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PREPARING FOR

MINERS' UNIONS ARE ELECTING DELEGATES

Question of Finding Work for All Men May Lead to a Long Dis-

are engaged to-day in electing delegates to the mine workers' convention, to be held in the Nesbitt theatre here next Monday, to consider the acceptance of the plan of arbitration submitted by President Roosevelt. These meetings are being held in accordance with the call sent out yesterday by the three executive boards. There is nothing on the surface at this time to indicate that the arbitration scheme will not be ac-

President Mitchell knows the sentiment of the men, and would not have agreed to the proposition had he any doubt that a convention would not raufy his action. Objections will be raised on the floor of the convention to certain features of the plan, but they will not be of a serious nature.

One of the many obstacles to be sur-mounted by the union is that of finding work immediately for all of the strikers. Every man wants his old place back, but as the companies have decided to care for all of the men who have stood by them during the strike, there will be some disappointments. This matter will be fought out on the floor of the convention. Officers of the union confidently believe that it will be amicably adjusted. It is probable that the business. delegates will decide to care for all men who are not given work at once.

Delegates Selected.

Mount Carmel, Pa., Oct. 17 .- Twenty meetings of locals of the United Mine Workers were held in this region to-day, and delegates to the Wilkesbarre conven tion were chosen. In nearly every inthe district officers. Reply to President.

United Mine Workers was made public into dock for repairs. at the White House to-day. It consists first of the following telegram from President Roosevelt to Mr. Mitchell, dated Washington, October 15th:
"I have appointed as commissioners Brig.-Gen. John M. Wilson, Mr. E. W. Parker, Judge Geo. Gray, Mr. E. E. Clark, Mr. Thomas H. Watkins and Bishop John L. Spaulding, with Hon. all our people, and especially to those in reaching land. our cities who are less well off, that the mining of coal should be resumed without a day's unnecessary delay."

Wilkesbarre, under the date of October port. They were conveyed to Dutch 16th. After acknowledging the President's communication, he said: "Replying thereto I beg to inform you that your recommendations were submitted to the members of the executive board of districts one, seven and nine, United Mine Workers of America, and they have unanimously agreed to call a Government Troops Will To-day Enter delegate convention to be held next Monday, and will recommend to the convention that all men now on strike return to the positions and working places formerly occupied by them, and submit to the commission appointed by you all ques-

tions at issue between the operators and mine workers of the anthracite coal "In connection with this subject we are glad to know that the managers of coal companies have decided to recede from the untenable position which they so long sition for the arbitration of the coal strike and to give you full latitude of the selection of a commission. It will be renembered that we proposed on October 3rd to place the whole matter in your hands and to accept the verdict of a tribunal of your selection. It will also be iembered that the company managers at that time refused to accept the arbitranent of the President of the States, and preferred that of the local commonplace judges. We proposed to leave everything to you without condition reservation, having the utmost faith

n your impartiality and good judgment. "In their refusal to accept your arbitra-nent, the operators sought to hold you, in part, accountable for the very condins which you were trying to remedy, and to instruct you as to your duties' concerning them. Eight days later they again appeared before you, dropping the common pleas judges and proposing to abide by the verdict of a tribunal apscribe within fixed and narrow limits the

what is due to the dignity of your office, demanded that we should not be a party to a request of you to accept this great responsibility accompanied by de-tailed and impertinent restrictions to the manner in which you should meet it; sec-ond, because careful analysis of their proposition disclosed to us, as it did to you, and the public, that the restrictions were too narrow to enable you to secure under them a well-balanced and thor-

ughly impartial tribunal.
"But now that you have yourself removed these objections by broadening and strengthening the commission, we feel confident that our convention will declare its willingness to have all questions between the employing companies and the 95 per cent. of their employees, who are members of our organization, determined by the board of eminent and im-

"We feel grateful, as President, for the patriotic efforts which you have made to bring about an honorable settlement of Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 17.—All the lecals throughout the anthracite coal fields despite the remarkable spirit and contained a recommendation that Vancouver despite the remarkable spirit and conduct which you at first found in the company managers. We were in a position to sympathize with you, inasmuch as we had long been forced to endure arregance, insult and false witness from the same source. Our gratitude is due to you and to the American people and the press, who have supported us in the long struggle which we hope is now about to close."

tained a recommendation that Vancouver city jail be immediately closed on account of its total unfitness for the confinement of prisoners.

"We find that the city has grown out of all proportion to the accommodation provided for the number of prisoners who are at fimes confined therein," read the defeat of the rebel leader, Robles. In the department of bolivar there remain to-day not more than 100 organized revolutionists.

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The message also goes at length into the grievances of the miners and concludes with "an expression of hope and belief that from this arbitration will come a complete, satisfactory and permanent settlement of the troubles which have vexed the anthracite field from time immemorial."

thirteen persons in all, while as many as from forty to sixty are at times incarcer afed there, the building is old, sanitary arrangements are vile, and our opinion is that it should be at once closed, and we request Your Lordship to issue an order to close it forthwith."

The announcement created a sensution in court, and Mr. Justice Irving regretted he had no power to make such an order.

PREMIER'S RETURN.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier Rimouski at 1 o'clock and left for Que sixty passengers and \$300,000 in gold. bec by special train about 3 o'clock. Fred Peters and F. B. Gregory, of Victoria, are here on Supreme count

YACHT BADLY DAMAGED.

tion were chosen. In nearly every instance the delegates were instructed to follow the advice of President Mitchell and York Yacht Club, which sailed from Glasgow on Saturday for New York, and which put in here badly damaged yester-Washington, Oct. 17.—The latest cor-beyonderce between Provident Possible to the recent heavy gale off the Irish coast. She is so respondence between President Roose-veit and John Mitchell, president of the will have to return to Glasgow and go

SCHOONER WRECKED.

Passengers and Crew Had Narrow Escapes—Five Nearly Starved to Death.

I now most earnestly ask and urge that Sea. Her passengers and crew barely the miners likewise accept this commis- escaped with their lives, and five of the sion. It is a matter of vital concern to number nearly starved to death after

Particulars of the disaster were ob-Mr. Mitchell answered this from steamer Portland, which has reached this Harbor by the United States revenue cutter Manning, which rescued five of the ill-fated vessel's survivors.

HAYTI REVOLUTION.

the Town of Gonaivas.

Port au Prince, Oct. 71.-The foreign nsuls at Gonaivas, headquarters of the evolutionists, after negotiating with General Nord, commander of the government forces, have brought about the capitulation of that town. Government troops will enter Gonaivas to-morrow, and it is hoped there will be no clash

with the revolutionists.

Detachments of marines from the Cincinnati, D'Assas, and the Falke are at present guarding the foreign consulates there. The consulates are filled with re-fugees. M. Firmin, the revolutionary eader, left on October 15th for Mathewton, Inagua island, Bahamas, on board the steamer Adirondacks, of the Hamburg-American line. He was accompanied by about 200 of his followers

LORD KITCHENER

Left London To-day for India, Where He Takes Command of the British Forces.

mand of the British forces there. He as the material has been assembled. goes by way of Paris, and will visit Absolute secrecy was maintained re

SERVIA'S NEW CABINET,

THAT IT BE CLOSED

Mr. Justice Irving Will Forward Copy of Recommendation to Proper Authorities.

Vancouver, Oct. 17.-The presentment

he had no power to make such an order.
"We don't want a black hole of Calcutta here in which to confine these unfortunate men," he added, "and I will see that Dolphin From North.

Steamer Dolphin arrived this morning and Hon, W. S. Fielding arrived at from Skagway with two hundred and

REPORT DISCREDITED

Officials Do Not Believe That Russia Proposed Revival of Old Treaty With Turkey.

Vienna, Oct. 17.-The Austro-Hun-Was Caught in the Recent Heavy garian foreign office entirely discredits the report telegraphed from Bucharest, Roumania, to the London Daily Mail, and published today, that Russia has proposed to Today, that Russia has proposed to Turkey a revival of the Unikar-Skelessi treaty of 1833, which Turkey needed at Turkey's request to furnish her aid by land and sea if necessary.

TEMPERANCE UNION.

rty-Ninth Annual Convention Opened Te-Day—Lady Somerset Among
Those Present.

Portland, Me., Oct. 17.—The twenty-Seattle, Oct. 17.—The little Unalaska schooner J. H. Ward is a complete wreck opened here to-day. Every state and names are accepted by the operators and in Aundah bay, Unimak island, Behring territory in the Union is represented The sessions will continue until next Wednesday night. Mrs. Stevens, president of the National W. C. T. U. and vice-president at large of the World's W. C. T. U., presided. Lady Henry Somerset, presidet of the World's W. C. T. U. and Port Henry Somerset, presidet of the World's W. C. T. U. and Port Henry Somerset, presidet of the World's W. C. T. U. and Port Henry Somerset, presidet of the World's W. C. T. U. and Port Henry Somerset, presidet of the World's W. C. T. U. and Port Henry Somerset. Particulars of the disaster were obtained from Capt. Chas. Lindquist, of the steamer Portland, which has reached this steamer Portland, which has reached this distinguished workers present.

NEW YORK TRAGEDY.

Two Men Shot Dead-Murderer After wards Ended His Own Life.

New York, Oct. 17 .- Wm. Turner today shot and killed Albert Hamilton and Wm. Mallard in the offices of the law firm of Cantor, Adams & McIntyre, or Broad street, and then committed suicide.

Turner was at one time treasurer of the Climax Bottling Company, in which the other two men were interested, and

THE CUP DEFENDER.

Herreshoffs Will Build Yacht to Meet Lipton's Challenger.

Bristol, R. I., Oct. 17-The order for he new cup defender in the races with. Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock III, has been placed with the Herreshoffs here, according to a report from an authorita-tive source. Plans for the new craft were drawn up many weeks ago, in anticipation of challenge, and orders were London, Oct. 17.—Lord Kitchener requisites so that the builders are now started to-day for India to assume compractically ready to begin work as soon They have captured Chief Issa Boljeti-

WRECKED "JOINT." garding all the arrangements for his de-parture so he got away ussoticed. Mob of People Tarred and Feathered a Woman.

Longford, Kans., Oct. 17 .- Two hunthe operators made it, we were unalterably opposed, first, because our respect for you as a man and our ideas as to

SAYS REVOLT IS OVER.

Gen. Perdomo Announces That Colombian Rebels Have Been

Defeated.

Panama, Oct. 17.-General Perdomo yesterday notified the foreign consuls here that he had assumed the functions of supreme commander of the Colombian forces on the Isthmus, as well as those of the minister of state. General Perdomo has taken an active part in the military affairs of Colombia during the last 35 years, and to-day is the right hand man of Minister of War Fernandez. In an interview this morning with

the representative of the Associated Press, General Perdomo said:
"With the exception of the department of Panama, where General Herrera has his forces, and a few guerrilla bands in the departments of Magdelena and Boliwar, the republic is pacified. Traders travel through the country and are pro-

the United States consul, I have absolutely no fear that any difficulty will arise between Colombia and the United States forces here on the railroad company. I think the landing of United States marines has been effective in maintaining free transit over the Isth-

"I expect to have a powerful army here soon, and will then clear the railread line of guerrilla bands, whose only object is to create complications between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. W. S. Fielding Left Rimouski For Quebec

This Afternoon.

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Object is to create computations of Object is to create computations. I then will be able to relieve the United States forces doing shore duty on the Isthmus."

RAILWAY STRIKE.

Settlement in Sight at Sandy Hill, N. Y. -Soldiers Fired At.

Sandy Hill, N. Y., Oct. 17 .- A settlement of the Hudson railway strike is looked upon as the possible result of a conference held to-day between President Colvin, of the company, and a committee representing the striking employees. No announcement has been made as to the outcome of the conference or the matter under discussion.

At Middle Falls last night, two soldiers were fired on from ambush while they were patrolling the bridge. The bullets went over the heads of the soldiers who established a Russian alliance, under the atterms of which the government of tacking party out of the woods. The

A box of explosives containing 10 sticks of giant powder, two sacks of gunpowder, two sticks of dynamite, and a partly burned fuse, was found in a recently vacated house by a non-union man at Grassy island, near the 13th Regiment's

DOCTOR WILL DIE.

Butte Physician Alleged to Have Been Shot By Editor Cannot Recover.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 16 .- Dr. H. Cayley, the Butte physician whom J. W. Kelly, city editor of the Inter-Mountain, is believed to have shot last Satur day, can only live a short time. "He made an ante-mortem statement. saying that Kelly laid in wait for him to kill him," says the Anaconda Standard

in an extra.

Kelly has been arrested again and is now in jail. He had been released on \$10,000 bond, but was taken up this morning when it became evident that Dr. Cayley could not live. It is said that Kelley will enter a plea of self-

EXPORT DUTY ON TIMBER. United States Consul Dudley Makes

Report to Washington. Washington. Oct. 16.-In the course the three met to-day to effect a settlement growing out of an alleged default
on the part of Turner. During the conference a heated discussion arose and Turner, drawing a revolver, killed Ham- across the line and largely prospering the ilton and Mallard and then turned the Canadian lumber trade. A short report weapon upon himself committed suicide. to the state department from United States Consul Dudley, at Vancouver, sums up the working of the new law. He says that shingles produced in Can-ada go into the United States, notwithstanding the duty. There is a demand for five or six hundred men to work in

the mills and logging camps. ALBANIANS DISARMED, Russian Consul Will Now Have No

Difficulty in Reaching His Post.

Constantinople, Oct. 17 .- The military naz, who, with his followers, recently tore up the railroad between Mitrovitza and Vuchitro, and announced his deter-mination not to allow the newly-appointed Russian consul to take up his duties the latest on record. The promise of an at the former place. The chief has been abundant yield, therefore, has been only taken to Salonica under escort. The partly fulfilled in Europe, allowing for Albanians at Mitrovitza and in its grain gathered in a damaged condition, neighborhood have been disarmed, and and for that acutally spoiled. In the the Russian consul will occupy his office case of bread grains there will be a deshortly.

in two hundred and sixty years.

IN THIS PROVINCE

THE APPROPRIATION WILL BE INCREASED

Premiers at Quebec-Daring Robbers Make Their Escape.

Winnipeg, Oct. 17.—The identity of the morning, when the body of R. Darragh

Decision Reserved. the court adjourned, the court reserving

General Booth.

sioner Eva Booth, arrived here yesterday morning from St. John.

of John Dryan, Queen's park, were at dinner two porch climbers entered the upper windows from the veranda, ran-sacked the bedrooms and carried off articles of jewelry worth about \$1,000. The men were seen sliding down the veranda and pursued. A policeman grabbed one of the burglars, knocked him ed. I have nothing to say. As for those who went into the mines and took other down, and was just about to handcuff, him when his companion pointed a revolver and said to be accident, and asking that another versus places I am of the opinion vessel be secured with which to take the volver and said he would kill him if he did not release the prisoner. As the I do not think we want them."

Montreal, Oct. 17.-At the Baptist convention to-day the state of the church in Manitoba, the Northwest and British Co-lumbia was discussed. Superintendent to the result. Crassy island, near the 15th regiment camp, last night. A defective fuse prevented an explosion which would have churches in this province. The Baptists here have made heroic struggles to supher here is aburches and meet their duties port their churches and meet their duties to the various missions, but there is a strong feeling that the 20 per cent, assistance they received from the fund raised for Northwest work is not a fair proportion. An animated discussion fol- the Associated Press to-day, said:

diverted to British Columbia.

To South Africa. service between Canada and South Af- signs of the pleasant relations now exrica. The vessel with a full cargo consisting in connection with cup challenges." sisting of 65,000 feet of lumber, besides Sir Thomas displayed great interest in butter, fodder, flour, hides and manuthe dispatches announcing the personnel factured tobacco, will leave port for Cape- of the defending syndicate, and the retown direct.

Boer Delegates. The Boer delegates to Canada arrived here to-day from St. John, N. B., and will proceed to Ottawa and the West immediately.

Cadet Corps. Ottawa, Oct. 7.-In a special militia order issued to-night the general officer commanding impresses on all officers commanding districts and regiments the lando, ared 24 years, shot Michael desirability of encouraging the formstion of cadet companies or battalions. Sanger was taken to the hospital. No throughout their district. These officers, statement has been made as to his converse of experiments during the others have done practically nothing. The though to draw a gun. Orlando was General is sure that if the higher mili- quicker, and fired three shots, two taktary authorities in any districts act in ing effect in Sanger's body. sympathy with the movement, as provided for in the regulations, greater interest will be generally shown and the valuable factor towards its efficiency.

Washington, Oct. 17 .- The department markable cool and wet summer experienced throughout a considerable part of Europe, the harvest of 1902 is one of rand among the millers on the countries The population of the earth doubles itself with the home product.

COAL OPERATORS' PROPOSAL. COAL OPERATORS' PROPOSAL.

Reports That Number of Delegates Will, THE VANCOUVER Oppose Acceptance Cannot Be Verified.

TO GREAT BRITAIN, POSTAGE PREPAID, \$2.50

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 17.—Reports were irculated to-night that the locals of the United Mine Workers in Scranton, Pittston and some other local localities have voted to instruct their delegates to opoose the acceptance of the operators roposition unless the companies would agree to discharge the non-union men, take back all the old employees, drop the suits instituted against strikers, and recognize the union. It was impossible to verify these reports, but they are persistently and generally circulated. A significant fact in this connection was the concern of District President Nichols to-day over a published report that he was the head of a movement to oppose the acceptance of the proposition.

"This report," said Mr. Nichols this

man wno jumped from O'Connor's hotel evening, "is doing no end of mischief. window yesterday was established this It has caused our men to view the proposition with suspicion, and when they suspected it, they commenced to look for was found in the Red river within a few yards of where he is supposed to have found in it. I have heard of locals in result, it is believed, of an attempt made taken the fatal plunge. Darragh was different places being disposed to vote about 55 years of age and a noted foot runner in the earlier days here.

Decision Recovered. Decision Reserved.

Argument of counsel in the Lisgar election trial concluded this evening and the court adjourned, the court reserving absolutely false and without foundation. I have been in favor of it from the

Will the leaders of the United Mine Halifax, Oct. 17.—General William Workers give the members any advice Booth, founder and head of the Salvation Army, and his daughter, Commistion Army, and his daughter, Commistant or instructions regarding their conduct to wards the non-union men?" was asked

of Mr. Nichols. "I do not think so," replied Mr. vised that the non-unionists be treated in a friendly manner, with a view of vinning them over. I do not propose to

he did not release the prisoner. As the policeman was unarmed, and no help near the man got away. The same men operated in Buffalo on Thursday night and were pursued here.

Conference of Premiers.

Meetings of Unions.

Wilkesharre, Pa., Oct. 17.—Most of in favor struck, is separated from Stuart island by a small pass, marked on the chart as Johns's pass. It is a shallow water, and Spieden channel, into which it leads, and spieden channel, into which it leads to the struck.

Lipton-New Boat Most Expensive of Shamrocks.

London, Oct. 18 .- Sir Thomas Lipton, versation with a representative of lowed, and it was resolved that 25 per "I wish you would say how grateful cent. of the Northwest fund should be I am for the acceptance of the challenge. Island, and made this her headquarters. "I wish you would say how grateful for another series of races for the America Cup. The lack of formalities accompanying it and the prompt and cor-The Allan steamship Ontarian will to- dial answer of the New York Yacht morrow inaugurate the direct steamship Club was one of the most satisfactory Sir Thomas displayed great interest in is 14 feet by the beam and five and a half feet depth of hold. Captain Charles ports regarding the new boat's smaller

> three Shamrocks. HUSBAND SHOT

By Young Man Who Had Run Away railway. With His Wife.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 18 .- Joseph Or

should by means of collaboration with dition, which was said to be serious.

**Readmasters*, teachers* and others in According to Orlando's story he ran termine the amount of light received by touch with the boys, create new organiaway with Sanger's wife in New York. zations and develop those which already He came to this city and was followed this purpose Prof. Hough used an inexist. Lord Dundonald points out that by Sanger, who made threats that he strument of his own invention, the sensome towns and districts in the country would kill him in spite. They met this sitometer, with satisfactory results. In have displayed great enthusiasm and in- afternoon, and according to witnesses, addition to this work, a number of photerest in the matter of cadet corps, while Sanger put his hand to his hip pocket as tographs of the different phases were

INSURGENTS DEFEATED.

militia will be able to count on a most Castro Announces Victory After a Long Battle-Three Thousand Rebels Killed and Wounded.

New York, Oct. 18 .- The consul-general for Venezuela in this city received of agriculture summary of the crops of the following dispatch signed by Dr. the world shows that owing to the re- Torres Cardenas, secretary to the President of Venezuela "Caracas, Oct. 18 .- General Castro mmunicates a sweeping victory after

> and casualties in rebel camp.' CHOLERA IN EGYPT.

No. 32.

WELL-KNOWN TUG IS ASHORE NEAR SIDNEY

Is Covered With Water at High Tide-Strikes While on Her Way to

Completely covered with water at high tide, and with crew all ashore waiting instructions from the owners in the Terminal City, the fine tug Vancouver is on to make a short cut from Swanson channel to Spieden channel in a dense fog.

The steamer struck at 9:30 o'clock last night while on her way down from Vancouver with a scow load of shingles, consigned to the Taylor Mill Company, of this city. When the accident occurred the scow broke adrift from the steamer. but was afterwards recovered by the crew—the sea having been calm at the time—and brought to a safe anchorage off the island. It was low water at the time, and as the tide rose the vessel rolled over in some way and gradually filled. At extreme high tide the sea Robbers Escaped.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—While the family of John Dryan, Queen's park, were at dinner two porch climbers entered the holes in her hull, and as she lies, her crew are of the opinion that she can be to Sidney this morning and wired to Vancouver for assistance, in the meanwhile advising the Taylor Mill Company

The crew are all camped safely on shore, their escape from the stranded

premiers at Quebec will discuss among other things the question of reduction of prominent officials of the union say there of accepting the arbitration scheme. The membership of the Eastern provinces in the House of Commons, following on the results of the census and the increase of membership from the West.

Increased Appropriation.

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Montreel Oct. 17 At the Bontist consults of the arbitration scheme. The prominent officials of the union say there is always regarded as treacherous. But the waterway affords a short route from Vancouver and judging from the locations of the census the end of the consults of the union say there is always regarded as treacherous. But the waterway affords a short route from Vancouver and judging from the location of the end of the consults of the union say there is always regarded as treacherous. But the waterway affords a short route from Vancouver and judging from the location of the end of the consults of the union say there is always regarded as treacherous. But the waterway affords a short route from Vancouver and judging from the location of the accident it was this fact that prompted Captain Rush, of the Vancouver, to take the course he did. The weather, however, was foggy last night, and not the consults of the consults of the arbitration scheme. The prominent officials of the union say there is no fear that the opposition will be strong enough to defeat the efforts of those who favor ending the strike by prompted Captain Rush, of the Vancouver to take the course he did. The weather, however, was foggy last night, and the prompted captain Rush, of the vancouver and judging from the location of the accident it was this fact that the opposition will be strong enough to defeat the efforts of the accident it was this fact that the opposition will be strong enough to defeat the efforts of the construction of the constru care to anticipate the action of the convention, but from his manner it is taken intricacies of the route can better realize the difficulty of travelling under the

The Vancouver is owned by Heaps & Company, of the Terminal City. She was built by William Armstrong at Vancouver in 1888, and though registered there is as well known here, and has done as much work in local waters as any other part of the province. When owned by Windsor & Malcolm she had been chartered to C. J. V. Spratt prior to the building of the tug Czar, which takes the rail-She is a vessel of 50 tons register and is worth probably five or six thousand dollars. About two years ago she was supplied with a fine new boiler, which had been shipped out to the coast from Hamilton, Ontario, especially for her. She is a wooden vessel 72 feet long. She Rush, who is in charge, is a Vancouver man. A crew of five all told man the craft. They will probably be taken from likely to be the most expensive of the the island by some Vancouver steamer to-night. Being close to Sidney, how-ever, they will suffer no privation, for an hour's run by boat will take them within reach of the Victoria & Sidney

THE ECLIPSE.

Well Known Resort at Chautauqua Lake

Destroyed-Loss, \$200,000. Jamestown, N. Y., Oct. 17-The Grand otel, at Point Chautauqua, one of the largest and finest hotels around Chau-taugus lake, was burned to the ground at 4 o'clock this morning, together with its contents, also the amusement hall and a summer cottage owned by the hotel ompany. The hotel was owned by a Beaver Falls and Bualo syndicate. The loss will be \$200,000.

seven days' bloody battle. Three thous-ONE, SHORT PUFF CLEARS THE HEAD.—Does your head ache? Have you palms over your eyes? Is the breath offensive? These are certain symptoms of Catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure most stubborn cases in a maryellously cure most stubborn cases in a marvellously short time. If you've had Catarrh a week it's a sure cure. If it's of fifty years' standing it's just as effective. 50 cents, Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—57.