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Montreal	250	242
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Toronto	244	241
Morchants		182
Commerce	145%	144%
Imperial	215	210
Dominion	257	35534
Standard		183
Hamilton		188
British America	134	1333/3
Western Assurance	175	1731/2
Consumers' Gas		222
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SALES-1 p.m.-Western Assurance, 10 at 73½; Dominion Tel., 2 at 132½; Can. Pacific 15 25 at 84 New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Oct. 18. Yesterday's Close. Open. High. Low. 2:30.

Bay State Gas. Dhicago Gas....103%
N. Y. Gas..... Electric ... Jen. Electric ... 54% 55 Jan. 94% 94% 32% 32% St. P. 107

Wabash. 20% 20%

W. U. 91% 91% 91%

Brooklyn Transit 64% 64% 64% 64%

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Leather Trust. 64% 64% 64%

Lead. 32% 32%

Sugar. 111% 111% 113

Tobacco. 114% 113 114%

Southern Ry. Pfd 34% 34% 34%

Jersey Central. 87

K. & T. Pfd. 30% 29% 29%

N. P. Pfd. 75% 75%

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Oct. 17. Canadian Pacific..... 83% 1805 175 Montreal Telegraph
Richelieu and Ontario
Montreal Street Railway
Mont. Street Railway, new oronto Railway.....ontreal Gas Company..... ferchants' Bank of Halifax.....
 Union Bank
 110

 Bank of Commerce
 146

 Northwest Land, pref
 55

 Montreal Cotton Co
 154

 Canada Colored Cotton
 70

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 Union Bank..... Dominion Cotton....

SALES—Can. Pacific, 100 at 83%, 50 at 83%; Mont. Tel., 20 at 177; Mont. St. Ry, 115 at 276; Toronto Ry, 50 at 103, 25 at 103%, 200 at 103%; Mont. Gas. 19 at 186; Dominion Cotton, 120 at 99.

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, Oct. 17.-Wheat-The offerings are not large, the demand is fair. and the market is firmer, at 65c for red and white west; Manitoba wheat is steady, at 80½c for No. 1 hard at Toronto and west. Flour-Dull; cars of straight roller, in barrels, are quoted at \$3 to \$3 10 west. Millfeed-More offering and steady, at \$11 to \$13 for shorts and \$8 for bran west. Barley-Steady, at 45c for No. 1 east and 44c west. Corn-Steady, at 33c for Canada yellow west, and 391/2c for American here. Oats-Firmer, at 24c to 241/2c for white west. Peas-Steady, at 521/2c to 53c west. Eggs-Steady, at 15c to 16c for fresh gathered here. Butter-Choice dairy tub scarce and firm, at 16c; other sorts unchanged.

English Markets Liverpool, Oct. 17-Closing.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 6s 2½d; No. 2 red western winter, dull, 5s 10d; No. 1 Cal. 7s 10½d to 7s 11½d; No. 1 cash, firm, 8s 2½d.

Corn—Spot American mixed new, steady, 3s 7½d; futures, quiet; Oct., 3s 7½d; Nov., 3s 7½d; Dec., steady, 3s 7½d; ec., steady, 3s 7¼d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s 3d.
Peas—Canadian, 4s 11d.

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Pork—Firm, prime mess, fine western, 50s;
do, medium, western, firm, 47s 6d.

Beof—Strong; prime mess. 61s 3d; extra India mess, strong, 67s 6d; do, medium, western, steady, 51s 3d.

Hams—Short ent. firm, 14th 15 h.

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Bacon—Firm; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30, lbs.,
36s; short ribs, steady, 20 to 24 lbs, 33s 6d; long
clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 31s 6d;
long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, stocks
exhausted; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50
lbs., no stocks; clear bellies, firm, 14 to 16 lbs,
38s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 32s.
Shouldars—Schanz 19 to 14 lbs, steady, 24s.

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Shoulders—Square. 12 to 14 lbs. steady, 24s.

Lard—Prime western, firm, 26s 9d.

Butter—Finest American, 94s; good, 68s. Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 3d. Oneese—Dull; American finest white, and col-

Tallow—Prime city, firm, 20s 9d. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, steady, 15s

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 24s. Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, £5 5s Petroleum-Refined, 5 5-16d.

American Markets. OHICAGO. Oct. 17. — Opening — Wheat, May, 66c; Dec., 64½c. Corn, May, 33½c; Dec., 50½c. Oats, May, 23½c; Dec., 22½c. Pork, Jan., \$9 15. Lard, Jan., \$5 02½. Ribs, Jan., \$4 75. BUFFALO, Oct. 17.—Spring wheat— No. 1 northern, 71½c. Winter wheat— No. 2 red, 71c; white, 71c, on track. Corn -No. 2 yellow, 35c; No. 3 yellow, 34%c; No. 2 corn, 341/2c; No. 3 corn, 341/4c. Oats-No. 2 white, 28c; No. 3 white, 27c;

No. 4 white, 27c, on track. DETROIT, Oct. 17.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 681/4c; No. 2 red cash, 67%c; Dec., 671/2c; May, 681/2c.

TOLEDO, Oct. 17.—Wheat—Cash and Oct. 68½c; Dec., 69c; May, 69c. Corn—Cash, 31½c; Dec., 31½c; May, 33¼c. Oats-Cash, 221/2c; May, 24c.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 17.-Wheat-Cash, 661/2c; Dec., 651/8c.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17-Noon.-Flour-Receipts, 27,797 barrels; sales, 3,300 packages; state and western firm, and held a shade higher; Minnesota patents, \$3 90 to \$4 30; do bakers, \$3 15 to \$3 40; winter patents, \$3 75 to \$3 90; do straights, \$3 50 to \$3 60; do extra, \$2 75 to \$3 15; do low grades, \$2 25 to \$2 45; rye flour firm at \$2 75 to \$3 20. Wheat-Receipts, 403,300; cales, 495,000; options opened firmer on cables, declined with Chicago, but rallied and turned stronger on foreign buying; March, 73%c; May, 70%c to 70%c; Dec.,

71%c to 72%c. Rye firm; state, 51c; No. | Latest Weather Forecast 2 western, 51½c, c.i.f., Buffalo. Corn-Receipts, 92,150; sales, 50,000; options quiet, but stronger on covering; firm on cables; May, 38%c to 38%c; Dec., 36%c to 37 1-16c. The receipts of oats were 146,000 bu; dull; track, white state and western, 28½c to 34c. Butter-Receipts, 6,416 pkgs; firm; state dairy, 14c to 181/2c; do creamery, 15c to 22c; western creamery, 15½c to 22½c; Elgins, 22½c. Cheese—Receipts, 4,546 pkgs; steady; large white, 8%c to 8%c; small white, 9c; large colored, 8%c to 8%c; small colored, 9c. Eggs-Receipts, 5,147 pkgs; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 181/2c to 19c; westerns,

Chicago Exchange

Live Stock Markets. CH1CAGO, Oct. 17.—Hogs—Receipts for today, 37,000; left over, 2,640; light hogs strong, others weak and 10c lower; light, \$3 55 to \$3 95; mixed, \$3 50 to \$3 95; heavy, \$3 45 to \$3 95; roughs, \$3 45 to \$3 60; Yorkers, \$3 85 to \$3 90. Cattle— Receipts, 20,000, including 4,000 westerns; market weak and 10c lower; beeves, \$4 05 to \$4 75; cows and helfers, \$2 to \$4.70; westerns, \$3.60 to \$4.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.10 to \$4.60.

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UNCLE TOM'S CABIN

The Home of Mr. Stowe's Hero May Be Sold at Auction.

Chicago, Oct. 17.-Unless claimed and time, the old "Uncle Tem's Cabin," the home at one time of Harriet Beecher Stowe's immortal hero, which has been standing at the north end of the Libby Prison grounds since the World's Fair, will be sold to the highest bidder or otherwise disposed of. The whole Libby Prison site is, in fact, likely to be utilized as the location of a great auditorium or coliseum building, after the order of the Madison Square Garden in

TWINS MARRIED

Remarkable Double Wedding in a Small Ohio Town.

Springfield, Ohio, Oct. 17 .- A remarkable wedding took place on Saturday evening at the home, near Wilmington, of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McKee, when twin sisters. Misses Ada and Alma Mc-Kee, were wedded to twin brothers, William and Frank Brindle. The two brothers look so much alike that only relatives can tell them apart; likewise the sisters.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Wm. Ogilvie has been gazetted & commissioner to inquire into the charges against government officials in

The total assessment of Ottawa this rear is \$33,713,725, an increase of over \$800,000. The population has increased by 1.659-total \$55,386. It is feared that a very considerable proportion of the Manitoba wheat crop be ruined, even though

weather should now set in, as the Byron Keating became entangled in the machinery at the Ontario Wheel Company's works, Gananoque, Saturday, and his injuries will probably

A highwayman attempted to hold up Miss Meyers, cashier of the Metallic Roofing Company in Parkdale Satur-day. Miss Meyers had in her hands a bag containing \$500, which she had just drawn from the bank to pay the employes. Miss Meyers held on to the bag and fought the highwayman. Her screams brought speedy assistance

and the thief decamped without the Attorney William Patton, of the Chicago-Virden Coal Company, is authority for the statement that no further attempt will be made to land the Alabama negroes at Virden, whose coming resulted in the loss of so many There is under consideration, lives. according to Attorney Patton, an attempt to fix the responsibility for the tragedy upon the governor of Illinois.

Steamship Arrivals. At Oct. 16. Lake Huron..... Moville..... Montrea Lake Ontario Father Point... Liverpoo Montreal

Satisfactory Results. So says Dr. Curlett, on old and honcrable practitioner in Belleville, Ont., who writes: "For wasting diseases and Scrofula I have used Scott's Emulsion with the most satisfactory results." The fad for burned orange is carried in Paris to the extent of having roses

of that color on hats. A DINNER PILL. - Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon he stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a pos-son to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medi-cine to take if troubled with indiges-tion.

Toronto, Oct. 17-11 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: East and southeast winds, increasing to heavy gales. Rain late tonight. On Tuesday: Southwest and west gales; rain in the morning. turning much cooler.

-Mrs. Darcy has returned from a trip to Chicago very much improved in

-Gen. Hutton has been engaged all day on the inspection of Wolseley Bar-

-Mr. C. E. E. Ussher, general passenger agent of the C. P. R., Montreal, is in the city today. -Madie Brown, the alleged murderer

of P. C. Toohey, is not so jovial today as he was yesterday. Still he eats and -A peach picked off a tree on Saturday, belonging to William Hockins, 428 Horton street, measured 10 inches in

-Mr. George Martindale, of the G. T. R., addressed the men's meeting in the Auditorium yesterday. There was a

fairly large attendance. -"What Happened to Jones" drew bright comedy, and gave every satis-

-Miss Agnes O'Neill returned on Saturday evening from a month's visit at the home of her brother, Mr. Ed J. O'Neill, of Guelph, where she had a

most enjoyable time. -A blazing shed in the rear of an empty house on Horton street gave the fire brigade a run yesterday afternoon. Slight damage. Boys are supposed to have started the blaze.

-The G. T. R. station at Hamburg was robbed on Thursday night, Oct. 13, when a number of bicycle checks, socks, umbrellas, five Cardigan jackets, black and brown in color, and a quantity of ladies' mitts and hose were carried off. -The funeral of the late Mrs. Howlett, of Delaware, took place yesterday from her late residence, con. 3, to Delaware cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Cozens. The pallbearers were four grandsons and two

sons, by deceased's own request. -An unusual scene was witnessed yesterday in the Wellington Street Methodist church. At the close of an impressive sermon in the morning, by the pastor, Rev. Joseph T. Edge, and without any solicitation on his part fourteen persons advanced to the front and took their places as penitents.

-Miss Kathryn R. Chattoe, contralto soloist, of Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, sang at both services in Dundas Street Methodist Church yesterday. Miss Chattoe is the possessor of a full, rich contralto voice, and all who heard her were delighted with her sympathetic and reverential singing. -Mr. Alex. McQueen, the superintendent of Knox Presbyterian Sabbath school, South London, having resigned the position after fourteen years of removed by its owner within a short faithful and efficient service, the session have appointed Mr. D. McAlpine to the superintendency, with Mr. D. McCrimmon as assistant. Both officers are old Sabbath school workers, and will doubtless keep up the excellent reputation of the school, which it has enjoyed under their predecessor.

MAY RUN TO LONDON

L. H. and D. R. R. May Make This Their Terminus if the Bylaw Is Defeated in St. Thomas.

The Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway bonus campaign is on again in St. Thomas in connection with the proposed extension of the road from Ridgetown. It will be remembered that a bylaw was submitted last spring, but was defeated largely through the instrumentality of a competing company, which is again canvassing against it, with what result remains to be seen. The bonuses in the municipalities along the route are pretty sure to carry. The building of the extension will probably follow, and this is where London's interest comes in. In the event of the bylaw not carrying in St. Thomas, the Lake Erie people will hardly go there, owing to the heavy expense of bridging, which can be avoided by running the lines further north, and in that case London would probably be the terminus, during the balance of the London and Port Stanley lease, at any rate. Why not make it the terminus permanently? No doubt some arrangement could be made with the Lake Erie Company for market rates and other advantages, which would bring London a lot of trade that is now done in St. Thomas, and this city would have besides another through connection with the west. The question is, would it not be worth while to offer the company some inducement to come in here, anyway? It is not yet too late. The matter should receive serious consideration in this city.

POLICE COURT CASES

Doxtator Goes Down for a Month for Theft-Arthur Castle Committed on the Charge of Insanity.

The police court was crowded with spectators this morning, many of whom labored under the impression that Madie Brown, the alleged murderer, would be arraigned. Constable Hobbins was had books on hand at the time. boys and others who had no business

at the court. Abraham Doxtater, the Indian medicine man, convicted of having stolen a valise from the G. T. R. depot belonging to Rev. Mr. Cullis, of Chatham, was sent down for a month.

Four young men, for riding bicycles on the sidewalk, were fined \$1 each. Stephen Harvey, charged by Daniel McAuley with assault, was discharg-Wm. Jefferies paid a fine of \$1 and

75 cents costs as witness fees for us-

ing abusive language to Market Clerk

Wilgon. Two drunks were fined \$1 and one was discharged. Arthur Castle, the young man who threw his arms around a young lady's neck on Ridout street the other evening, was committed for trial on the

charge of insanity. Now that the season is opened, don't lose sight of the Fly. 34 tf

Look out for the Fly.

HAZING DAY

Initiation of the Freshmen by Merry Medicos.

The Students Take Possession of the School and Send the First Year Men Into the Black Hole-A Jolly Function.

The medicos at the London Medical School had a merry time this morning. That time-honored function-the hazing of the freshmen-took place with all the vim, good-nature, wit and vigor that a couple of score of ablebodied young men could throw into the yearly episode in college life. A ruse on the part of the sophomores led the freshmen to believe that the even't was scheduled for next week, and consequently the first-year men were first floor, which they converted into their stronghold. They numbered 15 strong, with the emphasis on the strong, and the sophomores were a good match for them. It was a battle royal, and the senior students, with a sprinkling of recent grads, stood by to large audiences Saturday afternoon see fair play. The freshmen succeedand evening at the Grand. It is a ed in building a barricade of benches and chairs behind one door of the lecture room, and barred the other door before the attack was begun. While this was being removed the venerable dean of the faculty was noticed coming up the walk to the school, and he was met by closed The students had possession, doors. and pandemonium reigned—but it was all for the good of the freshies. No No accidents resulted, and throughout the stubborn struggle no ill-nature was exhibited. After the freshmen were subdued and forced to enter the black hole in the dissecting room, and carry up the cadavers, the oath was administered with the accustomed formality. The crowd then adjourned to the yard and were grouped before Dr. R. E. Bucke's camera, following which there was a happy reunion of conquered and conquerors in the lecture hall, where an impromptu programme was carried out, Dr. J. B. Campbell, jun., presiding. The freshmen are:

Bane, M. Meadows, — Meadows, Mc-Guigan, Little, W. Fisher, Harold, Hunt, Fleming, Clark, Thomm, McRae, Smith, Johnson and Mason.

ORGAN OPENING

Pleasing Event at the Memorial Church -Triumph Achieved by the R. 8. Williams & Son Co.

Another fine three-manual organ has been added to the city by the Memorial congregation in their church on William street. It was heard yesterday for the first time, and is certainly a grand instrument. The case is of quarter-cut oak, and finely finished, and the front pipes, which are all speaking pipes, are very handsomely decorated in red, blue and gold. The console is about ten feet from the organ, singers sitting all round the player, who can thus both see and hear decani and cantoris choirs. All the visible work is of the best; it is hard to say whether the projection into the chancel or nave is the most handsome.

The tone of the organ is orchestral and very good. The flutes on the choir and great organs are fine; of the reeds, there is a lovely oboe on the swell, and a superb clarinet on the choir, and both the trumpets are well-voiced reeds. The diapasons are all both rich and bold and the Voix Celeste was the delight of all who heard it in the evening offertoire. Although put together in the remarkably

short time of three weeks, there was not a hitch at either service; it played only when it was wanted, which is not The Memorial Church has one of the

the rule at organ openings. best choirs in the city, as the programme of yesterday proves. "In morning Mr. Ashplant assisted with the solo in the anthem, in his usual easy manner. The evening anthem was the "Hallelujah Chorus"; Dykes' service in F in the morning, and Woodward in D in the evening. The rendering of all of them was good, showing that the organist, Mr. J. W. Fetherston, is an artistic choir master. The universal verdict is that the congregation is to be congratulated on the really good organ which is in the church, and the builders, R. S. Williams & Sons, have succeeded in erecting an instrument second to none.

WELL WATCHED

he Public Library and Contagious Diseases.

At the last meeting of the board of health, the public library was mentioned as a special channel by which infectious diseases were spread with the exception of one man who throughout the city. The public library board take every care in their power to prevent the spread of disease. Dr. Hutchinson, medical health officer, notifies the library of every case reported to him, and the first inquiry made by the officer is—"Have you any books from the library." If so they are taken and destroyed, and reported to me. The borrower is relieved of any responsibility in the matter. Since Jan. 1 we have been notified of

33 cases of scarlet fever and 12 of diphtheria, a total of 45. In only 17 cases had any members of the family been using the library, and only six stationed at the door to keep out young books were taken by the medical health officer and destroyed at once. Scarlet fever and diphtheria does not often attack children over eight years of age. Books in the library are not for the use of children so young, and they are not at all likely to be interested in them. If you will remember that over 6,000 cards are in use, and today about 3,000 books are out, the above figures compared with the circulation, is a very small percentage. The cases reported are not known as being blamed on the library.

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A STARTLING

Hurried Preparations of the French Naval Department.

Armored Cruisers To Be Prepared for Immediate Service-British Ironclads Practicing St . French Naval

Paris, Oct. 17 .- The Soliel publishes a dispatch from Toulon, which says that Vice-Admiral Fournier, who is now at Nice with M. Lockroy, minister for war, will return immediately to London, where orders have been received to repair the armored cruisers, Admiral Trehourt, Bouvines, Jemmeps taken by surprise. An opportunity was and Valmy for active service, and also given them, however, of establishing to send to Brest without delay the largest possible number of gunners to man the forts and batteries.

Paris, Oct. 17.-Inquiries made today at the offices of the French minister of marine confirm the report, published by the Soliel in a dispatch from Toulon saying that Vice-Admiral Fournier, who is now at Tunis with the minister of marine, will return immediately to Toulon, where orders have been received to speedily prepare the armored cruisers Amiral Erehourart, Bouvines, Jemmapes and Valmy for active service, and that, in addition, orders have been issued to send the largest possible number of gunners to Brest without delay to man the forts and batteries there. The vessels mentioned are to be promptly placed on a war footing and are to be sent to Brest.

Rumor connects the French naval preparations with the question in dispute with Great Britain as to the possession of Fashoda on the Nile. The Paris papers today in chronicling the movements of the British fleet in the Mediterranean, announce, that three British iron-clads are engaged in gun practice off Bizzerta, the French naval station in the Mediterranean, on the African coast.

DESPOILING THE DEAD!

Heartless Robbery of the Mohegan's Dead Passengers.

Dr. Fallow's Money Stolen-The Fire on Board the Blengfell.

Falmouth, England, Oct. 17.-Relatives and friends of the victims of the Mohegan disaster are arriving here by every train. They proceed to St. Keverine, through the heavy rain and over sodden roads, to identify the remains, which are lying in the Church of St. Keverine, where many heartrending scenes have been witnessed. Cruel robbery of the dead of the Mohegan has been perpetrated by unhegan struck. His body was subsequently found, but the notes were counts are unanimous as

are investigating the matter. Margate, England, Oct. 17. - The Blengfell had a quantity of naphtha on board, which smelled strongly during the voyage, especially aft, so much so that the officers of the ship had to shift their quarters yesterday evening. An explosion occurred just as the captain of the Blengfell had engaged the services of a tug, which saved the survivors. The vessel burned so quickly that her crew had no time to lower the

MANY WRECKS

Terrific Weather Off the Coast ot Britain.

Suicide of the German Imperial Privy Office Superintendent.

WRECKS AND RESCUES. London, Oct. 17.-Terrific weather has been prevailing on the east coast of Great Britain. There have been several wrecks and rescues of crews. The life boat belonging to Cambers. Northumberland, was overturned while proceeding to the rescue of the crew of a French ketch. The life boat men, rocket apparatus.

THE PARIS STRIKE ENDED Paris. Oct. 17.-The building strike is entirely ended, and the troops have been withdrawn from the yards and other places in which they have been stationed since disturbances were threatened.

CABLE NOTES. Herr Guenenthall, superintendent of the Imperial Printing Office, Berlin, has committed suicide. He was charged with the theft and the forgery of banknotes to the amount of over 400,000 The American peace commissioners

held their usual morning session today (Monday) and entered upon the sixth joint session with the Spaniards in the afternoon. THE KAISER'S TRIP. Constantinople, Oct. 17.—The imperial yacht Hohenzollern, with the Emperor and Empress of Germany on

board arrived in the Straits of the Dardenelles with her escorts morning. She was saluted by the forts and the crew of the Turkish warship Izzeden and other Turkish vessels cheered her. The Germans responded.

Doctors Testify. There's strong testimony by eminent physicians of wonderful cures made by Dr. Chase's Family Remedies—par-ticularly Dr. Chase's Ointment.

At Victoria, B. C., Belle Adams, for killing Chas. Kincaide, on the 3rd of May, was on Thursday sentenced to

five years in the penitentiary. lage 200 feet high.

LADIES' FURS to their stock of Hats, Caps, Men's Furnishings and Merchant Tailoring, and are prepared to show in those goods the best value in the trade.

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THEY, TOO, CAN FIGHT

The accounts of the battle of Omdurman now dropping in from officers present leave no doubt in any mind as to the source known parties. A Canadian, Dr. Fal- successor, the khalifa's, power. His lows, it is stated, tucked a bundle of followers, the Baggara tribe more es-£50 notes in his breast when the Mo- pecially, were some of the most magnificent soldiers in the world. The acmissing. Several of them were put in circulation on Sunday, and the police that of the best European troops. marched on death with They disdainful confidence, bore being mown down in swathes without halting, and but that they were faced by men clothed in the enchanted armor of modern science, would infallibly have destroyed the Anglo-Egyptian army. Cavalry or infantry, they were all alike, heroes incapable of fear, absolutely obedient, and entirely reckless of death. The reader who studies the accounts understands for the first time how the "Moors," who were just these men, swept over the soldiers of the lower empire, what Charles Martel had to resist at Tours, and how the Crusaders, the picked chivalry of Europe, were ultimately defeated by the "Saracens." It is all "fanaticism," it is said. Fanaticism helps, but we take it the truth is that the Arabs pure, the half-caste Arabs, and almost all Africans, whether Soudanese, Zulus, or Hussas, are among the best material for soldiers to be found in the world. If the "savages" of Africa had but a great leader, repeating rifles, and Maxims, Europe might once more be in danger of being submerged in a flood of barbarism. Her children would be like animals fighting the red dogs of the Deccan, overwhelmed by a rush which it is impossible to stop except by universal slaughter.-London Spectator

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are teething. This is the weather for Flys. 34 tf

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