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The Loan Effected by the Premier is Subjected to Criticism. William Walter MacWherrell Will

Big Blaze in Bradford.

A Smallpox Case in Windsor.

A Reverend Gentleman in Trouble

A Railroad Man Killed.

The Loan Effected by the Premier is Subjected to Criticism.

MONTRAIL, Sept. 29.—The Star, which is supposed to speak for Provincial Treasurer Hall, says:

"The new loan just made by Premier Tailion is being vigorously criticised on the street. As a piece of financing it is regarded as outrageously bad and calculated to have an injurious effect upon provincial securities. It is pointed out that a 8 per cent loan, payable in sixty years, issued at 77.32 is exactly equivalent to a 4 per cent loan at par. Rightly or wrongly the chief responsibility is attributed to the Lieutenant Governor, and it is freely stated that instead of the Lieutenant-Governor acting upon the advice of his Premier, the Premier is practically being controlled by his honor.

"Enquiries at the office of the Credit Froncier Franco-Canadien, of which Mr. Chapleau is the president of the burean d'administration, or chief exceutive officer in this country, elloit the fact that, while M. Brolemann, the president of the Credit Froncier, is one of the directors of the Credit Liceumais, M. Thora, vice-president of the Credit Froncier Franco-Canadien, is general manager of the Banque du Paris also the Credit Froncier's banker.

"The situation is regarded as crifical for the Government because it is doubtful if any English speaking member of the Legislature will assume the responsibility for the loan and for the Government's general financial policy, as he would have to do if he accepted the treasury portfolio." Not Die on the Gallows. Fortune by Demon-

OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—The case of Mac-Wherrell has at last been disposed of by the Cabinet and the result is that the death sentence has been commuted to one of im-prisonment for life. The decision was sentence has been commuted to one of imprisonment for life. The decision was arrived at late in the afternoon.

T. C. Robinnette, counsel for the prisoner, telegraphed the sheriff and also MacWherrell as to the decision.

Mr. Robinette left last night for Toronto, highly pleased with the result of his day's work in the city.

BRAMPTON, Sept. 29.—Sheriff Brody received a telegram from the Department of Justice, notifying him that MacWherrell's sentence has been commuted to life imprisonment.

sentence has been communed to he mapprisonment.

He at once called upon the Rev. Mr. Clark, who had been visiting the prisoner lately, to accompany him to the fall to acquaint MacWherrell with the decision of the Minister of Justice. They all filed into the corridor where the prisoner sat. The deputy sheriff said:

"Well, Mac, we have brought you the nawa."

news."

The prisoner's face became of an ashen hne. Not a word was spoken as Mr. Dugan quietly handed him the message. When he had grasped the meaning he jumped four feet, and, waving the telegram blank above his head, cried "Hurrah! hurrah!" They all congratulated him on his narrow escape, and, shaking hands, they all quietly withdrew.

MacWherrell had boasted all along that he would rather hang than go to prison. His actions, however prove his insincerity in that particular. An Alleged Canadian Absconder Found

ils actions, more on that particular.

The scaffold, which was only completed in the afternoon, will once more be taken down and stored away for future use. The sheriff and deputy, and in fact the whole community, are considerably relieved that eel will not suffer the disgrace of an ex

Big Blaze in Bradford.

THE PLAGUE IN ERIN.

It is Only Moderately Contagious and the Reports Were Exaggerated.

ERIN, Sept. 29.—The report circulated concerning the outbreak of diphtheria here was exaggerated. This is to be regretted, as the reports have been hurtful to the business interests in the village. The truth is that the epidemic is a mild one insamuch as, it is mederately contagious, and the upper poorty was burned to the truth is that the epidemic is a mild one insamuch as, it is mederately contagious, and the upper poorty on deaths to the number of genuine cases very low. The impression that the germe of diphtheria are liable to attach themselves to people coming to town on ordinary business is foolish in the extreme.

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Pickpockets at the Capital.
OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—The pickpockets
got in their work at the fair here. W. C.
Ryers, of Montebello, was getting on 60 s
car on his way to the C. P. R. depot when
he was touched for his pocket-book. He
was on his way to Manitoba and had in ing to town on ordinary business is toolish in the extreme.

The disease is now confined to a few hour-es, and immates of these houses do not even go beyond their own gates, so that people coming in cannot possibly come in contact with infected persons. In cities and towns where they are seldom altogether free from the disease they do not get so alarmed, but in Erin where we rarely have anything of a contagious character, the people seem to be unduly afraid of it. In fact the placard houses are not so dangerous as the pasteboards would indom the book a return ticket, \$20 in cash and \$1,500 in notes for collection in Manitoba or it. In fact the placard nouses are not so dangerous as the pasteboards would insinuate, and the number of these tacked up are apt to magnify the real state of affairs in the eyes of outsiders who are not acquainted with the true condition of

CASUALTIES AT A FAIR.

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CASUALTIES AT A FAIL.

An Aged Laborer Badly Hurt—A Young Man Injured.

NIAGARA, Ont., Sept. 29.—Just at the elose of the fair here yesterday, an accident occurred which somewhat marred what had otherwise been a very successful exhibition. During the trials of speed John Hannah, a laborer who lives near Homer, at the conclusion of a running race, stepped on the race track to get a better view of the finish and was struck by one of the horses and had his leg broken A Smallpox Case in Windsor.
Windson, Sept., 28.—Henry Vineaux
was taken to the pest house by the health
authorities. He resides on Wyandottstreet and is suffering from a well-develop
ed case of smallpox. The health boarhas taken charge of the matter and hope
to prevent a spread of the disease. How
Vineaux took the disease cannot be explained, but he did not get it in Detroit,
as he has not been across the river for
some time. race, stepped on the race track to get a better view of the finish and was struck by one of the horses and had his leg broken in two places and otherwise injured. Dr. Temple, who was on the grounds, examined his wounds and ordered his removal to the hospital where he was subsequently taken. Chief Police Reid took up a collection for the unfortunate man from the visitors and secured about \$50 for Hannah, who is about sixty years old and said to be in poor circumstances.

A second accident occurred at the fair in which a farm laborer whose name could not be learned was seriously injured. The young man, while returning from the races, was run over, his arm broken and he received other injuries, to what extent is as yet unknown.

Mysterious Disappearance at Meaford. MEAFORD, Ont., Sept. 29.—Mrs. William, Danseath, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., aughter of Mr. Christopher Clarke, of aphrasia, has been on a visit here and Euphrasia, has been on a visit here and not being well was staying with friends in town, to be near the doctor who was treating her. On Tuesday she left her friend's house for the doctor's, promising to come straight back, as a horse and buggy was in waiting to take her to her fathers in Euphrasia. Strange to say, she has never been seen or heard of since that time, although search has been made for miles around. Parties whre dragging the river yesterday, in fear that she may have been drowned.

Beath From a Simple Cause.

Hamilton, Sept. 29.—Colista Jane
Fletcher, aged 22, only daughter of Mr.
David A. Fletcher, of Saltfleet, died of
blood poisoning on Tuesday. Ten days
ago Miss Fletcher scratched from her lip a
large flimple which had made its appearance thereon. Erysipelas and blood poisoning set in, which resulted in death a few
days later. Deceased lady was highly
respected and her sudden death from such
as apparently insignificant source has
caused much sorrow in the neighborhood
where she resided. Death From a Simple Cause

Boys Stone the Baptist Mission Hoys Stone the Baptist Mission.
QUEBEC, Sept. 29.—Some mischievous
boys gathered in front of the Baptist mission last night and fired stones into the
inall windows, breaking seyeral panes of
glass. A large crowd gathered in front of
the hall, attracted by the noise. A couple
of policemen soon dispersed the crowd and
rangored order. Cardinal Gibbons Called to Rome,
LONDON, Sept, 29.—The Chronicle's
Rome correspondent says the Pupe has
called Cardinal Gib'ons, Archibshop of
Baltimore, to Rome, his Holiness being
desirous of again seeing the American cardinal before he dies.

A Primrose Victim Recovered.

HALPAX, Oot. 1,—The body of Samuel Hotton, who has the life by the capatising of the yach Frimpose five weeks ago, was found five miles off Upper Harbor or about thirty miles from here on Saturday. The body of Drain Pipe and connections. Satisfaction guaranteed.

A. S. AULT & CO, Office: King Street Brockynack Incendiary Fire at Petenborough.

EXCITEMENT IN CHINA

Dissatisfaction in High Circles Against the Reigning Dynasty. THEIR WAR CHEST IS EMPTY

Troops—The Japanese Eager for an Advance on Pekin-A Naval Expert Sums Up the

government:

"The intense excitement in all the provinces of China and the dissatisfaction of the highest officials in the empire have reached points which indicate a probable movement against the reigning dynasty. reached points which indicate a probable movement against the reigning dynasty. The spirit animating the regular army is satisfactory, but the discipline has been much relaxed. The irregular troops upon which the government must now rely are committing great and frequent excesses everywhere. The war chest is as empty as the state exchequer, and the government has the greatest difficulty in purchasing the barest necessities for the troops in the fields."

LONDON, Sent. 29—The Times publishes

London, Sept. 29.—The Times publishes this morning an article by a naval expert, in which the writer compares and coalates the Times' advices from Chee-Foo and the Central News despatch from Tokio. writer concludes that it may be safely affirmed that modern weapons, have not materially modified the conditions of naval

Working as a Hostler in Chicago,
CHICAGO, Sept. 21—Daniel Campbell, an
ex-Canadian postmaster and legislator,
was arrested here, charged with embezzlement, and was found working as a hostler.
Campbell, it is alleged, left Moosomin,
Assinaboia, Canada, where he was postmaster two years ago, taking with him
something over \$900 of the Government's
money. He sent his wife and daughter to
England and he came to Chicago, where
he has been living ever since, working at
odd jobs. A few days ago Campbell registered a letter to his wife in England,
giving his correct name and address. It "Japau's next move," he says, "is now question of the greatest importance, hina's fleet is virtually paralyzed and the Chuna's fleet is virtually paralyzed and the Japanese are free to transport a force in any direction. There are two principal courses for them to pursue—first to strike direct for Pekin and second to occupy Formosa. Either course is more probable than a march to Monkden. It seems certain that 25,000 Japanese could take Pekin, when Japan could obtain, so far as Clina is concerned, any terms she is likely to demand. On the other hand the time available is very short owing to the apgiving his correct name and address. It was through this that he was discovered. He came down considerably from his high position and was found doing menial work in a livery stable. available is very short owing to the approach of winter, and the venture thoughtout inpracticable would be very risky. A force of 20,000 would suffice to occupy not impracticable would be very risky. A force of 20,000 would suffice to occupy Formosa, and a descent upon that island is certainly among the immediate possibilities. Japan seeks territorial expansion and Formosa offers obvious advantages." A despatch to the Daily News from Yokohama says there is a general public desire in Japan to prosecute the war against China in defiance of all obstacles and a general desire that the government make a desperate attack upon Pekin, Japanese parliament will at once vote war credits regardless of party opinions.

Reinforcements are continually departing from Yokobama, Toklo and other places in Japan but their destination is not known.

Japanese have succeeded in entering the Chinese province of Manchuria and that they are advancing upon the capital. VICTIMS OF THE FLAMES.

Two Lives Lost in a Big Blaze Nanamo, B.C. Sept. 29.—Fire broke out on the east side of Commercial streets and before it was got under control a number of buildings, hotels and stores were completely destroyed. Two lives were lost and three persons badly injured. The fire started in the Royal Hotel at the corner of Wharf and Commercial streets. Thene it burned in a northerly direction along Wharf street destroying the frame fire hall and a carpenter's workshop. Runging south the fire lieked up the barber shop adjoining the hotel, spread to a cigar store and thence caught the Nanaimo Mrs. Parr, of Winnipeg, had her pocked picked in the main building Fortunatel norschack. Arnya was arrested and would have been killed by the police if the crowd and not interfered. His accomplices, Juan 3. Jimen z, Francisco Aguirrae, Josefedon, Andres Gespades and twenty there were also arrested.

shop adjoining the hotel, spread to a cigar store and thence caught the Nanaimo Hotel and restaurant. Morgan's tailor shop and C. E. Stephen's dry-goods store. Across the street, on the west side, Williams' frame block caught fire, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done. The Central hotel, Masonic building and Hirst Bros,' store were also ignited but were saved.

Pat. Maybee, bootblack, and Fritz, the German bar-tender, occupants of the Royal hotel, perished. Two men and a little girl, also occupants of the Royal, were badly injured in making their escape, Every man, woman and child in the city turned out to help in the work of salvage. That the newer part of the town is vage. That the newer part of the town is not completely wiped out is due to the strenuous efforts of the volunteer brigade, and the fact that there was no wind,

Brutal Desertion of a Child.

Kincarding, Ont., Sept. 28.—A young couple, having with them a child of about two months, arrived in town and registered at the Commercial Hotel. They departed in the morning at three o'clock driving, and on their way left the child inside the fence at the residence of Mr. Geo. Sturgeon, at the north end of the town. The child was well clad, some of the clothing being marked with the letter "H." The Pennsylvania Expedition Returns

The Pennsylvania Expedition Returns
From Their Exploring Trip.
HALIFAX, Sept. 28. —Professors Hite and
Bucknell, Parkins and Coates, comprising
the University of Pennsylvania expedition
to Northern Labrador, arrived here yesterday from St. Johns, Newfoundland, after
two months' successful exploration. Bucknell has recovered from his illness. Professor Hite and his three companions left
for New York by the Red Cross line ateamer
Portia in the afternoon. Prof. Hite says
Labrador has a uniform climate. In the
interior are deep rivers, large valleys and
great forests. There are indications of
mineral deposits, particularly of iron,
everywhere. Timber lands, mineral dakes
and water courses, in his mind, constitute
rich potentialities. A Reverend Gentleman in Trouble.

BUFFALO, Sepi. 29.—Rev. Frederick

Stiles, Episcopal rector of Des Moines,
I.a. got on a spree here, ran out of money
and passed a bogus cheque for \$35 on a
city saloon keeper and was arrested. Rev.

Stiles secured a postponement of his case
while he wired to Birmingham, Eng., for

\$5,000.

A Civil Case Against Newsome.

BUFFALO, N.Y., Sept. 29.—Inspector de Barry received a letter from the Wash ington authorities acknowledging the receipt of his communication regarding the failure to indict Wm. B. Newsome, of Toronto, Out. and surveying of the bringing Demand for Montreal's Carnivals.

MONTBLAL, Sept. 29 — There is a movement going on just now to revive the win
ter carnivals in Montreal. An informal
meeting of a few of those interested was
held, and it was decided to call a formal
and public meeting to consult about the
best way to make a thoroughly attractive
event for the winter. The hotel men say
that correspondence from the Urited
States is full of queries as to why Montreal
has loft off having these carnivals. onto, Ont., and approving of the bringing of a civil suit, also expressing the hope that it would meet with success. A Heavy Grape Crop.
Windson, Sept. 28.—Eleven tons of grapes were shipped east from this city yesterday. The crop this year is enormous and far exceeds other seasons. On Pelee Island the growers cannot get rid of them, and what few are sold bring only half a cent a pound.

Teamster Killed at Saltford Teamster Killed at Saitford.
Goderich, Ont., Sept. 29.—A sad nccident occurred at Saitford yesterday.
Samuel Sanderson, of Dangannon, employed in teaming atone for the Goderich harbor works, was coming down the long hill near the browery when the tongue of the waggon became loose in some way and the horses started to run away, throwing the deceased out and killing him almost justantly. A Railroad Man Killed.

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 29.—A passenger car on the Columbia and Donegal Electric Railway crashed into a construction train yesterday killing Dennis Kehoe, a repair man, and seriously injuring John Ford, foreman of the repair gang.

Mrs. Dunseath's Body Found. MEAFORD, Oct. 1,—The body of Mrs. W. C. Dunseath, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., who disappeared from here on Tuesday last, was found in the river just above the woollen mill dam. It is supposed she be-came low-spirited over her illness and threw herself into the river. Dr. Cameron, of Owen Sound, will hold an inquest.

{ \$1.00 a year in advance. within 6 months. B. LOVEF

The Corean war has caused a great scar-city of silver in Japan.

Prof. Wellman, of the Arctic expedition, has arrived at New York. has arrived at New York.

It is said that Thursday, November 22, will be proclaimed Thanksgiving day.

The striking elothing workers of Boston expect to start a co-operative factory.

There was a slight earthquake shock at Chicoutimi, Que, on Wedneaday morning.

The breach between the Premier and Mr. Hall in the Quebec Cabinet is increasing.

A revolution is imminent in Hayti, as President Hippolyte's tyranny is driving the people to desperation.

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A waterspout in the mountains of Durango, Mexico, carried away a wood chopers' camp of 10 families.

A new Cabinet has been formed for Victoria, Australia, by Mr. George Turner, late leader of the Opposition.

The grape crop in Essex county this year is enormous, and the fruit can be had for half a cent a pound in Windsor.

Richard Nickels, aged 55, an old resident of St. Mary's, Ont, attempted to drown himself Friday, but was prevented.

Owing to a business dispute between the

Owing to a business dispute between the owners and the manager, The Moncton (N. B.) Times has temporarily ceased publica-

The Patrons of West York yesterday nominated Mr. J. D. Evans of Etobicoke to contest the riding at the next Dominion Earl, the three-year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland of Gore Bay, was drowned in a rain barrel by his mother in a fit

Prof. O. F. Lewis, of Syracuse N.Y. Prof. O. F. Lewis, or Syracuse N.Y., has a flying machine, which he claims can be successfully worked. It will be tried at Saratoga shortly.

Mr. Samuel Carsley, the well-known Mcntreal merchant, had a narrow escape recently from falling into a crevasse while touring in the Alps.

Cunning smugglers on the other side have been caught smuggling the goods into the country in empty mail sacks that were being returned. rere being returned.

It is reported that an anarchist attempt Rica, has been foiled, and the leading conspirators arrested.

spirators arrested.

Mr. H. A. Massey and the editor of The
Ningara Falls De la Cataract are having a
little controversy over a late article published in The Cataract, Dr. J. H. Betts of Marysville, Wolfe sland, was found dead near his house on Sunday night. Death is supposed to have been the result of a fall.

Joseph Hartley, a Winnipeg laborer, three months ago came into possession of a fortune of \$50,000. He died in the hospital Tuesday, from excessive drinking.

Mr. W. A. Shepard, ex president of the Typothetae, and manager of The Mail job printing department, died Friday night in Toronto of heart failure. He was sixty-

printing department, died Friday night in Toronto of heart failure. He was skrysfive years of age.

The New York Central annual report shows a decrease of three and a quarter millions in freight earnings, as compared with last year, but the passenger earnings increased \$103,700.

Lient Green, 5th United States Infantry, reports that Col. Elliott has found and buried the body of George Colgate, who was left in the mountains of Montana by the Carlin party last fall.

During the races at the fair grounds at Worthington, Minn, the grand stand collapsed, burying about 500 people in the wreck. None were killed outright, but about 30 were more or less injured.

An official of the Chinese legation at Washington says that the battle of Yalu river was a draw and both sides suffered equally. He admits that the Ping-Yang land fight was a defeat for the Chinese.

Mrs. A. M. Curtiss, a woman of culture and beauty, is being sued for ejectment from apartments rented on State street, Chiasgo, because it has been learned, by the lessees that she had negro blood in her yeins.

Home and Abroad.

It is the duty of everyone, whether business, to equip himself with the remedy which will keep up strength and prevent illness, and cure such ills as are liable to come upon all in every day life. Hood's Sarsaparilla keeps the blood pure and less liable to absorb the germs of disease.
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