

EXPORT OF CHEESE.

Filled Cheese, Manufactured in Chicago, Being Exported Through Montreal.

Government Taking Steps to Put a Stop to the Illegal Practice.

Dr. Robertson to Preach Immigration to Canada in the United Kingdom.

By Associated Press.

Ottawa, Oct. 29.—A report was received at the agricultural department that a shipment of filled or imitation cheese from Chicago was forwarded to Liverpool via Montreal. The information in Liverpool indicated the shipment was made via Montreal to avoid...

Dr. Robertson, superintendent of Presbyterian missions, is going to England immediately and will preach immigration to Canada. He is in town today conferring with the department officials, securing facts and information for his lectures. He will also engage in work on behalf of the Canadian mission and spend half the year on the other side.

Under Canadian postal regulations registered correspondence addressed to a deceased person may be delivered to the legal representative of the deceased. Postmasters are instructed to make an exception in the case of letters from the office of the district paymaster of British North America at Halifax, addressed to an Imperial army pensioner or reservist.

The supreme council of the 33rd degree, Scottish Rite Freemasonry, met in annual session yesterday. Three honorary 33rds were elected: W. R. White, Pembroke; Alex. R. Stevens, Halifax, and W. B. McArthur, Ottawa.

Commander Spain reports to the fisheries department that the United States mackerel fleet are beginning to move home wards. They have had very poor catches off our coasts. Twenty-three barrels of contraband whiskey from St. Pierre-Miquelon, have been seized at Dalhousie. The casks of liquor had been fitted into oyster barrels, and were being bilged along with the oysters for western points.

SEAL CLAIMS COMMISSION. Counsel for the United States Commission at Seattle.

Seattle, Oct. 29.—Robert Lansing, one of the counsel for the representatives of the United States commission, which is to meet in Victoria next Monday, is in the city. The commission is a joint one, and made by representatives of the United States and British governments. The decision will be final as to the award to be made to British sealers seized in 1893.

MURDERED HIS OFFICERS. A Sepoy at Fort Sandeman Kills Two Officers and Two Privates.

London, Oct. 29.—A Simla sepoy belonging to the British-Indian troops stationed at Fort Sandeman, ran amuck yesterday evening. He shot Lieutenant Voster, R. E.; Lieut. Downes, Bombay Lancers, and two privates, besides wounding Lieut. McLachlan. The murderer was captured.

WANTS AID FROM GERMANY. Proposition to Bring Germany into Line with France Regarding Egypt.

Paris, Oct. 29.—Eclairage to-day expresses itself in favor of granting Germany preferential tariffs provided the former will co-operate with France in the settlement of the Egyptian question.

CONDIE GETS A YEAR. For Stealing Three Thousand Dollars from Oak Lake Station.

Winnipeg, Oct. 28.—C. C. Condie, of Chicago, one of the non-union operators employed by the C. P. R. during the strike, was sentenced at Brandon this afternoon to one year's imprisonment at hard labor for the theft of an express package containing \$3000 from Oak Lake station, sentenced, pleading that money be extended to him for his family's sake.

BROWN CASE AGAIN. To Be Brought up at a Meeting of the Congregationalists To-morrow.

San Francisco, Oct. 29.—The Brown episode continues to disturb local Congregationalism. A special session of the conference has been called and accorded. The clergymen met to-morrow in the First Congregational church, Oakland.

THESE TWO FOUGHT

Foreman Keene, of the Cariboo Mine, Shoots and Kills Matthew Roderick.

The Dead Man Was Suspected of Having Held up Secretary McAuley in August.

Seattle, Oct. 29.—Matthew Roderick, a civil engineer of this town, was killed by Foreman Keene of the Cariboo Mining Company in a duel near Camp McKinney, British Columbia. Secretary McAuley, of the Cariboo Company, was held up and relieved of a gold brick valued at \$11,000 last August. Roderick was suspected and was followed to Seattle by a detective, but the authorities were unable to secure evidence. A few days ago Roderick returned to the mine, where he was closely shadowed. On Monday he left for the woods. He was supposed to be searching for the buried ballion when detected by Keene. A fight followed, which resulted in the death of Roderick. Keene is being held by the British Columbia authorities.

KOOTENAY'S NEEDS

New York Evening Post Advises Canada to Build Railways.

Kootenay is Now Possessed by Americans and "They Deserve It."

New York, Oct. 28.—The New York Evening Post concluded a series of articles on the British Columbia mines with the following comment: "Kootenay is now possessed by Americans, and their success is merited. While Canada dilly dallies about providing a railway from the main line of the Canadian Pacific through the Crow's Nest Pass into the Kootenay, Americans own and operate at great profit three railways. Others are being built by them. If Canada did half as much, justifying to the world her faith in Kootenay, the dream of a population of 100,000 within ten years would be within the realm of possibility."

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Russian Ambassador's Plain Talk Has Brought About Hamlet to Times

Change for the Better in His Attitude to the Armenians and Reform Policy.

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Constantinople, Oct. 29.—Since the recent visit of the Russian ambassador, M. Denelidoff, to the Sultan and the lengthy and important audience which followed, it is noticeable that there has been another change for the better in the attitude of Abdul Hamid and his advisors toward Armenians in particular and the reform policy in general. It is known that M. Denelidoff used very plain language in his conversation with the Sultan and it is equally apparent that the latter was convinced that the Russian ambassador was in earnest. This, supplemented by the reports received by the Sultan from the Turkish embassies in London and Paris, pointing out the distrust and irritation caused by the attitude of Turkey, brought about eager professions upon the part of the Turkish government of a desire to honestly push the work of reform, and, as a commencement, five Christian deputy governors have been appointed in Armenia, and there will probably be changes shortly in the composition of the Turkish ministry.

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One Person Killed and Several Injured on a Traction Line.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 29.—One person was killed, two fatally injured and a fourth seriously hurt by an accident on the Wyoming Valley traction line early this morning.

An explosion of gas occurred in the South Wilkesbarre shaft of the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal Company this afternoon. It is reported that six men were badly burned and will die. The mine was not in operation to-day. Only 15 men, mostly repairs, being inside. So great was the force of the explosion that it took the surface for miles around. Dense volumes of smoke came up the shaft, which prevented rescuers from going down. There is more or less excitement about the mouth of the shaft.

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We therefore wish to give notice to our customers and the public that we will prosecute, to the full rigour of the law, any one whom we can prove to have done this, and we will pay a reward of \$100.00 to the person who will give us sufficient evidence to convict any dealer of this offence.

H. SHOREY & CO., Montreal.

THE FINAL REPORT

Bryanites are Confident of the Success of the Fusionist Ticket.

Mark Hanna's Agents Also Send Encouraging Reports from Many States.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—The Democratic national committee received today telegraph reports from each state chairman in the Union giving estimates based on the latest information as to how the different states would record their votes one week from Tuesday. This is the last formal report that will be made by the chairman of the different state committees. Mr. Campau, chairman of the fusion executive committee, said: "The Democratic national committee awaits the results of next week's election with serene confidence. William J. Bryan will be elected by the largest popular majority given any president in a quarter of a century."

"Mr. Bryan will have more than 500 votes in the electoral college. Reports from the Middle Western states show the effect of his wonderful campaigning tour through them. His majority will be increased many thousands as a result of his great journey."

"Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota are all absolutely safe, and our chances of success in Ohio and Wisconsin are very flattering. The ever rising tide of enthusiasm for the great cause and the great leader of the common people will sweep those states, along with their sisters already won."

"Senator Gorman, one of the most able political leaders of the Union, guarantees Maryland. Our reports from Kentucky are that 'Republican monopoly and Democratic treason' will be outvoted by more than 40,000. The desperate and despotic effort to coerce us by the American people came to a dismal and humiliating failure. The solid South and silver West will join hands in impregnable alliance at the polls. The great middle West is with them in an invincible union. Our intrepid leader is sure to get a magnificent victory. These states will give their votes for him without a shadow of doubt."

"Alabama 11, California 9, Florida 4, Idaho 3, Indiana 15, Kansas 10, Louisiana 8, Michigan 14, Mississippi 9, Montana 3, Nevada 3, North Dakota 2, South Carolina 4, Tennessee 12, Utah 3, Washington 4, Wyoming 3, Arkansas 3, Colorado 4, Georgia 13, Illinois 23, Iowa 13, Kentucky 13, Maryland 3, Minnesota 9, Missouri 17, Nebraska 9, North Carolina 4, Ohio 14, South Dakota 4, Texas 15, Virginia 5, West Virginia 6; total 283."

"In addition our chances of success in the following states are far better than those of the Republicans: Delaware 3, Ohio 23, Wisconsin 12; total 38."

"It has been a long, hard campaign, but the people's cause has never ceased in its march to victory. The bluster of the Republican national committee, claiming 350 electoral votes, is shown in the inclusion in their estimates of such states as Texas, Idaho, Utah and Montana, where the majority for Bryan can only be measured by considering almost the whole voting population for him."

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Mark A. Hanna has received the final reports of the chairman of the state committees of Iowa, Kentucky, Minnesota, Michigan and Tennessee. All the state chairmen claimed that their states were safe for McKinley. According to the reports in Mr. Hanna's keeping the five states named will go for McKinley by the following pluralities: Iowa, 50,000; Kentucky, 15,000 to 20,000; Minnesota, 20,000 to 40,000; Michigan 15,000 and Tennessee 15,000.

MARQUIS OF DUFFERIN Delivers a Speech on Armenia and Arbitration Last Evening.

London, Oct. 28.—The Marquis of Dufferin, who has recently retired from the post of British ambassador at Paris, was accorded a banquet at Belfast to-night, at which he made a speech. He declared that owing to his age and deafness he had definitely retired from official life. Although England was not loved, the Marquis continued, she had no dispute with any nation of Europe, except Turkey. The salvation of the Armenians, he asserted, cannot be found in any scheme applied to the Armenians alone, but in reforms giving protection to all Turkish subjects. The Marquis expressed the hope that the United States and England would be the first to practically apply the principle of arbitration to the settlement of international disputes. Lord Dufferin said that every Englishman's soul would recoil in horror at the thought of any fratricidal collision with the United States which would only result in involving the United States and them in a common ruin.

AN ENGLISHMAN ARRESTED Charged by Spaniards With Aiding the Insurgents.

Havana, Oct. 29.—Thos. Beattie, an Englishman, owner of the Media Luna plantation, has been imprisoned at Manzanilla, charged with being the instigator of the destruction by fire of many houses in the village of Media Luna. His attorney, Juan Silva, has also been arrested.

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STORM OFF LISBON. A Fishing Boat Lost and Fourteen Men Drowned.

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\$100 REWARD

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