BLIND TROTTER RHYTHMIC THE SEASON'S SENSATION and I will open a book down at the Aqueduct. I start in the field first, and if

\$25,000 for Its Owner Sinec Maiden Race.

The most sensational feature of the trotting season just closing was the remarkable performance of a trotting horse

that is totally blind. Five times Rhythmic dashed to victory, earning two \$10,000 purses and \$4,000 in three lesser events. He proved the fastest blind horse that every pulled a

Rhythmic's maiden race was for the Merchants' and Manufacturers' \$10,000 stake at Detroit on July 15. It was the fourteenth contest for this event, which is the blue ribbon stake of the summer circuit

The blind stallion was entered against a number of fast horses, and his victory in three straight heats, with 2:111/2 his best time, astonished the field. The blind horse's next two races were

In smaller events, but they were clean His fourth race was at the Buffalo Volunteer .- New York World.

THE TURF.

ADVANCE GUARD AGAIN. New York, Oct. 10. - Odom landed Advance Guard a winner in the sixth

race at Morris Park today. The victory of Advance Guard was very popular, and the 5,000 spectators gave a hearty cheer. He was the favorite in the betting and won by a head from Royal. Moore cut out the running to the stretch, where Advance Guard closed strong. Lavator, Titian and Advance Guard were the winning favorites. Summaries:

First race, a hurdle race, selling for 2-year-olds and upward, 1½ miles, over 6 hurdles—Lavator, 148 (J. Johnson), even and 2 to 5, 1; Seminole, 144 (G. Wilson), 40 to 1 and 12 to 1, 2; Draughtsman, 153 (Carson), 5 to 1 and 7 to 5, 3. Time, 2:47%. Second race, handicap, for 2-year-olds, last 61/2 furlongs, Withers mile-

River Pirate, 124 (Odom), 3 to 1 and 4 to 5, 1; Joe Cobb, 112 (Redfern) 7 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Tom Lawson, 95 (J. Martin), 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time,

Third race, the First Protectory, selling, for 3-year-olds and upward, Eclipse course—Musidora, 85 (H. Callahan), 20 to 1 and 7 to 1, 1; Honolulu, 95 (Scott), 80 to 1 and 30 to 1, 2; Derezke, 98 (Fletcher), 16 to 5 and 6 to 5,

Time, 1:11½.
Fourth race, for maidens, 2-year-old, the Eclipse course — Pride of Galore, 162 (Rice), 7 to 1 and 3 to 1, 1; Gay Park, 110 (Odom), 6 to 1 and 5 to 2, 2; Meddling Mary, 107 (Meade), 50 to 1 and 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:12½.

Fifth race, maiden, 2-year-olds, 150

Fifth race, maiden, 2-year-olds, Withers mile—Titian, 115 (Odom), 9 to 10 and out, 1; Moondaisy, 112 (King), 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, 2; Whisp, 112 (Smith), 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, 3. Time,

Sixth race, handicap, 3-year-olds and upward, 1% miles of Withers course First race, 2:06 class, pacing

TRACK FAST AT FORT ERIE. Fort Erie Race Track, Ont., Oct. 10.

-Weather fine, track fast. First race, 6 furlongs, all ages, selling-Old Mike, 107 (A. Hall), 2 to 1, Miss Shanley, 107 (Castro), 2 to 2; Frank Love, 100 (Fitzgerald), to 1, 3. Time, 1:151/2.

Second race, 5 furlongs, 2-year-olas, selling — Sly Boots, 98 (Cogs-well), 5 to 1, 1; Ora Viva, 110 (L. Daly), 3 to 1, 2; Fuego, 102 (Roma-ville), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:03. Third race, 6 furlongs, all ages, selling—Aratona, 105 (Gormley), 2 to 1, 1; Euclaire, 100 (Blake), 8 to 5, 2; The Common, 100 (Dart), 20 to 1, 3. Time,

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, 2-year-olds -Little Boy, 109 (Daly), 2 to 1, 1; Begone, 109 (Castro), 8 to 5, 2; Back Number, 104 (A. Hall), 30 to 10, 3. Time, 1:15%.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Pay the Fiddler, 104 (Gormley), 6 to 1, 1; Beau Ideal, 102 (Hothersall), 6 to 1, 2; Loughderg, 108 (Blake), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:49½.
Sixth race, 7 furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Ethel Davis, 104 (Hothersall), 7 to 2, 1; King's Pet, 104 (Dart), 8 to 1, 2; Lembree, 99 (Walsh),

5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:30. WORTH RACES

Chicago, Oct. 10.-The Lady won the feature event of the card today at Worth from Eva Rice, the despised outsider, at 50 to 1, with La Goleta second, and the old Derby winner, Pink Coat, who was favorite, last.

First race, 5½ furlongs—Aylmer Bruce, 107 (Coburn), 16 to 5, 1; Moniet, 107 (Birkenruth), 7 to 1, 2; Naulahka, (Mathews), 11 to 10, 8. Time, 1:08 2-5. Second race, 1 mile and 70 yards-

Leviathan, 104 (Birkenruth), 11 to 5, 1; Illowaho, 113 (C. Kelly), 7 to 2, 2; Count 'Em Out, 109 (Donnelly), 8 to 1, 8. Time. 1:45 3-5.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Fairbury, 102 (C. Kelly), 16 to 1, 1; Grizer, 107 (Coburn), 12 to 1, 2; Orla, 99 (Robbins), 2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14. Fourth race, 1 mile—The Lady, 103 (Donnelly), 3 to 1, 1; Eva Rice, 103

(Helgeson), 30 to 1, 2; Lagoleta, 103 (J. Daly), 9 to 1, 3. Time, 1:40 4-5.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Prince of Ening to an injury of his left arm durance, 98 (Trainor), 11 to 2, 1; Per-Icles, 105 (T. Dean), 3 to 2, 2; Arvensis, 98 (Robbins), 13 to 5, 3. Time, 1:281-5.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles-Pirate Queen, 100 (Robbins), 12 to 1, 1; sellas, 112 (Coburn), 3 to 1, 2; Alaska, 111 (Birkenruth), 9 to 2, 3. Time, 1:48 3-5.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 10 .- Handspring won the feature of today's card at the

Erne, 100 (W. Waldo), 15 to 1, 2; Lou interesting fight.

Launia, 104 (D. Gilmore),

Remarkable Performer Has Won | Grand Circuit meeting on Aug. 4. In beaten Directur Spier with a 2:071/2 clip. The purse was \$12,000.

> Bonner Memorial at Brighton Beach on Aug. 11. There was a good field of trotting stars, but Rhythmic won easily in 2:09¼. The race was a \$10,000 event. After five consecutive victories Rhythmic's first defeat came at Providence, R. | Melican man."

Rhythmic's other big event was the

I., in the Roger Williams \$10,000 stake at Narragansett Park on Aug. 28. Rhythmic is the property of Jesse Turney, of Paris, Ky. He was driven by Scott Hudson. He lost his sight from distemper when 2 years old.

He is 5 years old and though his speed was recognized when he was a colt it had never been possible to control him sufficiently to put him into a race until this season.

His sire was Oakland Baron (2:091/2), the young trotting stallion that was bought for \$15,700 by Jacob Ruppert a year ago. His dam was Duchess (2:201/4), by Strathmore, son of Ryskyk's Hambletonian; granddam, Lady Hamlet (dam of Cicerone, 2:121/2), by Hamlet, son of Goldsmith's

Hazel, 103 (Gisborne), 20 to 1, 3. Time, Second race, 51/2 furlongs, selling Centie, 95 (A. W. Booker), 6 to 1, 1; Budweiser, 100 (L. Jackson), 12 to 1, 2; Miss Knickerbocker, 99 (First), 4 to 1,

Time, 1:09. Third race, mile and 70 yards, selling —Chappaqua, 105 (A. W. Booker), 4 to 5, 1; Tulare, 104 (Lebalnie), 12 to 1, 2; Royal Penny, 107 (L. Jackson), 15 to 1,

Time, 1:461/4. Fourth race, mile—Hand Spinner, 97 (A. W. Booker), 5 to 2, 1; Fore and Aft, 106 (W. Waldo), 3 to 1, 2; Vestry, 97 (L. Jackson), 12 to 1, 3. Time, 1:41½. race, 7 furlongs-Foundling, 104 (T. Walsh), 3 to 1, 1; Golden Glitter, 96 (A. W. Booker), 15 to 1, 2; Delagoa,

101 (W. Waldo), 7 to 1, 3. Time, 1:27. Sixth race, 6 furlongs—If You Dare, 105 (T. Walsh), 11 to 5, 1; Kindred, 110 (L. Jackson), 16 to 5, 2; Louis Wagner, 103 (J. Miller), 3 to 1, 3. Time,

LEXINGTON TROTTING.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 10.—It required seven heats to decide the first race, the feature of today's card. Despite the fact that four drivers-McMahon, Mc-Henry, L. McDonald and Erwin-were fined on the charge of laying up heats, every finish was hotely contested. The last three heats resulted in neck victories under the whip. Little Squaw was the favorite, but until the last two heats she seemed to lack steam | 89.4 last year. overhauled and nosed out Prince Direct. Much interest was manifested on Oct. in the wagon race, and Devereux's ages of the last ten years. success was the more popular because a surprise. He caught Smathers in each of the last heats just before reaching the wire. Fast time characterized each race, and fine weather continues.

trotting. \$2,000—Chase, b. g., by Keeler (Hudson), 1; Patchen Maid,

(Shank), 2; Maxine, b. m. (Lyons), 3. Best time, 2:0934. 2:15 class pacing two in three heats, \$1,000—Mustard, b. m., by Vatican (Keyes), 1; Dora De Lapp, b. m. (Loomis), 2; Daisy Field, ch. m. (Gillespie), 3. Best time, 2:08½.

To wagon, trotting, amateur drivers cup—Nicol B., br. h., by Alcalus (H. K. Devereux), 1; Dr. Minical, b, h. (C. G. Billings), 2; Gold Direct, br (E. E. Smathers), 3. Best time, 2:10.

GOLD FOR GOLD HEELS. New York, Oct. 10.-W. C. Fessenden, of Boston (once "Wally" Fessenden, of the old Tecumseh baseball days), bought Gold Heels, this year's winner of the Suburban, from Winnie O'Connor, for \$6,750. The purchase was made J. Arnold & Co., of St. Louis. Gold Heels will be shipped to St. Louis on Sunday and retired to the stud.

BASEBALL.

MAGNIFICENT GAME. Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 10. — The All-Stars (American) and Pittsburg (the National League champions), played a

marvelous game at League Park this afternoon, neither team scoring in 11 innings. Bernhard and Leever were the opposing twirlers, and each pitched great ball, holding his opponents down to four hits. All Stars 0 4 2

Pittsburg 0 4 Batteries-Bernhard and Sullivan; Leever and Smith. Umpires—O'Day and O'Loughlin. Attendance, 3,300. Called on account of darkness.

THE RING.

MONROE GOT DECISION. Indianapolis, Oct. 20 .- George Moncision at the end of a ten-round bout with Billy Rotchford, of Chicago, at Theater here last night. The bout was fast.

NO CONTEST. Chicago, Oct. 10. — The fight here last night between Frank Childs and Joe Wolcott, both colored, was declar-ed "no contest" 'after two and a half rounds of fighting. Walcott claimed that he was unable to continue fighting owlooked to the officials as if he deliber-ately quit under punishment, and they declined to give him his share of the

purse. BROAD-MAYNARD. Philadelphia, Oct. 10.—"Kid Broad, of Cleveland, and "Billy" Maynard, of New York, fought six hard rounds toat the Ariel Club. it up in a lively fashion in every round, and each gave some hard blows on his opponent. Maynard several times, however, went down to avoid fair grounds. Track good. Summary: times, however, went down to avoid First race, 13-16 miles, selling - punches, and Broad had the best of It was a good, clean and

CHINESE BOOKIE IN THE RING

this fall there will be a new face in the brethren in Chinatown can give him high betting ring-a face that has probably stakes enough to suit him, so he is forced been seen there many times before, to commune for his pleasure with other sometimes taking in or dealing out money, as his luck may run. It will be them that he can play a hand of poker "Boston," and he will be the first Chinese bookmaker to be seen about this section, if not in this country.

"Boston" is known throughout Chinatown. He is considered rich, dresses no business with the police now. Poolwell in American clothes, wears the lat- room better in every way. Too long way est style hat of the expensive kind, has to track." a liking for red neckties, and talks Eng-

lish with ease. avenue, near Thirty-eighth street, where sion with the police. When seen a few he sells teas and Chinese novelties. He nights ago and asked if the report was has always been a lover of horsedesh. true he answered:

When the Aqueduct racing season opens He likes to gamble, and few of his gamblers, and it is said by a number of with as much skill as the best of them. "Boston" has determined to go to the track for this reason, as he explains it:

"I like to keep poolroom, but can't do

"Boston" has been said to have been interested in public institutions of this He is proprietor of a shop in Seventh | kind before, and to have met with oppo-

"I guess I have to go to the track. No money here in New York while Tammanee is out. Refolm people won't stand for poolroom. I'm saving all my money. I make money enough then I go to the

ring." "Do you expect that there will be a this race he defeated the hitherto un- big following down from Chinatown to play the horses?" he was asked. 'Not light away. Chinese no like holse

> race. Likee fantan only." "will you explain the game to them and try and educate them to the horses?' "Oh, I no wolly 'bout Chinese, Melican man is the best gambel'. Chi'man comes long. I takee his monee just samee as

> "If you get enough customers from your race, won't you have the sheets written in Chinese and the odds pasted up in the same Chinese characters?" "Chinaman can't get away from laundree only Monday. So not much money

ESTIMATE OF U. S. CROPS

Interesting Figures in Official Statement Just Issued.

Washington, Oct. 10.-The monthly report of the statistician of the Dethe averaging condition of corn on Oct. 1 was 79.6, as compared with 84.3 last month, 52.1 on Oct. 1, 1901, and 77.7 the mean of the October averages of the last ten years.

The preliminary estimate of the averaging yield per acre of spring wheat is 14.4 bushels, subject to revision when the final wheat estimate is made. The estimated averages of yield per acre in the states having 100,000 acres or upwards in spring wheat, range from Kansas 10.9, to Idaho 28.1. The average quality of spring wheat is 87.7.

The preliminary estimate of the averaging yield per acre of oats is 34.5 bushels, as compared with 25.1 bushels on Oct. 1, 1901, and 26.8 bushels the mean of the October estimates for the past ten years. The special estimate of yield per acre is the largest ever reported by the Department of Agri-culture. The figures for New York State are: This month, New York, 40.0; Oct. 1, 1901, 21.6; Oct. 1, 1900, 28.0; ten years averaging 27.5. The average quality is 86.7, against 83.7 last year. The preliminary estimate of yield per acre of barley is 29.0 bushels, against 24.7 bushels on Oct. 1, 1901, and 23.3 the mean of October averages of the last ten years. The averaging for quality is 87.3, against 89.2 last year, The preliminary estimate per acre of the yield of rye is 17.0 bushels, as compared with 15.1 bushels on Oct. 1, 1901, and 14.4 bushels the mean October averages of the last ten years. The averaging for quality is 91.8, against The averaging condiat the wire. In the seventh heat she tion of buckwheat on Oct. 1 was 80.5, as compared with 86.4 last month, 90.1 5, 1901, and 80.2 the mean aver-

> The average condition of potatoes on Oct. 1 was 82.5, against 89.1 last month, 54.0 on Oct. 1, 1901, and 71.6 the mean of the averages of the last ten vears.

upward, 1% miles of Withers course
—Advance Guard, 121 (Odom), 8 to 5
and 7 to 10, 1; Royal, 108 (Lyne), 40 to
1 and 8 to 5, 2; Tom Kenny, 99 (Shea),
15 to 1 and 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:54%.

First race, 2:06 class, pacing, \$1,500—
reports range from North Carolina, 8 points, to New York, 15; Iowa, 16, and Michigan 27 points above, and Ohio 2 to Kansas 21 points below the reports range from North Carolina, and the Pennsylvania senators de-8 points, to New York, 15; Iowa, 16, parted from the city the latter going

The estimated averaging yield of hops in pound per acre is 1,267 in Washington, 1,400 in California, 1,100 in Oregon, 1,300 in Wisconsin, and 325 in

HALE AT SEVENTY-FIVE

Mr. Harries Seems to Have Found the Secret of Keeping Well in Old Age-He Tells How.

Lovett, Ont., Oct. 6-(Special).-Mr. C. A. Harries, Postmaster here, is now 75 years of age, and considering this of New York, the chosen representaadvanced age, is remarkably well pre- tive of 7,000,000 people, and that I am served and a strong, healthy old gen- here in this matter solely in that catleman.

This is all the more striking when it is remembered that a few years ago intolerable situation. What is more, he was at the point of death, being I intend to use every power at my fearfully run down and a complete command to do it." wreck with Bright's Disease. He was so low that no one ever thought he would pull through. He says him-

"I was a complete wreck and could not even dress myself or turn in my bed, but now I am a well man, and I attribute it all to Dodd's Kidney Pills. I feel quite strong and healthy, and I cannot say too much for the remedy that saved my life and put me on my feet again."

First Hard Frost.

Farmer, N. Y., Oct. 10 .- The first hard frost of the season occurred last night, the mercury dropping to 30°. The beans and buckwheat, some of which have not yet been cut, suffered badly. Grapes were injured to some extent.

Mr. Brodrick's Speech.

London, Oct. 10.-In a public speech at Whitehaven, Mr. Brodrick, Secretary for War, reiterated Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's declaration at Birmingham last night that the Govbe withdrawn, and said the rejection of this bill would mean the rejection of the Government.

Fire at Kingston.

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 10.-Fire today in a brick row on Colborne street, owned by Capt. Hinckley, damaged the structure to the extent of \$1,500. B. Lipman was a heavy loser, all his household effects being destroyed. Mrs. Shane and J. McIntosh, in jacent houses, also suffered from smoke and water.

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COAL MINERS' UNION SHOULD BE RECOGNI ED

to Operators.

LONG CONFERENCE IN NEW YORK

Attitude of Operators Augered the Governor, Who Displayed Considerable Heat.

New York, Oct. 10 .- Today's conference between men in official position and President Baer and President Thomas was absolutely barren of results. According to the statements of the operators a prospect of a settlement is no nearer than before. There partment of Agriculture shows that the operators put it, "The incident is laboring men should not. closed." "The publicists," said this gentleman, "made a number of suggestions, all of which were turned down. These include a 10 per cent. inhours and a recognition of the union, looked upon as undebatable. In fact, we found it impossible to negotiate with them, and said so. The next step I cannot say, but they understand that we cannot be moved. I repeat we will not meet them again. It is frivclous and is bound to result in further ill-feeling." Another operator said: "It is not for us to consider the postrike would have been settled long We have taken a stand for principle, and no amount of argument will b lge us." J. P. Morgan, who conferred with several of the operators

during the day, would not discuss latest developments, but it is said he has not swerved from his purpose not to become a party to the controversy. To sum up after two days of conferences between the anthracite coal mine operators on one side and the governor and senior senator and the two senators from Pennsylvania on the other, the strike of the United Mine Workers of America is apparently as far from a settlement as the day it was declared. Governor Odell laid before the operators today the proposition that if they would cede to the miners an advance of 5 cents a ton in the price paid for mining coal he would promise that the

miners would resume work. Being told further that the concession would carry with it recognition of the miners' union, the operators promptly refused to entertain the proposal, and As to the condition of apples the took their leave. Later in the day they above, and to Harrisburg. John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, announced his intention of leaving the city early tomorrow morning, his destination being Wilkesbarre. Mr. Mitchell took no part in any of

the conferences today. DISPLAY OF FEELING

Conference Between Governor Odell and Operators Was Warm.

"What do you mean by politicians I want you and all the other operators to understand that I am the Governor pacity and to relieve, if possible, an

Governor Odell made this statement to Mr. Baer, president of the Reading road, in the presence of U. S. Senators Platt, of New York, and Quay and Penrose, of Pennsylvania. It was the culmination of a rather heated interview in the office of Senator Platt, and the result of the first meeting between Governor Odell and President Baer. Mr. Baer was accompanied by T. B. Thomas, chairman of the board of directors of the Erie Railroad. The conference was opened by Senator Penrose, who said that the situation was becoming so serious that some solution must be found at once. He suggested some concessions.

"If you mean by that," said President Baer, "that we are to recognize the existence of a labor union, I tell poor.

\$14,000 Fire at St. Catharines. St. Catharines, Ont., Oct. 10.-Short-

ly before 1 o'clock this afternoon fire broke out in the elevator of the Hedernment's Education Bill would not ley Shaw Milling Company's building, on St. Paul street, and although the the blaze gained considerable headway, and for a time threatened the destruction of the mills. When the hose wagons arrived four streams were played upon the flames from different points. The fire had lodged beneath the iron sheeting, and from the awk-ward position of the building it was a difficult matter to reach it. The a difficult matter to reach it. blaze, however, was extinguished, but not before about 20,000 bushels of not before about 20,000 bushels of wheat had been destroyed, much of which was Manitoba wheat. The loss will be about \$14,000. Amount of insurance and companies interested not obtainable now.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures radically—that is, it removes the roots of disease. That's better than lopping the branches.

The wisdom of throwing the collec-"While I don't mean to recommend tions of the British Museum open to the public on the first day of the week was proved by the fact that there were last year 48,895 Sunday afternoon visitors. The Museum of Natural History had 57,797 Sunday visitors. WORMS CAUSE feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure, and effectual. If your druggest has none in stock, get him to procure it for

About 200 young women at Warem me in Belgium, have formed a club known as "The Swallows." Each member has given her word of honor never to marry a man addicted to

drink. Genuine Casteria always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher,

Governor Odell's Plain Words | you right now that the operators will Governor Odeil was on his feet in an instant, white with excitement. He said: "Are we to understand that no kind of a cenciliatory proposition will receive consideration at the hands of

the operators?"

"I did not say that," answered Mr. Baer, "but I do say, and I reiterate it, that we will not accept political advice or allow the interrerence of politicians in this our arrair." Then it was that Governor Odell made the statement quoted above. President Baer bowed to the governor and said: "Governor, I beg your pardon. No personal affront was intended, and we will listen to any suggestion you may have to make, but

recognize the union as represented by Mr. Mitchell." "I believe," said the governor, "that ment is no nearer than before. There your position from a public view is is nothing to justify the assertion absolutely untenable. If coal opermade by some that negotiations will ators, railway men and other business be resumed next Tuesday. As one of men can combine for mutual profit and protection, there is no reason why

again I repeat that we must refuse to

"What is the proposition?" said Mr. Baer, coldly.
"Just this," said Governor Odell. am sure that the labor organization, of which Mr. Mitchell is head, desires crease in pay, a decrease in working him to be fair with the general pub-hours and a recognition of the union. lic. If the operators will consent to as well as other questions which are give the men 5 cents a ton increase I will personally present it to the miners, and I believe they will accept

it. That is a fair proposition." "Does this mean, Governor Odell, that we are to recognize the miners union?" Mr. Baer asked. "It certainly does," answered the

governor, "and there is no reason why you should not." Mr. Bear and Mr. Thomas rose litical expediency. Had so-called Mr. Bear and Mr. Thomas rose to statesmen kept their hands off, the go, Mr. Thomas remarking that the matter would be presented to the other operators, and an early answer

would be forthcoming. Mr. Baer said: "We are to meet a committee of the Manufacturers' Association on Tuesday, and we may have an answer then.' The conference broke up. Mr. Baer and Mr. Thomas withdrawing. Senators Platt, Penrose and Quav

talked over the matter a short time

and then separated, the two Pennsylvanians announcing that they would go back to Harrisburg and discuss the situation with Governor Stone. Governor Odell was not in talking mood when he left the conference. He went directly to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, and during the afternoon received callers. Mayor Low, Congressmen Lessner and Littauer, Senator Platt were among his callers. To one of these the governor said: "The coal operators may postpone this matter on Tuesday, but I don't propose to postpone it. They are not acting fair towards the people. I believe I shall find some remedy."

MITCHELL AND ODELL

Governor of New York Makes Proposition That May Be Accepted.

About 5 o'clock John Mitchell, accompanied by L. N. Hammerling, of Wilkesbarre, called and had a long conference. While this was going on a dispatch announcing that the operators refused to consider the terms offered by the governor was received. When the conference was over, Governon Odell refused to say what had occurred, and Mr. Mitchell was equally reticent. It is believed, however, that Governor Odell presented his proposition for settlement to the leader the Miners' Union, and that Mr. Mitchell said he would present it to the district presidents in the hope that it would be accepted. Governor Odell said: "Mr. Mitchell was eminently fair and showed every disposition to adjust the serious situation. The conference in Senator Platt's office came to an end just after 1 o'clock. Governor Odell, the first person to emerge, said in reply to questions: "There is not a word to be said." Senator Platt, when seen late said: "Everything has been put over until Tuesday." Senators Quay and Penrose left, each carrying a handbag. The only thing they would say was that they were going to Philadel-

It is the general understanding that the conference was unproductive of any definite results.

The first of the stations for the distribution of coal to the poor was opened today at the yards of a coal dealer. The opening of the stations is the result of a conference of coal that the operators should incline to dealers and several of the coal carrying railroads, at which it was agreed to sell coal, in pails full, at fifteen cents the pail, but only to the very

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Notice-Large stock of goose feathers sold by the pound, iron bedsteads, mattresses, springbeds, children's iron cots, pillow and down cushions, furniand stoves at the Feather Bed firemen answered the alarm promptly, and Mattress Cleaning Factory, 593 Richmond street north. Telephone, 997. J. F. Hunt & Sons.

For a large assortment of waterproof horse covers, lap rugs and coats, also blankets, call at Tackaberry & Co's.

Ladies, do not forget that Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, is at the Grigg House, London, on Monday, Oct. 13, with Wigs, Bangs, Switches and Don't fail to everything up-to-date. 5-c-v-z-c-19-u be early.

The Boer Generals at Utrecht. Utrecht, Holland, Oct. 10 .- The Boer

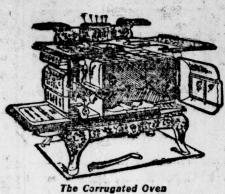
generals arrived here this morning to greet Mr. Kruger (who was born Oct. 10, 1825) on the occasion of his birthday. The whole party attended a service in a church, where Mr. Kruger, assisted by attendants, entered the pulpit, and in a brief speech, expressed his great appreciation of the generals services and begged the public to assist in relieving the distress among the Boers by freely contributing to the fund for that purpose.

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The age of martyrs is not passed. There are thousands of women all over the country enduring physical torture and mental anguish almost beyond description. They are not victims of persecution, like the martyrs of old; they are not called on to face the scaffold or the stake, but their sufferings,



The seat of the trouble being in some one of the female organs, the remedy, to be effective, must act on this portion of the anatomy.

This is the secret of the success which always follows the ORANGE LILY in derangements of this kind. It is a strictly local treatment. It is absorbed directly into the parts that are inflamed and congested, and its beneficent, soothing influence is noticeable from the start. The irritation of the delicate membrane is relieved, the congestion is overcome by the discharge of the watery matter which served to oppress the nerves and cause mental depression; the nerves are toned and invigorated; sunshine and joy of life again becomes part of her being. Read the following

Archer, Ont., Feb. 1, 1902. Dear Mrs. Curran,-I received your kind letter some time ago, but was feeling so well and not needing medicine that I neglected replying sooner. I must say I have more confidence in ORANGE LILY than in any other through the mail from a friend. The first suppository I used I was greatly relieved, and in a few months completely cured. That was nine years ago this winter, so you can imagine what what esteem I hold your ORANGE LILY. I am thankful there is such a relief for poor, suffering women, for I have been one of them and can sym-

pathize with others. Your sincere friend, MRS. NORMAN WEAVER.

Brinsley, Ont., Feb. 8, 1902. Dear Friend,—I always feel glad to hear from you. I am real well and feel so much indebted to you and Dr. Coonley for my good health. I am so strong now that I will not need any more medicine unless I overwork myself, and that is very easy for a woman at my age to do. I am 53 past thing I ever used. Before I knew or and have seven in family to work for found out anything about this medi-don't you think that is pretty good for dollars, and when I thought I was tell them about ORANGE LILY, but dying with inflammation of the womb if I were to tell them you would cure a box of ORANGE LILY was sent me them for nothing, I believe they would them for nothing, I believe they would try it. But most of them would rather undergo an operation than do so simple a thing as I have been doing. Please tell Dr. Coonley I am cured of womb trouble. I can testify to its wonderful curative properties, and for building up the nervous system and general health. I inclose \$1 for a box to have it in the house in case of over-

do myself. Yours very truly, MRS. GEORGE LEE.

ORANGE LILY is a remedy for these ills, as well as for leucorrhea, painful periods, irregularities, cancers in their earlier stages, tumors, displacements, lacerations and all ovarian troubles; has long since passed the experimental stage. So confident am I of this that I will send ten days' treatment, which is worth 35 cents, to any sufferer ABSOLUTELY FREE. The treatment is inexpensive, used at home, and no physician is necessary. Send

Free Trial Treatment which will demonstrate that ORANGE LILY will cure you. Inclose stamp

and address Mrs. Frances G. Curran, Canadian Rep. Coonley Med. Inst., [Delays are dangerous.)

Degree for Strathcona.

Windsor, Ont.

London, Oct. 10 .- Honorary degrees were conferred by Oxford University the occasion of the tercentenary of the a year ago. Bodleian Library. They included that

age, who has been an invalid for s number of years, committed suicide about 6 o'clock this evening at the home of his son, by cutting his throat vesterday in the presence of an en- with a razor. He leaves two sons and thusiastic assembly of graduates upon two daughters, his wife having died

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J. W. Clark. J. F. Nolan.

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Aged Man Cut His Throat.

Tilsonburg, Ont., Oct. 10.—Mr. Redmond, an eld man about 70 years of the prevent lung troubles resulting from colds and coughs. Try it and be convinced.