Can Stoessel Hold Out Until Baltic Fleet Arrives?

War Office Greatly Cheered by occasionally varying these movements Message From Garrison.

Nightly Attacks by Japs Since The Chinaman was hanged. Last General Assault.

Commander Reports Series of Re- The Japanese, according to the Russian pulses for the Besiegers—The Situation in Manchuria.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17. - As a re-St. Petersburg, Nov. 17. — As a result of the dispatches received from water, had a hand-to-hand fight. There Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel (commander of were plenty of broken heads, but not the Russian military forces at Port Arthur), the war offices expresses enbe able to hold out till the arrival of

London, Nov. 17. - The Associated and wounded having been sent north. Press learns that there is no justification whatever for the sensational deductions made in the London Daily Took No Chances. Telegraph's dispatch from St. Peters- | Che Foo, Nov. 17. — The three Jap-burg, published this morning from the anese torpedo-boat destroyers, which delay in signing the Anglo-Russian entered the harbor this morning to as-North Sea convention, Russia has ac- certain if the Russian torpedo-boat cepted in principle the international destroyer Restoropny was here, disapcommission, but the exact text of the convention must be the subject of afternoon. The Japanese consul sent agreement between the two powers. a cutter out to meet them and informed The present difference concerns small the nearest destroyer, the Kasumi details of the wording of the agree- that the Rastoropny had been sunk ment as submitted by Great Britain The consul says this was the first the for Russia's consideration.

Sailed From Dakar.

sian second Pacific squadron bound destroyers disappeared in the direction for the Far East, sailed from here on of Port Arthur. Wednesday evening.

It's Up to the Czar.

Tokio, Nov. 17, 9 a.m. - The opinion is expressed here that the Russian torpedo-boat destroyer Rastoropny car- Mukden, Nov. 16, 3 p.m., via Tier ried to Che Foo extended dispatches Tsin, Nov. 17. — Four days' sharp cold explaining to St. Petersburg the sit- has silenced the artillery and infantry uation at Port Arthur, the condition fire between the opposing positions of the Russian squadron and the short- and has driven the soldiers into their age of food and ammunition, referring dug-outs along the entire intrenched the question of further resistance to line. The apparent impossibility for the Russian Government. The nature either side to eject the other from their of the Russian fire indicates a scarcity burrows, and the fact that in the event of certain kinds of ammunition. All one side succeeded in advancing, it prisoners taken by the Japanese tell could not dig the other out of its canclaimed that the Russian commanders to promise a winter's inactivity, alare divided on the question of contin- though the Japanese three days ago uing the defense. If this is true it made a small reconnoissance toward fits the theory that the Rastoropny the extreme east and pushed back the carried dispatches, passing the ques- Russian cavalry a few miles, as though tion to the Emperor.

Stoessel Reports Successes.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.—Gen. Stoes- winter quarters. in his dispatches to Emperor Nicholas, reports the repulse of a Japanese attack on Oct. 26 on the north front of Port Arthur. The Russian losses were 480 killed or wounded. All Man the attacks Nov. 3, the day the anniversary of the Emperor's accession to the throne was celebrated, were re

Gen. Stoessel was slightly wounded in the head during one of the late assaults on Fort Arthur. ambuscade on Nov. 15 near Sinchinpu, 32 Japanese dragoons were killed

Stoessel Rejoices.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17. - The text of Gen. Stoessel's dispatches of Oct. 28 is as follows:

We have the honor to report to your majesty that the Japanese bombarded very vigorously Oct. 25 our forts and entrenchments north and north-The following day they also attacked one of the forts on the north side, but our heavy artillery and shrapnel fire dispersed their reserves and the assault was repulsed. Our losses were one officer and about seventy men killed, and 400 wounded. ly governor of Port Dalny, died Oct.

27. of typhus fever. "It is difficult to single out individuals for special mention among the

heroic defenders.' In a telegram, dated Oct. 30, Gen.

with great flerceness." Under date of Nov. 3, Gen. Stoessel telegraphed: "We greet the Emperor. This day, a solemn one for all our country, we offer prayers to God, and send to our Emperor felicitations the shape of reverberating hurrahs. On bended knees, we pray to God to give health to your majesty and their majesties the Empress and the Czare-Our joy is all the greater because all the assaults, which lasted nine days, have been repulsed up to this great day, the anniversary of your accession to the throne, the same day that our Japanese enemies celebrate the anniversary of the birth of their Mikado, and whereupon they had sworn to take the fortress. God is with

Nightly Assaults.

Che Foo, Nov. 17, 9:30 p.m. - Fight-Che Foo, Nov. 17, 9:30 p.m. - Fighting at Port Arthur has taken place Vellow Varn of the London But Could Not Take a Part North Sea Trawlers Give Furnightly since the Japanese began their general assault on Oct. 26, according o Capt, Renberg, a pilot, who was a passenger on the Russian torpedo-boat destroyer Rastoropny.

The Japanese trenches, the captain says, are closest to the forts on Rihlung and Keekwan Mountains and to other forts on the northeastern group.

Took the Hint.

Che Foo, Nov. 17. - One day last week a hospital ship at Port Arthur moved too near the battleships in the obvious purpose of warning her away. The ship took the hint, and when she was outside the zone of ranges large shells began falling near the battle-

Treacherous Chinaman Hanged.

Che Foo, Nov. 17. - The sharpshoottheir cramped limbs.

The Japanese are displaying great award, energy in the construction of trenches and the mounting of guns.

All the railroad steamers belonging to the Russians, except the steel screw transport Amur, have been sunk by Japanese shells. The hospital ship formerly a transport, has

apparently thus signaling the landing places of the shells. The shells fell behind obstructions, which fact prevented the Japanese obtaining a direct view of their effect.

Fought Over Spring. Chansianoutun, Manchuria, General Kuropatkin's headquarters, Nov. 17. scouts are heavily fortifying their second line of defense along the Taitse River. The major portion of the skirmishing of the last few days has been Some Japanese and Russians, who had

one on either side was killed. tire confidence that Port Arthur will with the advent of the cold weather is The health of the Russian troops splendid. There are few cases of inthe Russian second Pacific squadron. | fectious diseases and the hospitals are no longer crowded, most of the sick

ships knew of the sinking of the Ras-toropny. The Kasumi transmitted the information by wireless telegraphy to Dakar, Africa, Nov. 17. - The Rus- the Japanese flagship, whereupon the The sinking of the Rastoropny by the Russians relieved the Japanese of an

embarrassing position.

story of increasing hunger. It is tonments on account of the frost, seems they were investigating the possibili ties for a flanking movement. It seems impossible that either side in any case could more than occupy its opponent's

SAW THE SHOOTING

Death of Caesar Young.

Gen. Stoessel was slightly wounded in the head during one of the late assaults on Port Arthur.

Gen. Kuropatkin reports that in an imbuscade on Nov. 15 near Sinchingur, 32 Japanese dragoons were killed in the shooting of Caesar Young was discovered in a most unusual way today while the trial was in progress. Archibald J. C. Anderson, one of the men summoned for examination as to his qualifications to serve on the Patterson never peace at the cost of justice."

John A. Flett, representative of the men summoned for examination as to his qualifications to serve on the Patterson never peace at the cost of justice." jury, was being questioned by Assistant District Attorney Rand, when he asked permission to speak with Justice Davis, who is presiding at the trial. After a whispered conversation counsel for the prosecution and defense were called to the bench, and a moment later Anderso was excused, and joined counsel for the prisoner within the bar inclosure. Daniel J. O'Reilly, one of Miss Patterson's at torneys, said that an eye-witness to the shooting had been discovered. Information to this effect had been communicated to Justice Davis by Mr. Anderson. When ourt adjourned seven jurors had been

EXIT THE GEISHA GIRL

Engineer Capt. Sakharoff, former- Dancing Maidens at St. Louis To Be

Deported by the U. S Washington . D. C., Nov. 17. the report of Imigration Inspector Dunn at St. Louis, the department of commerce and labor today ordered the de Stoessel says: "Since my dispatch of portation of fourteen geisha girls and Oct. 28, the bombardment continues six Chinese, who have been employed on a concession at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The case has been pending for several weeks, and a hard fight was made by the representatives of the geisha girls to induce the Government authorities to permit them to remain in the United States. It is said that on the statement of facts set out in Inspector Dunn's report the authorities could do nothing less than order the gate of that body to the present condeportation of the women. It is understood that they will be deported imme-

Daily Telegraph Without Foundation.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17. - The facts | St. Petersburg, Nov. 17. - The Rusdo not warrant the sensational report sian formal reply says a circular note, that Count Benckendorff, the Russian regarding convening the Hague conped small shells around her with the a dispatch from St. Petersburg). Rus- Russia can agree to participate in a of no reason why they had been atguage of the English text of the article every indication that Russia will not by any Japanese agency to do any-

doubtedly exercising influence upon the foreign office in the matter. The ers of both sides occupying the pits Novoe Vremya contends that the Engconverse with each other, and fre-quently make individual truces in or-vention, which only provides for a der to borrow cigarettes or to relieve commission to determine the facts, and in no sense to make an arbitrary

POLICEMAN KILLED BY BURGLARS

Detroit Patrolman Shot Dead —His Companion Badly Wounded.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 17.-Patrolman John Daley was shot and killed shortly before midnight by an unknown man who escaped, and J. D. Pickell, special officer of the M. C. R., who ran to Daly's assistance, was also shot and around the village of Yansintoundi, is probably fatally injured. When Daly's dead body was found his hand

still grasped his revolver. It is said that Daly found a man and a negro effecting an entrance at the rear of a store at the corner of Wayne street and Michigan avenue, night at Elmsdale, bringing the total Upon approaching them he was shot down. Pickell was attracted by the shot and was himself shot by one of the burglars as they retreated.

CLASP OF HANDS

the Toiling Masses, Says a British M. P.

San Francisco, Nov. 17.-At the hour set apart today for listening to fra- pier and shed of the Warren line in ternal delegates from Great Britain Charlestown, filled with wood pulp, for a pony was \$8,000, paid at the horse and Canada to the Federation of oil and inflammable material, was com-Labor, James Wignall, of England, pletely consumed by fire tonight, and eley Bantam" the champion bay ownwas introduced and was given a great it was only by the utmost exertion that ed by Wm. Carr, of London, England, rule has acted accordingly. Before sen was introduced and was given a great ovation. In his speech he said that to be an ambassador of labor was a greater honor than to represent his greater honor than to represent his control of the firemen were able to save adjoining and South Manchester, Conn., which was sold to Judge William S. Moore, of Chicago, in the afternoon and tocountry on a diplomatic mission. Star line pier, Speaking of extending the country, he

"The clasp of hands across the sea and the bonds of brotherhood which must come to the Anglo-Saxon family safety. A coal lighter was also saved. will come through the fraternalism of the toiling masses of the countries. Wm. Abraham, a member of the British Parliament, was then introduced. and said: "I come to you as a representative of that class of unions whose main tenet holds that workers and capitalists are bound together as common producers of wealth. In that I am a worker for peace. We are all apostles of peace in my country, but peace can never come until based on justice. Labor organizations are as necessary to capitalists as to workers. The day of the individual employer is past and he has been supplanted by the great Declares He Witnessed the laborer has passed. The trusts, in the nature of things, then must deal with organized labor. Is it not unfair, then, for the non-unionist to sneak into the New York. Nov. 17.-An eye-witness to union shop and reap the benefit of the John A. Flett, representative of the Dominion of Canada, addressed the convention and invited the delegates to hold their next annual meeting, commorating the quarter century of their existence, in the Dominion of Canada, He compared trade conditions in the

> At this stage of the proceedings policeman entered the hall and placed all three of the foreign delegates under arrest. This was a ruse to present each of them with a gold watch and a gold badge in the name of the Federation. The Chicago Federation fight was threshed out on the floor of the convention in the afternoon session of the American Federation of Labor, but after a hot debate, was finally referred to the federated bodies committee, with instructions to report. The fight was the hottest that has been waged on the floor. The Chicago delegates stated that the members of the executive council of the American Federa tion of Labor had refused to permit them to introduce new evidence in the case, and each member of the council stated that such was not the case. The question became one of veracity. The Chicago delegates desired to move that a special committee journey to Chicago after the convention and study the situation at first hand. In the interim they desired that Wm. G. Schardt, president of the Chicago Federation, and delevention, be seated. This was designated by the opposition as a subterfuge

and was overlaid. RUSSIA FAVORS THE CONVENTION PEACE CONFERENCE

In It While the Far East War Lasts.

ister Lamsdorff and Charge D'Affaires Eddy, of the American embassy, the

former spoke feelingly of Russia's great interest in the work and aims of hospital trawler Alpha with extinguishperor Nicholas and the important fact developed that it had been Russia's intention, had the war not intervened to herself invite the powers to a sec-Deskin, Ky., Nov. 17.—The 5-year-old son of Elijah May is dead of grief over the demise of his 7-year-old brother three days ago. After the loss of his playmate the youngster pined away until he succumbed to his sorrow.

DEADLY BOMB

Exploded in Mayor's Office, Barceiona-Many Persons Hurt.

Barcelona, Nov. 17 .- A bomb was exploded at the mayor's office in the Callefernando here tonight. The building was not much damaged, but nine persons were seriously injured and several others were slightly hurt. There is an unconfirmed rumor that two of the wounded have died. Callefernando is much frequented as promenade by the upper classes.

FOUR FATALITIES

fatalities of the wreck to four. The rethe wreck late last night proved un-

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE ACROSS THE SEA IN BOSTON HARBOR

Must Come by Fraternalism of Damage Amounting to \$600,000 English Nag "Berkley Bantam" Sustained—City Deluged With Sparks.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 17.-The London

The Danish steamer L. H. Holmblad, which was at the Warren line dock, was towed out and a small schooner moored at the end shifted away in The fire burned very rapidly, but the wind sent the flames toward the harbor end of the shed. The entire north end of the city was deluged with sparks, some dropping on Washington street as far as Newspaper row and numerous small fires resulted. At midnight the shed was still burning but the fire was under control. The loss is estimated at \$600,000.

WEALTHY FARMER KILLED

Mr. David Wintermute, of Malahide, Fell into a Well.

St. Thomas, Nov. 17.-David Winterthe Wesley Pound farm, Malahide, near Corinth, fell into a well yesterday morn-ing and broke his neck. Life was extinct when he was taken out. Full par dent happened.

IT'S IN THE AIR

All European Powers to Arrange for Arbitration.

Eerne, Switzerland, Nov. 17. - Arbiration treaties will shortly be concluded between Switzerland and Great Britain, the United States, France, Italy, Austria-Hungary, Germany and Sweden and Norway.

TO PAWN BODY

Young Man Tried to Raise \$1.05 on Mother's Corpse.

Denver, Nov. 18.—Negotiating for a loan with a mother's dead body as security is a new way of "raising the wind," but the execution of that design was actually attempted here. ly attempted here. A young man of 28 or 30 years appeared the undertaking establishment of Jas. Butterfield and wanted to know if Butterfield would undertake the burial of his mother, and he was told that it would be all right. The young man arose, but hesitated when he reached the door and said: "Oh, I forgot to tell you that the spring wagon I drove to town in broke down out beyond the Broadway bridge, and i will cost \$1 05 to have it mended. Now as you are going to make a pretty good thing out of my mother—the funeral you know what I mean-I thought you Hon. E. J. Davis' Appeal is To Be might not mind putting up that muc till my father—" "You get out of here!" roared the un

dertaker, and the stranger "ducked." NO JAPS, NO GUNS, NO AMMUNITION

ther Evidence Re Attack by Russians.

Hull, England, Nov. 17. - The third day of the board of trade inquiry into ambassador to Great Britain, may be ference, is not expected till next week. the North Sea incident opened today been here recalled on account of the present In the meantime, the views of other with further reiterations of the story hitch in the Anglo-Russian North Sea powers are being ascertained through that there were no Japanese, no guns convention (as intimated by the Lon- the Russian representatives abroad, or ammunition on board the trawlers harbor, whereupon the Japanese drop- don Daily Telegraph this morning in While there is no reason to believe that and that the fishermen could conceive sia has taken exception to the lan- conference during the war there is tacked. None of them had been asked guage of the Engish text of the article

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the Liberton will meet at Watford on Monlambton will meet at Wa been reached. The admiralty is un- on the subject between Foreign Min- description in the North Sea with the exception of the Russians. One witness in the next campaign. admitted that on seeing the North Sea the peace conference initiated by Em- ed lights, he had remarked "There's a torpedo boat."

WEDDING OYSTERS FATAL Thirty Guests Made III by Bivalves ments for a hearing.

-Bride's Brother III.

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The patients are still on board the ship and are comfortable. The Japanese shells directed against the harbor are fired with remarkable accuracy.

Recently a silk-clad Chinaman, who was seen traveling in a sampan, was watched by the Russians, who observable details and prevent the complications which shell, he placed a handkerchief to his nose, and then into his left pocket,

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Dollar Bill Loose in Mail Bag.

New York. Nov. 17.—A crisp \$1 bill was dropped through a letter slot in the gening oysters at his siste's wedding several postoffice yesterday. Several clerks grabbed for it. Examination showed that attached to it by a strong thread was a tiny tag bearing the name of "Miss Althey will maintain healthy action and prevent the complications which certainly come when there is derangement of these delicate organs. As a restora-

ANOTHER CRY FROM MACEDONIA

Fugitives Suffer From Cold and Hunger.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 17.—The American Board of Missions today received a cablegram from W. W. Peek, its treasurer at Constantinople, announc-ing that the people in the vicinity of Adrianople, in Macedonia, are suffering Serious Result. of the Recent Pere terrible distress, death by freezing and starvation staring them in the face. At the time of the disturbances last year from 12,000 to 20,000 fled from Adri-Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 17.-Ralph anople into Bulgaria. The population C. Savoys and J. L. Smith, both of of many Turkish villages also fled to Grand Rapids, died today of injuries other parts of Turkey. These people have returned.

sustained in the Pere Marquette rear- Rev. Dr. Geo, the returned missionary end collision of passenger trains last in charge of relief work, has supplied them with lumber with which to rebuild their ruined houses. There is no hope of further crops until next port that the body of the colored porter summer; many will have to be fed of the Saginaw train was dug out of during the winter to keep them from starving. Dr. Marsh says many will die in spite of all our efforts.

RECORD-BREAKING PRICE FOR PON

Brings \$8,000 at New York Horse Show.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 17.-What is said to be the biggest price ever paid night the crowds at the garden were up to the record of vesterday. Society ere out in force and the boxes were

filled. The event of the afternoon was the centest for the \$500 challenge cup given by the American coaching club. This was for the best road team, four in hand, shown to a coach and driven by the owner. Alfred G. Vanderbilt entered his blue ribbon winner. Venture, and was again given the first prize, L. L. Biddle was the only other contestant.

siding on ers were almost thrown from their tra

In the Shetland stallion class E. F. from returns of actual yield made by Hawley, of Pittsford, took first prize threshers and an extra staff of corre with his entry, Bressay, while T. L. Watts, jun., took second and third prizes and high commendation with Toronto, Redfox and Monte Carlo, In the class for brood mares, other than shetlands, G. Howard Davison's

THE KAISER'S THROAT

entries took the first and second prizes.

German Foreign Office Denies the Rumored Return of Trouble.

Berlin, Nov. 17. - The foreign office authorizes the Associated Press to say that there is absolutely no truth in yesterday's rumor that Emperor William's throat trouble had returned. Persons who were present at Chancellor Von Buelow's dinner Saturday night say the Emperor took a most animated part in the conversation. Nobody noticed a trace of hoarseness of any other indication that his voice was affected. Furthermore, the foreign office assures the Associated Press that if the trouble recurs the news will immediately be given to the public officially.

IN POLITICAL CIRCLES

Argued on Monday.

E. J. Davis against the judgment of Mr. Justice Teetzel declaring void his election in North York, will be heard before the court of appeals on Monday. The Minister of Crown Lands was unseated upon a technicality, it having been shown that W. J. Robinson, who had previously been reported by an election court for an illegal act, had been engaged in Mr. Davis' interests as a scrutineer.

Before the court of appeals this morning Mr. James Baird, for the petitioners, appeared, and asked that the proceedings be expedited. Mr. R. A. Grant appeared for Hon. Mr. Davis. The court agreed to expedite the case, but named no day. Between counsel, however, it was agreed that the case should be argued on Mon- north of here, were destroyed by fire PROTEST AGAINST MR. PORTER'S

ELECTION. Belleville, Nov. 17.—A new interest has been imparted to the political situation here by the publication of a letter from Mr. B. O. Lott, the Liberal candidate, stating that he had instructed his solicitor to protest Mr. Porter's election, against whom he has three charges of personal bribery, two over his own signature. The trains daily from London. Liberals here are talking of Mr. Porter's call at G. T. R. City Ticket or Sta-EAST LAMBTON LIBERALS. Sarnia, Nov. 17.-The Liberals of East

Mrs. Maybrick as Witness. Richmond, Va., Nov. 17.—It is probable that Mrs. Florence Maybrick will be brought to Richmond as a witness in the case of the Baroness Roques her mother, against D. W. Armstrong and others. Attorneys for the baroness

today began the preliminary arrange Trod On a Match.

New York, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Frances Washington. 74 years old, wife of the janitor of the apartment house at No. 73 Clifton Place, Brooklyn, died in the janitor of the apartment house at No. 73
Clifton Place, Brooklyn, died in the
Cumberland street hospital last night
from burns she received in a fire at the
Clifton Place address. While walking
through the basement hallway Mrs.
Washington stepped on a match and her
clothing caught fire. She ran to her
rooms, where she fell to the floor. Mrs.
Washington was badly burned about the
legs. She was hurried to the Cumberland
street hospital, where she died a few
hours later.

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LOSS BY SHOPLIFTERS

New York Department Stores Lost Half a Million Last Year.

New York, Nov. 17. - Losses of half a million dolars through shoplifting have been suffered during the past year by 21 department stores in this city, whose proprietors, because of such losses, have formed an alliance to fight petty pilfering. The fact that such an illiance had been formed came out today when a woman was given a fifteen day sentence in the court of genera sessions, after having pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing goods valued at \$50 54 from a department store. Hitherto the storekeepers have been willing to let offenders off, and the court as a tence was imposed today the attorney who had prosecuted the case said that his law firm had been retained by an alliance of 21 department stores

CONDITION OF OUR CROPS

Government Estimates of the Yield of Ontario Farms.

Toronto, Nov. 17 .- A statement regarding the condition of Ontario crops, as reported under date of Nov. 1, and em-bodying other interesting information Miss Ella Ross, of England, had entered but did not compete because the color of her coach is turquoise blue, which is not an accepted color in America.

The segarding farm help and other matters, has been issued by the Department of Agriculture. Skilled farm laborers are reported as scarce, and wages of this class of workers keep comparatively high. The use of improved machinery and the interchange of work by peigh. "Pearl," a brown mare, owned by and the interchange of work by neigh dwin H. Wentherbee, won the blue bors are the chief suggestions made t "Pearl," a brown mare, owned by and the interchange of work by height bors are the chief suggestions made to meet the emergency caused by the shortness of labor. Some correspondents seriously advocate the importation of Chipsens at distances of from five to Many correspondents refer regretfully to many correspondents refer regretfully to the foot on several coencious the rid. six feet. On several occasions the rid- the fact that a large number of the bestsaddles and the spectators were repeatedly thrilled by the daring formance.

In the Shetland stallion class E. F.

Hawley of Pittsford took first prize

spondents. In most cases the yields are below the forecast of August: Fall wheat, 9,160,623 bushels, or 15.1 per Spring wheat, 3,471,103 bushels, or 15.4 Barley. 24,567,825 bushels, or 31.8 pe

Rye, 2,001,826 bushels, or 15.3 per acre. Beans, 912,849 bushels, or 17.9 per acre. Peas. 6,629,866 bushels, or 19.5 per acre. Buckwheat, 2,066,234 bushels, or 20.5 pe Potatoes, 15,479,122 bushels, or 11.6 per Corn for husking (in the ear), 20,023,350 ons, or 10.48 tons per acre. Hay and clover, 5,259,189 tons, or 1.80

Apples, 49,687,423 bushels, or 6.99 per

Courts at Toronto.

THE MCINTYRE WILL Action Arising From It Again in the

At Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Wednes day, in the case of McIntyre vs. the Lon don and Western Trusts Company, aris ing out of the will of the late Hugh McIntyre, of Lobo, Mr. A. B. Aylesworth, K.C., for plaintiff. appealed from the judgment of Street, J., dated 24th February. 1904 (3 O. W. R., 258), in so far as it holds that the infants are entitled to interest between terest by way of maintenance from the death of the testator, and upholds validity of an order made herein Lount, J. 16th March, 1901, which the state of the stat clared that sums of \$4,000 each should be set aside to provide for the legacies for two infants, children of the testator. The judgment appealed from was an appeal by plaintiff from report of the local master at London, in a proceeding in which administration of the estate of Hugh McIntyre, deceased, had been or-Toronto, Nov. 17.-The appeal of Hon. dered, and cross-appeals by defendants, the London and Western Trusts Com-pany, and the official guardian, represent-ing two infants. Mowat McIntyre and Ross McIntyre, from the same report. J Folinsbee (Strathroy) for six adult chil

300 Cottages Burned.

dren; Hume Cronyn (London) for officia

Springfield, O., Nov. 17.-Three hundred cottages on the Urbana Chautauqua Company grounds, twelve miles today. Loss over \$10,000 and no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown

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