Surrender of Kirin to the Rus sians Confirmed.

Systematic Looting of the Summer Palace.

Russians Said To Be Evacuating Pekin-Germans to Occupy the Forbidden City.

London, Oct. 1 .- A dispatch to the Times from St. Petersburg confirms the reports that the town of Kirin surrendered to the Russians without a shot on peremptory orders from Prince Ching. The dispatch says that if simflar orders shall be issued with regard to Mukden the Russian conquest of Manchuria will be completed. According to the same authority no further reinforcements will be required by the Russian commanders in the far east.

Tien Tsin, Sept. 28, via Shanghai, Sept. 30.—The Chinese abandoned and looted Tong Schan (?) ostensibly because their wages were in arrears, and they feared a Russian attack. General Sir Alfred Gaselee is going

to Wei Hai Wei. THENG TING FU MISSIONARIES

SAFE. Paris, Oct. 1. - The French consulgeneral at Shanghai, under date of Saturday, Sept. 29, telegraphs that he has been informed by the governor of Sent Che Li, that through the intervention of Sheng, the missionaries and engineers at Theng Ting Fu were safe and sound on Sept. 23; that the military and civil authorities took precautions to protect all the missionaries,

SYSTEMATIC LOOTING.

"At the same moment, the Chinese offered to permit the British to occupy, Kwan and Tong Schan (?); they also that these overtures were supported by the British authorities in Pekin, they disturb the concert of admirals.

"Systematic Russian denudation of the summer palace has resulted in stripping it of every valuable article. The loot has been packed and labeled, and is now awaiting transportation to

"On the second attempt the white pagoda and two adjoining temples were razed to the ground."

MORE CONFUSION.

London, Monday, Oct. 1-3:30 a.m.-Beyond a sheaf of imperial edicts, which throw into still worse confusion the complicated Chinese situation, there is little in today's news to arrest attention. From Shanghai comes an unconfirmed report that the alies have seized Shan Hai Wan. All the news with regard to the edicts emanates from Shanghai.

THOSE EDICTS.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post says: The severe pun-ishment ordered by Emperor Kwang Su will only mean a money fine. There are traces of Li Hung Chang's hand, under American influence, in the

The Standard's Shanghai correspondent remarks that the empress regent now realizes the true nature of the crisis. After consulting the emperor she summoned the court dignitaries, and on their assembling, while she remained silent, the emperor in a loud voice, delivered a tirade, lasting a couple of hours, against the courtiers. Then, in an angry voice, he dis-missed them. After this the decrees were issued.

AUCTION SALE OF LOOT. The Chinese official gazette has resumed publication, says the Pekin cor-respondent of the Morning Post, wiring Sept. 24, and contains an order directing the Pekin officials to follow the court, unless their duties here prevent them leaving. British looting continues and the daily auctions are held at the legations. This is likely to last all winter. Members of the nobility are the heaviest losers, Prince Ching In particular.

RUSSIANS LEAVING PEKIN. St. Petersburg, Sept. 30.—The follow-ing dispatch, dated Pekin, Sept. 27, has been received from M. De Giers, Ruspian minister to China; "In accordance with orders from the highest quarters, I am leaving for Tien Tsin with the whole legation

Pekin, Sept. 25, via Taku, Sept. 28, via Shanghai, Sept. 30.—At the conference of generals today, the Russian commander, Gen. Linevitch, an-nounced the immediate withdrawal from Pekin of the bulk of the Russian troops and the legation. He will leave on Thursday, Sept. 27, and the legation will follow on Saturday. ing the same policy. The other gen-British commander, are gone to Tien | may be able to share in the trade.

Tsin to inspect the British troops there.

FRICTION. Friction between the British and Russians over the railway continues, each party seizing and guarding small sections. The repairing is unsystematic and the completion of the work very undefinite.

GERMANS IN THE FORBIDDEN

Pekin, Sept. 24, via Taku, Sept. 27 .-Prince Ching has addressed notes to the ministers acknowledging their letters, suggesting that the court return to Pekin. He announces that he has dispatched a memorial covering the subject to the dowager empress. It is practically determined that Count Von Waldersee shall occupy one of the imperial palaces in the Forbidden City when he arrives, and a large portion of the German army will be quartered there. There is a complete reversal of the former policy to protect the Forbidden City. The Americans disapprove of this, but will not enter a protest. General preparations for a winter encampment were resumed on the 16th. The Bengal Lancers have arrived. WITHDRAWAL OF UNCLE SAM'S

TROOPS. Tien Tsin, Sept. 28, via Shanghal, Sept. 30. — Orders from Washington, directing the withdrawal of the bulk of the American troops, were received this afternoon, and preparations to

A LIVE S. S.

Chaffee is here directing the move-

Rally in Starting on Its Fall Campaign.

Rally Day at Dundas Center Sunday School has always been a notable day, and this year was no exception. To them it means a rallying of the entire membership, from "Cradle Roll" to "Home Department." The former is a new department lately added to the school, and includes infant children whose names, with the consent of their parents, are kept on a "cradle roll." They are remembered on their birth days with some slight token, and in due time become regular members of the school.

The platform was tastefully decoratand that the Belgian mission at Ning ed with palms and flowers, and seated Tien Lung was safe. church, who showed their interest in London, Cet. 1.—Dr. Morrison, wir-ing to the Times from Pekin, on Sept. Hobbs, Gilbert Glass and Frank Cooper. Above the platform hangs a large oil portrait with this inscription: "Wm. Bowman-For 50 years actively without opposition, both Schan Hai identified with Sunday school work, 36 Kwan and Tong Schan (?); they also years superintendent of Methodist made overtures to the British to oc-cupy Pei Tang. Although it was known superintendent of this school." Mr. Bowman still takes a keen interest in the school. To the right of the platwere discountenanced by Rear Admiral form is an interesting group of photo-Bruce, on the ground that they would graphs of the leading Sunday school workers of America, including Prof. Hamill and B. F. Jacobs, of Chicago, the late William Reynolds, of Peorla, Ill.; Marion Lawrence, of Toledo, Ohio; N. F. Caswell, Toronto; Wm. Johnson, Befleville; W. A. Duncan, Ph.B., Syracuse, and others. The pastor, Rev. J. B. Saunders, D.D., was unavoidably Is What a London Doctor Calls Dodd's absent, attending a funeral. Except on emergency, Dr Saunders is always

The keynote of the service, which included Scripture readings and sacred song, was "Forward," the idea being well brought out. Recitations, "The Lambs of the Fleck" and "The Sheep of the Fold," by Belva Chapman and Edith Deely, and a solo by Miss Hooper, found appropriate places in the service. Superintendent D. A. Mc-Dermid gave the address of welcome. Principal M. W. Althouse reviewed the lessons of the next three months, and lessons of the next three months, and Rev. A. K. Birks, B.A., of Colborne Street Methodist Church, gave an interesting address on "The Clean Heart," which was much appreciated. The school orchestra, of fifteen pieces, under the leadership of Roselle Po-

cocke, rendered a number of choice selections while the school was assembling, and assisted in the musical service throughout. W. H. Hewlett presided at the piano, Dr. C. H. Ziegler led the singing, and C. E. German and William Yates, two of the superintendents, conducted the service from the platform.

Secretary Charles E. Cowley reported the attendance as 763, and the collec-

FUNERAL OF THE LATE PREMIER MARCHAND.

Quebec, Oct. 1 .- The funeral of Hon. F. G. Marchand on Saturday was most solemn and impressive. The funeral procession took over an hour to pass a given point without any interrup-tion. The floral car, containing all the floral tributes sent to the family of the lamented and illustrious deceased, was a masterpiece. The funeral car was ornamented with trophies of Canadian colors. Eighteen cars crowded with sympathizers and delegations from different parts of the province came on the C. P. R. in the morning. It was the same thing on every other railway line. The cortege included provincial and municipal police, fire brigade, pupils of the different schools, the state band, military guard of honor, the representatives of the governor-general, the lieutenant-governor, the colleagues of the late prime minister, members of the federal government, judges, municipal officers and men.

MARKETS FOR APPLES. Toronto, Oct. 1.-There has been received at the Ontario department of agriculture an extensive list of the importers of evaporated apples and other There will remain a mixed force of fruits at Hamburg, Germany. This list about 2,000 to represent Russia. Gen. has been forwarded from the Imperial Linevitch asserted that the dispatch Institute, London, and may be of use from St. Petersburg, transmitting the order to withdraw, contained a statement that all the powers were adopt- department. There have been several inquiries at the department in regard erals replied that they had received to the possibilities of this trade. Gerno orders of that nature. German many imports large quantities of Amand Japanese columns are operating erican evaporated apples, and it is to the southward, near the imperial quite possible that Canadian exporters, deer park. Sir Alfred Gaselee, the in this season of extraordinary crop,

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LIONS. TIGERS AND ELEPHANTS

What an Animal Trainer Says About Their Traits in Captivity.

[Chicago Record.]

"Personally I would rather undertake to train jungle-bred lions than lions that are born in captivity. may win the regard of the first class. but the others are so accustomed to seeing everybody that they respect no-The idea that lions desire to eat body. up their trainers is preposterous. feed these lions twelve and a half pounds of fine meat every day at 5 o'clock. If a lien was ravenously hun-gry the case might be different. When beast gets mad and knocks you down with a blow from his paw you must lie still. It would be useless to fight back, for if he should close his jaws no bone could stand the pressure. I do not fear the lion's yaws and teeth -the paws and claws are the things that have left their marks all over my body. Their claws are sharp as fishhooks and take hold in the same fash-

"Yes, I have been nipped by lions a number of times, generally in the fleshy part of the hand and the leg; the teeth have gone clean through with a snap. Still, the claws are the things comply were begun immediately. Gen. that make the life of the lion tamer an unpreferred risk in life insurance writing.

"Tigers are much brighter than lions. and can be taught many tricks, but they can never be relied on, as treachery appears to be their disposition and Dundas Street Center Makes a Great fighters, and if they cannot get up a row among themselves they are ready to help others. The closest call I eve had in my life was when a jaguar got over the partition in the big den into the cage occupied by a lion, and under-took to take a bone away from the latter. I went in and undertook to drive the jaguar back into her own cage. The beast turned upon me and clawed me horribly, while the lion took a whack at my back. When I was finally dragged out of the cage the new suit of clothes that I wore was a mass tatters, and I was scarred and bloody from head to foot. This famous fight occurred in Washington with the W. C. Coup show. I had a number of encounters with Wallace, who was set down on the bills as 'the man-eater.' I had a number of He had chewed and clawed many men, but never eaten one, but he did oc-casionally feast on a horse. So many stories have been told about Wallace by trainers that never handled him it would be idle for me to repeat them. as I had him all the time he was in this country. That famous lion died two years ago in an express car while

on his travels. "Tigers have a fancy for sliding on their backs, and getting you at a disadvantage, as they lie and claw up-ward. The moment you turn to leave a cage they are liable to slide its whole length and drag you down before you can raise your whip.

"But, take my word for it, the most dangerous animal you can encounter in a menagerie is a 'bad elephant.' I've been with 'em for forty years, and I

WONDROUS REMEDY

Kidney Pills.

London, Oct. 1 .- A large decrease in the number of cases of Kidney Disease has been noted in this city during the past year.

"There's only one thing to be said about it," said a prominent physician, speaking on the subject today. "This falling off is due solely to the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills by the people. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the most wondrous kidney remedy ever known. They are used in nearly every household, which accounts for the great decrease of Kidney Complaints."

HIDDEN DEFENSES

Among Them Are Twenty-Six Forts, 800 95-Ton Guns and 50,000 Gunners.

Perhaps you have just returned from Paris, enthusiastic over the sights

Here are some things you didn't see: Seven great forts about the city, eight miles away from its walls. Nineteen smaller forts, four miles out, containing three acres and mount-

ing two 95-ton guns.
Great stacks of 160-pound melinite shells ready for these guns to hurl.
Twenty-one miles of continuous fortifications about the town-earthwork walls 150 feet thick at the base and fronted by 45-foot moats.

Three hundred emplacements along this giant wall for as many 95-ton cannon, kept free from rust in the Champs de Mars arsenal and ready to be swung into place at any time. But anywhere else among the sights mentioned-and surely they are worth seeing-a visitor might be apt to have his feelings hurt, especially if he caried a camera.

So cleverly are the forts masked by long slopes of green turf and the walls by trees and bushes, that one can pass in and out of Paris a dozen times and see scarcely a trace of its famous fortifications.

The range of the 95-ton gun is over ten miles—some say fourteen. Beneath their at present untenanted beds on the rampart are stone casemates for ammunition, with small transfer wagons. These casemates are open upon the inner base of the wall, and a set of rails, standard gauge, runs for the doorway to the top of the fortification. You must look for these rails in the grass, the general staff is

so modest. Suppose war comes and the 300 guns must be mounted. Well, the staff has thought of that. The rails, standard gauge-that lie ready for the ammunition wagons can be linked with the tramway system of Paris.

No ordinary tramway would bear 95 tons, but that also has been thought of. The Paris tramways are built on solid oak, pinned to iron trestles, bedded in concrete.

To work these guns, were every man of the garrison drafted away, Paris has 50,000 trained artillerymen among her reservists. She could man every gun twice over, garrison all her forts with infantry reservists, and put a dozen cavalry regiments into the field for scouting purposes. Such a performance no other city on earth could

The Paris railway stations have immense acreages of platform space, exclusive of arrival and departure quays, which are made long enough to receive three trains at a time.
Paris has three circular railways-

the Inner, the Outer and the Grand Ceintures—which form a network con-necting the city and its suburbs. At every 1,000 yards along the inner slope of the fortifications is a three-story guardhouse. Some 20,000 troops spread on the blue mixture in a great

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could thus be sheltered within call of all attackable points. These guardhouses are connected by the broad Boulevard Exterieur, which is of course, provided with tramways. Every reservist, whether Parisian born or provincial immigrant, has a book containing his number, particulars of his service, and a memorandum of the barrack to which he must repair upon the calling of the reserves.
In case of war lines carefully maintained would be switched into use, and the tramway system would be in communication with the enormous goods depots of the Paris termini. Not rolling stock only, but herse-flesh would be requisitioned. Every horse over four years old is registered,

together with his type, owner and probable utility. The general staff could choose from some 120,000 horses. There are in Paris 16,000 cabs, with three horses to a cab-48,000 mounts fairly suitable for cavalry. Add 20,000 tram and 'bus horses, and 50,000 draught horses—the balance may be taken as in private hands.

The pneumatic transit system in vogue in the French metropolis offers unique advantages for military pur-The military stores of Paris are

boundless. In a day she could clothe and arm 450,000 fighting men, with 70,-000,000 rounds of melinite cartridges. At the army bakeries she reserves large stores of grain. In case of siege the general staff has

a censorship of prices ready in the Paris municipality, which at all times fixes the price of bread and would do so of other staples. Paris has an invisible defense—the submarine boats that patrol the Seine

from Aspieres and Ivry. Presumably a foreign army might get into Paris again, as one did in 1870-71, but the process would be burdened with some fatigue and annoy-

ART IN THE SHAVING MUG

The False Economy of Trying to Use One Article Too May Ways.

Out in one of Cleveland's eastern suburbs lives an ancient dame of Pennsylvania Dutch persuasion. In addition to this she is an acknowledged and the evidences of her neatness are worth going miles on a suburban car to inspect.

Some time ago she determined to blingly cried. paint the woodwork in her kitchen. She didn't want a man mussing around, and so she determined to wield the brush i herself. She went so far as to purchase a quart can of ready-mixed paint of a light blue tint. This she took home and laid aside to await an opportunity. When the opportunity finally came one cool July afternoon, she had no brush. But time was precious, the nearest brush store was a long distance away, and necessity is the mother of ex-

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her hilarity.

hurry. The brush from the shaving ished partner. mug didn't hold much at a time, but with frequent dipping it worked fairly well. But when it came to portions of the job where she had to reach high she presently found that almost as much paint ran down her hand and wrist and arm as went on the wall. But finally the job was completed. In a hurried way she washed out the brush and replaced it, and then set about preparing the evening meal. Her liege lord returned from his daily toil

his attention to the improvement. Besides, she meant to go over it again and touch up the thin places. After supper the husband went upstairs to shave and the old lady sat down in her favorite rocker in the living room to look over the evening pa-

presently, but it was too dark to call

Presently there was an agonizing cry from the upper regions.
"Amelia! Amelia! Come quick! I haf

de blue sicknesss!" The startled old lady hastily climbed the stairs, and there stood the old gentleman before the looking glass on the mistress of the art of housekeeping, bureau, his eyes popping from his head in terror as he stared at his own countenance. 'Vat it ees, Heinrich?" she trem-

> "Look, look, Amelia," he almost shrieked. "Ton't you see dot mortification was setting in? My plood vas all conchesting in my wains, Look at my face vonce!

And he turned his agonizing coun-

apron over her head and shricked with

"Vat it ees, Amelia?" cried her aston. bowels,

"It ees the paint brush-I mean the latter brush," she cried. "I bainted de kitchen mit it." And she went on with

The husband was a good-natured man and, besides, he felt greatly relieved. "Vell," he said, with an effort to be sarcastic, "I s'pose ven you uset my latter brush to paint kitchens mit, you will uset my razor to open lobster cans Then he stared again at his ghastly

"Vell," he slowly added, "ven I used blue paint for lattering my face I should uset a putty knife to save me

And he laughed as he said it -Cleveland Plaindealer.

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