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American League.

Philadelphia 6. New York 2 (first gam.);

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Phoston 8. Washington 7: Detroit 8, St.

Louis 1; Chicago 5. Cleveland 2.

Baseball on Sunday.

### EARTHQUAKE HORRORS

creasing Lists of Dead and Injured Now Run the Casualties Up Into the Thousands-Slight Shocks and Subterranean Rumblings Continue to Keep the Populace in Panic-Italy's King Off For Calabria.

Rome, Sept. 11.—The effects of the earthquake were more disastrous than at first reported. Despatches give ever increasing lists of dead and injured, the numbers now running into thousands. Martirano shows 2,220 casualties, while at Pargholia 300 are dead and at Lappolo 200. Many persons are still entombed in the ruins in this and other districts, and touching scenes are enacted when bodies are recovered and identified by grief-stricken relatives. In some cases whole families have been wiped out. The greatest agitation continues among the population. Slight shocks of earthquake are felt occasionally and subterranean rumblings are still heard. Those persons still possessing homes refuse to enter them. Rome, Sept. 11.-The effects of the

homes refuse to enter them.

The worst is now considered to be over. Succor is pouring in from all quarters, but the destitution is so wide-spread that it is impossible to supply immediately the needs of the

Official figures of the victims of the earthquake in the Province of Cainzaro show that 450 dead have already been found, that about 1,000 were in-jured and that there are an enormous number of persons without shelter. King Victor Emmanuel has left on a train for Calabria, in order that he may personally visit the victims of the earthquake.

AGUINALDO LEADS OUTLAWS.

Sensational Testimony From Army Officer at Manila.

Manila, Sept. 11.-Capt. W. P. Baker, medical officer of the constabulary serving in the Province of Cavite serving in the Province of Cavite, while testifying in a libel suit against a native newspaper, declared that Aguinaldo was in league with the native outlaws. He said that the evidence of this effect was obtain from captured chiefs.

"The people understand," he added, "that Aguinaldo is the director of the outlaw campaign, and supposedly peaceful natives are aiding the movenents under the same understanding. Aguinaido was challenged to prove otherwise. The testimony has created a sensation.

Dies Worth \$15,000,000.

New York, Sept. 11.—Confirmation was received in this city yesterday of the death in the White Mountains of E. R. Whitney, the aged Canadian multi-millionaire, who less than four months ago astonished his friends by marrying Anna Bennett, a 22-year-old telephone operator at the Grand Union Hotel. Mr. Whitney was reputed to have a fortune of about \$15,000,000 She will doubtless get several millions of the lumberman's fortune as her

Dies At 93, Woodstock, Sept. 11.—Henry Hun-tingford, an old resident of this city, died at the hospital yesterday after a saort liness. 22ed 93.

CHILDREN TAUGHT TO SWIM.

At this period of the year, when so At this period of the year, when so many drowning accidents occur, the annual report of the London, Eng., Schools. Swimming Association possesses special interest. The organization, which is supported by voluntary subscriptions, is the largest swimming association in the world, having affiliated to it nearly 1,000 schools. The filiated to it nearly 1,000 schools. The branches are spread all over London, and every year about 5,000 certificates are ussued to boys who can swim 100 yards, and to girls who can swim 50 yards. No fewer than 60,000 children are taken to the baths every week and instructed in swimming. Lifesaving is also taught. The Roll of Honor contains the names of 45 boys and girls who have attempted to save and girls who have attempted to save life from drowning. All these young people have been rewarded by the Royal Humane Society.

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## HE BORE A WHITE FLAG

Oyama's Peace Commissioner to General Linevitch.

Beginning of Armistice - Japanese Field Marshal Asks Russian Commander to Name Plenipotentiaries to Meet at Chakhedza - Russian Troops, Ready for Battle, Are Glad the War Is Over,

Godzyadni, Manchuria, Sept. 11.-At begging him to appoint Russian pleni-potentiaries to arrange an armistice. Field Marshal Oyama appointed Gen. Tukushima as plenipotentiary for his side, the letter announced, and he sug-

gested Chakhedza as the meeting place.
Russian Soldiers Feasted.
Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, Sept. 11.—
The peace negotiations received no official recognition in the field prior to their successful conclusion, the army keeping in a state of preparedness for a battle until the receipt by Gen. Linevitch of the telegram from Emperor Nicholas, declaring that the treaty had been signed, and that His Majesty accepted, the conditions received. The cepted the conditions reached. This telegram was officially published in the army newspaper on Sept 6, and the outlines of the peace conditions were printed in the same publication Satur-

Glad Its Over.

The result of these notifications was to bring to the officers a heavy sense of military decorum, while the soldiers, often with the consent and through the generosity of the officers, engaged in feasting and other forms of celebration. It will be a week before the entire army is fully informed of the conclusion of peace. To the great majority of the officers and men so far informed.

or the omeers and men so far informed, the news that the war is at an end is most welcome.

With the exception of the loss of a captain and two orderlies on the east front within the past two weeks, and of nine men in the centre a week ago, there have been no casualities. The cessation of hostilities was preceded only by unimportant reconnaissances, involving small parties of scouts.

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Care has been taken to prevent further loss of life, though, owing to the enormous tract of country east of Hailungcheng, and between the Russian lines along the Vladivostock Raliroad and the Japanese positions in the Changpalshan Range, it will require, some time to reach all the elements operating in the interests of both armies, and in restoring the regions ocnies, and in restoring the regions occupied by both flanks to order. It is reported that Gen. Linevitch will leave soon. The general staff is engaged in plans, for changing the commanders throughout the army, pre-

paratory to evacuation.

Tokio Quiets Down.

Tokio, Sept. 8.—(9 p. m.)—(Delayed in transmission.)—To-day and to-night were almost without incident. A few

crowds collected and made slight de-monstrations against police stations, but there was no disorder. Gen. Sakuna has withdrawn the guards from the Foreign Legations, which are deemed to be in no danger.

#### BAKU DISORDERS CEASING.

Hurds Join the Tartars and Protest Is Made to Persia.

Tislis, Sept. 11.—The Governor of Baku reports that firing continued Sat-urday night and yesterday, though on a smaller scale, and that few were killed or wounded. The troops and po-lice, he says, are still engaged in pre-venting incendiarism and pillaging. The director of the Technological In-stitute at Baku telegraphs: "We are starving, dying," and implores the de-spatch of necessaries. spatch of necessaries.

The worst news yesterday comes from the Zangezurski district, where it is reported that many Armenian villages were wiped out and hundeds of per-sons killed. Help is slow in reaching sons killed. Help is slow in reaching there; owing to the distance from the military centres. The whole of the Tartar population has risen, and has been joined by 4,000 armed Kurds from the folded by 4,000 armed Kurds from the folded by 4,000 armed Kurds from the folder. Persian bank of the Atlas River. viceroy has protested to the Persian

Destruction Enormous. Oil men, escorted by troops, were able for the first time to visit the oil fields, which, for four days, had been practically in the hands of the Tartars. They report scenes of indescribable destruction. About three-quarters of the property there, they say, was burned to the ground, and plundering and incendiarism continue. Hundreds of tanks were destroyed, the pumping machinery is useless, and the houses of the workmen are destroyed. The rebuilding operations will take half a year, if the workmen return immediately to work.

One of the oil men estimated the number of dead at over 1,000.

#### MUTINEERS SENTENCED.

Three Are to Be Executed and Others
Get Varying Terms.

Odessa, Sept. 11.—The trials by court-martial begun ten days ago of seventy-five of the mutineers of the battleship Georgi Pobledonosteff were

battleship Georgi Pobledonosten were concluded Saturday. The men were sentenced as follows: Three to be executed; nineteen to terms of penal servitude; thirty-three to the disciplinary works, and twenty were acquitted.

were acquitted.
The sentences were read out on board the Georgi Pobledonoseteff in the presence of the crew.

Moscow, Sept. 11.—M. Kulikovsky, who, on July 11 last, assassinated Maj.-Gen. Count Shuvaloff, has been sentenced to imprisonment for life.

To Abolish Duty.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 11.—An Imperial ordinance will shortly be published providing for the abolition of retailatory duties on machinery from America.

Freedom of the University. St. Petersburg, Sept. 11.—An Imper-

# BETTERMENT

# A MATTER OF COURSE

To say that Thornton & Douglas' is better this Fall than ever before is trite. To say less would be to pronounce the death of the institution. Where there is life there is growth. Those who have watched the progress of this business will agree that the growth has been as rapid as good, sturdy health will allow.

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ial ukase is published this morning ial ukase is published this morning granting a liberal measure of autonomy to the universities, pending the elaboration of permanent regulations along the same lines. This is considered here as insuring the opening of the universities September 14, and the resumption of the educational life the resumption of the educational life of Russia, which has been at a stand-still with all students and professors in the higher schools on strike since

NO MARRIAGE FOR DIVORCED.

Synod Decides, Though Some Favored Right to Innocent Party. Quebec, Sept. 11.—In the Anglican Synod Saturday morning a committee was appointed to draft an address to the Lord Archbishop on the occasion of his 90th birthday. A vote of thanks was passed to the presiding bishop of the American church for his service to

the American church for his service to the synod.

A message was received from the House of Bishops, representing marriage and divorce, that no clergyman within the jurisdiction of the church in Canada solemnize marriage between persons who have been previously married and divorced, and asking concurrence. Dr. Davidson moved that the rence. Dr. Davidson moved that the house concur, and a long debate en-

Hon. Judge Savery moved an amendment that the innocent persons be allowed to re-marry. Able arguments were advanced for and against the the amendment, and the debate was not concluded when the synod ad-

journed.

The synod re-assembled at 8 o'clock Saturday evening when the debate regarding the re-marrying of divorced persons was continued, the most powerful address of the day being made by Judge Fitzgerald of Charlottetown, who favored the re-marrying of the

innocent person.

At midnight a vote was taken, re-At midnight a vote was taken, resulting in the recommendation of the House of Bishops being carried, the vote standing: For clergy, 55; lay, 29; against, 8; lay, 20.

The Lieutenant-Governor has invited the synod to an at home at Spencerwood on Tuesday next.

Severe Fighting in Morocco. Tangier, Sept. 11.—There has been several hand to hand fighting yesterday in the outskirts of the city. It is estimated that casualities are heavy, Raisulf recently appointed Governor Raisuli, recently appointed Governor of several importanat tribes, but not Tangier and Fez, reinforced by 500 cavalry, in endeavoring to subdue the revolting tribesmen, who yesterday morning burned a number of villages in the immediate vicinity of Tangier. Thousands of inhabitants of these places fied to Tangier.

Peace, Lesson to Kaiser. Hamburg Sept. 11.—Speaking at a Provincial dinner here yesterday, Emperor William recalled childhood memories of the Province where he said, he had received the reports of the great unification struggle; but he had also witnessed the sorrow and desola tion that was brought a country, and, therefore, he declared his chief care as a ruler would be to preserve peace in his country.

He Was With Stanley.
Galt, Sept. 11.—David Dobson has arrived in Galt from Aberdeen, Scotland, and is the guest of William McNaughton of Victoria avenue. He is aged 74, hale and hearty, and enjoys the distinction of being the sole survivor of the party which accompanied Henry M. Stanley on his last expedition into the heart of the Dark Continent. Mr. Dobson has traveled the tinent. Mr. Dobson has traveled the

Treaty of Enormous Service.

London, Sept. 11.—In a speech at Stockton-on-Tess Saturday night the Marquis of Londonderry, Lord President of the Council, said the details of the Anglo-Japanese treaty would be published soon, when the nation would agree that the Government had concluded a treaty of enormous service to Great Britain and the whole world.

Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best—the Lord Lake.

#### The Letter-Box \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

ON THE RIVER.

To the Editor of The Planet:
What is the distance by water from
the Rankin Dock to the lighthouse at
the mouth of the Thames River? I
have scaled the following distances
from the best available charts of
Kent county for the way of cause and from the pest available charts of Kent county, for the use of cance and gasolene launch captains. The mea-sures commence at the Rankin Dock: Rankin Dock to Lighthouse, miles,

Rankin Dock to French Church,

Rankin Dock to Tilbury and Ra-Rankin Dock to D. W. Crowe's

50. Rankin Dock to Pain Court ditch,

Rankin Dock to Old Brick House, Crae farm, 4.40.
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Rankin Dock to Louisville, 7.50. Rankin Dock to Kent Bridge, 13.50. Rankin Dock to G. T. R. bridge at Thamesville, 20.50.

Rankin Dock to Orford and Howard ard Townline, 24.30.
Rankin Dock to Moravian Village,

Rankin Dock to East Limit, Orford

Rankin Dock to East Limit, Orford Township, 33.80.

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