The Time Opportune for Action by the Government,

Lord Rosebery to be Chairman of Conference Committee.

Miss Nellie Bass to Wed a Cousin of the Earl of Elgin.

The Duke of Edinburgh Will Not Draw Pay as a Navai Officer-Labouchere Denounces the Massacre of Matabeles in South Airica.

Miners Resume Work.

London, Nov. 13.-About 3,000 miner in the Leigh district of Lancashire resumed work this morning at the rate of wages

A Royal Wedding.
MUNICH, Nov. 13.—The Emperol Austria arrived here to-day to attend the marriage of Princess Augusta of Bavaria, his granddaughter, and the Archduke Joseph Augustin of Austria.

Notable Men Dead. GLASGOW, Nov. 13.—Rev. Dr. Morrison founder of the Scotch Evangelical Union

tounder of the Scotch Evangelical Union Church, died here to-day, London, Nov. 13.—John H. McLaren, manager of the Royal Insurance Company, and the greatest English authority on fire insurance, died from heart disease at Birkenbead this morning. Nationalization of Mines.

Liverpoot, Nov. 13.—James Kier Hardie, Socialist member of the House of Commons, addressed a meeting of of Commons, addressed a meeting of Socialists here to-day. He announced that he would shortly introduce in Parliament a bill providing for the nationization of mines. Fifty millions of pounds would represent the capitalized value of the coal pits in Great Britain. The State could raise a loan of this amount at 2½ per cent, and take over the mines.

A Grand Trunk Financial Scheme. ONDON, Nov. 13 .- The Grand Trunk ompany invites the present proprietors to apply for £500,000 worth of perprietors to apply for £500,000 worth of per-petual 4 per cent, consolidated debenture stock at 94. The objects of this stock are to replace £122,600 spent in redeeming the northern extension bonds and to replace the terminable loans. The directors claim the result will be to reduce the interest charges.

Reform Measures Must Be Passed. Figure (Liberal) declares that the Government determined that Parliament shall not be prorogued until the parish councils and the Employers Liability Bill have passed the House of Commons. If the decision of and divisions on these measures are not finished by Christmas the House will then adjourn for a few days, and upon the resumption of its sittings will continue in session until the work before it is finished.

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Sunk Off the Isle of Wight. LONDON, Nov. 13.—A report has been reseived of the sinking of a steamer off
Dunrose, Isle of Wight. The steamer was
a large two-master, and foundered about
two miles off Ventnor pier. The crew
were rescued by the boats of a passing
steamer.

The steamer turns out to be the Dripfast, of Swansen, laden with coal. The sinking of the Dripfast was due to an explosion in the peak, by which one man was killed and three injured. The remaining sixteen members of the crew were rescued. Status of the Duke of Edinburgh.

LONDON, Nov. 13.-In the House of Co mons to-day Sir Charles Russell, the Atmons to-day Sir Charles Russell, the Attorney-General, stated in reply to a question that the Duke of Edinburgh, who is now the reigning Duke of Saxe Cobourg and Gotha, and who prior to his accession was an admiral of the fleet of the British navy, is not now entitled to perform active service in the British navy, therefore he received no pay. He made no claim for pay. Mr. Gladstone added that the Dukewould be allowed to retain his place on the navy list without pay, as a mark of honor for his long and distinguished services. His heart, Mr. Gladstone further said, had always been in his profession, and it would be a matter of great pain if any change should now the said. be a matter of great pain if any change should occur that would would in any wise weaken his relations with Great limits.

Labouchere on the Matabele

Massacre. LONDON, Nov. 13 .- Aenry Labouchere, he well-known Radical member of Parliaent, who almost single-handed in London sent, who almost single-handed in London a waging a war against the British South African Company and against its methods adisplayed in what he terms as "the massate of Africans," has written a letter on the subject, for publication in the newspapers, leave that basing his calculations on restricted from South Africa, the databoles, whose country Mr. Lebouchere darges the company is seeking to obtain agree the company is seeking to obtain the British, 3,000 men killed and has seizen from 14.6 to 77.

wounded, against a loss of half a dozen fill-busterers. This, Mr. Labouchere emphati-acily declares is a battue, not war. He concludes with the statement that it is a disgrace to the Liberals for the Government to permit such wholesale murder. The Miners' Strike-Action by the

Government.
London, Nov. 13.—In the House of Con mons, after the Employer's Liability Bill had been debated for several hours this mons, after the Employer's Liability Bill had been debated for several hours this evening, Mr. Gladstone arose just previous to the adjournment and made a statement concerning the great miners' strike. The progress and duration of this strike, he said, had been watched by the Government as by everybody else with painful anxiety. Matters had reached the point at which he thought steps might be taken by the Government with advantage to all concerned. He had therefore addressed to the employers and miners respectively a duplicate letter containing this passage: "It appears to the Government that advantages might accrue from a free discussion of the points at issue between the parties under the chairmanship of a member of the Government, who it is hoped will not be unacceptable to either side. Lord Rosebery has consented at the request of his colleagues to undertake the important duty which the position involves. I therefore invite the miners' and employers' federations to send representatives to the conference to be held forthwith under his chairmanship." Mr. Gladstone's statement was cheered heartily.

IN LABOR'S FIELD.

Annual Session of the K. of L. General Assembly.

New York Labor Union Want to Run Henry George for Mayor

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 13.—Theseveneenth annual session of the General Assembly of the Knights of Labor will begin in
adustrial Hall, in this city to-morrow
norning. The meetings will be secret and
600 delegates from all parts of the country
will be present. General Master-Workman
Powderly and about one third of the delegates have arrived. Mr. Powderly stated
that his annual report will contain an exaustive review of the silver question.
Probably the most important theme in the
report, however, will be a recommendation
to the General Assembly not to name any
time or place for next year's session. This
as the initial movement toward the amaigamation of all industrial and labor organizations, which project Mr. Powderly has for
some time fathered.
NEW YORK, NOV. 13.—Members of the
Central Labor Union are agitating the
idea of running Henry George for mayor in
1894. They would make him an independent candidate and believed he is stronger
than when he ran as a labor candidate in
1896.
In that year George polled about 69,000 PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 13 .- Th

Charges.

Nellie Bass To Be Married.

London, Nov. 13.—The engagement is announced of Miss Nellie Lisa Bass, the only child and heiress of Baron Burton of the brewing company of Bass & Co., at Burton-on-Trent, to Bruce Bailie, a Scotch land owner. Upon the death of Baron Burton his daughter will inherit \$6,000.

Ono. The prospective bridegroom is a cousin of the Earl of Elgin, the newly-appointed Viceroy of India.

At Melilla.

Paris, Nov. 13.—A dispatch to the Temps from Madrid says that the chief of the military police at Melilla has been shot after a drumhead court-martial, which found him guilty of complicity in amingging arms and ammunition for the use of the Kiffians. The correspondents of El Pais, of Madrid, and the Telegraph, of London, were expelled from Melilia on Saturday, the authorities not approving of the character of the reports they sent to their respective papers.

Reform Measures Must Be Passed.

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In that year George polled about 69,000 votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Democratic candidate, by 22,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Open Cation of Raskow, by 20,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Open Cation of Raskow, by 20,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Open Cation of Raskow, by 20,000. Roose-votes and was beaten by Hewitt, the Union Open Cation of Raskow, by 20,000. Roose-votes and was

on a ten-hour salary was efficially end yesterday afternoon. The Argus and Jam B. Lyon establishments had acceded to the

CONDENSED CULLINGS.

The inquest on the victims of the Battle reck disaster has closed. Proc. disaster has closed.

Emperor William, as King of Prussia, as summoned the Landtag to meet on

seriously and 115 slightly injured.
Complete returns clearly demonstrate that the People's Party in Colorado is no longer a factor in State polities, and the Republican party is once more in control. President Peixoto of Brazil has bought nine torpedo boats in Europe. They are guaranteed to steam 28 knots an hour, and are to start for Brazilian waters at once.

The New York Sun's cable correspondent. are to start for Brazilian waters at once.

The New York Sun's cable correspondent in London predicts the overthrow of the present form of government in Spain and Italy, and the establishment of a dictator-ship in such asset.

ship in each case The ninth annual horse show opened in Madison Square Garden, New York, Monday morning with a large attendance. It is said no previous display of thoroughbreds ever equaled this one.

ever equated this one.

Hiram A. Emery, of Bay City, the millionaire iumberman, known all over Michigan and the Southern States, died at Mobile, Ala, Sunday atternoon from the effects of a stroke of paralysis.

Dr. A. P. Mylert, aged 61 years, died at Wilkesbarre, Pa., Saturday night. He was medical director of the Army of Ohio under Gen. Sherman, on whose staff he was during all of his campaigns,

was during all of his campaigns.

The memory of the dead Anarchists,
Spies, Parsons, Lingg, Fischer and Engel,
was kept green at Chicago ou Sunday, the
anniversary of their death, by services at
the monument in their honor at Waldheim

Ten Thousand People Throng Depot at St. John

To Welcome the Recently-Imprisoned

An Ovation Such as the City Has Seldem Seen-Torchlight Procession, Bands of Music, an Address, Congratulations, Epecches and General Jubilation.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 13 .- It has been many years since such a spontaneous and orthusiastic demonstration has taken place a this city as the one to-day to J. V. Ellis, dditor of the Globe, on his return from fredericton, where he had been in prison or 30 days, under circumstances well

known.

The train containing Mr. Ellis arrived at 6:30, and the depot contained fully 10,000 people. The scene as the train came to a standstill beggars all description, the cheers of the immense crowd and the music of two bands creating a scene of wild enthusiasm.

officer by which a defeated of returning declared to be elected to a seat in Pardement to which his opponent had been elected by the votes of a majority of the electors. We assure you that in your case imprisonment has not been degradation; on the contrary, you possess to a greater extent than ever the respect and esteem of your political friends, and we believe you will continue in the future as in the past to uphold the principles of the Liberal party."

Mr. Ellis replied briefly, expressing thanks to his numerous film, expressing

Children Drowned.

Each-The Connolly Case.

The University Senate has decided to accept a marble bust of the late Prof. George Paxton Young, and to place it in the library.

Meyers, alias Kennedy, tried at New Westminster, B. C., for the murder of Dand Island logger, was found estminster, B. C., for the murder of Connor, a Reed Island logger, was found ilty for manslaughter and sentenced to prisonment for life.

bereaved family.

The Winnipeg election campaign is now on in dead earnest, and both parties are working hard. Mr. Martin's candidature is growing more popular daily and there are now strong hopes of redeeming Winnipeg from the Conservatives.

Three children of the Indian school at

Three children of the Indian school at Birtle, Man., were drowned in the Bird Tail Creek on Saturday. A fourth scholar was rescued in a drowning condition. Miss McLeod, the teacher, had a narrow escape in attempting to rescue the children from Justice Description.

drowning.

Joseph Despard, Pemberton, B. C., one of the millionalie business men of the Province, died Saturday eventing on horse-back while returning from a run of the Victoria Hunt Club out to Cedar Hill from the rupture of a blood vessel near the heart.

The sunken steamer, C. B. Lockwood, at the Lime Kiln Crossing, was run into by the steamer Onoko, bound up loaded with coal last evening. The bow of the Onoko cut its way into the stern of the Lockwood

for five feet. The Lockwood may go to THE LONDON AND PORT STANLEY.

Editor, J. V. Ellis.

cheers of the immense crowd and the music of two bands creating a scene of wild enthusiasm.

As Mr. Ellis stepped from the train the City Cornet Band played "Home Again," and after greetings from dozens of representative citizens, barouches were taken and the largest procession which has moved through the streets of St. John for many years started for the residence of Mr. Ellis. As the procession left the depot the Fusiliers Band struck up "Johnny Comes Marching Home Again," and the crowd went fairly wild.

At 80 clock Ellis left his tesidence in a barouche under escort of a monstrous torchlight procession of the Ship Laborers' Union, Shipwrights' and Caulkers' unions, and proceeded to the institute, where an immense crowd awaited him. Ellis was given a perfect ovation, and after order was restored John McMillan, chairman of the meeting, read an address signed by hundreds of citizen on behalf of the Liberal party of New Brunswick.

The address says: "We feel that you did admirable service, not only to our party but for the people, in exposing to just opproblium the conduct of a returning officer by which a defeated candidate was deciated to be elected to a seat in Parlament to which his opponent had

Liberal party."

Mr. Ellis replied briefly, expressing thanks to his numerous friends all over the country for kindly expressions of symmetry.

pathy.
C. W. Weldon, C. G. King, J. T. Hawke and T. Allan Jack also spoke, but all the speeches were moderate in tone and in strict accordance with the desire and wish

of Mr. Ellis.

A. B. Wetmore, city editor of the Boston
Herald; J. T. Hawke, of the Moncton
Transcript; R. E. Armstrong, of the St.
Andrew's Beacon, and James Hannay, of
the Telegraph, were among the newspaper
men on the platform.

Late Canadian News.

Three of the Birtle Indian School

Fourteen Members of the Prince Wales' Rifles, Kingston, Fined \$1

Mr. Wm. Cowan, proprietor of the Royal Albion Hotel, Quobec, has assigned. Lansdowne Park, Ottawa is to be the scene of ice trotting races this winter. The case of Thos. McGreevy and N. K. Connolly is to come up before Justice Rose at the court house in Ottawa to day (Tuesday.)

to-day

the library.

Dr. Wm. O'Connor, president of the Anglo-American Loan and Savings Company, Toronto, has resigned by request of the directors.

the directors,

The fourteen members of the Prince of Wales' Rifles, Kingston, prosecuted for disobedience of orders, were tried at Montreal on Monday and fined \$\frac{1}{2}\$ apiece.

Sheboygan, Wis.

During the past year there were 403 offices, in which 10 clerks were killed, 66 complete returns clearly denoted batthe People's Pears the People's Pears to United States railway postoriously and 115 slightly injured.

The Newfoundhand elections have proved Whiteway, on his arrival in St. Johns on Friday, was given a very hearty reception.

James Power, a wealthy farmer of the Monday. It was been struck by the People's Pears the per, hear big bay, was killed on his farm Monday. It appears he was drawing out stones from the land and his horse fell on

The directors of the C. P. R. Company at their meeting on Tuesday passed a resolution recognizing the valuable services rendered the company by the late Sir John Abbott and sympathizing with his bereaved family.

pieces at any time.

A well-to-do colored man named Wm.
Jackson died at his home on McDougal
avenue, Windsor, Friday, and Chief Wilsi
was notified that his death had possibly been
caused by foul piay. There was suspicion
of poisou, but so far the coroner's inquest
has not cleared up the case. A postmortem examination will be made.

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James Robinson, a well-known barrister living in Rat Portage, has been appointed atipendiary magistrate for the district of Rainy River, pro tem. Ernest Cruikshank, of Fort Erie, has been appointed clerk of the Third Division Court of Welland. Matthew Virtue, jun., of Woodstock, has been made a bailin of the First Division Court of Oxford.

Mr. Robert Gladstone, of Ridgetown.

Court of Oxford.

Mr. Robert Gladstone, of Ridgetown, was the victim of a very scrious accident on Saturday last. While working on the windlass used in connection with the gas well on Mr. Stewart's farm in Orford the men who had hold of it let go, and it flew back, striking Mr. Gladstone on the nose, breaking his upper jaw and knocking him sonseless. At last accounts he was still unconscious.

BARBARISM AT THE SOUTH.

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A Mob Destroy a Dwelling With Dynamito—the Aged Mother and Wife Narrowly Escape Death.

BARDSTOWN, Ky., Nov. 13.—The fury of the mob that would have hanged Phil Evans vented itself in an awful manner. At 12 o'clock Saturday night the home of Evans, two miles in the woods back of Samuel Station, was blown up with dynamite and a fusilade of shots fired. The fragments of the dwelling burned until nothing but a few bricks are leit. The aged mother of Evans and his wife and daughter had retired, and it was thought they were blown to atoms.

This morning it was learned that the family had escaped. Evans' wife came to town to-day. She says it is her belief that the mob intended to burn the family alive when they blew the house up. They lost all they possessed and are destitute and homeless. The authorities will make a thorough investigation of the affair.

Delia's Case Dismissed.

New York, Nov. 13.—Judge Borkstaver this morning dismissed the complaint against Russel Sage in the suit of Delia Keegan for \$10,000 for breach of promise. Northeast Blizzard, with Snow.

St. Johns, Mid., Nov. 13, -- A northeast blizzard swept this coast yesterday, with snow. The Labrador craft had all reached the harbor, otherwise the loss, would or, otherwise the loss a great. First Rain Since September.

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Austin, Tex., Nov. 13.—This section of Texas is being visited by rain for the first time since Sept. 28. It comes a little too late to do the crops any good, but will fill the water holes on the stock ranges and help a winter growth of grass. Hundreds of stock cattle were dying on ranges for want of grass and water. The Deadly Folding Bed.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 13.—C. H. Van. an advertising solicitor, and his wife retired last night in a folding bed. The bed by some movement began to close up. Mrs. Van started to leap out, but was caught and Van was crushed so badly that he will be a cripple for life. His spinal cord was strained and he is paralyzed. It is thought he will die. The wife is badly bruised.

Hawaii Quiet. The Deadly Folding Bed.

Hawali Quiet.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13.—Admiral Skerritt, in an interview to-day regarding Hawaii, said: "Perfect quiet reigned in the islands, without any indication of impending trouble. A new United States Minister had arrived, and was to submit his Government's ultimatum on the morning of the day that the China sailed. Up to that time no special effort had been made to anticipate the purport of his instructions.

A Babe's Sad Death.

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—A very sad accident Hawali Quiet.

A Babe's Sad Death.

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—A very sad accident occurred on Friday at North Toronto. Mrs. Leach having occasion to go out for a short while left her year-old baby girl wrapped up in a blanket with its face covered, so that it would sleep quietly. On returning in half an hour's time the child was found to be dead, presumably of suffocation. The doctor called in gave a verdict of heart failure.

Johnson's Last Day. AUBURN, N. Y., Nov. 13. — Warden Stout read the death warrant to John Johnson in the cell for the condemned at 3 o'clock this afternoon. When the warden said the execution would take place on the morrow he was visibly affected. "Why, you won't electrocute until you've heard from the Governor, will you?" he anxiously inquired. The warden reiterated that it would take place to-morrow unless the Governor again a normal word. Governor sent a reprieve before the hour

The Cruiser Columbia is Speedy. Boston, Mass., Nov. 13.—The United States eruiser Columbia, which left Philadelphia Saturday morning for her trial trip off the Massachusetts coast, arrived this morning. Her run at sea was the quickest ever made by a war vessel in this country, beating the New York's time over two hours. The distance is 407 3-16 milles, and the vessel averaged 18.63 knots an hour for the trip. It is calculated that when the official run is made she will develop a speed of 22 knots.

A Costly Case.

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Toronto, Nov. 13.—In the midst of books and numerous documents, Chancellor I Boyd, with the assistance of seventeen it eminent lawyers began to-day at Osgoode Hall to endeavor to straighten out the affairs of the Great Northwestern Ralliway. For the past fire years this enterprise has been and still is involved in littigation, as costly as it is complicated. The main object is to set aside a \$622,000 judgment obtained by Alphonse Chariebois, the contractor of the railway, in September, 1891, against the railway company by the consent of the then president. It is estimated that the bosts will not fall short of \$75,000.

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John McClary, Manufacturer, Writes an Interesting Letter.

The Question of London's Standing as a Manufacturing and Commercial Center.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER I have sent the following letter to the Free Press. Will you kindly insert it in the Advertiser? Yours truly,

John McClary,

To the Editor of the Free Press, City:

To the Editor of the Free Press, City:

I very much regret to see the columns of your valuable paper advocating the control of our carrying trade being handed over to the Grand Trunk. I quote the following inquiries. In your issue of the 10th inst. you say: "When the syndicate came to an end in July was it not a fact that the mayor and Mr. Fitzgerald proceeded to Montreal to make an arrangement with Mr. Seargeant?

"Was it not a fact that they closed an agreement and that the general manager accepted their propositions?

"Was it not a fact that faith had been kept by the Grand Trunk so far that a train was made up over night in the London yard ready to start out next morning, pending a special meeting of the council to ratify the bargain made in good faith by the general manager?

"Was it not a fact that instead of such ratification a provisional agreement was entered into with the Michigan Central?"

May I ask: I. Is it not a fact that it is fortunate that the Grand Trunk did not get

entered into with the Michigan Central?"

May I ask: I. Is it not a fact that it is fortunate that the Grand Trunk did not get possession of the road as arranged?

2. Is it not a fact that the Port Stanley road was leased to the Great Western twenty years since for a consideration of \$22,000 a year and the car shops, which I admit was more than the direct earnings of the road?

3. Is it not a fact the

admit was more than the direct earnings of the road?

3. Is it not a fact that in this former lease, the majority of our citizens were deceived in not understanding that the consideration of giving the Great Western road the controlling of our carrying trade, \$200,000 per year to the city would have been far less than the value to the city of this indirect benefit formerly enjoyed?

4. Is it not a fact that after the introduction of protection, factories sprang up in every part of the Dominion?

5 Is it not a fact that in losing control of our carrying trade not one of these factories could be induced to invest capital here, for the best of reasons that the foundation of our city had been surrendered, while Hamilton got industries in such numbers that the local papers declared it difficult to get a complete list of them?

6. Is it not a fact that labor has been of less value in our city and gone begging through our streets through this former foliy?

7. Is it not a fact that we have the

olly?
7. Is it not a fact that we have the best distributing country surrounding us of any part of the Dominion?
8. Is it not a fact that where we have a population of 35,000 people, we should have had, and would have had under whe administration, a population of 70,000, and an assessed value of property of 830,000,000 instead of 215 to 900.000

ministration, a population of 70,000, and an assessed value of property of \$30,000,000 and an assessed value of property of \$30,000,000 instead of \$15,000,000.

9. Is it not a fact that, comparatively speaking, all our foundrymen and implement makers failed except Leonard & Sons and the McClary Company?

10. Is it not a fact that Leonard & Sons and the McClary Company seriously contemplated moving their factories?

11. Is it not a fact that the John Elliott foundry property was sold a few days since for \$15,000, formerly assessed at \$45,000, and that to a local manufacturer abandon in the fine of the factories?

12. Is it not a fact that the Port Stanley harbor filled up and went to decay and was finally abandoned as a harbor under the Grand Trunk lease?

13. Is it not a fact that the interest of the Grand Trunk lies in checking carriage in the grand Trunk lies in checking carriage.

by water?

14. Is it not a fact that all our business

14. Is it not a fact that all our business men and large shippers, with few exceptions—which exceptions I think may be dooked on with some mistrust as lacking a knowledge, or otherwise—are fully convinced that should the Grand Trunk get control of our local road, shipments by water would be discouraged and the harbor would again be filled up and abandoned?

15. Is it not a fact that comparatively all our business men and shippers are friendly to the Grand Trunk, and desire that they should have running powers over the London and Port Stanley road, and should be given every facility and convenience possible, except one thing only—they protest against handing over the key of the foundation of our city and her hopes of future prosperity.

16. Is it not a fact that our great sill of the same and large that they are the same and should be given every facility and convenience possible, except one thing only—they protest against handing over the key of the foundation of our city and her hopes of future the same and the same

prosperity?

16. Is it not a fact that our great oil increast removed from our city with hundreds

LONDON, Ont., Nov. 13, 1893. LONDON'S FINE SCHOOLS

As Seen by a Prominent Educator

and Minister. The Kindergarten Specially Commended -The Fire Alarm at Talbot Street School.

Rev. Dr. Jackson, of Galt, a member of the school board of that town, a foremost r minister of the Presbyterian Church, and an enthusiastic scholar and educator, recently paid a visit to several schools and kindergartens of this city. At the last meeting of the Galt board he read a lengthy and comprehensive report of the London school system, as seen through his discrning eyes. His opinion of it is highly complimentary. While describing fully the management of the public schools he dwells with particular stress and care on the kindergarten, of which Dr. Jackson has made a special study. This branch he warmly commends, and he enumerates the lessons taught him by the admirable system of the Forest City. After giving an idea of the accommodation and teaching methods, the reverend gentleman says:

"It is of great importance that anything faulty in spirit or temper shall be removed before it has made any scrious impression."

"It is of great importance that anything faulty in spirit or temper shall be removed before it has made any serious impression on the mind. In this connection, there is no manifestation of authority or command or temper. The child is won by love and tact. It was a most pleasing sight to watch the little tots of 4,5 or 6 years of age, with all the gravity of grown folk and the precision of soldiers, perform their part in the

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different exercises. Indeed, I have seen volunteers who did not show as much attention, order and promptness as many of the children in the London kinderparten, A visit to it will impress any observing student with the exceeding value of the kindergarten as an educational agency."

Speaking of the public of the public with the exceeding value of the kindergarten discover a year ago—on March 21, 1892—the Talbot street school, London, was destroyed by fire. The school had nine teachers and a kindergarten directress with 558 pupils enrolled. The fire occurred in school with the exceeding value of the discipline that every pupil was taken out without a single scratch. On leaving the Askin street kindergarten Inspector Carson took hold of my arm, and leading me away from Chairman Dewar and the Rev. Mr. Talling, who were with us, turned towards the large graded school with eight teachers and 613 enrolled pupils, remarking, "Come, I'll show you how we saved our children in the Talbot street school when it was burned down last year." Stepping into the hall, he proceeded to ring the fire gong with all his might and continued the ringing until the last child was out of the building. As we entered the hall there was the usual burn from the different rooms. But soon as the first blow was struck we felt a hush for a moment, the next, and before three of the realized blows had been struck on the gong, doors at opposite ends of the hall sprang open and a biggish boy ran out of each and unbolited the outside doors, flinging them wide open, and then quiety took their places at the foot of the arrival the winding them wide open, and then quiety took their places at the foot of the sprang open and a biggish boy ran out of each and outside open, so the children who might head of the column of flying children, single-file they came, along the corridors and down they are not on the school building, where they stood at attention, because of the single of the

and smoke are actually made in the halls in order to accustom the children to real fire, and so prevent panic. They are also trained to stop and remain where they happen to be the moment a certain signal is given. The object of this is to keep the children cool amid danger, and prepare, if need be, to remove them by some other way should there be danger in the direction they were going. I ought to have said that from the first tap of the gong until the last child was out of the school was less than 30 seconds."

seconds."
In conclusion be thanks Chairman Dewar,
In spector Carson and other officials for their

Caught the Crooked Cashler. Caught the Crooked Cashier.

New York, Nov. 13.—Officers boarded the steamer Werra. on her arrival from Mediterranean ports this morning and arrested La Hilliard, a cabin passenger from Gibraltar, who is wanted in New York. Hilliard was cashier of the Chicago Tribunand absconded with \$30,000 of that paper's funds.

Salvation Army Congress. Salvation Army Congress.

New York, Nov. 13.—The Columbian Congress of the Salvation Army sonvened in this city under the direction of Commander and Mrs. Ballington Booth. Commander Railfrn is Gon. Booth's representative from Great Britaip, and Lord Ratna Palo is delegate of the East Indian forces. It is expected that more than 1,000 staff, field and local officers will be present as delegates to the conrgess.

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