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THE BLESSINGS OF PEACE.

AUSTRIA'S EMPEROR HOPES THESE WILL BE PRESERVED.

The Situation in Eastern Europe—Smolka Stands by His Speech—Leaders of the Bourgas Revolt Arrested—Britain's Position.

BUDA PESTH, Nov. 6.—Emperor Francis Joseph received the Austrian and Hungarian delegations in the Throne Hall of the Castle to-day. In his speech he said: "It is regrettable that the complications in Bulgaria, which originated in 1885 from the overthrow of the government at Phillippopolis, should again cause serious apprehensions. The powers by united efforts had succeeded in localizing the movement and paving the way to re-establishment of a legal state of affairs, but recent events in Sofia have produced a fresh and dangerous crisis, the development of which, and, I trust, its pacific solution, occupy at the present moment the full attention of my government, whose efforts are directed to attain the final settlement of the Bulgarian question, which must be effected in co-operation with the other powers, an agreement that there shall be created an autonomous principality and a legal state of things, which, while taking into account the admissable wish of the Bulgarias, shall equally conform with existing treaties as well as with the interests of Europe. Our excellent relations with all the powers and the assurances of peaceful intentions we receive by all governments justify the hope that notwithstanding the difficult situation in the East it will be found possible, while safe-guarding the interests of Austria and Hungary, to preserve the blessings of peace to Europe." The Emperor appealed to the good will of the nation to make the increased sacrifices rendered necessary by the progressive improvement in the manufacture of firearms. All branches of administration in Bosnia and Herzegovinia, he said, have steadily progressed.

Emperor Francis Joseph's speech to the delegations was received in cold silence. There were no signs of approval except the customary cheers at its conclusion. The Hungarian delegates are dissatisfied with the policy of Count Kalnoky, the Imperial Foreign Minister.

Herr Tisza, the Hungarian Prime Minister, assured the Emperor that if the inseparable interest of the throne and monarchy required it, the Hungarian nation would shrink from no sacrifice to aid the army in its heroic tasks.

Smolka Stands by His Speech.

PESTH, Nov. 6.—Herr Smolka was interviewed by a reporter in reference to the speech delivered by him to the Austrian delegation Thursday. The interviewer says that Herr Smolka declared that Prime Minister Kalnoky took no exception to his speech, and that he intended to repeat its substance to Emperor Francis Joseph to-day. Herr Smolka stated that he had informed Herr Kalnoky of the speech he intended to deliver and denied that the Premier had requested him to retract his speech to the delegations in order to counteract the effect of his (Smolka's) speech.

The Seizure of Bourgas.

BUCHAREST, Nov. 6.—It is alleged in Russian quarters that movements similar to the one at Bourgas, where a force under Capt. Nabokoff seized the authorities of the town and proclaimed Russian rule, have taken place in other towns in Roumelia.

Russia Does Not Recognize the Regency.

BELGRADE, Nov. 6.—The Russian Minister protests against the cession of Brezova to Servia, as the acts of the Bulgarian Regency are not recognized in Russia.

The Czar's New Representative.

SOFIA, Nov. 7.—M. Geschoff, Minister of Finance, has resigned. It is announced from St. Petersburg that the Czar intends to entrust the administration of Bulgaria to the Russian Senator Slojanowski until a Prince has been legally elected.

Leaders of the Revolt Arrested.

TIRNOVA, Nov. 6.—Two leaders of the revolt at Bourgas have been arrested by peasants in the vicinity of the town while trying to enlist recruits. The troops at Bourgas who remained loyal to the Government have escaped from the town and gone to join the detachment sent to suppress the insurrection. The Roumelian deputies have sent a circular to Bourgas appealing to all Roumelians to maintain their courage and warning them against listening to intriguers who are trying to deprive them their freedom.

The Government will send a note to Gen. Kaulbars charging that Russian agents in Bulgaria are engaged in organizing a revolt. The Bishop of Philippopolis has asked for authority to search the residences in that city of the Nihilist Noviski, and the Dragoman of the Russian Consulate, who, he had discovered, had been plotting a revolt. The Government instructed the Prefect to proceed with the search, but told him it must be conducted in the presence of the foreign consuls.

England and the Bulgarian Muddle.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—We have yet to learn the nature of certain informal overtures made to Austria by England with Bismarck's assent, for the purpose of checking Russia's proceedings in Bulgaria. Whether these were more than the mere soundings so common between the powers and often fruitless, it is doubtful, but a natural curiosity here is great to know how far Lord Salisbury thinks he can go with the co-operation of Lord Hartington's party. With the details of incidents in Bulgaria, even to the last conspiracy by Russian agents at Bourgas, you are already familiar. Here public opinion concludes that short of absolute compulsion by Hungaria, Austria will do nothing in any case, and it is openly said that the overtures made by England found no response. It is interesting to note the flood of appeals now made to Mr. Gladstone by Bulgarians, but the pressure is changed. If Turkey had been the aggressor, the right honorable gentleman might have started on a new crusade.

Heavy black Gros Grain silks selling at 35 cents, 45 cents, and 65 cents, worth 75c to $1.25, during the Big Silk sale at Petleys'. 61

Disraeli's Tribute to Gladstone.

BERLIN, Nov. 6.—The publisher Cotta, of Stuttgart, will soon issue the memoirs of Count Vitzum while Saxon Minister at Londoff. The work contains much of the unrevealed history of the period between the years 1853 and 1859. It records that in the course of a conversation at a dinner Lord Beaconsfield said: "Gladstone, Bright and myself are the three most energetic men in Parliament. Gladstone's energy is invincible."

Prince Alexander Buys an Estate.

BERLIN, Nov. 6.—Prince Alexander, late ruler of Bulgaria, has bought the Charlottenfeldt estate, near Schaffhausen, for 240,000 marks. The purchase money is a part of the amount taken from Bulgaria by Prince Alexander upon his abdication of the throne. Agents of the late Czar had entered into negotiations for the purchase of the estate for the Princess Dolgorouki at the time of the murder of the Czar.

Wentworth Teachers' Association.

HAMILTON, Nov. 6.—The Wentworth Teachers' Association elected the following officers: President, Mr. D. Bell; Vice-President, R. G. Marshall; Secretary, W. N. Stevenson; Treasurer, J. F. Ballard. Mr. David Boyle of Toronto addressed the teachers on the subject of the Ontario Educational Society, urging strongly the necessity for such an organization for the protection of teachers.

The People Should Help Themselves.

DUBLIN, Nov. 6.—Mr. Dillon speaking at Longford to-day advised the people to help themselves, otherwise they would not obtain anything from landlords.

—Wire mats may be left out of doors in the rain, as all the parts are thoroughly galvanized and japanned, and will not rust or injure carpets or painted floors. 136

SEARCHING FOR A LOST HEIR.

The Romantic Story of a Relative of the Noted Mme. Recamier.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 6.—Mme. Adolphe Balsche and Jean E. Girard are making a search in this and neighboring manufacturing towns for Edouard Marie Recamier, who is supposed to be employed as a weaver in some New England cotton mill, and who is heir to a large fortune in France. During the first empire a near relative of the noted Mme. Recamier, and who was heir to a large estate, enlisted in the army under an assumed name. He was a mere lad and was placed aboard the brig Pomme D'Or, which saw considerable service during the reign of the first Napoleon. Young Recamier repeatedly disobeyed orders and he was finally flogged. When the vessel arrived at New Orleans he deserted and came north to a factory town near Boston. He fell in love with a French girl, an operative in one of the mills, and married. From this union a child was born, but soon afterwards Recamier deserted his wife and his babe. When the first empire was overthrown Recamier returned to France and assisted in the guillotining of the lieutenant who had humiliated him on board ship. After this he paid court to M'lle Arlet, a lady of rank and a relative of Mme. Roland, concealing his marriage in America, whom he married after a brief courtship. From this marriage seven children were born. Fifty years ago Recamier and his wife both died, and ten years later their children, who had come into possession of the property, discovered among the effects papers disclosing the fact of the first marriage, which, of course, made the second marriage illegal. They destroyed the papers and divided the property. For fifty years the estates have been in their hands. They quarrelled, however, and one of the heirs, who is rich from other sources, disclosed the scandal for revenge. He offers to give up his portion of the inheritance, knowing that the others will be ruined when they are obliged to follow his example. A reward of 20,000 francs has been offered for the discovery of the child by the American marriage, who is Recamier's first born and the legal heir of his estate, which is now of great value. This child, who must be a man about 60 years of age, if alive, is Edouard Marie Recamier.

Big drives in Wilton, Aubusson velvet and Brussels carpets all this month at Petleys'. 61

DECIDEDLY QUEER.

A Pennsylvania Enoch Arden Buys Out His Successor for $10.

LANCASTER, Pa., Nov. 6.—A singular case terminated in this city to-day. On the 30th of last July James Gallagher returned to his wife at No. 460 Poplar-street, this city, after an unexplained absence of 6 years, only to find her married to B. F. Kiehl, to whom she had borne two children. Gallagher claimed that he had written and that his letter had miscarried, but his wife maintained that if he had written she would have received the letters, and she refused to have anything to do with him. Gallagher swore that if he could not have her, husband No. 2 should not have her either, and the latter, fearing trouble, disappeared. Gallagher then went to board with his much-married wife, and to-day Kiehl, or husband No. 2, returned to the city, and going before Ald. McGlinn, accompanied by Gallagher, the first husband, relinquished all claims to the furniture in his wife's house, as well as to his wife and child, on payment of $10. An instrument in writing was drawn up and signed in the presence of the alderman, and all the parties to the contract seemed content.

AN ENGLISH ARTIST MURDERED.

The Deadly Jealousy of a Young Californian.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Nov. 7.—Last night Owen O. Leggett, an artist, and the son of wealthy parents in England was shot and instantly killed by John Clark, 20 years of age, who is employed on a ranch in the mountains near Madsin. On the ranch lived a young girl with whom Clark was deeply enamored. Leggett while sketching in the hills last June stopped at the ranch and on several occasions chatted pleasantly with the girl. This so enraged Clark that he followed Leggett to this city and attacked him on the street. For this he was arrested, found insane and sent to an asylum. He was discharged two months ago and immediately set to work to find Leggett, whom he believed had caused him to be sent to the asylum. He met him on the street, with the above result.

Ring Hot Air Furnaces for perfect comfort and economy. Wheeler & Bain, 179 King-street east.

A Baltimore Fugitive Arrested at Detroit.

DETROIT, Nov. 7.—George P. Cooley is 27 years old, single, and up to Aug. 7 last was the trusted manager of office No. 2 of the Union News Company, Baltimore. On that date he fled to Toronto and assumed the name of J. C. Blake. An investigation of his accounts showed a shortage of between $700 and $800, and that he had been leading a fast life. About three weeks ago he suspected that officers were on his track and left the commercial capital of Ontario. Soon after he turned up in Windsor, where he was located. The Baltimore officials were notified of the fact and an officer was at once sent to this city. Cooley did not suspect that he was being shadowed, but he did not venture to cross the river until Saturday afternoon, when he received a note purporting to have been written by a friend, stating that his case could easily be settled by calling at room No. 15, Griswold House. On his arriving here he was confronted by Detective Crandall and the Baltimore officer and placed under arrest.

Earthquake Shocks in the South.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 6.—Greenville, sixty miles below Montgomery, reports a slight earthquake shock at 12 o'clock. This is the only place in Alabama where it was felt. Rain fell here this morning until a cold wave came along in the afternoon. There is every indication of a bad spell of weather.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 6.—The captain of the bark Amelia Campa arrived here to-day from Valencia, Spain. She reports that when southward of Charleston yesterday in thirteen fathoms of water she felt a shock sensibly. No shocks were felt here to-day.

Coal Miners Decide to Strike.

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., Nov. 6.—Eight hundred miners employed at the Cameron colliery, the largest operation in the Shamokin Valley, have decided to strike on Monday next unless the Mineral Mining Company advance wages 10 per cent. The advance is improbable. Five hundred Excelsior miners are still on strike and the Luke Fiddler and Hickory Swamp miners will probably join them.

Grand Duchess Cooking Ranges, best in the world. Wheeler & Bain, 179 King-street east.

Defrauding Old French Soldiers.

BERLIN, Nov. 6.—The German official journal at Strasbourg recounts a fraud played upon the old French soldiers residing in Alsace-Lorraine. Circulars were issued which announced that the ex-Empress had decided to grant an annual pension to soldiers who had been fourteen years in the service, and that a bureau had been opened in Strasbourg to receive and certify papers and to register names on the payment of one mark each by soldiers presenting the proper certificates, and two marks by those who could not furnish certificates.

The "Claimant" Arrested as a Persuader.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—William Orton, whose claims to the Tichborne estate in England gained him notoriety, was arrested Saturday night at Brooklyn upon complaint of the Pension Department at Washington. Orton is charged with having personated one Charles Curtis, who is alleged to have served in the New York volunteers, and with endeavors to draw the presumable pension of the alleged Curtis.

Death of the Astor House Chef.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Charles Babin, the Astor House chef, shot Monday night by Joseph Ott, a visitor, who afterwards committed suicide, died to-day of his injuries.

THE BEEF AND PORK MEN.

ANOTHER GENERAL STRIKE AT THE CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.

Nearly 25,000 Employes Stop Work at the Instance of the Knights of Labor—No Disturbances—Hours of Employment.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—At 2.30 this afternoon the Executive Committee of the Knights of Labor have just issued a general order directing all the men employed in the packing establishments at the Union Stock Yards in both the beef and pork packing establishments to stop work at 3 o'clock this afternoon. This makes the strike general and causes nearly 25,000 men to stop work. It is not yet known whether the men will obey the order.

The strike became general shortly after 3 o'clock. All the men in the great house of Fowler Bros., John Cudahay and nearly all of Armour's men left their work by order of the Executive Board. At 4 o'clock this afternoon there were very few men left in the yards. One prominent packer said: "I am ready to shut down for sixty days if the other packers will do the same. The strikers then," he said, "would have a good opportunity to rest all they wanted to." It is not exactly known what policy the packers will now pursue, but it is understood they will at once advertise for men to take the place of the strikers. The demand made on behalf of the men, it is understood, was that eight hours should constitute a day's work, the men agreeing to accept ten per cent. reduction in their present wages. Fourteen thousand men stopped work in response to the order, but it is estimated the order indirectly affects 6000 to 8000 more.

Yesterday morning a local paper published an interview with Nelson Morris, of the packing firm of Nelson Morris & Co., in the course of which it appeared that Mr. Morris exhibited a contract with the Butchers' Assembly of the Knights of Labor, in which the latter agreed to work ten hours per day, the same being signed by the members of the Executive Board of that assembly. Granville Sawyer, one of the members of that board, to-night made a statement to the effect that he had never so much as seen the contract referred to, and that no such contract had received the signatures of his colleagues within his knowledge.

Granville Sawyer, a member of the Executive Board of the Cattle Butchers' Assembly of the Knights of Labor 7842, denied positively to-night to an Associated Press reporter that any order from the General Assembly ordering Packingtown employes out had been received. Such an order, if issued, would necessarily come through his board, he said. Mr. Sawyer said also that not more that 800 or or 900 men were now out, and that they had acted on their individual responsibilities in quitting work.

There seem to be indications that the strikers of Packingtown are weakening. A careful review of the situation to-night reveals that the contract referred to in these despatches between Nelson Morris and the Executive Board of the Cattle Butchers' Assembly, though not signed by the parties of the second part, was tacitly accepted by them, and formed the effect Monday morning. This is admitted by two members of that board, while another to-night denied any knowledge of the contract, said no order to strike had been issued by the General Executive Board and claimed that not more than a thousand men were out. It is learned from the Chicago Times that fully 10,000 men are out, among them being employes of every packing house at the yards. Very few of Armour's men are out, however, the strikers being mostly employes of Fowler Bros., Silberhorn and the Chicago Packing Company. There is a difference of opinion among the employes as to the authority of District Master Workman Butler to order a strike, some claiming that such action lies only in the province of the General Executive Board. It is said that the steadier and cooler-headed of the employes are very much opposed to a general strike, while the movement is chiefly agitated by restless characters and the so-called boodlum element. There is nothing as yet assumed the nature of a disturbance at the yards to-night. Half an hour after closing time scarcely an employe was to be seen about the yards.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—There was no disturbance worthy of mention at the stockyards to-day. Armour and the Cudahays killed 800 cattle were slaughtered in their establishment. It is now known that the Strikers' Committee formally presented their demands on the packers yesterday. These asked for the eight-hour system and a scale of wages slightly less than the one in force for ten hours. The packers refused to entertain the proposition and a strike was ordered. The strikers sent committees around to-day to induce the men still at work to quit. In many instances, especially with firemen and engineers, the attempt was successful. A number of packers held a conference in Armour's office to-day, but they declined to talk about the proceedings.

The Commissioner of Customs Heard From.

OTTAWA, Nov. 6.—Commissioner of Customs Johnston has addressed a communication to the Citizen to show the falsity of charges which have appeared in many papers in the United States against the inhabitants of Campo Bello and adjacent islands, that they have been guilty of the gross and cruel crime of plundering and otherwise maltreating the citizens of Eastport, Me., on the occasion of the late disastrous fire by which the city was visited.

Nova Scotia Exporting to Cuba.

HALIFAX N. S., Nov. 6.—Novia Scotians are taking the greatest advantage of the privilege offered by the treaty with Spain to export produce to Cuba. Already five cargoes of potatoes, aggregating six thousand barrels, lumber, etc., have been shipped from Nova Scotia. Unprecedentedly large quantities of apples are being shipped to New York. American speculators having bought up all the Gravensteins in Nova Scotia. Thousands of barrels are being shipped every week.

CABLE NOTES.

The Executive Committee of the Paris Exhibition has granted 1,600,000 francs with which to construct a tower 984 feet high.

The 100th anniversary of the birth of Johann Ludwig Uhland, the poet and statesman, will be celebrated in Stuttgart April 26, 1887.

The London Socialists have decided to hold a meeting in Trafalgar Square on Tuesday, Lord Mayor's day, and a program of the day's exercises has been issued.

Rev. Dr. Parker of London has invited a conference of clergymen of all denominations to discuss the question: "Is a State Church Compatible with Christian Unity?"

It is semi-officially announced that Prince Bismarck will go to Berlin on the 25th inst. to speak in the Reichstag during the debates on the Government's foreign policy.

A commission of jurists has completed a civil code for Germany. It is the work of several years and forms with the existing criminal and commercial codes a uniform system of legal procedure.

Owing to rumors of the prevalence of cholera, the sanitary police are more than usually vigilant in Germany. Sleeping cars are stopped on the lines at Cologne, Berlin and Frankfort and all cloth goods are disinfected.

The commercial bank of Darmstadt has arranged to take over four per cent. of the Lisbon corporation loan, amounting to 27,000,000 marks. The bank has also negotiated a Portuguese tour and a half per cent. railway loan.

The Bavarian Regent's visit to the Berlin Court is fixed for the 13th inst. The Regent will accompany Emperor William on the Letzlingen hunting. It is significant that this will be the first visit to the court of a reigning Prince of Bavaria.

The government at Vienna have decided not to await the results of the experiments being made with different repeating rifles, and have ordered the factories to work night and day on the Mannlicher repeating arms. The factories at Pressburg, Pesth and Steyr are running incessantly, producing the Werndl repeater.

Mr. Gladstone has made the following reply to a prominent Liberal who proposed the presentation to him of a national testimonial: "I do not desire and should regret the presentation of any national testimonial, even if the desire sprung from a feeling widely spread, which feeling I do not think exists."

James Briaret, an American painter, while journeying on a train from Monaco to Cannes, was attacked and robbed by three men, who struck and stunned him with a weapon known as a "life preserver," and stabbed him three times with a stiletto. One of his wounds is likely to prove

ASSUMING A CALMER PHASE.

The British Government and the Egyptian Question.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The Egyptian question is likely in a few days to assume a calmer phase. During the week the Cabinet has discussed a note from certain of the powers, making inquiries as to the British occupation and the result of the last two years' work under the London convention. It is not difficult to detect the origin of this movement. France, aided by Russia, thought the effect of a collective note would be greater than her individual action. Lord Iddesleigh has submitted to his colleagues an important despatch which covers the whole present situation in Egypt and answers the points of inquiry so as to disarm any form of interference such as might have arisen next spring under the London convention. After an interview between the Prime Minister and Lord Hartington, the Cabinet have agreed to a declaration which adopts the promises of their predecessors with regard to the objects and duration of the occupation. On the line of these promises they have taken firm ground in saying that while no precise date can be named for withdrawal, there is no intention on the part of England to enter on any act of annexation of Egypt. This will satisfy most of the powers, though it may not please France, who has been egged on by Russia in order that the latter may not find England too close at hand when she proceeds beyond the Balkans. In connection with this the Sultan's remark to Mr. Chamberlain at Constantinople yesterday, that it would be his and England's duty to take care no other power stepped into the place of England when she withdrew from the Nile, is significant. The Guildhall banquet speeches may throw light on this and the Balkan questions.

Ladies' Scalette and plush ulsters and dolmans, from $25 to $140, now in stock at Petleys'. 61

Serious Charges Against Poor House Officers.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J., Nov. 6.—Kate Rafferty, an inmate of the county poor-house, in an affidavit published here to-night, makes the most revolting charges of repeated indecent assaults upon her by Officers Hefferty and Mannion and indecent proposals to her by Officer Schold of the city police force. These charges were made three months ago before the Police Committee of the Common Council, but the committee, for some unknown reason, refused to investigate, giving as an excuse the expense of an investigation. Public opinion has become so aroused that it was deemed best to publish her affidavit. Kate Kate Rafferty gave birth to a child two months ago. The father of the child is unknown. The publishing of the affidavit created a great sensation here.

Trouble Among B. C. Indians.

OTTAWA, Nov. 6.—A despatch from Victoria, B. C., announces that troubles among the Indians have again broken out this season at Mettakahela. The troubles are chiefly due to the quarrels between Roman Catholic and Episcopalian missionaries, who have been keeping their respective followers embroiled, each wanting to run the reserve. As serious consequences are apprehended the Government has appointed a commission to settle the affair.

Just opened—Another big lot of fine all-wool blankets, which we are selling at $2.50 per pair and up. Petley & Petley. 61

Medals for the Mounted Police.

OTTAWA, Nov. 6.—There now remains little doubt that within a short time the members of the Mounted Police Force who were on service in the Northwest during the late rebellion will receive the Imperial war medal similar to that given to the volunteers who served at that time. It is hardly probable, however, that the grant of land or scrip made to the volunteers will apply to the Mounted Police.

Sold His Wife and Children for $70.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 6.—A plasterer named Shules, who contemplated leaving this city for the old country, recently sold his wife and children to a man named Williams for $70. A regular legal agreement was drawn up between the two men and the property was formally transferred. The police are investigating the matter.

The Quebec Cabinet Will Not Resign.

QUEBEC, Nov. 6.—Le Canadien comes out to-day proclaiming that all the Liberal organs' stories and the current reports about the strained relations between the Premier and Lieutenant-Governor are fanciful, and that the Government will not resign, but will meet the Legislature. The Chronicle confirms this last statement.

A Seat for Quebec's Attorney-General.

MONTREAL, Nov. 6.—It was currently stated on the street this morning that Attorney-General Taillon was to give up the contestation of St. David's election in Montreal East and enter the field in Montcalm, where Mr. Richard, who was elected over Mr. Lafortune, Nationalist, by a majority of over 400, would retire in his behalf.

Winding Up the Briton Company.

MONTREAL, Nov. 6.—A petition for an order winding up the affairs of the Briton Medical Life Assurance Company was granted to-day. Judgment was reserved on that part of the petition asking that a general meeting of the creditors be called to appoint liquidators.

Beautiful Duchess Satins in street and evening shades, worth from one dollar to $1.25, selling at 45 cents per yard, during the selling off sale at Petleys'. 61

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Items of Interest Received by Mail and Wire.

A Chatham firm ship 45,000 barrels of apples from that district annually.

The Listowel Town Council has voted $100 to the Southampton fire sufferers.

The Sarnia Catholic Church bazaar realized between $1700 and $1800 to its promoters.

Wesley Church, Hamilton, will ask Rev. D. G. Sutherland of London to become its next pastor.

J. H. McLellan of Lambeth has been appointed an Associate Coroner for the County of Middlesex.

Alexander Reed, an old settler of Colborne township, was killed in a runaway accident on his farm Friday last.

The 5-year-old daughter of Alfred Benham of West Luther was run over and killed on her father's farm last week.

Jas. Colson of Guelph has been appointed High Constable pro tem. of Wellington in place of the late Jas. Armstrong.

Philomene Debers, the alleged doctress, charged with assaulting Miss Jubert in Montreal, has been remanded for trial.

Robert Y. Ogg of Detroit, who was elected to the State Legislature last week, was formerly a printer in the Dundas Standard office.

Scott, a storekeeper from Marquette, pleaded guilty to twenty-three charges of forgery at the Assize Court, now being held at Winnipeg.

Felix Chenier, Examiner of Titles, has been appointed Acting Registrar-General of Manitoba at Winnipeg, vice Mr. Miller, deceased.

About 500 head of live stock left Alisa Craig for the Eastern market last week, and it is expected that fully 1200 head will be shipped this week.

A new French Liberal paper is about to be started at Quebec under the name of La Tribune by one of the publishers of the late Nouvelliste.

There is some talk of the C.P.R. running a branch of their line, from the station at Myrtle, down close to Oshawa and on to Bowmanville harbor.

The charges against Pierre Racine, Postmaster of Longueuil, for bribery and corruption in connection with the Chambly Dominion election, have been withdrawn.

It is said to have been decided that Sir Donald Smith will contest Winnipeg for the Dominion House in the Reform interest, whether or not any opposition is given.

Charles Murray is under arrest at Niagara for stealing goods from R. C. Burns, his employer. The accused is a young man of sober and industrious habits and was generally respected.

The Government Inspector of Quarantine at Montreal is urging the Department of Agriculture to make the laws more stringent in regard to the importation of cattle from the United States and Great Britain.

Steel wire Mats are now in use in all our principal churches, schools, banks and public buildings. Offices and factory, 6 Wellington west. 136

A HOPELESS SPLIT.

The Leeds Conference Widens the Breach in the Liberal Ranks.

LONDON, Nov. 8.—The Leeds conference has adopted the line expected of it. Without definitely rejecting the dissident Liberals it has declared for such a platform as makes it impossible for them to co-operate. "The old man" and "the old cause," which were the watchwords of the occasion, are impossible to the dissidents, and for the moment all talk of reunion is also impossible. Moreover the cleavage is increasing in other ways. The party platform adopted at Leeds for the first time includes such Radical projects as disestablishment in Wales, and a general though hazy declaration of religious equality all around, likewise, free schools and non-intervention in European affairs. One need hardly remark that apart from the project of an Irish legislature this Liberal programme must be far too advanced for Lord Hartington and his Whig allies. In another direction the conference has done an act which must keep the Home Rulers and the Chamberlain section apart for a long time to come. Mr. John Morley's speech, delivered from written notes after a visit to Hawarden, suggests the origin of the attack upon Mr. Chamberlain. For the first time a leading public man has declared Mr. Chamberlain to be at the head of a combination to expel Mr. Gladstone from political life, and the whole Liberal party as represented at Leeds, declared by its thundering applause that it will revenge itself on the authors of such a conspiracy.

Men's heavy and medium weight overcoats made and trimmed in the best manner at $15 and $20 to order at Petleys'. 61

THE EUROPEAN MONEY MARKET.

Rates Firm in London and Berlin But Weaker in Paris.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The demand for discount during the past week was active and rates were firm at 3¼ to 2½. On the Stock Exchange business was dull with a downward tendency throughout owing to continued sales by weak operators for a rise. English railway securities were especially heavy; American railway securities were very variable. They were firm early in the week, but relapsed owing to heavy speculation. The selling recovered sharply yesterday and closed firm.

PARIS, Nov. 7.—Business on the Bourse during the week was quiet, but on a general tone was good. Rentes were weaker, sales being forced by stiff contango rates. The new loan has fallen 25c., and 3 per cent. rents 25c.

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—Prices on the Bourse during the week were firm and business fairly limited. The Austro-Hungarian Bank has arranged through the Berlin Handelsgesellschaft to place its 4 per cent. bonds to be drawn by lottery on all German bourses. Reports show improvement in the Rhenish and Westphalian iron and steel trade, with extension orders.

ON THE FENCE.

Where Dr. McCully Thinks the Globe is—Mr. Gibbs Thinks Ditto of the Doctor.

Politics created a little rumpus at the regular Sunday afternoon meeting of the Temperance Reformation Society in Temperance Hall yesterday. Dr. McCully was one of the speakers. In the course of his remarks he spoke approvingly of the Mail's prohibition policy and followed this up by saying that the Mail was going to bring the other papers to time and that the Globe was on the fence. Mr. Malcolm Gibbs, who is a good Grit, didn't like this, so he expressed the opinion that Dr. McCully was on the fence himself. Further and milder language followed, but no blood was spilt.

The Bazaar Booming.

St. Basil's Church fancy fair was well attended on Saturday night when several musical selections were given by the choir. One of the features of this week will be a one-hour concert on Wednesday evening at which some of Toronto's best talent will give their services. The names of the following ladies and gentlemen are a guarantee of its success: Mrs. T. W. Angrin, Mrs. Wm. Petley, Mrs. W. T. Kelley, Miss Susie Ryan, Mr. Fred Warrington and Mr. F. T. Anglin.

Caught on the Fly.

Constable "Dick" Wallace made a flying leap on Yonge-street, near King, yesterday afternoon and caught a runaway horse attached to a buggy, which had started from St. Basil's College. The way that he alighted on one of the front wheels and a shaft and grabbed the lines would do credit to a circus bareback rider.

The Inspector's Opinion.

Said Inspector Archibald to The World last night: "The liquor business in Toronto is on the decline. Except in the big down-town places, the dealers are not making what they used to. Some are asking the Court of Revision to reduce their assessments because their receipts are falling off, and others are trying to sell out."

The Schooner "City of Cheboygan" Lost.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Captain Henneberry, master of the schooner City of Cheboygan telegraphs to this city that his vessel has gone to the bottom. She is sunk in deep water and is a total loss. The cook—a woman—was drowned. Capt. Henneberry and his crew of seven men escaped in the yawl and are now at Detour, the entrance to the Sault River. The disaster occurred Thursday night during a fierce storm. The vessel was loaded with coal and was bound from Buffalo to Fort Brady. She was owned by Captain Mitchell of Chicago and was valued at $7500.

The Yield in the Corn Belt.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—The more complete returns from the corn belt confirm the earlier reports of averages of yield, as disclosed by husking, and confirm the predictions made early in the year, that the total yield would fall considerably under that of 1885. The general average number of bushels to the acre reported is from 25 to 33.

Sunk in 600 Feet of Water.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—A telegram was received here this evening announcing that the schooner Ellen Spry had sunk yesterday afternoon in about 600 feet of water, twenty-five miles southwest of Manitou Island. The crew took to the boats and escaped.

Liberty's Torch in Darkness.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The torch on the statue of Liberty is in darkness to-night, probably owing to the lack of funds to pay for the service of keeping it lit.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

Dr. Ralph L. Stone committed suicide at New York by shooting himself.

Pleuro-pneumonia in epidemic form has appeared in Clinton County, Indiana.

Augusta, Ga., factories have reduced hours of labor from sixty-eight to sixty-five per week.

At Baltimore, Herngood Bros., wholesale dry goods, have assigned, with liabilities of $250,000.

Express rates to New York were further reduced 25 cents per hundred from Chicago yesterday.

Snow storms were prevalent in the New England and Middle States Saturday and yesterday.

The Otis grain elevator on River-street, Cleveland, was burned Saturday night. Loss $35,000, which is covered by insurance.

Elmer Starner fell under the wheels of a freight train at Frazeyburg, O., Saturday morning and was frightfully mangled, causing instant death.

The Board of Missions of the M. E. Church, in session at New York, has appropriated $369,447 for foreign missions this year, against $440,536 last year.

The Augusta cotton factories have voluntarily reduced the hours of labor from sixty-eight to sixty-five hours per week and all mills will be in operation on Monday.

At Pittsburg yesterday Winter's grease rendering establishment, McConway & Torley's foundry and Westinghouse Machine Company's foundry were burned; total loss, $80,000.

At Wetumpka, Ala., Saturday, a heavy timber fell from the new bridge over the Coosaw River, carrying down four negroes, named Miller, Murphy, Young and Rose. Miller was killed and Murphy and Young seriously injured.

Men's heavy working pants selling at $2, cheap at $3. Petley & Petley. 61

A REVENUE CUTTER LOST.

THE U. S. MANHATTAN GOES DOWN WITH ALL HANDS.

Terrible Disaster Outside the Harbor of New Haven—No Trace of the Vessel—Twenty-Five Men Find a Watery Grave.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 7.—It is reported here that the United States steamer Manhattan foundered about 6.30 this morning, 2½ miles off this harbor and sank immediately, carrying with her all on board.

The Manhattan came into this port yesterday afternoon for shelter, and started out presumably for New York about 9 this morning. The wind was blowing a gale at the time and a tremendous sea was running. Just after passing the breakwater and getting into the full force of the gale that was blowing up the sound, the steamer was seen by Wm. King, an oyster dealer living at Oyster Point. He watched her through a glass, and as she appeared to be laboring heavily and was evidently in distress, he ran to a telephone and tried to notify some of the tugs in port. When he returned the steamer was still to be seen and was apparently in trouble. A few minutes later (not over three) she had disappeared and nothing could be seen of her. He is of opinion that she went down with all hands. He states that under the most favorable circumstances she could not have steamed out of sight inside of twenty minutes. The tug Alert went down to the breakwater this afternoon but was compelled to return without going outside owing to the high wind and heavy sea. There is no way of positively confirming the identity of the vessel to-night or to obtain full particulars, as nothing in the harbor could live through a search outside. Brandford, eight miles to eastward reports that a large quantity of wreckage is coming ashore and is strewn along the beach for two miles. It consists of woodwork—apparently inside cabin work—breadstuffs, biscuits, oil cans, etc.

The Manhattan came into the harbor sometime during the night. The Custom House officials seem to know very little about the vessel's mission in these waters, but think she was on special duty, such as setting of buoys, examination of lighthouses, or looking after coasting and trading vessels, etc. This morning about 6 o'clock three officers of the Manhattan came ashore in a small boat. They remained ashore about an hour, getting the morning papers and then went aboard again. Immediately after the Manhattan headed down the harbor. Two men saw her struggling in the sea, one of them Mr. Smith, proprietor of a hotel at South End, seven or eight miles from the point where the oysterman saw the wreck. Mr. Smith says when he first saw her, she was on her side, shipping sea after sea, and finally careened over and went down in a very few minutes from the time he first noticed the vessel. The east and west shores are being patrolled to-night in search of bodies that may be washed ashore.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The steamer Manhattan, which is reported foundered off New Haven this morning is a revenue cutter. The Chief of Revenue Marine says she was a staunch screw steamer of about 125 tons and carried a crew of twenty-five men. She was commanded by Lieut. D. F. Tozier, who is regarded as one of the ablest officers in the service, and it is the opinion of the Chief that she could not have foundered unless as the result of some extraordinary accident. The other officers of the cutter were: Second Lieut. W. S. Holland, executive officer; Third Lieut. J. C. Harris, Engineer James Ogdin and Assistant Engineer Willis Pedrick.

All kinds of sealette, otter, Persian lamb and other muffs and dress trimmings, now in stock at Petleys'. 61

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

The City Council meets to-night.

Mr. John Imrie, the printer poet, has issued a book of his effusions.

The policemen donned their overcoats last night for the first time this season.

Toronto had its first snow storm of the season Saturday morning. Some of it still remains.

Trinity College will hold its tenth annual dinner at the Rossin House on the 17th Thanksgiving Eve.

The four men who were injured by the falling of the Granite Rink wall on Thursday are doing well at the Hospital.

Over $1000 damage was done by a fire in Richard West's cedar block yard, Gladstone-avenue, early Saturday morning.

John Wilton of Walker's Lane spent Sunday in the Police Station. He is charged with having assaulted Patrick Sweeney.

The mother of Louis S. Zimmerman who was lost in the Algoma Blizzard last a year ago yesterday, will sue the C.P.R. for $5000.

Joseph Harris, aged 19, was arrested on Saturday on suspicion of having stolen a watch, chain and six rings which he was found trying to sell.

Mr. Robt. Smith, of Messrs. J. B. Smith & Sons, was presented by the employes of the firm with a silver tea service on the occasion of his marriage.

On Sackville-street Saturday night John Curran, 25 Bright-street, attempted to rescue John Driscoll, whom P. C. Flynn had arrested for being drunk. Both were run in.

Two young men named Charles Jenkins and James Williams created a disturbance in the Richmond-street Barracks of the Army Saturday by fighting. They were arrested.

Yesterday was "Foreign Mission Sabbath" with the Presbyterian Church. In all the churches of that denomination special prayers were offered and appropriate sermons preached.

A black horse attached to a buggy without an occupant was found on College-street last