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THE PREMIER A TRIFLER

The Deminien Alliance Issues Another Manifesto.

Justifies Charges Made Against Ress Government and Calling For Support For Preposed Temperance Legislationthe Effect That Independent Nominations Should Be Made Sometimes.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—The executive committee of the Dominion Alliance for Ontario met yesterday in a three hours' session, and settled the terms of a reply to Premier Ross' pamphlet on their previous manifesto. G. F. Marter, who presided, and Secretary F. S. Spence performed his duties.

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In addition to the adoption of the manifesto, a resolution was moved by W. H. Orr, seconded by Angus McDonald, and carried:

"That where both party candidates are unfavorable to temperance legislation, and it is manifest that the temperance cause can be served by an independent nomination, we cordially recommend our friends to take such action, after the fullest consultation and the adoption of wise plans to make the movement as successful as it can be made."

The Manifeste in Brief.

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Sums up the Premier's objections. Claims authority of executive committee te act as it was instructed. Adheres to the charges of broken pledges by the Premier.

Discusses the arbitrary and unfair terms of the referendum in which the Premier departed from his own avowed principle of majority rule.

Admits qualified excellence of convention recommendations, but urges but for Government opposition they would have been better. They do not alter Alliance position.

Argues there was no more compulsion in the vote proposed in clause 3 than in referendum vote, and that if it was not important the Government would not have opposed it.

Justifies the charge of "trifling" brought against the Premier.

Retorts that the Premier, having complained that temperance men did not put principles above party, he cannot complain when the Alliance proposes the election of temperance members.

Appeals to Christian electors to

members.

Appeals to Christian electors to unite in support of candidates who will strive for the legislation proposed by the Alliance.

NOMINATIONS ON FRIDAY.

North Lanark-A. H. Edwards iberal. East Victoria—John Austen, Liber-

East Nipissing-Chas. Lamarche, Conservative. West Nipissing-O. Aubin, Conserv

Cardwell-E. A. Little, late M. P. P., Conservative.
That Ballot Inspection.

That Ballet Inspection.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—Before the Clerk of the Crown and Chancery here, yeaterday, the ballet box used by the wrestler, Hawkeye at No. 2 Clarendon and Miller, Frontenac County, on Nov. 3, was opened and the ballots examined. G. F. Shepley, K.C., represented the Minister of Justice, and J. B. McKenzie of Toronto, the successful candidate, Mr. Avery. The poll book accounted for 72 votes, while 73 ballots were found in the box. The vote at this poll was 40 while 73 ballots were found in the box. The vote at this poll was 40 for Avery and 33 for Shibley. The ballot papers were shown to be or appeared to be genuine papers issued by the returning officer.

TORONTO STREET RAILWAY.

Appeints R. J. Fleming, a City Official, As Its General Manager.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Negotiations were concluded yesterday morning between the directors of the Toronto Railway Company and Robert J.

Mrs. Chadwick Isolated.

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Cleveland, Dec. 17.—Mrs. Chadwick will from now until the time of her trial or arraignment in court be rigidly excluded from all visitors, and her son and nurse will be denied permission to see her except on the written order of United States Marshal Chandler. Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock an order was received at the jail by Sheriff Barry directing him to deny all persons the privilege of seeing her, and he at onze ordered that the nurse, Freda Swenson, who was in the jail with Mrs. Chadwick, be ordered to leave.

Steel Plant For Sale.

Belleville, Dec. 17.—The rolling mills and plant of the Iron and Steel mills and plant of the Iron and Steel Company of Canada were offered for sale by public auction yesterday morning. Only two bids were made, one of \$25,000, made by S. Sessenweirn of Montreal, and another of this city, Col. Lazier announced that the bids did not reach the reserve bid.

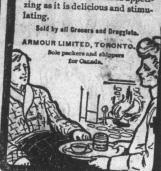
Sooner Than Expected. Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier left for home yesterday. He told an old friend here of a political scandal which is brewing in Ottawa, and which threatens to come to a head much earlier than he expected.

Given 25 Damages.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Justice Idington has awarded E. E. Sheppard \$5 damages and County Court costs as a result of his suit against John A. Harkins for breach of contract. An accounting of profits was refused.

When Sickness

Comes there's always a need for Armour's Extract of Beef. It keeps up vitality and prevents excessive loss of flesh and strength. It's rich beefy flavor makes beef tea that is as appetizing as it is delicious and stimu-



Montreal, Que., Dec. 17.—Yesterday George Hadrill, the secretary of the Montreal Board of Trade, received a letter from His Excellency the Governor-General, in which it was intimated that the 24th of January would be a suitable date for the proposed dinner, and the executive of the board will accept the date set. This will be the first visit of Lord Grey to Montreal, and the function which the board will give on the evening of Jan. 24 will undoubtedly be one of great brilliancy, particularly as the board's huilding. one of great brilliancy, particularly as the board's building is so well suited to such a function.

Canadians See the Pope.

Rome, Dec. 17.—Archbishop Bruchesi of Montreal was received in private audience yesterday by Pope Pius X., in the throne room of the Vatican, and presented to His Holiness a number of prominent Canadians, including Canons Roy and Cusineau, Judge Simeon Pagnuelo of the Supreme Court of Quebec; Miss Taschereau, niece of the late Cardinal Taschereau; Mrs. Drummond and daughters, Mrs. Girouard and Mrs. McMahon. The Pontiff spoke a kindly word to each and blessed them and their families.

WAS SENT HOME AS INCURABLE

Then Jos. Boone Found Health in Dodd's Kidneys Fills.

He was Unable to Work for Seven Years Before me Csed the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Cottel's Cove, Nfld., Dec. 19,—(Special)—The days of miracles are past, but the cure of Joseph Boone or this place almost ranks with the sensational cures of the earlier ages.

Mr. Boone had been ailing for eight years, seven of which he was unable to work from the effects of Backache and Kidney Complaint. He was all aches and pains.

He was treated by several doctors, and after seven months in the hospital was sent home as incurable. It was there that reading of cures in the newspapers led him to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. It took twenty-one boxes to cure him, but to-day he is strong and well and hard at work lobster fishing.

People here have learned that if the d sease is of the Kidney Pills will cure it.

Billy Boyd's Case.

sion before P M. Lowe argument of counsel was heard in connection with application for bail on behalf of Billy Boyd and Hugh Stevenson, charged with conspiracy to defraud ex-Ald. Douglas of London out of \$10,000. The case was adjourned till this morning.

Alfonso's New Cabinet.

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Madrid, Dec. 17.—King Alfonso has approved a new Cabinet headed by Gen. Azcar-Raga as Premier and Minister of Marine. Premier Azcar-Raga will only act as Minister of Marine ad interim in the absence of Admiral Vineyre, who has accepted the portfolio.

Claims a Toronto Home. London, Dec. 17.—Patrick Brogan, London, Dec. 17.—Patrick Brogan, a youth, who claims Toronto as his home, was up before P. M. Lowe yesterday, charged with two theits of overcoats. Brogan pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to five months on each charge, sentences to run concurrently.

Aiglers in Flames, Algiers in Flames,
London, Dec. 17.—A despatch to a news agency from Paris says that a large part of the Mustapha suburb of Algiers is in flames. The whole garrison has been turned out to fight the fire. Damage to the extent of cany millions has already been done.

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BULLET HITS STOESSEL

But Wound of Port Arthur's Commander Is Not Serious.

Was Struck in the Head By a Splinter From a Shell-Russians and Japs

London, Dec. 17.-Gen. Stoessel, the Russian military commander at Port Arthur, according to a despatch from Che Foo to The Daily Telegraph, has again been wounded, this time by a rifle bullet. The correspondent adds that the wound is not serious. Early in November General Stoessel was wounded in the head by a splinter from a shell while he was personally directing the repulse of a Japanese attack.

Both Sides Surprised.

Russian Headquarters, Mukden, Dec. 17.—There was considerable desultory firing on both sides yesterday. The Japanese made an advance, but it proved to be only a demonstration

tration.
Night sorties continue. A curious Night sorties continue: A curious melee resulted Thursday night from a simultaneous advance of both Russians and Japanese. Two colums of Japanese taking advantage of the darkness advanced on Russian postions, and at the same time a Russian column set out for the village of Nanganza

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The Japanese re-entered the village, where they were greeted with a tremendous explosion, which killed many of them. In the meantime the two Japanese columns operating in the direction of the Russians heard the explosion and thought they had been outflanked whereupon they retired. The Japanese and Russians met as each side was returning.

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Both were utterly surprised, a hand to hand scuffle in the darkness ensued, but as it was impossible to distinguish friend from foe, probably little damage was done on either side. The Russian loss was only one. On the night of Dec 14 fourteen Russian scouts penetrated to the village of Fanshon, where they destroyed a Japanese signal tower and carried off an old bell, which had been used by the Japanese to signal the approach of the Russian troops.

Example Frem Port Arthur.

Escape From Port Arthur. Che Foo, Dec. 17.—Seven Russians in civilian garb, but a military training, obvious in their bearing, arrived yesterday in an open sailboat carrying despatches. They were un-willing to talk and went immediately to the Russian consulate. quick passage from Port Arthur.

Caldo Released. St. Petersburg. Dec. 17.—Captain Caldo, who was detached from Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron to appear as a witness before the North Sea Commission and who was arrested Dec. 9, for criticizing the Admiralty and Grand Duke Alexis, the High Admiral, has been released by order of Grand Duke Alexis, who considered that his punishment for infraction of the regulations sufficient. It was rumored last night that he had declined to appear before the International Commission unless the first charge in the sufference in the control of the season of the commission unless the first charge in the control of the captain the commission unless the first charge in the captain the capta ternational Commission unless the first charge is officially vindicated, taking the ground that his credibilas a witness has been impaired his arrest. Captain Caldo receivby his arrest. Captain Caldo received a great ovation on arriving at his residence after his release.

A DEBATE PROHIBITED.

ell of St. Petersburg Denounce Minis ter of Interior Mirsky.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 17.—An adjourned meeting of the St. Petersburg city council assembled last the advisability of endorsing the demand of the Moscow municipality for constitutional reforms (the constitutional mand of the Moscow municipality for constitutional reforms. The president of the council announced that, owing to unforeseen circumstances, which he could not disclose, the debate could not proceed. The announcement then resulted in a noisy scene. Many councillors angrily protested and quitted the chamber and later held a private meeting where Minister of Interior Sviatopolk-Mirsky was denounced for prohibiting debate.

Finns Protest.

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Helsingfors, Finland, Dec. 17.—A petition signed by a majority of the members of the Finnish Diet has been presented to the President of the Diet, protesting against numerous edicts and measures, such as the introduction of the Russian language in Government offices, the dismissal of Finnish functionaries, the new conscription law, etc., which have been enforced contrary to law and without the co-operation of the Diet, and which have created a condition of affairs resembling a state of siege, and urging that the Diet should, at the soonest possible day, bring forward measures for the re-establishment of legal administration and the restoration of legal order.

Lawyers Demand Reforms. Finns Protest.

Lawyers Demand Reforms. Kostroma, Russia, Dec. 17.—The lawyers of this city have sent an address to the Minister of Justice in support of the Bar Association's denands for a reform of the laws.

Encouraged the Rioters, Gomel, Russia, Dec. 17.—At the trial of the anti-Jewish rioters Thursday witnesses gave testimony to the effect that the inactivity of the troops and police encouraged the rioters to proceed with the destruction of property of Jews. Japan Reduces Budget.

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Tokio, Dec. 17.—The budget committee of the House of Representatives completed its labors yesterday, and the measure will finally be submitted to the House to-day. The war, budget has not been changed, but the ordinary budget estimates are reduced \$7,000,000.

GLADSTONE AND CHAMBERLAIN.

Draws a Picture of Famine Prices Through

Lendon, Dec. 17.—(C.A.P.)—Right Hon. Herbert Gladstone (chief Liber-al whip), speaking at Birkenhead, said if Mr. Chamberlain's idea of a said if Mr. Chamberlain's idea of a preference were carried out "we should see access to our markets curtailed and if anything happened to the corn crop of Canada, Australia or India, we would not get the corn we wanted and prices would reach famine rates If a policy of preference expanded trade with the colonies and that of foreign areas shrank we should be depending on limited and fluctuating markets. If the preference did not expand our colonial markets, Mr. Chamberlain's scheme would fall to the ground like a burst balloon."

Call a Conference.

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London, Dec. 17.—(C.A.P.)—Commenting on Mr. Chamberlain's speech, The Times says no one takeing the trouble to study with any real impartiality the subject of colonial opinion can remain in doubt that what an overwhelming majority of our colonial fellow subjects desire is a more direct and closer political union and not content with desiring they have already done so. The Opposition, however, ignores the existing preference and declarations of colonial statesmen like Sir Wilfield Laurier, There remains only one way out of the impasse—to summon a conference as the Prime Minister proposed, in which the colonies will be allowed to speak for themselves.

Steamers For C.P.R. London, Dec. 17.—(C.A.P.)—The P.R. has placed orders with the C.P.R. nas placed orders with the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company of Glasgow, for three steamers of large tomage and capable of high speed for their Canadian trade.

WOMAN IN JAIL AT LONDON.

Arrested On Initiative of Two Montre

Judgment Creditors. London, Dec. 17.-Mrs. Helen Doelle was arrested yesterday after-noon and is now in jail. Thursday noon and is now in jail. Thursday Justice MacMahon of Toronto, 'issued an order of arrest, which was served vesterday, by Sheriff Canreron. The arrest is made in the initiative of Dow & Gibson of Montreal judgment creditors in the sum tiative of Dow & Gibson of Mon-treal, judgment creditors in the sum of \$1,310. It is charged that she collected \$3,000 insurance on the life of her husband and transferred it to her brother in Pontiac, Mich. She is now negotiating with her brother regarding her debt to the Montreal

Steel Rail Pool.

London, Dec. 17.—The Chronicle asserts that the fate of the international steel rail pool hangs on the report of J. Farrell, who has been in Europe for some weeks investigation and is now returning to America. "It is possible," said the mamamammm is possible," said The Chronicle, "that American hostility may wreck the scheme. Practically all the leading British firms have joined the combination, but the keystone of the the scheme. Practically all the leading British firms have joined the combination, but the keystone of the whole edifice is the United States Steel Corporation, without whose support it must fall to pieces. If America joins, their preserve will probably be Mexico and South America."

That action is not warrantable which either fears to ask the divine blessing of its performance, or having succeeded does not come with thanksgiving to God for its success.

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