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## Monday, Oct. 26

and following days.

We've planned to make this the dress goods event of the season. Our last importations of new Dress Goods for this season are here to replace the throng that have left. We extend to you a most hearty invitation to visit this store next week or even before, for the goods are here and although they will be arranged or displayed as they will be next week they are here to be shown at any time. Next week is display week at this store. Come whether you would buy or not. We think you can spend the time profitably or else we would not use this space to tell you of our dress goods. We are proud of our position in dress goods this season and that's our reason for having this display.

### A Few Hints as to What to Expect to See.

#### New Gownings, Black and Colored.

45 in Black Etamine, extra value \$1.25	45 in Voiles, in colors white, grey and navy.....\$1.00
45 in Black Voiles, at per yard \$1.25	44 in Crepe de Chenes, in colors blue and fawn..... 75
45 in Silk Eolienne, two weaves, \$1.25	45 in Beavitz cloths, in colors fawn and grey, per yard..... 1 00
45 in Black Beavitz Cloths, yd 25, 38, 50c.	
45 inch Eolienne, in colors fawn and grey, per yard.....\$1.25	

#### New Suitings.

46 in. Ponne, Zebeline, in Blues, Greens, Seals, browns, at per yard..... 75c	46 in. Ondula Suitings, in green, navy and brown per yard.....\$1.65
46 Ponne, Zebelines, in navy, green, seal and brown, per yard.....\$1.25	54 in. flecked zebelines, in brown, blue and black, per yard..... \$2.00
46 in. Coriende, in colors, navy and brown, per yard.....\$1.50	45 in. knopp suitings, in green and cardinal.....\$1.25
	45 in. knopp suitings, in green, cardinal, navy, brown and black..... 75c

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#### BOARD OF WORKS.

The Chatham Paving and Construction Company have laid only a few of the sidewalks which it was necessary should be laid this year. There is still about a mile of granite sidewalk to be laid, and the company are not making any effort to proceed with the work. A meeting of the Board of Works was held yesterday to deal with the matter, and they decided that it was only reasonable that the city should expect that walks not built this year would be laid next year at the same price as this year's contract. The city solicitors consulted and, on his advice, the contractor, Wm. Chrysler, was notified this afternoon that he must either get a move on and lay the walks or else be held responsible. Wm. Chrysler wrote requesting \$1.4 cents extra for sifted gravel for the top dressing in place of sand. The specifications called for sand, but sifted gravel made a better job. On the evidence of the engineer, the committee will report in favor of giving Mr. Chrysler the 1.4 cents. The Board of Works took a drive around the city this morning, starting at 7 o'clock, and several matters were left over till after this inspection. These were the request to have the open ditch on Ingham avenue filled in, Raleigh Ty's account for repairs to Park Ave. West, and Mr. Gerny's request for hole in Park St. East. In regard to the three stone slabs which the Council ordered the Board of Works to secure for the Chatham Loan Co. Mr. Mounteer reported that the slabs would cost \$40, as they would have to pay the freight on a car. The matter was left over to see if the slabs could not be secured when some of the city dealers are purchasing a car of stone. Chairman Mounteer, Ald. Robinson and Piggott, and City Engineer Jones were present.

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#### THE SOO CAMPAIGN.

Charge Against Mr. Smith by Mr. Montague.

Sault Ste. Marie, Oct. 22.—The Conservatives held their first meeting of the campaign last evening, when addresses were delivered by the candidate, Mr. MacCampbell; Dr. Rheame, M. P. for Essex; Mr. Hanna, M. P. for Lambton, and Mr. J. A. Montague. The latter, who has recently gained some notoriety by his attacks on the Government's mining policy, caused a sensation by charging in a statement sworn to by himself that Mr. Smith, the Liberal candidate, had offered him a bribe of \$500 if he would desist. The speaker further stated that Mr. Smith had said the Crown Lands Department was rotten. Mr. Smith is addressing a meeting at Goulais Bay and will not arrive here until late to-morrow night. The Liberals feel that the charges are untrue, and that Mr. Smith will have little difficulty in convincing the electorate that the charges are those of a man who started out to turn the whole of the Michipicoten vote against the Government candidate, and, failing to do so, has become desperate.

Last week Mr. Montague faced Mr. Smith on the platform at Michipicoten and got decidedly the worst of the argument. He is a friend of Mr. MacCampbell, and the latter when he is in town spends a good part of his time in Mr. Montague's office. There are a number of men here, Liberals and others, who can make affidavits to the effect that at a recent meeting of the Political Economy Club, when Mr. Montague gave an address attacking the Government, he spoke highly of Mr. Smith and said he was "too honest a man to approve of the wickedness with which Mr. Montague charged the Government." This meeting was held after the time the bribe is alleged to have been attempted. Mr. Smith will address a meeting in his interests on Saturday night, when it is expected he will give a denial to the charge.

#### AYLESWORTH'S VIEW.

A Three-column Letter to The London Times.

London, Oct. 23.—The Times publishes the dissenting opinion presented to the Alaska boundary tribunal by A. B. Aylesworth, one of the Canadian commissioners. It is dated Oct. 17 and takes up three columns in The Times and is a most minute discussion of the whole treaty question and a recital of Mr. Aylesworth's reasons for disagreeing with the majority. It concludes as follows:—

"I have merely to say that the course the majority of this tribunal has decided to take with regard to the islands of the entrance of the Portland Channel is, in my humble judgment, so opposed to the plain requirements of justice and so absolutely irreconcilable with any disposition of that branch of this case upon principles of a judicial character, that I respectfully decline to affix my signature to their award. (Signed) Aylesworth."

London, Oct. 23.—The Times, in an editorial on the Alaska boundary case, expresses the wish that the reasons given by Commissioner Aylesworth for dissenting from the decision of Lord Alverstone and his American colleagues had been drawn up in a somewhat less controversial tone. "The good-will of the great western republic," it says, "is no less valuable to its immediate neighbors across the Canadian border than to ourselves, and can certainly be much more profitably and permanently secured by prudence and forthrightness than the avoidance of controversial issues than even by the submission of such issues after they have arisen to the peaceful arbitration of any court or tribunal."

London, Oct. 23.—The Globe deeply regrets the decision of the Alaska tribunal, and says:—"It will be of some value if it convinces this and future British Governments of the insane folly of pandering to American good-will at the expense of colonial feeling. If our statesmen imagine that in the temporary good-will of the United States they have secured an offset for the deep, permanent wound inflicted upon Canadian sentiment they are making a disastrous mistake."

#### FRENCH POLITICS.

Government Wins on First Great Debate.

Paris, Oct. 23.—The first important debate in the Chamber of Deputies since the reopening of Parliament last Tuesday resulted in an unqualified victory for the Government. Premier Combes demanded that the interpellations on the subject of religious congregations be united with those on the general policy of the Government and the religious interpellations were withdrawn. The Government intended, the Premier continued, to carry on the war against the congregations as well as a war of free thought against slavery of the intelligence. In conclusion M. Combes announced the Government's intention to repeal the Falloux law thus finally destroying congregational education. The Chamber voiced its unqualified confidence in the Government by a vote of 332 to 233.

#### A SHARP CRITICISM.

Frank Words Used in Regard to Mr. Phillips Thompson.

London, Oct. 23.—A letter in The Birmingham Post signed "Canadian," referring to Phillips Thompson and his correspondence on emigration to Canada, says:—"You, unfortunately, do not know the reputation of your Canadian correspondent. We in Canada know the gentleman in question. 'Canadian' has personally known him for thirty-five years and has never seen anything but 'blue ruin' written by him."

#### STAND BY FREE TRADE.

Miners of Britain Are Against the New Fiscal Proposals.

London, Oct. 23.—The conference of miners representing all districts of the United Kingdom to-day passed a resolution unanimously in favor of free trade. The chairman declared that Chamberlain was trying to hide the real issue.

#### LABOR IS THE ISSUE.

Manufacturers' Obect to Unionist Reports.

Toronto, Oct. 23.—The question of labor in Canada was an important matter dealt with by the Executive Council of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association yesterday. It was felt by the committee that the letters of Mr. Phillips Thompson and the resolution passed by the Trades and Labor Congress at Brockville grossly misrepresented the conditions existing in Canada for workingmen. The Toronto correspondent of The Labor Gazette was criticized for having characterized as 'villainous' certain statements of fact that had been made some months ago by representatives of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, in regard to the scarcity of labor in Canada. Other misrepresentations the committee considered had also been made by a delegation from the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, who presented to the Government the facts of the case to the Minister of Labor. A resolution, moved by Mr. J. O. McNaught, and seconded by Mr. W. K. McNaught, was passed, approving of a Dominion Exhibition in Winnipeg in 1905, and pledging the support of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

#### HE WILL NOT REFUTE.

Lord Alverstone's Reply to Charges of Canadians.

London, Oct. 23.—Lord Alverstone declines to believe that Hon. Mr. Sifton said the decision on the Alaska case was diplomatic rather than judicial. His opinion, he contends, was founded solely on legal considerations. He declined to stoop to refute going behind any understanding in regard to the four islands in the Portland Canal. He said he will indite a reply to Mr. Aylesworth's statement in The Times and remarked that the composition of the tribunal was not likely to be repeated.

In London general opinion holds to the belief that Canada, in view of the adverse decision, can now ask the British Government for all she wants. The suggestion is being widely made that the United States should concede the two islands she has obtained in the Portland Canal in return for the concession by Canada of the rest of America's case. Another suggestion is that Canada might receive nearly the whole of the territory arbitrated in return for British sacrifice in another part of the world.

The cost of the recent arbitration is estimated at close upon \$400,000. Canada spent nearly \$200,000 preparing the case and in fees to British lawyers. The United States' expenditure was about \$100,000.

Mr. Aylesworth before sailing from Liverpool yesterday said that the Canadians felt so keenly upon the Alaska award that, though there would not be a cry for separation, there would likely be a demand for larger powers of self-government to prevent the repetition of such decisions in the future.

#### FAILURES IN THE U.S.

Another Bank at Pittsburg Has Closed.

Pittsburg, Oct. 23.—Following the suspension yesterday of the Federal National Bank, Pittsburg, the First National Bank of Allegheny failed to open its doors for business and its directors have notified the Comptroller of the Currency that the institution has gone into voluntary liquidation and requested him to take the necessary action in such cases. For some time the Allegheny Bank has been connected by rumor with the Federal National Bank, but it was believed up to late yesterday that it would weather the storm, notwithstanding the heavy run made on it brought about by these reports. J. D. Kramer, the assistant cashier, was at the bank this morning and stated that as soon as the assets were realized the depositors would be paid off dollar for dollar.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 23.—The Acme Harvester Co., one of the largest manufacturers of agricultural implements, has been forced to place its affairs in the hands of a committee representing the creditors, and ask an extension of time. The assets are nearly \$4,000,000, and considerably in excess of their liabilities. The reasons assigned for the embarrassment are a bad season, bad collections, and doing a business that was unwarranted by the capital of the concern.

#### Widow of C. H. Spurgeon Dead.

London, Oct. 22.—The widow of the Rev. Charles M. Spurgeon died to-day.

#### TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Premier Ross and Dr. Hart addressed a Liberal meeting at Gravenhurst.

Hamilton tailors decided to go on strike as soon as the work in hand is finished.

Mr. Joseph J. King of Dover South was killed by falling off a bridge near Chatham.

Harry Moore, son of an Oakville merchant, was shot in the head with a small rifle that he was practicing with. There is little hope of recovery.

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In Munich, supposed to be the home of Lager Beer, glass-lined steel tanks are rapidly superseding the wooden ones. This is done because they are thoroughly convinced of the bad effects arising from the use of wooden fermentation tanks.

In olden times Lager Beer was fermented and stored in underground cellars and left in damp, mouldy cellars to acquire "AGE" but all the time it was gathering bacteria and other wild ferment. Now, in a modern brewery, Lager Beer is brewed in glass, in the light, remains above ground and is watched carefully from the proven its superiority over beer made in the old way, and any one with the least judgment can see that it must be purer and more wholesome.

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