Particulars of the Awful Holo-

caust at Loon Lake.

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The Mother Badly Burned-A Scene of

Anguish.

Kaladar, Addington county, Oct. 11 .-

The terrible holocaust at Loon Lake

at midnight on Tuesday proves upon

fuller investigation to be even worse

than at first reported, in its awful de-

tails of death and destruction. The statement that six of the children of

Thomas Lindsay perished in the cruel

flames is unhappily verified, and in

addition Mr. Lindsay himself was so

frightfully injured in his frenzied ef-forts to save his children that he will

probably be crippled for life, and may

possibly partially lose his sight, and

Mrs. Lindsay is also suffering from

very painful burns, which will, how-

ever, not prove serious. The names of the six poor victims of the appalling

disaster are as follows: Charlotte

Lindsay, aged 21 years; Paulina Vic-

toria Lindsay, aged 17 years; Rosina Lindsay, aged 13 years; Thomas Adam

Lindsay, aged 8 years; Guy W. Lindsay, aged 5 1-2 years, and Ula Pearl

Lindsay, aged 1 year. These were all

sleeping together in a large bedroom

upstairs, and after the fire was dis-

covered no one heard a cry or a moan

from any one of them, so that it may

be hoped that death came painlessly

by suffocation before the relentless

flames reached them. The other five

members of the family-father, moth-

er, two girls and one little boy, were

sleeping downstairs, and they narrow-ly escaped with their lives. The house,

which was five miles from the nearest

neighbor's, with its entire contents,

was completely consumed, the total

monetary loss being about \$1,000, upon

which there was not a dollar's worth of insurance. The lumbermen, who

were occupying temporary sleeping

quarters in another room upstairs,

dropped from a window and escaped

bedily injury, though they lost every-

thing but the clothes they could snatch

Mrs. Lindsay was aroused by a

noise of cracking and a deep, sullen roar. She started from the bed, and

crying loudly to the others in the room,

rushed through the sitting-room to

the dining-room, when she saw a

bright light shining under the kitchen

her, and he started to open the door,

when he was driven back by the ad-

Lindsay ran to the staircase as his

wife attempted to close the door again,

in her futile efforts receiving the burns

on her hands and wrists from which

In the meantime Lindsay had start-

ed upstairs, but before he could get

fury. Stunned, burned and blinded,

It was a bitterly cold night, and

none of those who had escaped were fully clad. Margaret, the eldest girl,

had gone to bed with a bad attack of

neuralgia, and had lain down without

undressing. The others had snatched

up a few garments, and those they put

on as they stood watching the destruc-

tion of their home. Then when the last

lingering hope had died away the

heart-broken little group sought shel-

ter at the dismantled shanty, while the

men went to the stable and hitched

family, five survivors of eleven, start-

miles over rocks and fallen timber to

Mrs. Lindsay's father's farm, the hus-

band, frenzied with his awful bereave-

ment and the intense agony of his

own injuries, walking the whose dis-

tance, being unable to bear the jolting

of the wagon or the inactivity of the

drive. It was 3 o'clock Wednesday

morning when the little company

reached its destination, and arousing

the startled grandparents, told their

Wednesday afternoon, after the em-

bers had cooled, sympathetic neighbors

made a search of the ruins for the re-

mains of the slaughtered family. The

investigation was minute, but all that

could be recovered was a small hand-

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No Opposition to Be Offered to the British Fleet ifIt Enters the Dardanelles __gas America Threatened Spain?

JOHN REDMOND TALKS. London, Oct. 11.-Mr. John Redmond, M.P., leader of the Parnellite section of the Irish Parliamentary party, has issued a manifesto, in which he attacks the Liberals and Anti-Parnellites, and appeals to Irishmen for political and financial support for the Parnellites.

FRANCE'S NEW CONQUEST. Paris, Oct. 10.—It is semi-officially announced that a religious protectorate will be established by France over the Island of Madagascar, assuring to France the preponderence of the enire administration. The Queen, Ranavalona III., will be retained, but the Prime Minister, her husband, Rainilaiarivony, will be transported.

SENSATION IN SPAIN. Madrid, Oct. 11 .- It is stated on the best of authority that the Government of the United States has notified the Spanish Minister at Washington, Senor Depuy De Lome, that there is a necessity that Spain should act promptly in her efforts to crush the insurrection in Cuba. The news has caused quite sensation here.

THE CUBAN REVOLUTION. Madrid, Oct. 11.—Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish Prime Minister, says that if the 25,000 troops destined for Cuba are not sufficient, 12,000 more will be immediately dispatched. The Cabinet has signed a loan of \$15,000,000 with the Banque de Paris wholly for Cuban expenses. One-third of the loan is payable between Nov. 1 and 10, and the remaining installments will be paid in December and February.

MRS. LANGTRY'S JEWELS. London, Oct. 10. - Some of the sapphires and rubies which formed part of the door. Her husband was close behind jewelry belonging to Mrs. Langtry, which was obtained by means of a respondent declares that the powers screamed the agonized mother, and on Aug. 24 last, have been discovered in the possession of a firm of merchants, in business on Hatton Garden, this city, to whom they had been sold. The stolen jewels have been estimated

she is suffering, while the hair was to value from \$100,000 to \$200,000. COREA'S QUEEN KILLED. Yokohama, Oct. 11.—Count Koumura, | Says He Never Murdered Blanche Ladirector of the political bureau, has more than half way up the flames burge around him in a perfect hurricane of forwarded from Seoul, the capital of Corea, a report upon the recent uprishe fell backwards to the ground and ing there. - It is now supposed that groped his way for the door. It was the Queen of Corea was killed by the not until Mrs. Lindsay met her husanti-reformers, who, headed by Tai band outside that she learned the Ron Kin, the king's father and leader awful fact of his failure, and at alof that party, forced an entrance into most the same moment the roof crashthe palace at the head of an armed ed in, and the entire structure became force, which caused the Japanese a seething furnace. To attempt to troops to take possession of and guard describe that moment of supreme anthat building to restore order.

BRITAIN VS. RUSSIA. Berlin, Oct. 10 .- The Kreuz Zeitung has a dispatch from Constantinople which says that the Armenian controversy bids fair to become the starting point of a struggle between Great Britain and Russia for paramount influence in the Bosphorus. It is not impossible that Said Pasha will be recalled to his old position of Grand Vizier. Russian diplomacy is now trying solely to secure the removal of Grand Vizier Kiamil Pasha, to which up the team. Then the poor remnants Russia will even support Turkey of that erstwhile happy and united against Great Britain. ed on their dreary journey of eight

THE POPE LIKES CLEVELAND. Rome, Oct. 10 .- The Pope today received in audience the United States Minister to Austria, the Hon. Bartlett Tripp, and congratulated him upon the complete freedom of Catholics in the United States. His Holiness referred to the coming elevation of Mgr. Satolli, the apostolic delegate in the United States, to the cardinalate, and inquired concerning the health of Presdent Cleveland, for whom the Pope expressed warm regard. His Holiness appeared to be enjoying excellent

CHINA AND JAPAN. London, Oct. 11.-A dispatch from Shanghai says that Admiral Buller, commanding the British fleet, will return to Foo Chow on board the dispatch boat Alacrity today, the Viceroy having assumed an attitude of defiance.

It is stated at St. Petersburg that Japan has agreed that the supplementary indemnity to be paid her by China for the evacuation of the Liao Tung peninsula shall be reduced to 30,000,000 taels, the evacuation to take place within three months of the payment of the indemnity. China has agreed to pay very shortly to the Japanese Minister in London 50,000,000 taels, the first installment of the war indemnity.

TURKEY MUST YIELD. Constantinople, Oct. 11.-The belief prevails among foreign residents that Great Britain intends to persist in her demands, even though the other powers should declare themselves as satisfied with the concessions the Porte has announced as being willing to make.

The plan of the ambassadors to have their dragomans assist in procuring the evacuation of the churches by the refugees was put into effect last night, and the churches were evacuated in their presence, the Government having positively guaranteed that the re-fugees should not be molested. Thus one of the incitements to further trouble has been removed. A Constantinople dispatch to the

shall be offered to the British squadron if it essays to pass the Dardanelles. TWO SIDES TO A STORY. Paris. Oct. 11.-The Autorie men-

Berlin Tageblatt says that the Sultan

has given orders that no resistance

STUARTS, MOSS & ROSS—BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc. Offices, London, Strathroy and Glencoe. ALEX. STUART, DUNCAN C. ROSS, LLB., W. D. MOSS, DUNCAN STUART. London offices, corner Dundas and Richmond; Glencoe, Main street. tions rumors which it says are traceable to the War Office, that dispatches from Antananarivo are being withheld from the public to the effect that | gist has none in stock, get his to pro-Gen. Duchesne, commanding the cure it for you.

French expedition in Madagascar, was compelled to treat with the Hova Gov-ernment in consequence of his having arrived before the capital totally with-out provisions, and having learned that the natives would burn the city and ravish the country if the French would

not come to terms. The War Office has received a disratch from Andriba, under date of Oct. stating that Antananarivo, the capital of Madagascar, has made peace ital of Madagascar, was taken by the French troops on Sept. 30. This dispatch further says that the Queen condadagascar has made peace with the French, and Gen. Metzin has been nominated as Governor of Antananarivo.

TERRIBLE TORTURES. London, Oct. 11.-The Pall Mall Gazette publishes a second letter from

its correspondent in Kucheng, detailing the difficulties attending communication with Foo Chow, and describing the trial of a prisoner implicated in the outrages upon missionaries. When the court is ready, the writer says, the accused man is brought in

handcuffed. He has the wild and ghastly look of a starved man, which he really is. The prisoner opens the proceedings by swearing that he was nowhere near the scene of the massacre, and then the first torture begins. The man is first compelled to kneel with his bare knees upon a coil of chain. His head is dragged back and his pigtail is fastened to a rack high above his head . A pole is then thrust across his legs, and two soldiers stand on each end of it, crushing the poor wretch's knees into the coil of chain. The British consul could not stand the method of extracting the testimony and insisted that it be stopped. This was done as far as the proceedings in the court room were concerned, but for an hour afterwards the shrieks of tortured prisoners could be heard coming from an adjacent room, where the torture was continued.

When the magistrates wanted to hear the confession of a tortured man, the prisoner was brought back into the court room. If he held back his sumption of his torture. This was usually sufficient to cause the prisoner to tell all he knew, rather than return to the torture chamber. Beoners were beaten with bamboo sticks until their yells were most horrible to hear. One prisoner appeared in the court room unable to walk from the beating he had received, because his knees had been broken by the chain links and his thighs had been lacerated | ple. by the strokes of the bamboo rods. In the midst of such misery, cakes, fruit, tea and wines were served and partaken of by the native officials, who could not understand why the foreigners present pushed these delicacies aside, refusing to touch them. The corsays, lies at the door of corrupt officials.

DURRANT DENIES IT.

mont-In the Witness Box. San Francisco, Oct. 11.—Theodore Durrant, charged with the murder of Blanche Lamont in the tower of Emanuel Church, took the stand yesterday in his own defense. He adhered closely to the line of defense mapped out by his counsel. His direct testimony had a tendency to strengthen his case. Questions that would ordinarilly cause a visible impression on a guilty man were answered by Durrant with the utmost unconcern. Even when Attorney Duprey asked him if he murdered or participated in the murdering of Blanche Lamont, the prisoner coolly replied in the negative. He said he merely met Blanche Lamont on the street that day and escorted her to her school. He said he was born in Toronto on April 24, 1871.

THE HOLMES CASE AGAIN. New York, Oct. 11.—A Herald special from Philadelphia says: "Detective Frank Geyer, who discovered the bodies of the murdered Pietzel children in Toronto, and another in Indianapolis, started yesterday for Cincinnati, Indianapolis and other points to pick up a few threads in the case which District Attorney Graham is weaving about H. H. Holmes, who is to be put on trial here on Oct. 28 on the charge of killing Benjamin F. Pietzel. Mrs. Pietzel will be here soon with her two remaining children. Mrs. Howard, the third living wife of Holmes, is in constant communication with the officers of the commonwealth. The head of B. F. Pietzel will be offered in evidence as a means of identification.

THE CONGREGATIONAL UNION. Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 11.-The second day's session of the National Council of the Congregational Churches of the United States took on an international aspect when delegates were welcomed from unions of England and Wales Canada. Rev. Geo. S. Barrett was the English representative, and when he began his address he received an ovation. He spoke of the reception tendeed and said that the English Union sent its greeting. The American Church had sprung from England, but the child had outgown the parent. Mr. Barrett discussed the situation in the English church, saying that the rise of the sacerdotal movement was the main difficulty. Addresses were made by Revs. E. M. Hill, John Morton, representing the Canadian Union. Moderator Dingley made a response in behalf of the council, saying that while they lived under different earthly flags, they worked under the one Christly banner of love, respect and

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have more money than others. Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during leep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your drug-

Three Crowded Meetings Held in Brockville.

Extraordinary Enthusiasm for the Popular Leader.

His Views Favorably Commented On by Liberal and Conservative Alike.

Brockville, Oct. 11.-Enthusiastic, genial and cordial as were the demonstrations in honor of Hon. Wilfrid Laurier at Morrisburg and Prescott, truth compels the statement that even greater than these was the reception accorded the Liberal leader by the people of the Island City Thursday. The Liberal leader, accompanied by Hon. G. W. Ross, F. T. Frost (Smith's Falls), John Carruthers (Liberal candidate for Grenville) and others, reached Brockville by boat at noon from Prescott. A procession headed by two bands was formed and marched through the principal streets, after which meetings were held. So eager were the people of all political faiths to see and hear the distinguished statesman, and those accompanying him, that it was necessary to hold

three large meetings. In eloquent, convincing language Mr. Laurier presented the platform upon which the Liberal party is appealing to the favor of the people, and vigorously denounced the policy and administration of the Government. Its course in dealing with the Manitoba school question received his condemnation. As to his own view of the subject, he made a clear, frank, straightforwad statement, demanding that the Government should ascertain the facts and confession he was threatened with re- then act according to them. That the meetings before which he so expressed himself indorsed his position as a strong and reasonable one was evidenced by the demonstration of ap-

sides the torture described, the pris- proval that his utterances produced. Attorney-General Longley-of Nova Scotia made a short but pointed speech, in which he spoke strongly against existing combines in Canada under the N. P. He advocated free: government of the people, by the peo-

Other speakers were Mr. Frank T. Frost, of Smith's Falls, and Mr. James Cummings, the Liberal candidate in Brockville, and John White, M. P. for

Megantic. AS VIEWED BY CONSERVATIVES. An Ottawa dispatch says: Mr. Laurier's attitude on the Manitoba school forged order from the Sloan street branch of the Union Bank of London, ture, reaching the mandarin as at Morrisburg and Prescott, is right in ture, reaching the mandarin as at Morrisburg and Prescott, is right in promptly as the man who works in the estimation of nearly everybody the field. The whole business, he here on both sides of politics. Conservatives are not backward in saving that they quite approve of an investigation of the circumstances of the case by means of a commission. The Conservative Journal's reporter in Prescott states that Conservatives there were much struck by Mr. Laurier's attitude, and declared their sentiments in the hearing of the reporter. Mr. Laurier's progress through Ontario is the topic of the hour.

A WATER FAMINE.

'Tis Causing Ruin in Four States-Navigation Stopped and Men Idle.

Pittsburg, Oct. 11.-For two months a severely felt drought has reigned west of the Allegheny mountains. The drought extends over Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, almost the entire State of Ohio and in parts of Indiana. Since April 6, owing to shallow water in

the Monongahela river, not a bushel of coal has passed south and 8,000 miners in the river pits are idle. All the boats are looded and 20,000,000 bushels of coal are waiting. Railroads are being forced to haul water for their engines. The Ohio river is so low at East Liverpool that the water pipes are almost empty. Nine-tenths of the small towns have strictly limited the consumption of water. A large number of towns have cut off shops and mills, forcing them to resort to artesian wells. In Lawrence, Mercer and adjoining counties farmers are selling their stock because of the difficulty in keeping cattle watered.

In all the oil fields surrounding Pittsburg the work of drilling new wells has been so greatly interfered with as to cause a practically complete suspension of operations.

THE BUSINESS OUILOOK. State of Trade in Canada as Reported by Dun & Co.

Toronto, Oct. 11 .- R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly statement of trade in Canada says: Montreal advices do not indicate any special change in the trade situation since a week ago. For raw wools there is a better demands stimulated by the strong conditions abroad. Fine grades of butter are more active, at stiffer prices, but cheese does not advance. Mill agents have again issued notice of further advance in shirtings, tickings, denims, flannelettes, ginghams, cottonades, carpet warp, etc. Some of the woolen mills also announce an advance in tweeds and flannels. In sugars the market shows a strong upward move, two distinct advances of an eighth of a cent each having been es-

tablished within the week. The condition of wholesale trade at Toronto is somewhat improved, and the general feeling is one of confidence. Prices of the leading staples are very strong. The notable change this week is the advance in sugars, which is thought to be legitimate. The metal market is very firm, with business fairly satisfactory. There is a moderate demand for wheat from millers, and prices are relatively firm. Offerings are restricted, farmers being inclined to hold for higher prices. The movement in Manitoba wheat is only limited by railway facilities. Stocks at Port Arthur and Fort William are increasing fast. Money is easy, with supplies ample. Call loans are unchanged, at our to four and a half per cent. Speculation in Canadian securities is only moderate, and the market is rather unsettled. Declines are noted in the leading speculative

The failures of the week are 52, as against 43 for the corresponding week of last year.

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Thirty-five additional locomotives have been ordered for the C. P. R. freight service between Winnipeg and Fort William. Wheat shipments are going out at the rate of 200 cars daily.