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TAMMANY CARRIES NEW YORK CITY

Geo. B. McClellan Has a Majority Approximating 70,000.

BIG BILL DEVERY WASN'T IN IT

Pennsylvania and Massachusetts Go Republican, Maryland Democrat.

New York, Nov. 3. — After a remarkable campaign, in which there was united against him nearly all of the newspapers and practically every minister of religion in the city, Geo. B. McClellan, son of the civil war general of that name, was today elected third mayor of the Greater New York, over Seth Low, Fusionist, the present mayor, by the large plurality of about 70,000. Edward M. Grout, was elected comptroller, and Chas. V. Fornes, president of the board of aldermen. These two men were originally on the Fusion ticket and were indorsed by Tammany, whereupon the Fusionists took their names from the Low ballots and nominated other candidates. It was the nomination of Grout and Fornes by Tammany that caused Hugh McLaughlin, the veteran leader of the King's county Democracy, to bolt and declare that he would not support men who were not Democrats. In spite of his defection, however, McClellan, Grout, and Fornes carried King's county. The management of their campaign there was taken over by State Senator Patrick H. McCarren, when McLaughlin refused his aid. A surprise was the little voting for Wm. S. Devery, former chief of police, who ran on an independent ticket, which was given practically no support. The result shows a tremendous change of public sentiment since Low's election two years ago, when he won by 31,632.

At that time he carried all the boroughs but Queen's. His plurality in Manhattan and the Bronx being 56,663, Brooklyn 25,767, and in Richmond 763. In Queen's, Sheppard, Democrat, had a plurality of 561. Today McClellan carried Manhattan and the Bronx by about 58,000 — a gain of 63,000; Brooklyn by about 6,000—a gain of 3,000, and Queen's by about 5,000—a gain of more than four thousand. This makes a total net gain for McClellan of about 103,000, as compared with Sheppard's vote of two years ago. Low carried only one borough.

The result was known early and at 8:15 Mayor Low sent a telegram of congratulation to Col. McClellan, who is at present a member of Congress. He made the following statement:

"I am deeply grateful to my fellow-citizens for their confidence in me. I renew the promises which I made before election. I have no bitterness of feeling for anyone. I shall go at once to Washington to prepare for the extra session, and as soon as the question of Cuban reciprocity is disposed of I shall turn my attention to the affairs of the city. I invite the co-operation of every citizen, whether he supported me or not, and regardless of his politics in the advancement of the city's good. This victory should encourage and unite all Democrats for the presidential contest in 1904."

MURPHY IS HAPPY.

Charles F. Murphy, the leader of Tammany Hall, said: "The figures speak for themselves, and the people have spoken. Of course, we are pleased at the result. It bears out the figures we gave. If the election had been a week further off, the chances are that Devery would have polled a larger vote than Low."

The victory, great as it is, for McClellan, is of more significance to Mr. Murphy, who made up the Democratic ticket, and who managed the campaign. Defeat today would have meant for him deposition from his post as leader of Tammany, with all its powers and opportunities, and the accession to control of another faction. Indeed, plans had been made by certain Independent Democrats—based on the belief that Low would be re-elected—to reorganize the Democracy of the city with Tammany left out. To Mr. McCarren, also, the result meant much, for had McClellan lost, McLaughlin would have been again in control and McCarren and his friends would have had little to hope for.

The carrying of Brooklyn for McClellan caused astonishment, as it was believed the cry of "No red-lights in Brooklyn" would cause an increased vote for Low over there.

The campaign was one of the most interesting in the history of New York city. From the day Mayor Low was renominated, his supporters urged his re-election on the ground that no partisan question was involved, but that every man should vote to uphold the existing administration, because it had given the city a businesslike conduct of affairs, and because it had done much to swamp out the "red light" evil of the east side. It was argued by Fusionist orators that the return of Tammany men to office would mean a "wide open town." Unrestricted lawlessness and the renewed terrors of the infamous "cadet system," by which ignorant girls were forced into lives of shame, their earnings going to men whom they supposed to be their husbands. Mr. McClellan was attacked by the speakers for the Fusionists because, they alleged, he has sold the name his father honored to cloak the designs of evil men. To these statements the Democrats responded with the charge that Lowe's non-partisan claims masked an attempt to secure control of the city in the interest of Governor Odell, that all of the credit for the good business administration was on the Democratic ticket, and that every Democrat should cast his ballot for McClellan in view of the important bearing this city's vote would have on the presidential election next year.

REPUBLICANS CARRY STATE.

Returns from New York State indicate the election of the Republican mayors in Syracuse, Elmira, Plattsburg, Rochester, Albany, Binghampton, Watertown and Oneida, W. T. Coleman defeating Mayor Sheehan for re-election in Elmira. In Oswego, Schenectady and Troy, Democratic mayors were elected.

TENDERLOIN REJOICES

From darkness till long after midnight the Tenderloin was the scene of noisy revel. The vigorous hum which

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George B. McClellan,

Elected Mayor of New York by 70,000 Plurality.

POWERS AGREE TO REFORM SCHEME

Britain, Germany, France and Italy Tell Porte He Must Obey.

Constantinople, Nov. 4.—The British, German, French and Italian ambassadors visited the Porte yesterday and notified the Turkish officials that they were in receipt of instructions from their respective Governments to support the Austro-Russian reform scheme. The Porte strongly objects to the control feature of the reforms.

Orders have been issued for the disbandment of 96 battalions of reserves.

THE KING'S KINDNESS

Offers Canadian Widow Rooms in Kensington Palace.

London, Nov. 4.—The King has offered a suite of rooms at Kensington Palace to Mrs. Kennett Henderson, widow of General Henderson, C. B., of the King's Royal Rifles, who died on the morning of his majesty's coronation. The general had a distinguished career in the Indian Mutiny and China. Mrs. Henderson is a member of a distinguished French-Canadian family.

CHAMBERLAIN INDORSED

Strong Resolution Passed by St John Board of Trade.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 4.—The St. John Board of Trade yesterday, on a motion of James Pender and W. F. Hatheway, unanimously adopted a resolution in favor of "a reciprocal preferential trade system within the empire," and expressing appreciation of the "farseeing and courageous statesmanship" of Mr. Chamberlain as shown by his efforts to introduce this system.

The board also took steps to bring before the Government of Canada the necessity of making St. John one of the national ports of the Dominion.

OCEAN LINER ASHORE

French Vessel Laden With Wine Aground in Lake St. Peter.

Montreal, Nov. 4. — The Finski-Lloyds liner Hektoo, from La Pallice, France, with wines and spirits, ran aground Monday evening in Lake St. Peter. Word was sent here by telephone. Tugs and lighters have been sent to her assistance. While she was coming up the lake the Black Diamond liner Drottning Sophia went by at a faster speed, and the suction drew the vessels together. The contact dented the Hektoo's forward, and in trying to regain her course she grounded. She is not taking water, and the damage is not thought to be serious.

ST. THOMAS WANTS THEM

Will Make an Effort to Secure the Wabash Shops.

St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 4. — A. E. Robins, superintendent of the Buffalo division of the Wabash Railway, and L. J. Ferritor, superintendent here, had a conference with Mayor Maxwell and several of the aldermen yesterday morning relative to the location of division repair shops in this city. Supt. Robins informed the city fathers that several places along the line, including Chatham and Aylmer, had made flattering propositions to the company to locate their shops at the respective points, but he stated that nothing would be done until all had been given a fair hearing. The company intended, he said, to erect shops at an outlay of $100,000, inclusive of machinery, and would employ in the neighborhood of 220 hands.

At the meeting of the city council a committee was appointed to draft a proposition to the company to locate the shops here.

MUST ATTEND DRILLS

A Member of the King's Colonials Undergoes Costly Experience.

London, Nov. 4.—Dr. Anderson, a house physician at Charing Cross Hospital, was yesterday fined £5 for being absent from the training of the King's Colonials. The adjutant said the regiment lost £27 of Government grant by the defendant not being efficient in drills. Dr. Anderson had applied twice to be discharged from the regiment on the ground of overwork at the hospital. He was arrested and marched by the police through the streets.

ENGLISH WERE GIVEN A SCARE

By Canard About Absence of the Union Jack.

FROM AYLESWORTH BANQUET

London Press Applauds the Speech and Stand Taken by the Premier.

London, Nov. 4. — It is not too much to say that Englishmen were paralyzed by the news from Toronto that the banquet to Mr. Aylesworth would be without the Union Jack or the National Anthem, and the cabled dispatches that, at Mr. Aylesworth's own request, these were retained caused a great sigh of relief. Mr. Aylesworth is regarded as a patriot.

The London Mail says it is not surprised at Mr. Aylesworth's suggestion, and adds that Sir Wilfrid Laurier might have allowed the almost universal regret of the empire at the result of the arbitration to be voiced by other than Canadian lips. We congratulate Canada that she has not made small political capital out of the mistake of an individual accident or incident. So long as the spirit which actuated Mr. Aylesworth is abroad, there need be no apprehension as to the outcome of the modern virility and sanity of the British Empire.

The St. James' Gazette styles Mr. Aylesworth's speech at Toronto as conciliatory. The Globe calls it patriotic.

ALL IS QUIET AT THE FALLS

Strikers Return to Work at the Reduced Wage—Another Stabbing Affray.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 4.—Everything is quiet and orderly at the power works this morning. All of the works resumed operations this morning. Most of the laborers returned to their work on the different contracts at $1 50 per day.

The ringleaders that are not locked up have left the country. Chief Mains has sixteen of the head ones in the lockup, and his officers are after two more who are known to have committed acts of violence.

Of course all the works have not as yet got their full complement of men, but they have sufficient to keep them going. Another stabbing affair occurred last night near the clay pit at the Center. The police have the offender located and will soon have him locked up. Col. Cruicksnank considers the trouble all over and expects to dismiss the militia this evening or tomorrow morning.

CITY OF PANAMA BEING SHELLED

Even Chinamen Killed by Shots From Columbian Warship.

Washington, Nov. 4.—United States Vice Consul Ehrman, at Panama, cables the state department under today's date that the Columbian Government warship, Bogota, is shelling the city. Eleven Chinamen have been killed.

Mr. Ehrman has been instructed to protest against the bombardment.

Washington, Nov. 4. — The United States Government this morning received a cablegram from Panama requesting that it recognizes the new government. The officials here as yet yet in ignorance as to what the new government consists of and have taken no action on the request.

If the consul's protest is not sufficient then the commander of the United States steamer Boston, which is on her way to Panama from San Juan Del Sur, will promptly seize the Colombian gunboat, if necessary, to stop the bombardment. This bombardment is in violation of all the rules of war, beginning as it did, without the required notice. Moreover the United States Government takes the ground that it interferes with the freedom of transit across the isthmus which the American Government is treaty bound to maintain. The greatest activity was exhibited in the state and navy departments this morning.

It is quite evident that the navy is making preparations for a larger demonstration in Isthmian waters than it has made for many years.

"You will protect American interests at all points, and do everything possible to avoid bloodshed," is the substance of the instructions cabled by the navy department at the instance of the state department to the naval commanders now at the isthmus or on their way.

DESTRUCTIVE BONFIRE

Built for Fun It Wipes Out Entire Town.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 4.—Despatches received here say the town of Basin, Mont., was yesterday practically destroyed by fire, which started from a bonfire built by some children at play. All the business section has been wiped out, and the fire is still burning. The large concentrator of the Montana Ore Purchasing Company was saved. Loss, $80,000.

WANTS PET DOG IN DEATH

Directs That They Be Cremated and Burned Together.

Quincy, Ill., Nov. 4.—The will of John Moore filed for probate today is a remarkable document. After bequeathing 1,000 each to Blessing Hospital and Woodland Home the testator says:

"My remains are to be cremated, and for that purpose taken to Davenport, Iowa. My pet dog, Honey, who loves me, is to be cremated at the same time, that our ashes may mingle. Put me and my pet into a coffin made of zinc. B. F. Underwood will officiate at my funeral, and if he is not living, some other good liberal will act, for I want no reverend gent holding forth over my remains."

Mr. Underwood preached the funeral sermon as requested.

A SHREWD FRAUD THAT SUCCEEDED

It was Worked by a Frenchman at Montreal.

WITH WORTHLESS $12,000 CHECK

On Strength of It He Was Introduced to Jeweler and Got Away With Diamond Ring.

Montreal, Nov. 4. — One of the shrewdest swindles that has ever been successfully worked in this city has come out by the explosion of a big real estate deal that was to have disposed of the handsome residential property of Mr. John Stewart on the Cote St. Antoine road for $20,000. A young man claiming to be a wealthy Parisian, of the name of Perrault, applied to James Baillie, real estate agent, for a residence on the mountain side, and said that he wanted the very best, as he was about to marry a young lady in one of the first families of the city. A prominent name was given, and the young lady went with the agent to see the property. The young man said that he intended to dispose of all his property in Paris, and would take his wedding trip there for that purpose.

Just before he was to pay $12,000 down on the purchase price of the real estate, he asked for an introduction to a good jewelry establishment. Mr. Baillie took him to Johnston Bros., where a valuable ring was selected. A check on the Bank of Ottawa was given, but when it was presented at the bank for payment, its worthlessness became known. The young man was not to be found, but the ring was discovered in a pawnshop.

EXPLOSION KILLS SIXTEEN MEN

Dynamite and Powder Magazine Blown Up Near New York.

Peekskill, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Sixteen men are reported dead and a number wounded as a result of a series of explosions today on Iona Island, in the Hudson, used by the Government as a storehouse for dynamite and powder. The first explosion occurred shortly before 1 o'clock, and was followed by others for more than an hour, the detonations being heard in this city at 2:30. A telephone call was sent here for every physician available, and all who could be found responded to the call. Beyond the fact that sixteen men are dead and many wounded, no details of the disaster were obtainable at 2:30.

NEW TELEPHONE LINE

C. P. R. Uses Telegraph Wire From Montreal to Ottawa.

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—A new line of telephones has been established between Ottawa and Montreal by the C. P. R., for use in connection with business between the offices in this city and the head offices in Montreal. The line is altogether different from the ordinary one, the company using one of its wires both for telegraphic and telephone purposes. The instruments are of a large type of extra heavy batteries, and insue of them are tickers for telegraphic purposes. The line has just been finished, and greatly facilitates communication, there being none of the delay often experienced in securing long distance connections. The service is largely in the nature of an experiment, and its use may become general on the system.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Tomorrow—Colder With Rain.

London, Wednesday, Nov. 4.

Sun rises..6:56 a.m. Moon rises..5:04 p.m.
Sun sets...5:06 p.m. Moon sets...6:06 a.m.

Toronto, Nov. 3—8 p.m.

The weather has turned somewhat colder in the Northwest Territories, attended by some light local snowfalls. Elsewhere in Canada it has remained fine and very mild.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 46—54; Calgary, 26—42; Qu'Appelle, 38—62; Winnipeg, 34—64; Parry Sound, 34—58; Toronto, 40—70; Ottawa, 38—58; Montreal, 44—56; Quebec, 34—52; Halifax, 34—58.

Wednesday, Nov. 4—8 a.m.

FORECASTS.

Today — Southerly to southwesterly winds, becoming fresh to strong; fine and very mild today.

Thursday—Strong west to north winds; a few showers, but partly fair and turning colder.

Temperatures.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	30	24	Cloudy
Winnipeg	32	32	Clear
Parry Sound	42	36	Cloudy
Toronto	48	46	Clear
Ottawa	42	42	Fair
Montreal	46	46	Fair
Quebec	40	38	Clear
Father Point	42	38	Clear

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather has become milder in the Territories and Manitoba, and continued fine and very mild elsewhere in Canada.

TRIAL OF THE JEW BUTCHERS

Russian Government Will Evade Responsibility.

A SECRET COURT TO BE HELD

Arrangements Made to Prevent Other Than Official Reports Becoming Known.

London, Nov. 4. — Russian correspondents of the Times say it is evident from the arrangements for the Kishineff trial that the Government does not intend to allow any light to be thrown upon its responsibility in connection with the outrages upon the Jews there. No report of the proceedings will reach the public except through official channels, while the judges will all be dependent upon the Government examination of the witnesses, who will be under the influence of the administrative authorities. Although rumors of the impending massacres were current for a fortnight before the outrages, the indictment denies that the massacre was the result of previous organization. The indictment, however, proves that the massacres were not provoked, as M. Plehve, M. Cassini and others have alleged, by the exploitation of the local population by the Jews, since it states that the chief part in the riots was played by the workingmen of the Russian central provinces, where the Jews do not possess domiciliary rights, and therefore could not exploit. The indictment also disposes of M. Plehve's assertion that the immediate cause of the massacre was a blow given by a Jew to a Christian woman. Under these circumstances the trial will be a mere mockery.

DIED AS HE WAS ABOUT TO VOTE

Dr. Angell, Noted Scholar, Succumbs at a New York Polling Booth.

New York, Nov. 4.—The World today says: Determined to vote for Seth Low, though so weak from illness that he could scarcely walk, Dr. Emerson C. Angell, 81 years old, of Brooklyn, died yesterday afternoon while waiting in line to cast his ballot.

Dr. Angell had his coachman drive him to the polling place. He had been there but a few moments when he complained of illness. He tottered and would have fallen had not two policemen held him. Feebly he said: "Give me a ballot and mark it for Seth Low. He will be our next m——"

He gasped and fell back dead.

Apoplexy, it is believed caused death. As a writer and authority on dietetics and hygiene, Dr. Angell is said to have no peer. He was identified with Columbia College when Seth Low graduated.

TRAIN ON EDGE OF THE ABYSS

Marvelous Escape of C. P. R. Train in the Rockies—Engine Plunges Into Gorge.

Nelson, B. C., Nov. 4.—Passengers arriving last night from the coast give details of the marvelous escape of their train from destruction on Sunday night last. Shortly after leaving North Bend, the train, which was crowded with passengers, ran into a big log which had rolled down from the mountain. The engineer stopped the train to ascertain if the engine had been injured by the shock. When stopped the engine and tender were out on a high trestle over a canyon a few feet from the Fraser River. The trainmen had partially got off when the bridge collapsed taking the engine with it into the river. Had it not been for the log the train would have gone with the engine.

The passengers presented an address and diamond locket to the engineer and fireman for their prompt action.

BOY'S THRILLING RIDE

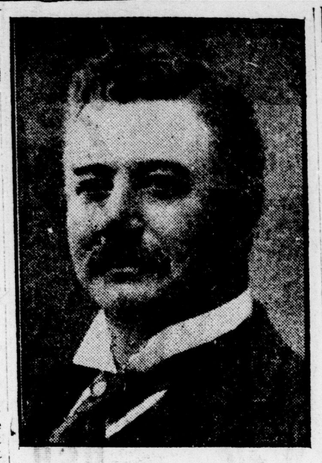
Clung to Freight Until Exhausted—Fell Under Wheels.

Washington, N. J., Nov. 4.—Edward Dougherty, 14 years old, of Oxford Furnace, stole a ride on a Lackawanna passenger train this morning and was put off at Hackettstown. Then he tried to jump on a through freight running 30 miles an hour, missed his footing and hung to an iron rail on the side of one of the cars by his hands eight minutes until the train reached Rockport Crossing, two miles away. There he fell exhausted and the wheels of two cars crushed his left leg, which was afterward amputated.

COMING TO CADADA

Ultra Catholics of Breton Organizing Movement to Settle Here.

London, Nov. 4. — The Times publishes correspondence from Brittany giving particulars of a movement among ultra Catholics in favor of immigration to Canada. A Breton priest, Abbe Lefloch, spent last summer in the Canadian far west examining a suitable locality for immigration because of the enforcement in France of the law of associations.



Seth Low,

The Defeated Fusion Candidate for Mayoralty of New York.

DOCKED HORSES' TAILS

Dastardly Act Reported From Town of Clinton.

Clinton, Ont., Nov. 4. — Someone entered the stable of Rev. J. Kennedy, Methodist minister at Londesboro, and also that of Rev. J. A. Hamilton, Presbyterian minister at the same place, and mutilated the horses by docking the animals' tails and almost stripping them of hair. No reason is known for the dastardly deed, except it be because the ministers named have been active in circulating a petition asking to have local option adopted in the township.

WHAT ENGLAND THINKS

Of the Tammany Gang's Sweeping Victory.

London, Nov. 4.—Such comments as the afternoon papers make on the result of the election in New York yesterday express regret at Tammany's victory.

The Pall Mall Gazette says it gives the world a lesson that "purity is not inherent in a democratic form of government."

The St. James' Gazette bitterly assails Tammany, saying the result "is one which every honest person must deeply lament, and proves how powerless is true opinion to make its weight felt by the machinery of an unscrupulous organization."

Richard Croker telegraphed as follows to the Associated Press: "Wantage, Nov. 4, 1903.—I have nothing to say on the result of the election.—Richard Croker."

MR. CLERGUE IN ENGLAND

Arrived Yesterday to Press Negotiations With Capitalists.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—F. H. Clergue and Mr. Harvey, who are endeavoring to secure capital for the rehabilitation of the Soo works, arrived in England yesterday, according to advices received in Toronto. Their visit to the old land is for the purpose of interviewing the English capitalists who were in Toronto recently, and who paid a visit to the Soo to inspect the works. There seems to be a pretty fair prospect that the mission of Messrs. Clergue and Harvey will be successful, as they had not intended going to England unless the negotiations had made considerable headway.

H. C. Hamilton, solicitor to the Lake Superior Consolidated, is now at the King Edward awaiting information from Mr. Clergue. He had nothing to give out yesterday except that he believed that English capital would eventually be induced to take hold of the enterprise.

KILLED BY GRAND DUKE

German Authorities in a Quandary as to Punishing Him.

Berlin, Nov. 4.—Grand Duke Cyril of Russia, while driving a motor car with the divorced Grand Duchess of Hesse, at Cobourg, yesterday, ran down and killed a coachman of Baron Duengern. The accident has made the grand duke, according to the laws of Germany, liable to thee years' imprisonment, but the authorities are hesitating, not knowing what to do under the circumstances.

Grand Duke Cyril is only three lives removed from the Russian throne, and any action taken against him, it is feared, might arouse the animosity of Russia, which would be a catastrophe, especially at this time, when everything seems favorable for the arrangement of a rapprochement between the two countries as a result of the Czar's visit to Emperor William at Wiesbaden.

KING WILL RIDE

On Advice of Sir Frederick Treves Will Appear in the Row.

London, Nov. 3.—King Edward, on the advice of Sir Frederick Treves, who has become his principal and most trusted physician, has resumed daily horseback exercise, with results most beneficial to his health. He has been riding daily at Newmarket, at Sandringham, and at Wynyard Park, where he has been staying with Lord Londonderry, and it is practically assured that when he returns to town he will ride regularly every day in the Row, as he was wont to do prior to his accession to the throne. True, no other English sovereign has mingled with the fashionable world in Rotten Row on horseback during the season, the late Queen Victoria's equestrian exercise in the earlier part of her reign having been confined to Windsor, Osborne and Balmoral. But there is no reason whatsoever why King Edward should not ride in the Row, and it is now believed that there would be any more danger of his being mobbed or even accosted by people distasteful to him than when he used to ride there daily prior to his accession.

FISCAL FIGHT REACHES CLIMAX

Monster Demonstration For Chamberlain at London.

HAGGARD OPPOSES RETALIATION

The Famous Author Takes the Stump Against the New Policy.

London, Wednesday, Nov. 4.—The tariff crusade will reach its climax tonight in one of the greatest gatherings of the present generation. Bingley Hall, where Mr. Chamberlain speaks, seats 11,000, and is to halls what Hyde Park is to open-air demonstrations. The place is associated with Charles Lamb and Gladstone's famous denunciations of the Turkish atrocities. Bright's jubilee was also celebrated there.

The Leeds Chamber of Commerce yesterday passed a resolution that the time had arrived when it would be wise for the country to modify its fiscal policy, owing to a change having taken place in the relations of the manufacturing powers in the different countries of the world.

The Home Secretary, speaking last night at the annual dinner of the Herne Agricultural Association, said that though always desirous of tightening the bonds of union with the colonies, he believed that in a country situated like the British Isles, and unable to grow the supply of food needed by its people, the cost of living to the working class should not be increased.

The Perkshire and Oxford Chamber of Agriculture passed resolutions yesterday in favor of a reconsideration of the fiscal policy to bind the colonies closer and fight the foreign hostile tariffs.

Lord Armstrong, speaking at Newcastle before the Primrose League, deplored the present fiscal system.

Cambridge University Union has decided in favor of an inquiry into the fiscal policy, by 255 votes to 195.

Mr. John Morley, speaking at Nottingham yesterday, said the A B C of the colonial system was local independence, freedom from Downing street, and the payment of their own expenses, unless it became necessary to defend them from aggression, and then England would spend the last shot in the locker. Protection would mean the subverting of these principles, and retaliation was no finanty.

Rider Haggard, speaking before the Chamber of Agriculture in London today, said the Government programme of retaliatory tariffs against countries which taxed our foods and disallowing the idea of a colonial prefernece meant ruin to agriculture. They should resist this programme to the last. It was "Chamberlain or northing." The meeting broke up amid much cheering and cries of "Good old Chamberlain!"

The Chamber of Commerce will give a consolation luncheon to Lord Goschen, in return for the abandonment of the banquet at Liverpool by the Conservative Club

HE LET MAN DROWN

And Afterwards Learned He Could Have Saved Him.

New York, Nov. 4.—John Siebert, of No. 604 West Fifty-fifth street, accidentally walked off a dock near his home last night. The splash was heard by Captain Aaron Valentine, of the ice boat Alaska, who threw a rope to Siebert. The man, however, was too weak to retain his hold.

Then Valentine got a grappling hook and when Siebert rose again caught the hook in his clothing, dragged the body to a bulkhead and made it fast. Then he went for a policeman.

"Why didn't you pull him out," asked the officer.

"Why I thought he must be dead so I didn't bother."

Siebert was indeed dead, but a Roosevelt Hospital surgeon thought his life could have been saved had Valentine pulled him out.

SYMPOSIUM ON KISSING

Aldermanic Champion of the Habit Flooded With Letters.

Janesville, Wis., Nov. 4. — Edward Connell, the alderman whose championship of public kissing startled his fellow members of the city council, though it was the means of preventing the placing of a ban on "spooning," has received hundreds of letters, both commendatory and denunciatory.

Two were from foundling homes—one in Milwaukee and one in Chicago. They did not express either approval or disapproval, but merely asked his aid in the support of the homes. A Milwaukee girl wrote:

"I am glad to see a man who will stand up for what he believes is right. I have been there myself, and on church as well as school steps. In lieu of a better place these will do."

Windsor's New Library.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 4.—Essig & Co., landscape gardeners, of Detroit, have completed drawings for the grounds around the Windsor public library. The scheme includes the planting of 500 shrubs, besides a number of flower beds.

Bank for Colored People.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 4. — A savings bank for colored people, with a colored woman for its president, began business here today.

It is under the auspices of the colored order of St. Luke, and members of that order from New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland and other states outside of Virginia were present to make deposits. The aggregate of the deposits today was about $75,000.