LONDON, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1901.

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on the form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

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FRED. GELINAS,

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DEFENSE COMPLETES MEDICAL TESTIMONY!

"I Think That He Gave Too Good a Story," Was Toronto Expert's Opinion of Herbert's Evidence.

-Convenient to exposition. Prices moderate. Address Mrs. J. V. Lock-wood, 281 Fifteenth street, Buffalo, N.Y. Crown Wrings Admission From Opposing Witness Who Haa Examined the Barn That There May Have Been Foul Play--- Lay Witnesses on the Stand Today.

> ging the Sifton murder trial is gradually nearing its close. Few will be sorry when the last scene has ended. save the morbid-minded members of the public, who find in a fellow-being's struggle for life a matter of curiosity and an opportunity to kill a few hours. Judge, lawyers, court officials, press men, all are thoroughly weary of the trial; while as for the unhappy man in the dock, no one but himself can realize how ardently he longs for the moment when his fate will be deter-

mined and his suspense ended. The defense yesterday put in the last of its medical evidence, and today there remains the lay evidence to be entered. The opinion is freely expressed that the whole of the medical testimony on both sides might have been the outcome of the case. While no one the medical men in the expression of find hay and chaff in the hair. their respective opinions, yet the unanimity with which the crown's doctors swore to one set of statements, finished. Mr. Riddell arose and asked and the unanimity and alacrity with which the defense's medical men advanced diametrically opposed opinions cannot fail to shake the faith of the ness public in the value of expert evidence

Tuesday Afternoon.

DR. JAMES SUTTON. Dr. James Sutton, of Clandebove. ham. Dr. Sutton's evidence was corroborative of that of the preceding

After seven days of wearisome drag- | true, he thought the skull would have |

Dr. P. L. Graham, of Lobo village, swore that he was at the Sifton house on Saturday last, and examined the ladder in the barn. Witness said his own height was about six feet. Standing on the lowest step of the ladder his chin was level with the floor of the barn. On the second step his breast was level with the floor. Witness weighs about 165 pounds, about six feet high, and is therefore similar in build to Joseph Sifton. There was a casing about ten inches deep around the trap hole. Witness stood on the ladder and tried to adjust his head so

corner of the trap, but was unable to This is the manner in which the crown seeks to prove that the abrasions behind the ears of Joseph Sifton

as to touch the mastoid bones to the

were created .. discarded without seriously affecting story with the condition of the skull. ical men. Under the circumstances, to the Dominion, says: "What is to Witness thought the injuries quite condoubts the good faith and sincerity of were true, witness would expect to sistent with a fall. If Herbert's story

> Mr. Johnston's cross-examination "And you came to the conclusion that there had been foul play?" "No, I didn't do that," said the wit-

A STARTLING QUESTION.

"After you examined the place on Saturday, did you come to the conclusion there had been foul play?" re-"I couldn't come to any conclusion whether there was or not.'

"I DON'T REMEMBER,"

was the witness' answer. "I am informed," continued counsel "that after examining that place on Saturday you said you hadn't the slightest doubt but that there was foul

thought it was foul play; but the man could never have been killed in the way it was described." Mr. Riddell asked that, if Sifton, when first struck, fell to the southwest corner, would that not abrade the right mastoid. Then, if the body was caught by the coat collar and pulled to the opposite corner, would not that abrade the left side? Witness thought it almost impossible.

THE JUDGE PROTESTS. "Is this going to be the same thing over and over?" asked his lordship, Mr. Johnston called for another medical man. "No, my lord," said Mr. Johnston.

I would not like to curtail my medical evidence.' His lordship said he did not wish to curtail Mr. Johnston's evidence, but

there should be a stop somewhere.

DR. JOHN GUNN. The evidence of Dr. John Gunn, of Ailsa Craig, was a repetition of that of his predecessors. Herbert's story did not agree with the condition of the skull, and the injuries were consistent with fall. Dr. J. McWilliams, of Thamesford, who followed, gave the same evidence. Both witstory was the force of blows as de-

DR. H. A. STEVENSON. Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson, of London, next ascended the stand. He had been present at the post-mortem on behalf of the defense. Witness considered that if Herbert's story were true, the

[Continued on page 2.1 for some time. The joy of this good news affected Fell's heart and caused

BRIGANDS BECOMING IMPATIENT

Miss Stone's Ransom Must Be Ready by Oct. 8.

Against Importation of Contract Laborers.

Understand Each Other-Britain and Turkey Will Act Together for the Pcace of Koweit.

one of the oldest merchants in this Constantinople, Oct. 2.-The brigands who carried off Miss Helen H. Standard. These threaten to culminate Stone, the American missionary, and in rebellion. The situation is very Auburn, N. Y., Oct. 2 .- By the exher companion, Madame Tailka, a grave, and the local authorities have been ordered to raise troops and to Bulgarian lady, have fixed Oct. 8 as place the districts in a state of dethe limit of time for the payment of fense. ly killed and his remains were roast- the limit of time for the payment of ed in the barn, which instantly took the \$110,000 ransom demanded for Miss Stone's release. The hiding place of the brigands has not yet been discovered, and the delay accorded by the abductors is taken to indicate that they consider their retreat quite secure. was found drowned in the Tay Canal

last night. It is supposed that he fell DETAILS OF THE CAPTURE. A detailed account of the capture of Miss Stone has been received in a let-ter from Mrs. H. C. Haskell, of Samokoy, Bulgaria, to a relative here, says a Kansas City dispatch. The letter says Miss Stone had been hearing her usual summer school for Bible workers at Bansko, Macedonia. On Sept .3 a party of six students from the collegiate institute at Samokov, three or four Bulgarian teachers with Mr. and Mrs. Tsilka, who had spent several years in America; Mrs. Chschera and Miss Stone started for Djumiak, a 12hours' travel. From there they were to go to their different homes. At 4:30 Good News Was Too Much for Samuel B. o'clock this afternoon, as they were resting in the mountains, Miss Stone and Mrs. Tsilka being on horseback,

and the rest on foot, they were surrounded by 30 or 40 armed men. These men were dressed in Turkish costume, but were disguised. They or-dered the party to march, and drove climbing the stairs. The deceased was probably kill them. She did not speak chief ranger of Court Bagley, No. 517, of capture, as it is almost unheard of I. O. F. He leaves a wife and four for brigands to take women. After going an hour's distance the brigands at the ferry landing by a man named stopped an manded their money. Lewis that he had \$10,000 to put into the They took gold they had and refurniture business at Marquette, Mich., turned the silver.

When this was done one of them said

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to Miss Stone: "We want you." and ordered her and Mrs. Tsilka to go with them. She made no remonstrance, Mr. Tsilka made a move to follow his wife. but they forced him back. A part of the brigands kept watch on those that remained to keep them from hurrying to inform the government, but next

morning let them go. The brigands murdered one of the party before the eyes of the captives to get his horse. They took this animal as well as the horses ridden by

"I don't think I said that. I said I Miss Stone and Mrs. Tsilka. The students came to Samekov, and wired Dr. House at Salonika, Miss Stone's station. He immediately went to the American consul and also telegraphed Consul-General Dickinson. who knew Miss Stone. Then the news spread over Bulgaria like a flash, for Miss Stone was widely known and

QUESTION OF IMMIGRATION. Melbourne, Oct. 2.-The House of Representatives today adopted a clause of the immigration bill prohibiting the entry into the commonwealth of any one under contract to do manu-

London, Oct. 2.-The Daily News be the future? Canada is one of the biggest questions that face the British today. Unhappily, English immigration, never very large, has very much declined in the last few years. Canada has even lost in population, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier allowed recruiting officers for the South African constabulary to draw from the homes of Canada's precious settlers in the Northwest."

TURKEY'S SITUATION.

London, Oct. 2.-The Times publishes the following dispatch from its Connesses admitted to Mr. Riddell that stantinople correspondent: "The retheir reason for disbelieving Herbert's ports received at all the embassies and legations here from consuls in the provinces depict a situation everywhere so deplorable that an ambassadorial conference and collective action are contemplated.'

> Turkey will in the future act together to preserve the peace at Koweit. Turkey secures a position which it did not formerly possess.
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> The Ameer of Nejd is said to have been threatening to attack Koweit, but the presence to the British gun-

It is reported that an agreement has

been arrived at by which Britain and

boats in the harbor has caused him to abandon his intention.

NEW FRENCH GUN. It has transpired that during the last part of the French maneuvers the czar was greatly struck by the French artillery and the ease with which it was brought into action. At the request of his majesty the 75-gun, which was only recently turned out from Poteaux works, was brought up, and the czar put a multitude of questions as to the mechanism of the gun. The lieutenant in charge returned very precise and clear answers and took to pieces certain parts of the cannon and demonstrated the working. Finally, by the emperor's desire, the gun was fired. "Why, there's no recoil at all," the

czar is reported to have exclaimed.

RUSSIAN CROPS. The official returns as to the crops in Russia for the present year show 650,-000,000 poods of oats and 1,100,000 poods of rye. The return is six per cent below the average for five preceding

the Basel mission at Piang Tong, Northern Kwang Tung, has been burned by members of the Triad Society of rebels. The missionaries escaped. Disorders have arisen in Yang Tse Province, owing to the ravages of the floods and the diversion of the relief funds by corrupt officials, says the Shanghai correspondent of the London

MISSION BURNED BY CHINESE.

A cablegram from Hong Kong says

NOTES. Official advices from Hayti report the supression of the revolutionary movements at Jeremie.

Although the proposed purchase or the Charleroi glass factories will not be completely carried out, says a dis-patch to the London Times from Brussels, it is virtually arranged that the American glassmen are to become large shareholders.

Paris Journals des Debats says France is really Turkey's best friend.

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JEWELER. 170 Dundas Street, London.

"Did you say to anyone that you knew there had been foul play?" "In talking with some one, I believe took the stand afte, Dr. Angus Gra- I did say it looked as if THERE WAS FOUL PLAY." "After you examined that place on witnesses. If Herbert's evidence was Saturday, didn't you?"

Thousands of New Cases Reported in British East India

and Egypt---Many Deaths.

PLAGUE SPREADS!

show a continued spread of the plague in most sections. In British East India

Reports to the United States hospital; city of Bombay that week, and many service from all parts of the world others suspected. during the week ended Aug. 2 last, Queensland the destruction of rats there were 2,622 new plague cases, and 1,930 deaths recorded in the Bombay 32 plague cases including ten deaths Australians Futting Un the Fences presidency, an increase of more than from Feb. 28 to July 6. In China at the port and town of 200 deaths over the previous week. Swatau and Neithboring districts the

There were 136 plague deaths in the plague is steadily decreasing. SAILBOAT CAPSIZED !

Three Lives Lost in Attempt to Save a Dog. Death of Daniel Handley, M. C. R.

Brakeman-Man Roasted to

Death in a Barn. Kalamazoo, Mich., Oct. 1.—By the capsizing of a sail boat on West Lake, seven miles south of Kalamazoo, three people lost their lives, Sunday after-They were Isaac Vanhaist, age 36: Mrs. Peter Kromdike, age 39, and Miss Edith Waud, age 19, all of Kalamazoo. Four other persons in the boat escaped. The accident was caused in a peculiar manner. Miss Edith Waud had a dog, which jumped overboard. In turning the boat to save the dog, the craft capsized, and the whole party was thrown into the water, six feet deep. Isaac Vanhalst

was a fine swimmer, and lost his life while saving others of the party.

M. C. R. BRAKEMAN KILLED. St. Thomas, Ont., Oct. 2.-Dan Handley, brakeman on the St. Clair branch local, met with a fatal accident at Inwood yesterday morning. After opening a switch, Handley at-tempted to jump on the pilot of the locomotive. He slipped and fell beneath the wheels, one leg being severed from the body below the knee, and the other frightfully mangled. He was also cut about the head, and his back severely dislocated. The injured was conveyed to the hospital here, where he died at 5:30 last evening. Dan was one of the best ball players this city ever produced. He furniture business at Marquette, Mich., was the star pitcher for the old St. a project they had been considering

Thomas Browns, and pitched for the Galt team in the semi-professional league. Afterwards he played short on the independent professional St Thomas team in 1897. Mr. Handley married the daughter of James Munn,

city, three years ago.

plosion of a boiler used in threshing on a farm in Fleming yesterday morning, Charles White was instant-A laborer assisting him was so badly hurt that he may die. DROWNED IN CANAL. Perth, Oct. 1 .- A boy, 8 years of age, eldest son of A. Gibson, of this town,

ROASTED IN A BARN.

into the water accidentally. RAFT UPSET. Amsterdam, N. Y., Oct. 2 .- Edward Schneck, brother of former State Engineer Martin Schneck, and George Lambert were drowned at Fort Hunter yesterday afternoon by the overturning of a raft from which they were unloading stone at the

DROPPED DEAD!

Fell, of Windsor. Windsor, Oct. 2.-Samuel B. Fell, aged 39, of 561 Sixteenth street, collector for the American Wringer Com-pany, dropped dead Monday afternoon in the corridor of the Dougall block, them up the steep mountain side. Miss Windsor, of acute heart failure, Stone told the boys they were taking brought on, a physician claimed, by them away from the road to rob and

brothers. Deceased had been informed

bonic plague cases from April 7 to Sept. 2, was 132 with 60 deaths. In