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FROM THE CAPITAL

No Applications Yet Received for Admission to the Royal Military College.
Premier Laurier and Sir Oliver Mowat Confer on the School Question.

Canadian Appeals to Come Before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—There is to be no special examination for entrance to the military college on the 17th inst. The time for receiving applications was up yesterday. There appears to be a scarcity of cadets. Not one application for entrance has yet been received at the department.

Premier Laurier and Sir Oliver Mowat had a conference this forenoon over some dispatches they had from Winnipeg re the schools. Mr. Laurier said there was nothing so far to be given to the public.

(By Associated Press.)
The supreme court concluded its session yesterday, but will deliver judgments on December 9th.

Mr. Justice King leaves for British Columbia in a day or two.

The Canadian appeals before the judicial committee of the privy council in London came off on the 11th inst. There was talk of the solicitor-general visiting the Old Country in connection with the arbitration matter, arising out of the arbitration between the Dominion and provinces. There is not time, however, for him to do so.

The Governor-General's office on his ranch at Coldstream, where Lord Aberdeen is now staying, having been destroyed by fire, the privy council will duplicate the official papers and records which were there destroyed.

Mr. Wainwright of the Grand Trunk, and Mr. Tait of the C. P. R., saw Controller Patterson re the duty on coal.

GOLD MOVEMENT.
The "Thunderer" Discusses the Question in a Financial Article.

London, Nov. 6.—The Times in its financial column again discusses the probability of the gold movement. It thinks that the activity in the grain and cotton markets will not be sufficient to bring about the return of the recently hoarded gold from the United States to Europe, while the payment of American imports into Europe will not need to be made until 1897, and those payments will to some extent be offset by European purchases of American securities. The Times does not think the European investor purchases blindly, but he will buy securities of sound companies, which have been negotiated during the Bryan scare. "The present indications, therefore are," the Times continues, "that the United States will take a million or two more before the year ends, but early in 1897, an influx is probable."

STORM ON THE LAKES.
Several Barges and Their Crews Abandoned by Tugs.

Buffalo, Nov. 6.—Great damage was done to shipping interests by the wind last night. The wind still continues in gusts of high velocity this morning. The steam canal boat Delta and the tug Chumney Morgan came in late last night. The captain of the Delta said that half way between Erie and Dunkirk the storm struck him. The tow line between the Delta and her three consortships parted. The Morgan tried to pick them up but the sea was running too high and the consortships were left to their fate. The tug was missing carrying crews of two men each. The wind has been tearing along at an average of 50 miles an hour with bursts of 60 and 70. Several other wrecks are reported. On the lower Niagara river, the storm swept as has rarely occurred before. The water has risen two feet. Trolley and steam cars are running with difficulty.

KENTUCKY IN DOUBT.
Bryan Has Gained in Several Counties on Re-counts.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.—The result in Kentucky on the presidential election is more doubtful than ever. A revision of returns in some districts has brought the majority on either side down to a very small margin. Bryan has gained 404 votes in Calloway county and 633 in Harlan county, by the discovery of errors in the counting.

London, Nov. 6.—A Paris dispatch to the Standard says: "M. Yvies Guyot, writing to Sieole says he is convinced that Mr. McKinley's victory has prevented the world from an appalling calamity. Mr. Bryan's policy, he says, would have disgraced America and would forever have destroyed its credit."

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with a cough and I was expecting all the time. The Remedy cured me, and I want all my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do them good." Sold by all druggists, Langley & Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT IN SPAIN.
New Governor-General of Philippine Islands Among the Injured.

Madrid, Nov. 6.—An express train conveying General Potatija to Barcelona, came into violent collision with another train at Chocovina. General Potatija and wife and other passengers were injured, but the General proceeds on his way to the Philippine Islands, of which he has been appointed Governor-General.

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN
Placed on the Same Footing as They Were Before the Strike.

Peoria, Nov. 6.—F. P. Sargent, grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, telegraphed from San Francisco that he has had complete success in the negotiations with the S. P. Members are to be put on the same footing as they were before the great strike of 1884 and on the same footing as those of other organizations.

EAST OF THE ROCKIES
Hon. Mr. Tarte Tendered a Banquet by the Citizens of West Prince Albert.

Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—A West Prince Albert dispatch says: Hon. Mr. Tarte and party spent yesterday in Prince Albert. The minister had an extended and confidential conference with local Liberals and held a public reception in the afternoon, also driving to some of the public buildings in town. In the evening the minister was tendered a banquet by the citizens, which was largely attended. The party left for the south this morning. The minister is expected to reach Winnipeg to-morrow on business connected with the school settlement.

Two Candidates for the Mayoralty in Winnipeg—Daring Robert in Ontario.

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The principal evidence in the Hutton murder trial to-day was that of Robert Agar, uncle of the murdered girl, who had resided with him for some time previous to her death. He was subjected to a severe cross-examination by the defence, who endeavored to fasten the crime on him.

Interest is awakening in civic affairs here. The municipal elections are only five weeks distant. Alderman McCreary and Sproule are definitely in the race for the mayoralty, but there will probably be others.

The tracklayers on the Lake Dauphin railway have reached Dauphin town. A large number of Chinamen bound for the Pacific coast were passengers on today's train. Among them was Yui Shi Yi, for three years consul-general for China at Havana, who is en route to interview Li Hung Chang. He returns to take the consul-generalship in New York.

F. Warren, agent at Qu'Appelle, will succeed F. W. Peters here as city freight agent of the Canadian Pacific. Mr. Peters goes to the Kootenay district.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—A number of influential gentlemen from the Anglican synod of Toronto waited on Premier Hardy to request that certain hours be set apart in the public schools for religious instruction. The chief speakers were Hon. S. H. Blake, Rev. Dr. Lang, ex-Provost Welsh and others. The premier promised to give the matter the fullest attention.

Guy Fawkes night passed off quietly. Samuel Tucker died in the hospital to-day from injuries received in a street car collision a month ago.

Reginald Goulay, a Hamilton barrister, was struck by a street car and sustained severe injuries.

Many daring robberies have been committed throughout the province. The telephone manager at Berlin was sandbagged and robbed. Masked men entered a house at Galt, and various attempts are reported from other points.

UNITED STATES SENATE.
Independents and Populists Hold the Balance of Power.

Washington City, Nov. 4.—As regards the election of United States senators, the five doubtful states were Delaware, Kansas, Kentucky, North Carolina and South Dakota. It is now reasonably certain that Delaware will have a Republican legislature. Kansas will elect a fusion or independent senator to succeed Peffer. Kentucky, on the face of returns, will elect a Republican to succeed Blackburn. The North Carolina legislature is in doubt, with chances favoring the fusionists, made up of Republicans and Populists. Until the legislature actually chooses Senator Pritchard's successor it cannot be told whether North Carolina's new senator will be a Republican. South Dakota is still in doubt, with indications in favor of fusion independent. The senate, therefore, would stand: Republicans, 44; Democrats, 32; Independents and Populists, 12; doubtful, 2; total, 290.

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CUBAN INSURGENTS
Antonio Maceo Leading Weyler a Lively Dance around the Island.

Insurgents Overtaken that the United States Will Come to Their Rescue.

Key West, Fla., Nov. 5.—Advices from Cuba give plainer descriptions of the movements of the insurgents than can be sent by cable from the island.

Antonio Maceo has moved to the plain country, that is to say, to the south coast of Pinar del Rio, with the intention to make an attempt to pass the trocha, protected in the meantime as he hopes by the insurgents at the rear of the trocha. He is at present supposed to be at Carajal, in the direction of the swamp of Mjals. If he does not accept a battle he will be obliged to go further toward Bayamiquets, and advance by Pueblo Nuevo, taking the road to Cayajales, and thus get from La Gloria to La Sierra. It is thought probable that it will be difficult for him to pass by the south coast to the western portion of Pinar del Rio because Gen. Weyler has stationed 2000 cavalry to prevent that movement near Cardlarico.

Capt. Gen. Weyler's column are fortifying the strategic positions taken from the insurgents in the mountains of Pinar del Rio so as to form a strong base of operations. When once these are finished Gen. Weyler calculates he will be able to dispose of 10,000 more men in the pursuit of Maceo, and it is the general opinion that he will be able to give a decisive blow.

The insurgents have dynamited the culverts of the railroad at San Cristobal, in the province of Pinar del Rio, detaining a passenger train until the next day.

The military governor of Cabassar, Havana province, learned that the insurgents were in the habit of passing daily across the river to Almendares. He prepared an ambush, as the result of which the insurgents lost one man and the well known leader, La Finca, was wounded in the leg.

The splendid farm houses of San Miguel, near Guayarama Melero, have been burned by the insurgents. They also attacked the village of Moacuga, plundered the stores and burned the greater part of the houses. The troops on the ground made a stubborn defence, but were unable to drive the insurgents before they burned the town. The fort only dominated a small part of the village. The insurgents left three of their men in the street when they made their retreat. The numerous families left homeless took refuge on the plantation of Dulz Nombres. The insurgent leader Aguirre and it is supposed some others are active in the neighborhood of Guana-Baza, just across the bay from Havana and have made several feints to attack that village with the intention of creating a sensational diversion, but the government have severed columns in pursuit of them.

Havana, Nov. 4.—The insurgents, in spite of the official denials, insist that the relations between the government and the Cuban authorities are of a decidedly strained nature, and they further claim that the inter-views which are expected to take place shortly between General Fitzhugh Lee and President Cleveland will lead to important and new departures in policy on the part of the United States government.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE FIELD.
The Aged Jurist Hale and Well Celebrates His 80th Birthday.

Washington City, Nov. 5.—Associate Justice of the Supreme Court Stephen J. Field celebrated the 80th anniversary of his birth. A constant stream of visitors came all day to offer their congratulations. The supreme bench headed by the Chief Justice, and the members of the distinguished member. Justice Field is now reaping the benefit of treatment taken last summer in California, and his 80th birthday found him in good health and spirits.

NOVEL ELECTION BET.
Judge Courtney Wheels a Young Lady Through Town and Kisses Her.

Metropolis, Ill., Nov. 6.—Judge James C. Courtney filled an election agreement with Miss Jane Neftzer. It was that if McKinley was elected that he was to wheel her from her home to the post-office and return, after first kissing her, the programme to be reversed if Bryan was elected. About 150 people witnessed the parade and the Judge was lustily cheered.

AGAIN REMANDED.
Prosecution Not yet Ready to Proceed With the Ivory Case.

London, Nov. 6.—The case of Ivory, alias Bell, the Irish-American dynamiter, was remanded in the Bow street police court to-day and after the usual tedious proceedings was remanded once more for a week. A representative of the United States embassy was present at to-day's examination.

MACEO DEFEATED.
At Least So Says a Report from Madrid.

Madrid, Nov. 6.—It is reported here that the Spanish troops have defeated Antonio Maceo in Pinar del Rio, the insurgents losing 200 killed and wounded.

BRITAIN'S PROPOSALS
Made to the Powers Some Time Ago in Respect to Turkey.

Constantinople, Nov. 5.—It was semi-officially announced to-day that Great Britain a month ago proposed that the powers give the ambassadors at Constantinople authority to draw up a scheme for reforms, ask the Turkish government to execute it and decide upon measures to compel its execution in the event of the Sultan's refusal to do so. The powers were agreeable to the first part of the proposal, but Russia refused to confer on the ambassadors the power to summon any ships to the Bosphorus, and France suggested the addition of a Russian delegate to the administration of the cause of the public debt and to increase its powers to the extent of making it permanent.

AMBASSADOR BAYARD ADDRESSES THE HOME OFFICE REGARDING MRS. CASTLE.

Difference of Opinion Among London Papers in Respect to the Sentence.

London, Nov. 7.—The officials of the home office have not as yet replied to the United States ambassador, Mr. Thos. F. Bayard, who wrote on behalf of Mrs. Castle, urging clemency on the ground of her physical condition. It is understood however, that the letter was marked unofficial.

The Westminster Gazette this afternoon, and other papers of this city, urge the release, upon medical grounds, of Mrs. Walter Castle, sentenced yesterday at the sessions to three months' imprisonment without hard labor.

The St. James' Gazette, while agreeing it is a case for clemency in view of the prisoner's health, says: "If she is released it ought to be clearly understood that the evidence of kleptomania is nothing. If her counsel had relied on it he would not have advised her to plead guilty. The robberies were frequent, systematic and artful."

The Daily News comments with severity on the case, saying: "This woman, whose dishonesty is serious, deliberate and repeated, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment without hard labor, but should like them to be applied to the poor as well as the rich. The case will foster the impression that when rich people steal it is not stealing but kleptomania. It is difficult to believe that, even at the instigation of counsel, Mrs. Castle would have pleaded guilty, if she did not do so."

BUSINESS PICKING UP.
Several Large Factories Being Re-Opened and Wages Increased.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—The revival of business, it is said, will shortly result in the re-employment of 1500 men now idle about Hammond, Ind. An official statement has been issued by Corning Bros. at Peoria, that the plant at Hammond, until recently operated by the Illinois Steel company, would resume operations early in January. This will give employment to 400 skilled mechanics and laborers and pay out from \$9000 to \$8,000 a week. Hegerweich, a deserted village on the state line, is preparing for some of its former activity. Bulletins posted at the United States rolling stock company's plant announces that 700 men are wanted at once. At West Hammond the Western Starch Association announces an increase in wages of 10 per cent over the cut of 5 per cent, made in September, and it has given out that the employment of two hundred men and women.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 6.—In interviews with leading business men, wholesalers and manufacturers all dwell on the promising prospects for the revival of business. Parties closed will be opened immediately, employing over 200 hands. The banks report large deposits of gold.

Dayton, Ohio, Nov. 6.—A number of manufacturing plants have already resumed work with a full force of workmen. They will be actively engaged for a long time filling conditional orders. The Barney & Smith car works begin operations immediately with a force of 2,000 men.

PROTECTION AND CUBA.
Two Blurs on the Victory of Major McKinley.

Paris, Nov. 7.—The Gaulois contains interviews with a number of members of the chamber of deputies, among others, M. Paul Deschanel, upon the result of McKinley's election as president. He says that the election will benefit English capitalists who lend gold to the United States and French agriculturists, but French industries have to fear the protective tariff. The great black spot on the new presidency is the Cuban question.

400,000 Free Samples Given Away in Eight Months.
Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the only kidney pills known with sufficient merit to guarantee the proprietors in giving away hundreds of thousands of sample packages free. Ask your druggist for a sample if you're kidneys or liver is deranged.

THE WEEK IN EUROPE

Canadian Government Opening a Market in Great Britain for Our Products.

Laboucheere Makes Further Disclosures Regarding an Army Scandal.

Couch Lehman, Who is to Look After Harvard's Crew, Being Interviewed.

London, Nov. 7.—The Canadian government has granted for £3000 to £4,000 to be expended in England with the object of introducing Canadian products in British markets. A Canadian expert will shortly arrive in London and take every opportunity to show where the Dominion may assist the Mother Country in supplying her with agricultural products, such as poultry, butter, bacon, eggs, fruit, cheese and the like. It is also proposed to supply salmon for market during the English close season. The election in the United States has completely overshadowed all other events during the week on this side of the water. Englishmen have never been known to take such an interest in a foreign event and the newspapers of the metropolitan have never reported one so fully. Nearly all the London newspapers had long special cable messages on the subject, and published diagrams maps in order to assist in explaining the political situation to their readers, all of which is having a beneficial effect as teaching Englishmen to know the United States better than they have done in the past. In addition, several newspapers published more or less appropriate cartoons and Punch, which published Wednesday morning, showed a remarkable enterprise in that historical periodical presenting a cartoon by Sauborne entitled "Columbia's Choice," showing a statue of Major McKinley.

Another of those scandals, which threaten to destroy the tradition that the British officer is a gentleman. It appears that just before the 20th Hussars went to India a new joined subaltern was taken by his brother officers to a riding school and put on a harness horse. The animal was made to gallop and whipped until the subaltern fell, injuring his knee. He became insensible, after which he was on the sick list for weeks. The object of the treatment, it is stated, was to drive the subaltern out of the regiment. When the latter reached India it is said these practices were kept up. The subaltern was made to dress in the clothing for his native country, to salarize in the same manner as into bondsmen with his pajamas on, etc., in order to disgrace the young officer in the eyes of the natives. Truth thereupon demands that his tormentors be tried by court martial, but adds: "I do not expect Lord Wolsey, commander-in-chief, to maintain the honor of the Queen's uniform."

The Daily Mail says the Harvard crew will compete in the Henley regatta in 1897. Mr. R. O. Lehman, the Oxford coach, formerly captain of the Leander Boat Club, was approached by Watson, (Harvard, 1894) with a series of eighty questions in regard to racing and training university crews. The Englishman answered the questions as best he could, but informed Mr. Watson that he could teach more in ten minutes from a launch than he could in ten years by letters. Talking the matter over yesterday with a representative of the Associated Press, Mr. Lehman said: "This autumn the matter of my coaching Harvard was again brought up. I have received a most cordial letter from Prof. Reale and the captain and crew. It is needless to say I know nothing of any difference of opinion concerning rowing matters at Harvard. I go in the sincere hope that my visit will contribute something towards maintaining the most friendly international relations in university sports as well as to help Harvard. I am anticipating meeting a very charming lot of oarsmen, which have all ways been found in American visitors at Henley."

The election of Mr. Edward J. Poynton, director of the National Gallery, was somewhat of a surprise to the friends of other candidates especially to the friends of Val Prinsep, who was early in the running and was supposed to be the Queen's choice. The election of Mr. Poynton, however, has been well received by the press. Although not a great painter, Poynton is fully a master of those social attainments which are necessary to make a successful president of the Royal Academy.

In official circles there is no doubt the new Lord Mayor of London, Mr. A. Prudell-Phillips, will signalize his year of office with great brilliancy. He proposes to commemorate the Queen's reign by raising the sum of £1,000,000 with which to free the London public hospitals from debt.

The first November cabinet council will be held on Lord Mayor's Day, Nov. 9th. It will occur earlier in the day than usual, the prime minister and most of the cabinet officials having accepted the Lord Mayor's annual invitation to dine at Guildhall.

Quite a sensation has been caused in certain circles by the announcement of the marriage of Miss Julia Emery, a pretty girl only eighteen years of age, and until recently an assistant in a fancy dry goods store in East Nouton, to Baron Lyvedon, who is over seventy-two years of age and a widower, his first wife having been a daughter of Earl Fitzwilliam. The Baron has no children and his prospective heirs are

not happy at this new departure upon the part of his lordship.

A writer in the Contemporary Review asserts that some New York belles have taken to chewing tobacco, adding: "Think of Venus de Milo biting off a chunk of plug!"

The value of resident property in London was exempted by the award of £200,000 given Lord Portman for fourteen acres of ground required by the New Manchester and Sheffield railroad for a site upon which to build a station, hotel, etc. The property at Jouis forty-six acres of the Eyre estate for which the same railroad company paid over £300,000.

Three interesting papers will be read before the Royal Geographical Society at their coming meeting. Next Thursday evening A. Monteferrie Green will give an account of the Jackson-Harmsworth expedition, on November 23rd Lieut. Vandeleur will expound two weeks' work in Uganda Unruo and the Upper Nile region, and on December 7 Col. J. K. Trotter describes the recent visit to the sources of the Niger.

Sir Robert Peel appears to have settled down to a novelist's career. His second novel appears shortly and a third one is said to be well under way.

Diplomatic circles in Vienna have been excited and French political circles have been incensed by the reported reply of the Archduchess Marie Dorothea of Austria, who was married on Thursday to the Duke of Orleans, pretender to the French throne, made to twenty-five ladies of the French legitimist aristocracy, who attended the wedding and presented a magnificent crown of diamonds to the bride. In return, thanks for this gift the Archduchess said, in French, "I hope the crown will one day be placed upon the head of my dear Philip. If that day ever arrives I shall know he who second my husband and to do my whole duty."

Lord Salisbury, in his speech at the Lord Mayor's banquet on Monday next, will, according to the belief of the ministerialists, make any allusion to the abandonment by Great Britain of the Island of Cyprus.

VICTORY FOR BI-METALLISM.
That is What the Bi-Metallists Say of McKinley's Election.

London, Nov. 5.—A meeting of members of the Bi-Metallic league has been in session all the afternoon engaged in drawing up a manifesto. Members will arrive at Birmingham, Manchester and elsewhere in attendance. The document, which will be issued to-night, is signed by Messrs. A. L. Denham, H. Greenfield, Robert Barclay, H. C. Gibbs and H. Macneil. It claims that McKinley's election is a victory for international bi-metallicism and quotes the money plank of the St. Louis platform.

Continuing it says: "In these circumstances and in view of the strong agricultural and mining interests to be maintained and developed, a genuine and determined effort on the part of the new government may be confidently anticipated to bring about an international bi-metallic agreement for the opening of the mints of the various countries to silver as well as to gold. The recent contest has brought home to the people of this country the vital importance of the monetary question and the grave dangers which threaten the industrial, commercial and financial interests of Great Britain so long as it is not settled on international lines. The unreasonable attitude of this country in the past, in its efforts to arrange a settlement, is mainly to be ascribed to the attempt just witnessed to induce the United States to act alone and for the consequent unrest and disturbance in financial circles. Therefore it is earnestly hoped that this country and the other great powers of Europe will hereby co-operate with the United States in their endeavor to place the metallic money of the world upon a sound and scientific basis."

MADE ALL ARRANGEMENTS.
Young Woman Succides in a Hotel at Jacksonville.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 6.—Neatly dressed for her funeral a young woman lay on her bed at the Carleton hotel last night, for after carefully arranging the best clothing she had placed a revolver to her head and shot herself. Her name was Miss Fannie Finnegan, of Spencer, Mass. The self murder had been premeditated for some time, as several weeks ago she bought a lot in the cemetery in made arrangements with an undertaker to bury an imaginary friend.

BIG COTTON FAILURE.
One of the Largest and Oldest Firms in Texas Goes to the Wall.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 5.—W. W. White & Co., one of the largest and oldest cotton buying firms in Texas, filed a deed of trust late last night. Liabilities near \$200,000, the largest creditor being J. P. Morgan & Co., of New York, who have a claim of \$100,000, secured by three thousand bales of cotton. The local banks were hit hard. Six sections of land in the Panhandle and numerous shares of stock in local elevator companies are conveyed for the benefit of the creditors.

CASTLE NOT GUILTY.
But His Wife is Sentenced to Three Months' Without Labor.

London, Nov. 6.—The trial of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Castle, of San Francisco, charged with shoplifting, took place at the Sessions House, Clerkenwell to-day. Mr. Castle was found not guilty and Mrs. Castle was sentenced to three months' imprisonment without hard labor.

Always avoid harsh, purgative pills. They first irritate the bowels and then have constipating effect. Carter's Little Liver Pills regulate the bowels and make you well. Dose, one pill.