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DOWIE'S FATHER
SAYS LIE LIESDeclares the Prophet Is His
Legitimate Son.

AND REFERS TO THE RECORDS

The Resemblance Between the Two
Men Is Said To Be Very
Striking.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—A dispatch from Essex, Iowa, says: John Murray Dowie, who was killed by the attack made upon him by his son, John Alexander Dowie, says: "The statement that I am not the father of John Alexander Dowie is the greatest myth ever uttered by the mouth of man. It is scandalous that any man should repudiate me after I have done so much for him. He is my son and was born in lawful wedlock. No one can deny it. The records may be had at the great register offices, Princess street, Edinburgh, Scotland. I have always lived a quiet, peaceable Christian life and it breaks my heart to have this trouble come toward the end."

Judge Dowie, who is respected by the whole community, lives here in his little cottage. The resemblance between John Murray Dowie and John Alexander Dowie is so close that the father has often been taken for the son. The old man is growing feeble and the recent trouble has aged him greatly.

THEY STOLE A GOD

Did Two Newspaper Men Who
Wanted "Material."

Montreal, Que., Oct. 31.—Two French-Canadian newspaper men were placed under arrest yesterday morning on a charge of theft. It is claimed they entered the Chinese Joss shop last night and made off with the god which the Chinese value at \$200. The delegates from the Chinese community are now searching for the god which they were securing for a newspaper story.

INDORSED CHAMBERLAIN

Toronto Board of Trade Approves of
His Policy.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—The Toronto Board of Trade last night passed a resolution that the bonds of the British Empire would be materially strengthened by the union of the various parts of his majesty's dominions greatly consolidated by the adoption of a common policy such as was outlined by Mr. Chamberlain at Glasgow on October sixth, and that the board of trade of Toronto support such a policy. The resolution as originally introduced contained the words, "Due consideration being given to the fact that the movement for the adoption of a common policy was made to this cause the mover agreed to eliminate it." A motion was sent by Mr. Chamberlain announcing the passage of the resolution.

THE LABOR PROBLEM

An Association Formed to Deal With
All Troubles.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—With the election of D. M. Parry, of Illinois, as president, the formation of the Citizens' Industrial Association, was completed yesterday. The organization, which is in scope, and includes representative manufacturers, tradesmen, other employers of labor, local general organizations and citizens, is having among other things as its object the dealing with the labor problem in its phases. The association will have its headquarters at the city of New York, including several in Canada, were present at the convention, and at the concluding session of the association will be held in Indianapolis next February. The manner of assessing and affiliating the many associations in the organization took up the most of the time of the delegates at today's session. It was decided that all members of the association shall pay an initiation fee of \$25 to \$100, and less than \$100 greater than \$200 per annum. Resolutions were then adopted. They refer to strained relations between employer and employee, and demand ample protection for all seeking to earn a livelihood, and continue in part: "In carrying on a firm and uncompromising contest with the abuses of unions as now constituted, and conducted at the same time acknowledging the great right of workmen to combine, and willing that the combination when rightly constituted and conducted may prove highly useful, we earnestly desire to act, and believe we are acting in the true interests of workmen themselves." Mr. Parry, who is president of the National Manufacturers' Association, was then elected head of the organization, there being no opposition to him or to the other officers elected.

SCORED PARKS' UNION

President Buchanan Makes Strong
Plea for Arbitration.

New York, Oct. 31.—With "Sam" Parks convicted and the whereabouts of "Tim" McCarthy unknown, Frank Buchanan, president of the National Association of Iron Workers, last night persuaded local No. 2, the Parks union, to take a long step toward agreeing to the arbitration plan of the employers' association. The man known as Parks' most bitter foe told the union it should be ashamed of its blind obedience to the commands of a criminal; he told the men they were the shame of organized labor in this country, and concluded by pointing out to them that the only possible outlook for peace and work was in accepting the arbitration plan.

DIED ON BIRTHDAY

Wealthy Young Lady Was Entertain-
ing Her Friends.

New York, Oct. 31.—While being congratulated by a number of women friends on her twenty-fifth birthday at her residence, the boarding house kept by Mrs. Mary Ehrhart, at No. 17 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, yesterday, Miss Beatrice Rosenthal, the eldest daughter of the late Adolph Rosenthal, a wealthy jeweler of Charleston, S. C., uttered a cry and fell unconscious at the feet of her well-wishers. When medical aid reached her, the young woman had breathed her last.

THE C. P. R. ENGINEERS

A Committee Leaves Winnipeg for
Montreal.

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.—A committee of locomotive engineers from the Pacific, western and central divisions of the C. P. R., left for Montreal, with the result of the poll of the engineers on the revised wages schedule which was presented to the management. The poll is unanimous in supporting the new schedule. It is understood that a meeting between the company and the engineers will be held in Montreal on Tuesday.

A new night train service is to be established on the Great Northern and Canadian Northern systems, by which the run between St. Paul and Winnipeg will be made in thirteen hours. The train will enter Manitoba from the Minnesota side, crossing the Red River at Emerson.

THE ITALIAN CABINET

Giolitti Finds Trouble in Making
It Up.

Rome, Oct. 31.—The unexpected announcement of the composition of the new Giolitti cabinet has not been made because the party of extreme left, the Radicali, the leader of the Radicali, to refuse with his friends participation in the government, according to three other proposed ministers with more moderate tendencies. This upsets the composition of the cabinet, and the government is now in a state of confusion. It is believed that Giolitti will ultimately succeed in forming a cabinet without the assistance of the Radicali.

THE BILBAO STRIKES

Employees Have Returned to Work
Pending Discussion.

Bilbao, Spain, Oct. 31.—As a result of the conferences between General Canalejo and the employees and employees, the former have consented to allow the strikers to return to work next week, and will consider their demands. The delegates from the strikers will hold a meeting to discuss the proposal. The authorities here have confiscated the cartridges and attempted to throw the sea all the dynamite available here.

SAY HE ORDERED
ASSASSINATIONArmenian Suspected of Participa-
tion in Sagouni's Death

Arrested.

Boston, Oct. 31.—Peter Krikorian was arraigned before Commissioner Fiske yesterday charged with being a participant in the murder of John Sagouni. When the warrant was read the defendant pleaded not guilty. He was held without bail for a further hearing next Monday. There is no specific charge declaring him to be connected with the Sagouni murder. C. P. Talbot, the British consul at Boston, stated that he had telegraphed to the British embassy at Washington for instructions in the case. Peter Krikorian is head of a London-based committee of Armenians, and Krikorian claimed also, according to the police, that Krikorian ordered the murder of Sagouni, and attempted to induce him to assassinate him several months ago, when the latter was editing a paper in London.

F FALSE CONFESSION

Remarkable Statement by a Morpeth
County Farmer.

Ridgeway, Ont., Oct. 30.—Wesley J. Simpson, the Morpeth farmer, who was committed on a charge preferred by his wife that he administered powdered glass to her, and whose sworn confession of the crime was produced at the trial, declares emphatically that the charge is utterly groundless, and is due to the peculiar hallucinations of his wife, to which he appended his name to the extraordinary document. Simpson says the trouble between them commenced at Orillia fully six years ago, when during the illness of his wife, named Stella Hayes, worked for them about a month. One day the girl brought a jar of fruit to the table to serve. Mrs. Simpson noticed that the glass jar was cracked, and ordered the girl to throw it out, saying the broken glass might get into the fruit and make it dangerous to eat. Simpson declares that since that time, perhaps owing to the peculiar nature of his illness, his wife has from time to time accused him of giving her broken glass, declaring that Stella Hayes has been following them about keeping up an undue intimacy with him.

Constable Conn. of Morpeth, was engaged by Mrs. Simpson to look for Stella Hayes, whom she declared to be prowling around the house making signals to her husband. Conn. who was furnished with a minute description of Stella, the clothes she was wearing, etc., searched the neighborhood for trace of such a person, but in vain.

AUSTRALIA TALKS
STATE BONUSESRoyal Commission Is Evenly
Divided On the Question.

ACCUSE CANADA OF EXTORTION

Alleged American-Canadian Ring Said
to Have "Boosted" Price of
Harvesting Machinery.

Melbourne, Oct. 30.—The royal commission of six protectionists and six free traders, lately appointed to consider a proposal to establish iron works by the aid of state bonuses, is evenly divided regarding the practicability or advisability of the scheme. Two reports have been issued. The free traders do not believe that bonuses will permanently establish the industry, or that they are commercially necessary. They say that Canada's export duties in connection with the payment of bonuses is discouraging. The protectionists favor the proposal. They recommend that if it is adopted the Government be empowered to purchase the industry after a certain period. They accuse Canadian and American manufacturers of harvesting machinery of extortion, alleging that prior to the imposition of the Federal tariff of 45 per cent on the export of harvesting machinery from Australia under \$300, owing to the operations of the American-Canadian ring.

WHAT CARNEGIE THINKS

He Says Canada Had No Case in
Boundary Dispute.

New York, Oct. 31.—Andrew Carnegie, who with his wife and daughter, returned from Europe yesterday, believes that the collapse of the United States Shipbuilding Company was not without good results. He said, concerning the future: "It is a good thing to squeeze the water out of some stocks. The standard securities are as good as even."

Of the Alaska boundary decision he said: "It cannot be called a victory for this country, because the other side had a very poor case. I am satisfied that Lord Alverstone could not have decided differently. I hope the outcome of this will be that the Anglo-Celtic race will get together. We ought not to go on as a divided race. Canada should merge—no, Canada should annex the United States as Scotland annexed the United States afterwards. I can tell you one thing. If Senators Lodge and Turner had done for England what they have accomplished for the United States in this matter they would have won the greatest reputation in the harbor that you can imagine. The country would have opened its heart to them."

TRIED TO STEAL
THE MAIL BAGSBut Baggage Man Got Busy
With His Gun and They
Deserted.

Tweed, Ont., Oct. 31.—Three men attempted to steal the mail bags off the midnight express at the station here last night, while the bags were lying on the platform.

They knocked down the baggage man and were making off when Baggage man Hodgson fired four shots. One shot, it is believed, took effect, as one of the men dropped the bags exclaiming: "I am shot."

BIG AND FATAL FIRE

Men Killed and Missing in Phila-
delphia Blaze.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 31.—One person dead, one missing, a dozen persons injured and a property loss of more than \$200,000 is the result of a fire which occurred at noon yesterday in the block bounded by the Schuylkill River, Race, Vine and Twenty-third streets. Charles Mesmer, aged 16, is dead, and Harry McWilliams is missing. The buildings destroyed were the flour mill of W. S. Woodward & Sons, and the Baltimore and Ohio grain elevator. The wagon works of H. Keiser & Co. were damaged by a wall falling on the roof.

The fire began in a frame building between the flour mill and the great elevator, and it quickly spread to the buildings. Eight men were working on the roof of the grain elevator when the fire began, and seven of them are known to have made their escape. The eighth, McWilliams, cannot be found, and it is believed his body is in the ruins. Believing that the flames would reach the wagon works its employees were put to work removing stock. While this was going on the grain elevator wall fell on the roof of the wagon works and buried nearly a dozen men under the debris. Firemen went to the rescue, and found the body of Mesmer, an apprentice. Two workmen and ten firemen were injured, but not seriously. The loss is nearly covered by insurance.

Landed Two Prizes.

Melbourne, Victoria, Oct. 31.—Sir Rupert Clarke, a member of the legislative council of Victoria, has accomplished the remarkable feat of getting first and second places in the Australian Derby with his horses, F. J. A. and Sweet Nell. Belah was third. The time, 2:36 3/4, equals the record.

THE POPE'S BARBER

He Walks Four Hundred Miles to See
His Holiness.

Rome, Oct. 31.—Luigi Cristofoli, a barber, who used to shave Pope Pius X, when he was Patriarch of Venice, walked from Venice to Rome, 400 miles, to pay his respects to the Pontiff.

Cristofoli, when he went to the Vatican and said he wished to see the Pope, was surprised to find that he must formally ask for an audience. The barber went in high dudgeon to the sister of the Pope, who promised to speak to his brother in his behalf.

FOOTBALL TEAM
IN BAD WRECKPlayers of Purdue College
Killed On Big Four Road.

TWELVE BODIES RECOVERED

And It Is Feared Many More Are in
the Debris—How the Accident
Occurred.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 31.—The Big Four train, carrying the members of the football team of Purdue University from Lafayette was wrecked near Riverside Park today. Several players are seriously and perhaps fatally hurt. The team was scheduled to play with the Indiana State University this afternoon. Twelve dead bodies have been taken from the wreck.

Besides the twelve bodies that have been recovered, there are still others in the wreck. The accident was due to a cut of cars running down the switch at the gravel pit at Eighteenth street. The engineer of the students' special saw the cars approaching and jumped from his engine. The first coach was cut in two and the engine was thrown on its side.

The second coach, occupied by the Purdue Band, was telescoped. The first coach was crushed to splinters, the second telescoped and thrown down an embankment fifteen feet high while the third coach was thrown across the track. There is confusion as to what caused the accident, each engineer insisting that he had the track and did not know of the other train. A deep cut prevented a clear view of the track. The crash of the first two coaches in which were many of the players and substitutes. The engine, two coal cars and two coaches were crushed into a confused mass of wreckage. Under this pile of debris, were fifty or more students of the university.

The uninjured in the rear coaches hurried to the aid of the victims. The work of pulling out the dead and injured was continued by the students and passengers, including many girls from Lafayette, until surgical help arrived. Then hospitals and surgeons were telephoned for aid and physicians began rushing up in automobiles and carriages. Ambulances were hurried to the wreck. A large force continued tearing away the debris and removing bodies.

BOOTH-TUCKER PREACHED

At Funeral Service Over His Wife at
Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Surrounded by 5,000 Salvation Army mourners who had gathered at Princess rink last night, to pay tribute to the memory of Mrs. Emma Booth-Tucker, Commander Booth-Tucker, in a sermon full of pathos, told of the many good deeds performed by the dead leader. While speaking, the husband, grief-stricken wept, and his face was pale as death. At the conclusion of the ceremony the casket was removed to the Pennsylvania depot and will be taken to New York today by Commander Booth-Tucker, and a number of officers. On arrival of the funeral train to New York today by Commander Booth-Tucker, and a number of officers. On arrival of the funeral train to New York today by Commander Booth-Tucker, and a number of officers.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Tomorrow—Showery.

London, Saturday, Oct. 31.
Sun rises, 6:51 a.m. Moon sets, 11:57 p.m.
Sun sets, 5:12 p.m. Moon rises, 11:57 a.m.
The weather has been fine again today throughout the Dominion. In the North-west Territories, Manitoba and Ontario it has been quite warm, and in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces the temperature has been higher than it was yesterday.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-50; Kamloops, 42-50; Calgary, 34-54; Qu'Appelle, 28-34; Winnipeg, 22-36; Port Arthur, 26-30; Parry Sound, 41-58; Toronto, 44-52; Ottawa, 40-51; Montreal, 42-52; Quebec, 32-43; Halifax, 40-52.

FORECASTS.

Today—Southerly winds; fair and warm; showers tonight.
Sunday—Southeasterly winds, and showery.

Temperatures.
Stations. a.m. Min. Weather.
Calgary 39 29 Fair
Winnipeg 32 29 Fair
Parry Sound 32 38 Cloudy
Toronto 32 38 Cloudy
Ottawa 32 38 Fair
Montreal 46 46 Fair
Quebec 46 46 Fair
Father Point 34 28 Clear

WEATHER NOTES.
Fine and moderately warm weather prevails throughout the Dominion, with no indications of much change in temperature.

Local temperatures: Friday—Highest, 67; lowest, 32.

SANTO DOMINGO
IS IN PERILStrong Revolutionary Army
Marching On Capital.

DESPERATE BATTLE EXPECTED

Rebel Leader Receives Assistance
From Outside Sources—Is Con-
fident of Success.

Puerto Plata, Santo Domingo, Oct. 31.—"On to the Capital" is the cry of the revolutionists, and preparations are being hurriedly made for an attack on Santo Domingo. More than 2,000 revolutionists are now at Cotui under command of Generals Efraim Rodriguez and Jose Bordas, organizing for battle against the principal city of the republic. The first resistance is expected at Sillon de la Vinda, and a desperate battle is anticipated.

Gen. Morales is jubilant. He is confident of the success of the revolution. His friends have cabled money and he announces that his triumph will be accomplished within a few days.

MCCARTHY SURRENDERS

Sam Parks' Companion Will Face
the Charge.

New York, Oct. 31.—Timothy McCarthy, one of the indicted walking delegates of the Housewives and Bridge-men's Union, whose bail was forfeited by his non-appearance for trial yesterday, surrendered himself today. A bench warrant was issued for McCarthy yesterday, but was withdrawn upon the promise of McCarthy's counsel to produce him.

AFTER "FLYER" WRECKERS

Man Arrested in Connection With
Santa Fe Accident.

Pueblo, Co., Oct. 31.—A man giving the name of John Duffy was arrested here last night in compliance with a telegram from Detective Rhell, of Santa Fe, who is now working on the case of the wrecking of the Chicago flyer yesterday. A subsequent request was made for the arrest of all suspicious characters in connection with this and is being carried out.

DURAND LIKED
BY THE SPANISHAnd His Promotion to Washing-
ton Should Please the
United States.

London, Oct. 31.—The Times correspondent at Madrid says that any would given to Spanish susceptibilities by the promotion of Sir Henry Mortimer Durand as British ambassador at Washington will be short-lived, and that ultimately Spain will feel gratified at the idea that Sir Henry's stay in Madrid has infused him with the friendliest feeling for Spain. Moreover, says the Times' correspondent, the relations of the United States and Spain have reached an extremely cordial stage, thanks in a large degree to Durand's old colleague at Tcherhania, Persia.

Sir Henry's stay in Madrid has had the effect of bringing about a great change in the anti-English feelings that prevailed when he was appointed. These facts, it is added, are an earnest of his success at his new post. He has long been a convinced partisan of the Anglo-Saxon entente, and it is no exaggeration to say that he has been the dream of his life to become ambassador at Washington. It would be impossible, concludes the correspondent, to find a British diplomat with stronger American sympathies.

AMERICA'S CHANCE

Astounding Statement by a New
York Correspondent.

London, Oct. 31.—An astounding message comes to the Manchester Guardian today from its New York correspondent, who is supposed to be in close touch with official quarters in Washington. The dispatch says: "It is recognized among American public men that Canada's bitterness over the Alaskan award presents an opportunity for American statesmanship and adds: 'This might seek first to ingratiate itself with Canada by offering favorable terms of trade, and later press for advantages of political union. A majority of Americans always expect Canada to apply for annexation sooner or later. Many think recent events give a distinct flip to the movement of the continental union. The greatest obstacle is short-sighted American protectionists.'"

Mommensen Is Dying.

The historian, who suffered a severe
apoplectic stroke yesterday, still lingers
unconscious. His bed has been re-
moved to his airy workroom, adjoining
the library, because it is one of the
largest rooms in the house, farthest
from the bedroom of his wife, who is
near death from drowsy. Her illness
during recent weeks severely affected
the professor's general health.LAURIE AT MONTREAL
Premier Will Take a Rest at
Arthabaskaville.

Montreal, Oct. 31.—Sir Wilfrid Laurie arrived in the city at noon yesterday, and is staying at the Windsor Hotel until this afternoon, when he will leave for Arthabaskaville for a few days. Next Thursday he will visit Quebec, and remain until Sunday, then returning to Arthabaskaville. Yesterday Sir Wilfrid was entertained to a quiet luncheon at the St. James' Club by Senator Casgrain, the other guests being Hon. Mr. Archambault and Senator David.

CORSET STEELS IN HEART

After Carrying Them in Her Body
for Years, She Dies.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 31.—Doctors performed an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Mary L. Halliday, who died suddenly Wednesday night, found two pieces of corset steel imbedded in her heart. Their lengths were eight and three-quarter inches. It is not known when the steel entered her, but the ends were together and worn to a bevel by the movement of her body. Mrs. Halliday was 42 years old and the mother of six children. In her life she had peculiar attacks, but the cause was unknown until Thursday. It is evident she had carried the steel for years and that it gradually moved toward her heart.

A DOG MESSENGER

He Notifies Family of His Master's
Death.

Big Rapids, Mich., Oct. 31.—Waldo H. Leeson, 17 years old, left for Remus to visit a married sister a few miles distant, taking a gun and two dogs along. Late in the evening the dog returned to the house, scattered with blood. The family and neighbors formed a searching party, and during the night found the boy in the woods, cold to death, and the other dog watching beside him. The boy had been shot through the heart, evidently by the accidental discharge of his gun. Death was instantaneous.

AURORA AND TELEGRAPH

Northern Lights Cripple Cable and
Telegraph Service.

New York, Oct. 31.—A brilliant display of the aurora borealis early today interfered with telegraphic service in this vicinity. Telegraph companies report they were unable to account of the electrical display and all cables were rendered useless. The aurora was the first display of the aurora in this city for ten years and it lasted several hours.

The French Cable Company gives notice that owing to the extraordinary electrical disturbances they are informed by the European cable companies that business will be subject to heavy delay.

JURY TOSSES UP
FOR A VERDICTLawsuit Decided by Fluttering
Paper Marked by Twelve
Inquisitors.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 31.—The jury in the case of John P. Leahy, administrator of the estate of Catherine Downes, against John Tesson, arrived at a verdict by lot. The jury had been out since Wednesday, and began work could not agree. Eight members of the jury were in favor of returning a verdict in favor of Leahy and four were against him.

Two slips of paper, with the words plaintiff and defendant written on them were tossed up in the air, the one in favor of Leahy coming down face up. The result was that one of the jurymen was won over, making the nine necessary to return a verdict. Leahy was suing Tesson to recover \$700, which it was alleged the latter was withholding from the estate.

ANGRY AT REPRIEVE

Abuses Governor for Keeping Him
From Celestial Glory.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 31.—John McCrea, murderer of Detective William E. Murphy, who was yesterday granted a reprieve until Nov. 27, today abused Governor Yates for his clemency. McCrea was ready to die, and insisted the governor did wrong.

"Why delay?" he asked, "I am ready to die. I have made my peace with God, and I want to die now. Governor Yates should not have done it. I would have liked the governor, but I don't any more. Thirty days more of suffering! If I had known about this plan I would have stopped it."

TRAPS ALLEGED "MASHIE"

Young Woman Leads Self-Invited
Escort to Police Station.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—The proper way to treat a "masher," according to Miss Lizzie Burgess, 624 Foster street, Evanston, is to pretend you do not object to his attentions, meanwhile leading him on to the nearest police station, and then have him arrested. Miss Burgess put her theory into practice last evening, with the result that Chief Scott occupied a cell in the Evanston police station.

Miss Burgess was walking in Emerson street when a man spoke to her. "May I see you home?" said he. She answered yes, but instead of going home walked to the police station and had her "escort" locked up.

"JOHN BULL, SONS
AND COMPANY"A Telling Phrase of Chamber-
lain's Newcastle Speech.

"BRITISH GOODS FOR BRITISH"

Is Motto of New Association of
English Business Men—Hicks-
Beach's Stand.

London, Oct. 1.—Mr. J. A. Jacoby, M. P., Liberal, speaking at Bolton yesterday, said he favored putting an end to the dumping into Britain of bounty-fact manufactured goods which seriously interfered with the British markets. It is freely hinted that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is prepared to take office with Premier Balfour. His attitude is likely to force the Duke of Devonshire to speak plainly concerning Premier Balfour's action in regard to the cabinet, and the position the free traders should adopt. Of the 64 members of Parliament claimed as members of the Free Food League only 42 are forthcoming.

The Hon. A. S. Murray, secretary for Scotland, in an address last night, declared that the policy of Mr. Chamberlain and Premier Balfour as to fiscal changes would not take place until after the general elections. If the Liberals came into power there would be a revival of the policy of harassed each trade and the Government would be sustained. The Somerset Chamber of Commerce at a largely-attended meeting yesterday carried a resolution to the effect that the time had arrived for consideration of the fiscal policy of the empire with a view to strengthening the bond of union with the colonies and providing means of resisting hostile foreign tariffs.

The Express publishes a long list of British manufacturers who have been compelled to emigrate abroad owing to the protective tariffs of foreign countries.

Mr. Chamberlain has revised his Glasgow speech of Oct. 6 for the National Review. The speech, which was imperfectly reported by the press, owing to the telegraphic breakdown, is summarized by the London Mail as one which will be marked by modesty as among the finest examples of British eloquence. The only alteration in the speech is where Mr. Chamberlain originally said that he was duty averaging 10 per cent would give the exchequer £9,000,000 a year additional. The revised version reads: "It might be said that the duty of 10 per cent would give the exchequer £14,000,000 as the value of imports of manufactured and partly manufactured goods."

In his Newcastle speech Mr. Chamberlain said with regard to colonial trade: "The first thing that I have to say to you is that I am not a protectionist, and I am not a free trader. I am a man who believes in the future of the British Empire. Within the limits of the British Empire, 'British goods for British' is the password of the new undertaking. Subsidy limited commerce will be formed in all of the colonies, and each will send a director to London."

Lord Chamberlain, who is at Hampton last night, said that if the Government stated a concrete case of retaliation the Commons would adopt it. If there was any case of retaliation, the Commons would adopt it. If there was any case of retaliation, the Commons would adopt it.

QUEBEC BLOCK BURNED

A \$60,000 Blaze at the Ancient
Capital.

Quebec, Oct. 29.—One of the most extensive and important business blocks of St. Roch, a three-story brick building on St. Joseph street, near Bridge street, belonging to the press, was badly scorched by a fire which was discovered at 6:30 o'clock this morning. The building was occupied by the Quebec store of Martel & Martel, the clothing store of Goodman and the large shoe store of J. H. Bédard. The fire started in the upper part of the building, occupied by Armaly, photographer. The cause of the fire is unknown. The stocks of Martel & Martel, Goodman, and Bédard were badly damaged by water and smoke. There was also considerable damage by water from the fire engine. The damage is estimated at about \$60,000; well insured.

BEAR TREES VALE MEN

Bruin Will Be On the New York
Gridiron Saturday.

New Haven, Oct. 31.—Trainer "Mike" Murphy, of the Yale football team has received a good-sized black bear from "Chick" Franchot, of last year's track team, who is in the Adirondacks. The animal was turned loose in the baseball cage, and today when Max Schwartz and the other members of the training squad opened the cage the bear dashed at them.

The six men scooted across to the gymnasium entrance and barred the door, but when they saw that Bruin was simply playful they finally ventured out and lassoed him. He remained near the cage all day.

The bear will accompany the team to New York and will scamper along the side lines Saturday as Yale's mascot in the game with Columbia. His ultimate destiny is the gridiron, but whether as Yale's permanent mascot or as bear steak at the training table has not yet been decided.

Anglo-Russian Entente.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 31.—A dispatch from Port Arthur says considerable interest is manifested there in an article published by the Novykrak, the organ of Viceroy Alexieff, commenting favorably on the idea of an Anglo-Russian rapprochement, to which the writer asserts there is no serious obstacle.