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 ...SOCIETY...

Miss Isabella Complin, of London, who has been the guest of Miss Edith Ball for the past few weeks, returned home to-day.

Ome of the brightest and most pleasing social functions that has taken place in Maple City society in some years was the "At Home" given yesterday by Mrs. N. H. Stevens in honor of her guest, Miss Winnifred Symington, of Sarnia.

The Stevens home on Dover St. was exquisitely and very artistically decorated in honor of the event. The ornamentation of the tea room particularly attracted admiration. walls were covered with palm leaves the ribbon effect of which gave a nnique and original touch to the room. The credit for the idea and its groceries and provisions. Satisfaction groceries are provisions in the credit for the idea and its groceries and provisions. Satisfaction given. execution lies with Mrs. Spencer Stone and Mrs. (Dr.) R. V. Bray. Red roses and red carnations was the floral finish. Mrs. N. H. Stevens, Miss Winnifred Symington, of Sarnia, and Miss Allie Samson, of Blenheim, received. Miss Symington was attired in a beautiful gown of crepe de chene trimmed with yellow. Miss 'Allie Samson had on a pretty dress of blue crepe de chene. Mas. N. H. Stephens wore a handsome dress of black etamine slip over white silk. The ladies who assisted in the tear room were Mrs. Spencer Stone, Mrs. R. V. Bray, Mrs. A. F Falls and Mrs. T. Beverley Smith. Mrs. (Judge) Bell and Mrs. Martin presided over 'the coffee and Mrs. Herbert S. Clements and Mrs. F. B. Stevens had charge Stephens wore a handsome dress of and Mrs. F. B. Stevens had charge of the fruit punch and ice cream. The or the trust punch and see cream. The waiting maids were the Misses North-

Dunlop, Miss Nan Battisby, Miss Flo Glass, Miss Lucy Gemmill and Miss

The out-of-town guests were Miss Mary Smith, Detroit; Miss Dunlop, of New Orleans; Miss Elliott, of Winnipeg; Mrs. W. D. and Miss Samson of Blenheim.

There were over two hundred pres ent during the afternoon and many charming gowns were in evidence. Amongst the prettiest was a lace effect over silk, worn by Mrs. Spencer

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Jap Cavalry Machine Guns Swept Russians From Bridge.

eace For a Time-Fighting Stops For the Time Being-Heavy Rains Followed By Bad Roads Make Military Operations Difficult, If Not Impossible-Kurepatkin Reports Repulse of Japs At Lone Tree Hill,

London, Oct. 20.—Special despatchs from St. Petersburg mention a ushing defeat of two Japanese divisions. The report is not confirmed here, however. According to The Standard's correspondent with Gen. Kuroki, who telegraphs under date of Oct. 18, a Russian battalion, which crossed the Taitse River, has been annihilated. While retiring over a pontoon bridge, the correspondent says, the battalion was overtaken by a regiment of Japanese cavalry, which got its machine guns into po-sition and swept the bridge from end

Peace For a Time.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 20 .- For the noment heavy rains and impassable roads have compelled a suspension of operations in Manchuria. There was practically no fighting yesterday and

none whateper last night.

There is evidence of a new disposition of the forces on both sides. General Kuropatkin is extending his right, whether with a view to a turning movement for the safety of Lone Tree H ll, the importance of which point is fully realized by the Japanese, who have attempted to retake it in two night attacks or retake it in two night attacks, or to take it in two night attacks, or to meet and thwart a Japanese turning movement from the west, has not yet developed. The Japanese also ap-pear to be shifting their weight to

Kuropatkin Reports

St. Petersburg, Oct. 20.-The Em peror has received from General Kuropatkin, under date of Oct. 18, the following despatch: "During the night the Japanese attacked our advanced positions at Lone Tree Hill, but they were repulsed. No reports have been received of any other en-gagements. Everything was quiet at all our positions up to 10 o'clock this morning. Rain fell all night, and the roads have been greatly

Russ Gets Two Jap Guns.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 20.-General St. Petersburg, Oct. 20.—General Sakharoff telegraphs at midday yesterday to the effect that the Japanese are concentrating at Lingshipu, west of the railroad. A detachment of Russian cavalry reconnoitering last night in the vicinity of Shakhe, captured two Japanese guns, with no losses to themselves. One Quiet Night.

Mukden, Oct. 20.—Tuesday passed off quietly. No fighting was heard that night. The Japanese appear to be slowly falling back. A glare seen

above their encampments may in-dicate that they are burning their stores prior to withdrawing. Artillery Fighting.

Tokie, Oct. 20 .- Manchurian head quarters, telegraphing yesterday, say that the Russians retreated from Bensihu to Kaiotai Pass. The Russian body facing the right army is diminishing but active. The enemy diminishing but active. The enemy facing the centre army was repulsed in several night attacks on Oct. 17. "An artillery duel was progressing

The report says: "The enemy fortifying his positions in our front. Revolt in Canton.

vesterday."

Shanghai, Oct. 20.—According to well informed Chinese, the Weife Societies of bandits in the western part of the Province of Kwangtung are amalgamating with the object of raising a revolt in Canton and other parts of the province. It is believed that these bandits have allied them-selves with the West River pirates. Baltic Fleet Divided.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 20.-The Baltic fleet will divide, part of it going remainder round the Cape of Good

To Meet Lord Curzon.

London, Oct. 20.-The India Office announces that the Ameer of Afghan-istan will send his eldest son to meet Lord Curzon of Kedleston on his return to India, and will receive at Kabul an official sent by the Indian Government, authorized to discuss with the Ameer questions concerning the relations between the two Governments. The London newspapers express satisfaction at the opportune time selected by the Ameer for such a meeting, which is calculated to remove apprehensions and consolidate British Indian relations with Afghan-

Killed in Syracuse.

Peterboro, Oct. 20 .- Tuesday even ing the sad news of the accidental death of William C. Dixon, was re-ceived from Syracuse, where he had been living, and where he carried on an electric business. The deceased was born and brought up in Peterboro.

Anxiety For 169 Souls.

Havana, Oct. 20.—Anxiety is felt here for the safety of the Spanish royal mail steamer Buenos Ayres, which left New York, Oct. 13, carrying 169 passengers, and is now nearly three days overdue at this

Left An Estate of \$20,000.

Ottawa, Oct. 20.—Probate of the will of the late Miss Harmon, who will of the late Miss Harmon, who committed suicide by jumping off the Inter-Provincial bridge, has been applied for. She left an estate valued at \$20.000.

London, Oct. 20.—At the offices here of the Cunard Steamship Company a rumor that the steamer Siavonia had sunk in a storm off the Spanish coast is entirely discredited.

BATTALION WIPED OUT TRIP OF THE MINNIE M

Sworn Statement Connecting Hen. J. R. Stratton et al.

P. J. Galvin, in Order to Have the Stigma Attached to His Name Removed, Tells the Story of the Notorious Trip in the Interests of the Liberal Party-Say Stratton Sent R. A. Grant to Advise

Sault Ste. Marie, Oct. 20.-The name of J. R. Stratton is now connected with the Soo election scandal, and in such a way as to make him and the Liberal party almost directly responsible for the notorious trip of the steamer Minnie M. from the Michigan Soo to Michipicoton at election time, carrying as passangers a gang of woodsmen and others who were to act in the capacity of person-ators and pluggers. Mr. Stratton

were to act in the capacity of personators and pluggers. Mr. Stratton and the Liberal party are implicated by confession made by P. J. Galvin of the Michigan Soo in a sworn affidavit read before Justice Osler at the Assize yesterday.

This is a feature of the scandal much similar to the recent affair in North Renfrew, where the revelations regarding Hales' enormous election expenses were an autcome of the Liberal party's refusal to meet the obligations contracted during the election campaign. Galvin, who was the employment agent that procured the employment agent that procured the employment agent that product the men in the Michigan Soo to go up on the Minnie M., was given a promise that he "would be seen through" whatever trouble might arise, but it appears that such promise made on behalf of the Lib-eral party did not hold good.

eral party did not hold good.
Galvin, in his sworn statement before D. B. South in the Michigan Soo, states that in October last he was approached by Lack Kennedy on behalf of the Liberal candidate and arrangements were made to take a number of men on the steamer Min-nie M. to Michipicoten. He got the men and went up on the boat with them. Lack Kennedy was on board and assumed the name of Ferguson. On the way up the men were instructed how to vote, Kennedy looking after that part of it. At Helen Mine all except one voted on names that had been supplied to them on the way up. They voted again at Michipicoten Harbor on names also furnished them. The party returned to the Michigan Soo, where each man was paid \$2. Galvin received \$400, out of which he was to settle with the men.

Galvin swore he formerly resided in Galvin swore he formerly resided in Peterboro and was well acquainted with Hon. J. R. Stratton, for whom he worked in political matters for many years. When Kennedy went to him he stated he had Stratton's authority and that Stratton had told him he (Galvin) might be relied on the dealers withing he might want to as him he (Galvin) might be relied on to do anything he might want to as-sist C. N. Smith in his election. Galvin wrete Stratton, calling on him and the Liberal party to get him out of the predicament they had got him into, and was shortly after-wards called upon by R. A. Grant, solicitor, of Toronto, in response to solicitor, of Toronto, in response to his letter to Stratton, and who talked the matter over with him. He would be protected and all fines im-posed would be paid by him in behalf

of the Liberal party. Grant advised him to stay away from court. Galvin also met George Suther-land, who, Kennedy told him, was head organizer of the trip to Michi-picoten. The Minnie M. plans were changed owing to a letter read at a meeting at the opera house. Galvin assisted in instructing the men how to vote. Liquor and cigars were paid for by Kennedy. Galvin made the statement to have the circumstance. the statement to have the stigma

attached to his name removed.

It may be that none of the election offenders will be brought to trial.

Geo. H. Watson, K.C., was present Geo. H. Watson, K.C., was present at the Assizes on behalf of some of those summoned. The Galvin case case was first called by E. E. Du-Mr. Watson raised an objection, but as he was not appearing on behalf of Galvin, Justice Osler would not listen to it. When the case against Napoleon Audette for bribery was called later, Mr. Watson, who ap-peared for him, made an objection which caused the judge to have the court adjourned till to-day while he considered the ruling on Mr. Watson's objection, which was made on the ground that the court was not properly constituted to try such cases. He maintained that special provision for such had been made by

provision for such had been made by
the Legislature and it required two
judges on rota.

DuVernet argued otherwise, but
doubt having arisen, the judge desired the night to consider it, as he
wanted to be sure he was acting
with authority.

Nicholas Cole, purser of the Mining
More witness in the Calvin case.

Nicholas Cole, purser of the Minnie
M, was a witness in the Galvin case.
He told again the story of that
boat's trip to Michipicoten at election time with pluggers from the
Michigan Soo, in which he was corroborated by Steward Richardson.
Other witnesses gave details in connection with the charges, such as
were brought out at the election
trial.

Mr. Stratton Denies. Seen last night, Hon. Mr. Stratton said: 'I have not seen any despatch from the Sault with regard to spatch from the Sault with regard to the investigation you speak of. All I do know is that no one went to the Sault with my authority to assist in the election, directly or indirectly. Personally, I know nothing about the contest, how it was conducted or who conducted it, further than the newspaper reports. You may, as emphatically and implicitly as you can, say so. If anyone has used my name to induce anyone to do anything in connection with that election, they did so improperly, and absolutely without my knowledge or consent. I do not know the Mr. Kennedy referred to. I never saw or spoke to him to my knowledge.

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GRAY'S CHINA HALL

Stratford, Oct. 20.—Word has been received from Rev. A. N. Miller of Ladner, B.C., that Lewis Monkman was instantly killed through a spirited team of horses which he was driving running away. Mr. Monkman is a brother of Abe Monkman of this city, and also of Mrs. Fred. J. Corrie of the Queen's Hotel. He leaves a wife and one child to moura his loss. Two years ago Mr. Monkman visited in Stratford for a couple of weeks, and will be remembered by many whom he met on that occasion.

Toronto Man Drowns.

Deseronto, Oct. 20.—William Bonaday, an Englishman, shortly out from the old country, and who came here from Toronto to work on Forester's Island, and who has been working there for the past two months, was reported missing about a week ago. All efforts to locate him failed until yesterday when his body was found near the Rathbun Company's log dock in a decomposed pany's log dock in a decomposed condition. As far as known he has no relatives in this country.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neu-

S.S. RALLY

A meeting of those interested in the present Sunday School movement was held last evening with the folfowing Sunday School Workers present-Messrs. G. H. Cobbledick, F. E. Malott, Dr. Battisby, M. Houston, D. S. Paterson, D. R. Farquharson,

D. S. Paterson, D. R. Farquharson, D. McLachlan, W. J. Shackleton, and G. P. Peace,
It was found impossible to make any definite report on the Sunday School census as yet.
It was decided to hold a Sunday School Rally in the Park St. Methodist Church Sunday afternoon, December 4. J. A. Jackson, B. A., Toronto, the Provincial Secretary, and Mrs. Bryner, of St. Louis, will address the meeting. The meeting is for the benefit of all the Sunday Schools in the city. in the city.

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