room for the night, he left orders with a colored porter in attendance at the desk that he should have an early call, he was greeted with this surprising bit of information:

information:
"Say' boss, I recken you am not
'quainted with dese here modern 'ventions. When you want to be called in
the mawnin' all you'se got to do is just
press the button on the wall by de bed;
den we comes up an calls you."

WIDOW FINDS LOST HORSE IN PARLOR.

Practical Jokers in Westchester County Wreck Furniture in Mrs.

Green's Home.

Green's Home.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Practical jokers, and not daring horse thieves, stole Toby, the last of a stableful of road horses, once the property of Mrs. Mary Green, a widow, last Saturday night. While she was searching the country for miles around, the miscreants led the horse into her parior and left him there to browse upon the carpets and draperles.

The joke almost drove the widow frantic. Her friends and neighbors from Chappaqua to Poughkeepsie sympathize with her and have offered to assist in finding the perpetrators.

frantic. Her friends and neighbors from Chappaqua to Poughkeepsis sympathize with her and have offered to assist in finding the perpetrators. Mrs. Green lives on a large estate about a mile or two from Chappaqua with her son John, who is twenty years of age. She was awakened late Saturday night by loud raps on the door of the barn, which is some distance from the house. Summoning her son, the two with lanterns proceeded through the darkness to the barn. The barn door was open and Toby, the pet of the family, was gone.

"Horse thleves!" gasped Mrs. Green. The tracks of the stolen steed could be plainly discerned in the turf around the barn. Mother and son bravely started out to overtake and capture the abductors of Toby. For a mile to the west of them, whither they believed the tracks in the earth directed them, they pursued the fugitives. Friends and neighbors on the way were aroused from their slumbers and bidden join in the chase.

It was dawn when the widow and her son, both worn out, disconsolate and crushed, returned home. They had seen no sign of the missing steed. To their surprise, the front door of the family homestead was open.

There was an unusual agitation of the parior curtains as they passed into the hall and lighted the lamp. The sudden illumination was followed by a great commotion in the parior. The rattling of heavy feet, like the clatter of hoofs, and the turning over of chairs, tables and bric-a-brac astonished them. Rushing into the dining room, the son almost fainted when he beheld Toby in the centre of the wreckage. Mrs. Green, overloyed at the recovery of her pet and greatly agitated, fell in a faint on the floor.

A STATE OF NATURE.

WILL PART WITH HIS EAR. POLICE SCARE

A German in Hard Luck Sells His Right Ear to a Doctor For \$5,000.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Search by a local physican and surgeon for a human ear of certain shape and size, the owner of which was willing to part with the organ in return for \$5,000, has been concluded. Hundreds of persons applied in answer to the doctor's advertisement. Each was examined and the right man was found in the person of a German restaurant keeper, whose turn of ill-fortune recently had made him ready to sacrifice both ears, if necessary. The man to whom the ear will be transferred, is a wealthy western mine owner.

The German will present himself at the physician's house today to sign an agreement formally relinquishing his right and title to the ear on receipt of the money, and the man will begin a course of training to fit himself for the operation on Tuesday.

PUSSIA THWARTED.

Attempts to Secure Good Winter Port Have So Far Been Utter Failures.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A correspondent of the Times at St. Petersburg says it is admitted in official circles that the policy which led to the occupation of Port Arthur was not worth the expenditure of money and blood which it entailed and that the attempt to secure an ice free port on the Pacific has so far proved a failure. The construction of a huge breakwater at Dalney as a protection against high seas has resulted in making the harbor leebound in winter, the lack of this protection heretofore having evidently prevented the accumulation of ice. Finally, the correspondent says, the opposition of Japan has thwarted the plan to secure an ice free port at Masampao.

MURDERER HANGED.

Edward Hoover Pays the Penalty for the Murder of His Father-

in-law,

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Nov. 13.—Edward Hoover was hanged here early today for the murder of his father-in-law,
Frank Sutton, in Indianapolis less
summer. Sutton and Hoover quarrelled
and Hoover frequently threatened Suttion. Hoover's wite less him because of
his quarrelsome disposition and in a
fight with Sutton over this fact the
latter was shot and killed. Hoover's
sole plea was insanity, but the state
showed that he had been drinking when
the crime was committed. He was orignally sentenced to be hanged Oct. 2,
but the supreme court granted a stay
of execution.

EXPLORER PROBABLY PERISHED

ST. JOHNS, NEd., Nov. 18.—The mail steamer which has just returned here from Labrador, brings no news of the expedition to explore the interior of Labrador, headed by Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., of New York, assistant editor of Outing, which started from Rigolet, Labrador, Aug. 12. All the settlers believed the party perished. A tribe of Montagnais Indians, which has been trapping in the interior, saw nothing of the Hubbard expedition, though the Indians went 150 miles inland.

GREAT STRIKE THREATENED.

BOSTON, Nov. 13.—The board of governors of the National Structural Building Trades' Alliance, at a secret session held in this city have decided that a general strike shall be inaugurated in all the principal building trades of New York, unless the existing difficulties, between the Building Trades. culties between the Building Trades' Employers' Association and the Iron League and the Bridge and Structural Iron Workers are speedily adjusted.

HOCH! DER KAISER.

POTSDAM, Prussia, Nov. 13. — The following bulletin was issued this

morning:

NEW PALACE, Nov. 13.—the healing of his majesty's wound is proceeding in so entirely satisfactory a manner that the next bulletin will be tssued the day after tomorrow.

(Signed) VON LEUTHOLD, SCHMIDT, ILBERG.

A GREAT CANAL LOCK.

(Special to the Star).

PETERBORO, Ont., Nov. 13. — The Trent Valley Canal lift lock, the only one in the world, will be open next week. It will raise a 25,000 bushel barge 65 feet, and wil shorten the time required for the process from an hour and a half to fifteen minutes. It will convey grain to Montreal.

FERROL, Spain, Nov. 12.—Two British steamers arrived here yesterday in a damaged condition and told a strange story of being attacked by 25 Spanish vessels, the crews of which herew stones and fired at them and hen took flight.

(Special to the Star).

KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 13.—Rev. Joseph Forsythe, aged 87 years, died oday. He was formerly emeritus pasor of the Truro, N. S., Anglican hurch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—M. Phil-lipe Bunauvaril-Varilla was received by President Rooswelt this morning as minister pfenipotentiary and envoy-extraordinary of the Republic of Pana-ma,

THE STRIKERS.

Rioting Prevented in Chicago

Today.

Street Gars Run With Police Squad on Each-Angry Mob Attempts No. Violence.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—More rioting was expected in the street car strike today when the news was spread abroad that cars would be started with increased police protection. It was expected that a picked force of police would be aboard each car started and that a heavy detail of patroimen on foot would guard the street railway lines, while at points a few squares apart, patrol wagons would be stationed.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Nov. 13.—Peter Malzi, Sr., one of the oldest citizens of Johnstown, is a prisoner here charged with the murder of his son, Peter Malzi, Jr. From what can be learned, the son was intoxicated at the time he was killed.

The senior Malzi and the younger man became entangled in an altercation. The older man struck the son on the head with a heavy cane and hemorrhage of the brain followed. The father then dragged the dead body of his son, who was 44 years old, to the front door of his house, throwing it into the yard. A wide streak of blood on the floor of the house tells the story.

After a time, the old.

SKEPTICAL.

(Memphic Herald.)

Bishop Potter made an address to the students of the college of the city of New York the day after the election. "The events of the last twenty-four hours," he remarked in the course of his speech, "remind me of an election in Boston a long time ago, when col. Higginson was running for congress. You may have read that Col. Higginson was manifed and which did valiant service in the war.

"I was in Boston on the morning of the election and I met an old negro whom I asked if he were going to vote for Col. Higginson., "No, sah," he replied.

"What," I said, 'not vote for the winner was residued and there is now nothing more to be done but to see if the vaccination on a number of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to charge and the instead and there is now nothing more to be done but to see if the vaccination on a number of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to charge and there is now nothing more to be done but to see if the vaccination on a number of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to the quarantine will not be raised to the unable of the unable of the particular was been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to the quarantine will not be raised to the unique of the unique of the unique of the particular was been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to the unique of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to the unique of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to the unique of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to the unique of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised to the particular was been finished and there is now nothing more to be done the total condition. The duarantine will not be doubt there is now nothing more to be due to be to

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(Washington Post.)

Dr. George F. Shrady tells of a woman whom he characterizes as deserving of some sort of a medal.

"She was afraid that an insidious disease had laid hold of her," said Dr. Shrady, "and she wanted such an examination made as would settle the question. Such an examination, if made by experts, would cost her several hundred dollars.

"So she applied for life insurance amounting to \$100,000. As she is a woman of great wealth and could easily pay the premium on such a large policy, the insurance people sent the physicians to her who made a thorough examination into her health. They reported favorably, and the insurance company was ready to issue the large policy.

"Then the woman her mind at rest."

policy.

"Then the woman, her mind at res regarding her physical condition, calm ly remarked that she had changed he mind and did not want the insurance Clever, eh?"

THE CIDER COUNTIES SOLID.

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(Hamilton Spectator.)

There is a deal of rot being published in the newspapers in the United States about an annexation feeling in Carlada, or a declaration of independance of the Alaska award. There are about 5,000 people living in Hamilton, and we doubt if helf a dozen outside of the newspaper offices, have given five minutes thought or study to the desire. This part of Canada, at last, is loyal to the old flag, and it will take more than a couple of measivittle islands on the ice-bound coast of Alaska to create any dissatisfaction.

VENEZUELAN ARBITRATION.

Hague Tribunal's Session Closed-Long Deliberation Will Precede The Final Decision

THE HAGUE, Nov. 13.—The Venesuelan arbitration tribunal adjourned today size die. The arbitration arguments having been concluded, the court will now consider its decision and will notify those interested of the date of its delivery.

The closing proceedings were brief. Réplying for the United States, Judge Penfield, solicitor of the state department at Washington, maintained that the blockading powers in the protocol of Feb. 13 abandoned all claims for privileged treatment. The United States, he declared, would remain faithful to the cause of arbitration even though the decision rendered is unfavorable to America.

The tribunal announced that complete statements of claims might be deposited with the secretary general up to Dec. 15 inclusive. Solicitor General Finlay, of Great Britain, thanked the court on behalf of all his colleagues and the president, M. Murayieff, expressed his thanks to counsel for their assistance. He said they could depend on the court's best efforts to find a verdict in accordance with the law of equity.

THE COLLECTORSHIP RACE.

Ines, while at points a few squures apart, patrol wagons would be stationed.

Soveral hundred policemen and a dosen patrol wagons were massed at the southern terminus of one of the main lines early in the morning. The wagons started toward the business district leaving squads at intervals along the line where the trouble was feared. Lines of union pickets were thrown about the car barns and the preparations for starting the cars were attended with no excitement. Precautionary measures by the police were aparently much more complete than during the teamsters' strike some months ago. No stones were thrown, but jeers and cat-calls were hurled at the police and trainmen.

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blood on the floor of the house tells the story.

After a time, the old man aroused the neighbors, telling them that his son was dead. The coroner's jury lays the blame for the junior Maizi's death on the father. The parties are all very well known throughout this section.

The work of fumigating the Grand Union Hotel has been finished and there is now nothing more to be done but to see if the vaccination on a number of inmates has been successful. The quarantine will not be raised today. At the isolation hospital the patient, Mary Kelly, is doing nicely.

pited.

"What,' I said, 'not vote for the man who gave your race a great opportunity; who led them in a splendid charge? Isn't it only honorable and chivalrous to vote for him?"

"No, sah,' he replied. Tise not goin' to vote for Col. Higginson. I'se carloads of grain, part of the shipment your dollars.'"

Work has bear. The first winter port freight for the season arrived at the West Side this forenoon and will now be coming in steadily. Today's lot consisted of nine carloads of grain, part of the shipment ordered here to be on hand when required.

Work has been going on at the elevator for the past couple of weeks and it is expected that the machinery will be ready to start by tomorrow.

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Coastwise—Schra. Hattie, Parks, for Port George; O. J. Colwell, Alevander, for Point Wolf: Ida May, Wolf, for River Hebert.

S. S. ST. CROIX. The Eastern line steamer St. Croix is the from Boston and way ports this wening at half past eight o'clock.

The remains of Moses Shaw Hall, who died at Fredericton last Wednesday, arrived here at noon today, and the funeral was held from the Union Depot. Rev. Mr. McIntyre officiated and interment was made in Fernhill Cemetery.

... Word was received at the City Hall today from Mayor White, who is now in New York undergoing treatment, to the effect that he is rapidly improving and expects to leave the hospital in a few days. It will be a little time yet before he returns to St. John.

The girls' basketball team from the Y. M. C. A. will go tomorrow to Rothesay, where they will play the Rothesay girls.

THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 48; lowest temeerature, 36; barometer at noon, 29.98 nobes; wind south, velocity twenty, alles per hour. Cloudy, Forecasts—West to south winds, berming fresh; fine and mild today and a Saturday, Syponsis—No.

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