

of the stand to be taken by the Retail peal to the Ontario Legislature for the bis affairs in court. change in the act allowing a 15 to 25. City Solicitor McVeity, who is conductper cent. reduction in the retail mer- ing the enquiry for the city, has imputed

many cases of doubtful dealings as be chants 'business tax. It is claimed by the merchants that tween the mayor and City Engineer Kerr. under the present act they are paying Theenquiry has become a most acrimom-

50 per cent. higher business tax in pro- ous one, and the city solicitor seems have a big fight on his hands." portion than that which is being levied

on the manufacturers and wholesalers. They declare that the present act, passed about six years ago, was to passed about six years ago, was to take the place of the old personalty tax and was in the nature of an experinent. This: they state, has now proven to be vasily unfair to the interests of the retail merchants, and the hange in the act is to be demanded by the retail merchants, thruout the vhole of Ontario.

WHOLE FAMI

Col. Roosevelt what he describes an a "middling lively time" here today. Men scattered thru the crowd heckled him as in Atlanta last Saturday and succeeded in raising an uproar which for a time drowned out any attempt on Col. Roosevelt's part to go on with his speech. He stood his ground and matched one retort with another until

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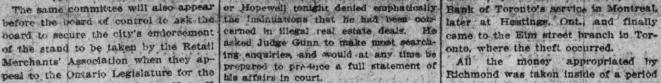
been

Attend Funeral of the **McCaffrey Family** at Omemee.

the Village of Omemee, seven tiles from Peterboro, the remains of and shouted in megaphone tones: "Glory Hallelujah." The cheering he Ivy, aged 15; has been working at five people who were drowned in igeon Creek on Saturday will be Christian Soldiers." uried this afternoon. Rev. F. Wilkingiven a good hearing. and Bleecker streets, where the leCaffrey family worshipped, will asist in the funeral service. A number f friends and members of the church "Ill' leave for Omemee in the morn-

Mrs. Seagar, mother of Mrs. Wm cCaffrey, was reported at 16 South ive last night as progressing favorly under the circumstances. Mrs. agar has been suffering from heart puble for several months, and it was this account that Mr. McCaffrey not take his family to his former me during the summer. When Miss iter, a trained nurse and daughter Mrs. Seagar, who is now in attendes upon her mother, was able to

where able to go to Omemee. the excellence of the fur and the work manship. Prices start at forty-five dol-lars.



came to the Ein street branch in Tor- F.

onto, where the theft occurred. All the money appropriated by Richmond was taken inside of a period covering two weeks, and it all went "on the ponies." "He hasn't one cent of money left at the present time. He hasn't a dollar in the world." declared (his counsel "Ife has told me that after serving sentence, he will go west and

make a new name for himself."



KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 30 .--- (Can. Press.)-A tumultuous crowd save Police Arrested Mrs. Fifield on Shoplifting Charge, and

Following the arrest of Mrs. Louisa he had silenced the dissenters. On the way to Knoxville Col. Roose-Fifield, 55 Prescott street, for shop-Many Toronto Friends Will his train. He assalled Gov. Hooper and by Acting Detective Wickett, the wo-Senator Sanders of Tennessee. He al-so characterized Gov. Thomas R. Mar-shall of Indiana, Democratic candidate and Plainclothesman Hess found over for vice-president, as a representa- 183 articles, said to have been stolen tive of the Taggart machine. by Mrs. Fifteld and her daughters, When the first cheers which greet-ed Col. Roosevelt in the auditorium

> seat on the stage, waved his bandana er's possession. Then the people sang "Onward 121 Prescott street. From there she Friends of Gov. Hooper created an

> > months. The Dineen Company, 140 Yonge ST. KITTS A GROWING CITY street, put into stock Saturday three hundred fur-ST. CATHARINES, Sept. 30 .- (Special.) lined coats for i men. These repre--A growth of 1528 in the population of St. the first new output of the workmade care-

Lined with selectmisskrait and A Brilliant Spectacle mink of this sea son's trapping. The when he pronounced Kitty Gordon the stage's most beautiful woman.

Gathering at Liverpool **That Owners Proffer** Free Service. ___

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 30.-(Can. Press.) -A great gathering took place at Shiel Park this afternoon to protest against have been barren. It is understood

home rule. The assembly numbered that Russia has taken an adequate not less than 100,000, who arrived in three processions. The enthusiasm was has proposed the radical remedy of unbounded and rockets and fireworks putting into effect article 23 of the of all kinds were discharged.

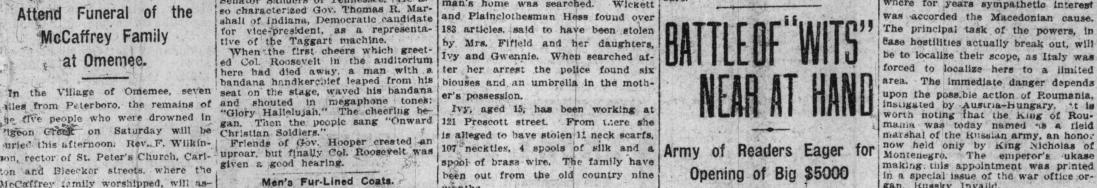
Sir Edward Carson and Frederick E. troduction in the European provinces Smith, the Unionist leaders in the of Turkey of a statute giving a meamovement, made speeches. The latter sure of self-government under a prosaid that three Liverpool shipowners inclai governor-general, controlled by had promised him the use of free ships the powers.

to carry 10,000 men from Liverpool to Belfast to help Ulster if "it came to a fight."

ULSTER WOMEN IN REVOLT.

BELFAST, Sept. 30 .- (Can. Press.)-The Marchioness of Dufferin presided at a meeting of women in Ulster Hall tonight in oppositon to the home rule

bill. The hell was crowded, and fiery protests were voiced against the measure.



Proverb Contest Thursday.

Catharines, and an increase of \$2,535,332 in Thousands are ready for the great Russia will be able to fulfill her mis-the assessment during the past year, was battle of "wits" that begins on Thurs- sion. Upon this belief the action of of the work-and have made care-during the months. With select-before and wates in assessment was made in land values. With selectcontinues to grow greater.

The galaxy and spiendor of "The Thousands are going to compete, and The crisis finds the emperor and em-Enchantress," the musical comedy if you have not already placed an press at Bieloviezh, near the Austrian Enchantress," the musical comedy if you have not already placed an press at Bieloviezh, near the Austrian The discovery of a memorandum which is at the Princess this week, order to have The Toronto Daily and frontier. The minister of war, Gen. book in the room formerly occupied by fered at very low prices, considering the excellence of the fur and the work-the excellence of the fur and the work-and Sculptor Rodin was not far astray the excellence of the fur and the work-and Sculptor Rodin was not far astray the excellence of the fur and the work-and Sculptor Rodin was not far astray the excellence of the fur and the work-and Sculptor Rodin was not far astray the excellence of the fur and the work-and Sculptor Rodin was not far astray the excellence of the fur and the work-and Sculptor Rodin was not far astray the further further

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to mean that she intends to make wary E. Smith. M.P., Tells Big in that case the Balkan coalition has naturally forestalled her in her endeavor to profit by the rapid concentration of troops. The opinion held here is that the ac-

tion of the Balkan states has resulted from the inability of the powers to deal

the Russian foreign minister, M. Sazzonoff, has had in London, apparently

Treaty of Berlin, providing for the in-

Britain Non.Commital. Russia's proposal was communicated to Turkey by M. De Giers, the ambassador to Austria-Hungary. Great Britain showed herself willing to talk reforms in Macedonia in a gen-

eral way without committing herself to anything definite. France's answer is due-tomorrow and her attitude is expected to be still more conservative, being dictated mainly by

considerations of finance. More was expected of Great Britain, where for years sympathetic interest was accorded the Macedonian cause.

The principal task of the powers, in case hostilities actually break out, will be to localize their scope, as Italy was forced to localize hers to a limited area. The immediate danger depends upon the possible action of Roumania, instigated by Austria-Hungary, 't is worth noting that the King of Rou-mania was today named 'ts a field marshal of the Russian army, an honor

The emperor's ukase n a special issue of the war office organ, Russky Invalid.

Watching Austria and Roumania Upon Russia virtually devolves the burden of keeping Austria and Rou-mania outside the ropes. Confidence prevais that the condition of the ssian armaments is now such that

man wanted in connection with the \$271,000 Canadian bank robbery case

munication with Russia by sea.

with attacking Police Lieut. B. J. Burns in Chicago two weeks ago. the suspect, and Jeannette Little, woman arrested at Edwardsville, Iils., will aid, it is believed, in capturing other members of the gang.

at upon obtaining a written declaration of or the tr Itary activity the last few days is taken amity from the Servian Government, the Servian minister. Dr. Nenedovitch. has sent another important communication to the Ports. This follows a communication which the minister addressed to the Porte on Saturday respecting the stoppage of Servian ammunition after permission had been given for its passage thru the Turkish lines. In reply to this, the Turkish foreign minister said that the consignment was detained because of the doubtful attitude of Servia. On the declaration by the minister that the Servian policy was unchanged, the Turkish foreign minister asked for a with situation. The conversation's which written statement embodying these assurances.

The present note invites the Porte to adopt a definite decision within 48 hours, either to sanction the passage of the ammunition or return it to France. The communication is couched in friendly but energetic terms. view of the crisis in the Balkans and It is understood that failure to comply with the conditions will lead to the departure of the minister.

The foreign minister denied tonight that the government had received an ultimatum, either from Bulgaria, or from Bulgaria and Servia jointly. (Continued on Page 7; Column 4.)



Former Commercial Agent of Chicago Police Hope Soon to Arrest Leader of **Government Was Financial** Foe of Hon, Rodolphe Safe-Blowers' Gang. Forget.

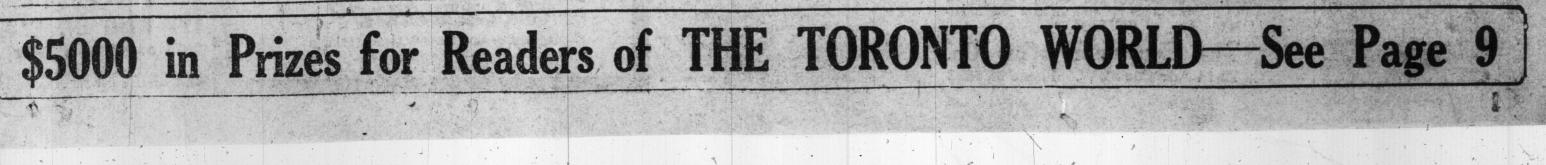
CHICAGO, Sept. 30 .- (Can. Press.)-MONTREAL, Sept. 30 .- (Special.)-The news today from Paris saying that The search for the men who robbed Anatole Poindron, formerly commercial the Bank of Montreal at New Westagent of the Canadian Government in minster, B.C., brought another mys-France, had committed suicide by terious woman into the case today. She blowing out his brains, following the was taken to the office of Assistant death of his wife, was all the more Chief of Police Scheuttler, and is said interesting because, Poindron was ai- to have been closely questioned. The leged to be the moving spirit in the police would give out no information opposition which has been waged on the subject. It is reported that two making, this appointment was printed against Sir Rodolphe Forget in Paris other women are being held here in during the last few month. connection with the case, but the po-Mons. Poindron could be seen here during the months of July and August lice decline either to deny or confirm

standing on Notre Dame street, oppo- the rumor. site Forget's office, for hours at a time. | "Big Charlie," described by James Sidias and by Jeannette Little as the TIGHTEN GRIP ON STACEY. leading figure in the negotiations for ST. LOUIS, Sept. 30 .-- (Can. Press.)- the exchange of the stolen bills, is now To prevent the possible release of Jas. W. Stacey, alias Frank West, alias believed by the police to be the real leader of the gang of safeblowers, and "Doc" Danzell, on a writ of habeas

for a fugitive warrant charging the in custody. applied the police also believe he soon will be

At Montreal

MONTREAL, Sept. 30 .- (Special). -The customs returns for the month of September reached the sum of \$2,218,-169, against \$1,715,915 for the same month last year, or an increase of \$502.254.



Ivy and Gwennie. When searched afhere had died away, a man with a ter her arrest the pelice found six bandana handkerchief leaped from his blouses and an umbrella in the moth-

Found 183 Articles in

Her Home.

is alleged to have stolen 11 neck scarfs, spool of brass wire. The family have been out from the old country nine