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THE PEOPLE RULE.

Mayor McLaren is reported as having aid that he would not object to School Board expenditures, as long as the time commercial traveller regarded hos pitality-"setting 'em up" for his cus tomers-as a powerful aid to his busi of 6 mills was not increased ness success. That is no longer the prac Perhaps this hardly presents fairly the layor's position. It is not within the Mayor's or the Council's power to interfere with the action of the School duty of providing customers with food Board in preparing its policy or its es imates. As the law stands, it is sup ne in such matters. It will be remem wred that a few years ago, when the school Board expenditure was very nuch less than it is now the Council un. himself. isely attempted to interject itself into school Board affairs. The result was from satisfactory. Even now, when School Board expenditure is so ver much higher and the cost of education is racing upward, any objections which Council may make must be limited to reasoning with the trustees. They are esponsible to the people only, and the et that a trustee's seat is secure for three years does not make the Board nore delicately amenable to a very sluggish public opinion. It is to be regretted that the public does not take greater interest in the management of educational affairs.

CANADA STANDS PAT.

Even those Tory organs which glee fully seized upon the United States discriminatory tariff as being sure to caus great trouble to the Canadian Government are beginning to modify their auticipations of pleasure on that ac ount. It is far from certain that the United States Government will be so foolish as to discriminate against Canada because she gives the mother couna preference; it is very certain that Canada will not be coerced in this mat. ter by any action the United States may take. Already many of the more intelligent and independent organs of public opinion in the United States are out spoken in condemnation of the apparent attempt to coerce Canada. It is significant, too, that the Treasury Department has decided that wood pulp from Canada, shall enter the United States free from duty, except such pulp as is produced from wood cut on Ontario o Quebec Crown Lands, the provincial regulations regarding which discriminate against exportation. This would appear indicate that whatever the intention of the framers of the discriminatory tar-Iff, the United States Government self is not desirous of taking advantage of such an unfriendly measure to insult Canada.

It has been made amply clear in the Congressional and newspaper discus-sions over the Payne-Aldrich tariff that, as the Canadian Trade Review says "cortain commercial interests in the United States have, to-day, as others have been, in the past, obsessed by the illusion that this country is commercially wholly dependent on them. They fur ther seem to have cherished the notion that the mere mention of a maximum tariff, in connection with certain 'preferences,' would cause the Dominio to fall into a paroxysm of commercial horror." They will have plenty of time to change their minds. As our contem porary puts it, "the Dominion is now too old a beaver to be frightened by any old-bogy-raw-head-and-bloody-bones tariff threats. Cook seems to have found gum-drops useful with the Esquimaux The are at least sweet. Our friend across the line will not find bitter or corercive doses of tariff pills have any influence with Canadians. They ought to know this ,but, possibly the present generation is ignoraut of the fact that coercive, or would-be coercive, tactics, have been tried before, for example when the Elgin reciprocity treaty was denounced. Those tactics gave the great est impetus to Canadian industry it even

received. Parliament buildings was \$750,000. Of There is no doubt that the Canadians have nothing with which to reproach themselves on the score of friendly effort to bring about better trade rela tions. For many years, in the face o sneers and rebuffs, we extended the hand of commercial friendship in hope that our big neighbors would agree to "a fair deal." When we found that our persistency and patience were misunder stood, and were regarded as evidences weakness and lack of spirit, changed our tactics. When the door at Washington was slammed on certain Ministers of the Ottawa Government we set about putting our house in order and diverting our trade to other mark sts. We suffered some in convenience at st, but we did not squeal. Now we have established a very profitable busess, which cannot be injured by any legislation of our neighbors. We will not give up that business, no matter how much Uncle Sam may wish us to do so now that he appreciates the situation We are as ready as ever to trade on a friendly basis, but we must have a equal say in arranging the terms and ditions. And it should be unnecessary to say that the United States have not sufficient to offer us to induce us to abandon our right to give whatever preference we wish to the United Kingdon or any British country.

is every reason to believe that the remaining half of the year will show still There has been a great change in the larger figures. habits of the people with reference to drinking in the last 25 years, and in few

Col. VanWagner's letter puts the question of schools for Beach children in a very clear light. The Ontario Gov-ernment will be doing less than its duty toward the Beach people if it does not take prompt action to redeem itself There has been a great deal of bungling about Beach matters, but perhaps non so stupid as that which leaves the chil dren without access to the public schools

Lipton is on the ocean on his way to New York to arrange another race for the America's Cup. Lipton will doubt less get some advertising out of a race; but as long as the Yankee yachtsmen al low technicalities to stand in the way of making conditions equal for the contestants, he has but little chance of oring a win. If he will build his yacht

in Canadian waters, however, there is little doubt that he will be able to "lift the cup."

star salesmen weekly cheques ranging from \$50 to \$100 to be used in expenses The Port Arthur people have issued a house did not care to charge or enter wo folders-one 'announcing the celein detail on its books. It was under ation of the 60th anniversary of the stood that the money was to be spent Wolseley expedition to the Red River for furthering sales in other than strictsettlement, from August 1st to Aug. 31st. 1910, and another a larger on ly moral ways. Some members of firms never cared to hear of what had been telling of the many advantages possess ed by that city. The folders show that Port Arthur is alive to its possibilities, done." Nowadays a cigar is usually the extent of the commercial man's material

blandishments; the business is mostly and that if enterprise and push will do done on its merits, and rarely is the it she will keep up with the procession persuasion of intoxicants used. Even with the other cities, if not lead it. in New York, our contemporary says The Toronto Globe, in discussing Lord the big merchants frown upon visits to Lansdowne, to-day, uses a simile drawn saloons during business hours, and "the from ancient Rome, declaring that "if men of long experience in the market Lansdowne turns his thumbs up say so little drinking is done nowadays budget will be spared, reluctantly, peras compared with ten or even five year haps, while if he turns them downward ago that the trade may fairly be said the gladiatorial Lords will give it the to be carrying the blue flag during busi fatal stroke with unfeigned satisfacness hours." So different are things totion." Has not our contemporary fallen day that "it is doubtful if a single house into the same error as did a certain of good standing in the trade will now celebrated painter with regard to the consent to pay 'up town' expenses incurred by a salesman or firm member signal of the thumb? who feels it incumbent to entertain some Windsor has had an attack of nerves

visiting buyer. Whenever such expenses Somebody has intimated, on what au are incurerd they are paid from funds we know not, that the "U thority other than those controlled by the S. Navy Department has in direct vio lation of its agreement decided to fully

The significant change noted goes t man and equip the two United States show that drinking is becoming unfash-ionable. Few heads of great businesses naval training reserve ships, Yantic and are drinkers, and even those who are freely declare their preference for ab-Don Juan de Austria, now on the lakes. with modern suns and armament." It is highly probable that some enterprisstainers in the trusted positions on their ing newsmonger has been trading on staffs. As one great New York mer chant says, "The successful men in com Windsor's susceptibilities. +++ merce to-day are united in the belie

The Miners' Mine, a co-operative in that it does not pay to keep hard drink stitution, organized in 1891 in the Loire ers on their sales forces. Many of them Coal basin in France, and which was resitate to hire even the best salesma to mark the beginning of the end of if they know that he drinks intoxicants the wage system and usher in socialistic The abstainer has the prefer co-operation, has failed, notwithstandence always." The salesmen appreciate the situation, and there are capable men ing assistance from the French Govern among them who have drunk moderatement and from local municipalities. It ly from early boyhood and will continue is the old story over again. The mer were quite willing to share in profits; to do so till the end, who have been but when reductions in earnings became the order, dissensions and difficulties known to refuse to drink with any mem ber of the firm during the business day multiplied, until they brought about And the tendency in the great Unit

the ruin of the venture. Another scheme that has been adver ed States centres as set forth here, the tendency in our own country. It is ised in the columns of some of our com vival of the fittest in business life. Many temporaries has been exposed by Canadian commercial men are shrewd nited States postal authorities. The enough to see that an attempt to use Western Specialty Company, of Bloom ington, Ill., wanted "ladies to copy let the old "mellowing" methods on custom ers of to-day would be to insult them ters at home; can earn \$10 or \$20 pe and they do not do so. The change is week. Send 10 cents for particulars. good for coustomer and good for sale To correspondents who sent 10 cents the man. It is the result of an improved company forwarded a circular for an ad ditional 50 cents for complete instruc

tions plan of work, packing, mailing, An inquiry into the company's EDITORIAL NOTES. etc. working led to the issuance of an order forbidding it the use of the mails. Toronto's city automobile has thus far It behooves Spain to stamp out bom! cost \$291 for four months' maintenance But wait a while till it strikes its gait.

It behooves Spain to start, browing - to punish every one who, af-er a fair trial, shall have been proved and a crime. No evio be a party to such a crime. No evence has been presented as yet to sho that Ferrer was engaged in work of that kind.--Chicago Tribune. How do you know? As yet the public

has not been given the evidence upon which Ferrer was convicted. And it must be borne in mind that the man wlm assassinates by pistol or bomb is not

Our Exchanges

COOK'S MISTAKE. (Chicago Tribune.) k-a-shoo appears to have brought uck 'to Dr. Cook. The doctor have taken a borseshoe instead.

BE CAREFUL. (Galt Reporter.) Rev. Dr. Pringle is not called on to apologize. The verdict doesn't alter the country's opinion of Sir Frederick Borden.

FREE SPEECH. (London) Erre Press.) Free speech prevails in England when a member of Parliament may unmolested advocate in a public square the behead-ing of every monarch in Europe.

THE KING'S DETRACTOR. (London Advertiser.) Grayson himself has been disowned for a year by the Independent Labo party, which has decided to give him maid if he stands for Parliament again.

AN APOCRYPHAL CONVERSATION (Cleveland Leader.) "Peary is getting more credit than he had at first," observed the critic. "Yes," answered Dr. Cook, "but I'm getting more cash."

GHOST STORIES.

(Kingston Whig.)

A jury has just given a verdict against laclean, of the World, for publishing one host story. If all of "Billy's" ghost tories were taxed at the same rate he rould have to go out of the business. Macle EXACTLY.

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heat.

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madder than ever.

(Puck.) "Uncle George, we are studying syn-onyms in school, and I want to know the difference between 'cute' and 'sneaky." "According to your mother, it is the difference between what you do and what Mrs. Jones' little boy does."

AN "ADVANCE OF SAVAGERY." (Boston Transcript.) Mr. Grump (a savage bachelor)-1 don't see why a man should get married when a good parrot can be bought for twenty-five dollars. Miss Readywit-As usual we wome

re at a disadvantage. A grizzly beau n't be bought for many times that. HIS INSPIRATION

(Philadelphia Record. Scribbler-How did you get the inspir ion for the poem about watching the

(Toronto Globe.)

THE QUEER SEX.

(Boston Transcript.)

BENEFIT OF THE DOUBT.

grocery store made a wild guess and weighed out a pound of Limburger.

KINGSTON.

(Kingston Whig.)

Kingston has many natural advan ages which should be appreciated; in as capital which has been deposited in

anks rather than put into business; as a Council that is too timid about

ot of people who would rather patroni the departmental houses of Toron

mbarking in some enterpris

(Chicago Tribune.)

(Gait Reformer.) Would you believe that there is a Jack the Hugger in Gait, and also a Jack the Peeper? It is a fact. These two chaps, who delight in scar-ing women, have been playing their pranks in the neighborhood of East Main street

urning down town, and there are many ming ladies who now get escorts, being



treet. Last week several young ladies were costed on this street by a mysterious nan, but luckily escaped from him, re-"Mr. Wiggins, I'd like to get a pound

of cheese." "What kind, sonny !" "Why," said the little boy, hesitat-ingly, and not quite sure he remem-bered what his mother had told him to ask for. "I think they call it the-the Hercules county kind." Whereupon the new salesman at the grocery store made a wild guess and fraid to go home alone. Jack the Peeper has been seen peeping windows on East Main street, and it understood the police are working on the case



MEAN IHIEF.
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 Stole Money From Under Dead Woman's Pillow.
 Windsor, Ont., Oct. 19.– While Mrs.
 Helen Smith, 67 years old, lay dead in a cheerless room alone, some person erept in and stole §25 that lay beneath her pillow. The money had been pains takingly laid aside to save her from an room of the upper floor of a business takingly laid aside to save her from an room of the upper floor of a business takingly laid aside to save her from an room of the upper floor of a business takingly laid aside to save her from an room of the upper floor of a business takingly laid aside to save her from an room of the upper floor of a business takingly laid aside to save her from an room of the upper floor of a business ther hushand. John Smith, a crippled old man. who was summoned from the home of the friendless by her Illness, and a the scienceless thief entered the room after Smith went to summon the neigh-bors.
 G. T. R. and G. T. P. Homored at Alaska-Yukon Exhibition.
 Montreal, Oct. 19.— The advertising that the Grand Trunk Railway system and the Grand Trunk Railway system on the installation and decoratics function of the crand Trunk Railway system on the installation and decoratics function of the crand Trunk Railway system on the installation and decoratics function of the crand Trunk Railway system on the installation and decoratics function of the crand Trunk Railway system on the installation and decoratics function of the crand Trunk Railway system and the Grand Trunk

Talks With Young Mothers, etc., Ker-ley, 649K. The Education of the Will, Knowlson, 130K. Practical Church Music, Lorenz, 245L. Samuel Pepy's Life, Lubbock, 928.26L. Sixty Years in the Wilderness, Lucy, 920.5. The Columbia River, Lyman, 917.95L. The Birth of Modern (tals. Meric, 943M2 Communication Reverse Lyman, 517,3912. The Birth of Modern Haly, Mario, 945M3. Auxiliary Education, Training of Back-ward Children, Maennel. 371.3. Dutch Art in the 19th Century, Marius, 750,9M. In Japan-Pilgrimages to the Shrines of Art, Migren, 915,2M6. A Georgiau Pageaut. Moore, 942,073M. Dublin Cas-tle and the Irish People (Christics 014 125). tle and the Irish People, O'Brien, 914.150 The Audean Land, Osborn, 9180. Remin iscences of Scottish Life and Characte Ramsay, 914.1R. Roads to Rome, Ram Ruinsay, 914.1K. Roads to Rome, Ran pert, 292.R3. Story of Rustem, and Othe Persian Hero Tales. Renninger, 398E The Conquest of the Air, Rotch, 533.8H Selections from Tennyson, Rowe, 821.8H A. Compendium of Mercantile Law The Conquest of the Air, Rotch, 533,6R. Selections from Tennyson, Rowe, 821,8H. A Compendium of Mercantile Law, Smith, R347,7S. The Interpretation of Radium. Soddy, 536,33S. Snap Shots From Sunny Africa, Springe, 916,782. As Old as the Moon, Stoddard, 398,38. A Judicial Dictionary of Words and Phrases Judicially Interpreted, Strond, R347,03. Roses-Four One-act Play, Sudermann, 82285. The Chinese, Thon-son, 915,1T. The Eternal in Man, Vance, 201V. Mystical Element of Religion as Studied in St. Catherine of Genoa re-Her Friends, Yon Hugel, 920,7V. A His-tory of Banking in Canada, Walker, R332,1W. Pleasant Day Diversions, Wells, 700W3. Woodworking for Begin-ners, Wheeler, 694,1W. Poems of Win-ter, 811W6. The Southerner, Worth, L8616. The Grizzly Bear, Wright, 917, 78W. Wit and Humor of the Stage, 792W. Books received at branch library dur

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ing week ending October 16, 1909: Un-der the Mulberry Tree, Brown, L1356. The Key of the Unknown, Carey, L1348. The Pride of the Graftons, Craven, L1361. Stradella, Crawford, L1352. Just L1361. for Two, Cutting, L1350. The Shoulder Knot, Dudeney, L1341. Veronica Play-fair, Goodwin, L1353. Three Thousand Dollars, Green, L1363. The Smiths of Jair, Goodwin, Lisas. Incret Incusand Dollars, Green, Lisas. The Smiths of Valley View, Howard, Lisaf. The End of the Road, Hyatt, Lisa6. Actions and Reactions, Kipling, Lisa57. A Country Corner, Le Feuvre, Lisa6. Little Sister Gorner, Le Feuvre, Ll346. Little Sister With M2221.
Martin, Eden, Lendon, Ll355.
The Pillars of Eden, Mighels, Ll340.
The Pillars of Eden, Mighels, Ll340.
M2219.
Mr. Marx's Secret, Oppenheim, Ll330.
The Title Market, Post, Ll342.
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A Court of Inquiry, Richmond, Ll358.
Forty Minutes Late, Smith, Ll343.
The Fute Chiefs, Altsheler, M520.
For His Father's Honor, Rowe, M518.
Tales of Wonder, Wiggin, M510.
Behind the Veil in Persia and Turkish Arabic, Griffith, 915.5G. Snow, Little, L1359. L1362 Martin Ed The Lash, Ly



Wednesday, Oct. SHEA'S

THANKSGIVING DAY SPECIALS

BETTER HABITS.

directions is this more noticeable than in the abandonment of the treating

habit as an aid to commerce. The old

tice. Few business houses consider i

necessary or prudent to commit to sales

drink and other things at the expense

of the institution with which they are

part of the traveller's expenses was in

curred in thus making a good fellow of

The change in this respect has been

very general. The New York Journal of

Commerce remarks that it "used to be

the custom of some large houses to give

connected. In the old days an important

others of convivial habits the

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house."

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the tendency toward sobriety-the

moral tone in the community.

The Province of Manitoba, which long boasted immunity from the rat plague, has lost its pre-eminence in that particular. Rats are now found as far west as Boissevain, and they have now in inded Winnipeg. The pestiferous rod-ents cause much loss to grain farmers and merchants, and it would be worth the cost of a severe struggle to exter-

this sum the amo that will be naid by the companies in consequence of the recent fire is \$146,136.

If Sultan Mulai-abd-el-afid, of Morod

co, is half as hard a case as the portrait represents him to be the jury will prob-

ably return a verdict of "guilty" without

The total insurance on the Ontario

leaving the box.

Chicago is going to open schools of "continuous trade classes for girla." That city now has 160 rooms devoted be accepted. to manual training for boys and 62 fo

domestic science work for girls.

One might be led by the unpronound able names of the workers on the Hydro Electric transmission line who get notor iety in the Police Court that the Com mission gives no preference to Canadian labor.

The United States Pure Food Bureau has decided that after next year the shipping of oysters or other shell fish must be done so that ice shall not be in contact with them. The addition of waviews." ter will be treated as adulteration under the Pure Food Act.

In spite of the heavy borrowing of noney this year, and the projected borrowing on a large scale next year, there is little probability that the tax rate will be reduced. When taxes go up they usually go up to stay. The aldermani and School Board cry is "More!"

A 5 per cent. bank rate is said to be probable in England before Christmas. The minimum rate has now been raised to 4 per cent., and the tendency is upward. Tighter money will doubtless have a depressing effect on speculative stocks in Canada and the United States

Our trade figures for the first half of this fiscal year are given at \$304,390,-088. This is an increase of 17 per cent. as compared with the same period of 1908, and brings the figures to a level with those of our record year, 1907. There

lot of people who would rather patronize the departmental houses of Toronto than spend their money in the stores-here; it has a craze for militarism which is not good for any city; but it has many things that it can boast of, and chief among them is its press. Extreme mod-esty prevents us from saying anything more. whit less or more guilty than he who advises and incites to assassination on

bomb-throwing. The world is not in a position to pronounce upon Ferrer's case; the verdict of anarchism is not to

The Simcoe Reformer rebukes us for saving that what Canada is doing tonaval defence is "conceded by ervbody." to be what was agreed to at the onference of the British nations to be the best for all. We used the "everyody" rather carelessly. We should have excepted the Hamilton Herald. We

now except the Simcoe Reformer, which sets up the theory that Canada "dictat ed the policy adopted," and that "England and other parts of the Empire were

not permitted to give utterance to their We have no wish to wrongly classify our contemporary; but we not agree with it as to the facts, and ve think that when they are made known it will acquit Canada of gagging the rest of the British world.

President Taft is coming in for some rather sharp criticism for his frequent misquotation of Biblical texts in the course of his speeches. At Fresno, Cal., he quoted; "He that conquereth him-

self is greater than he who taketh a city"-a very incorrect effort, the words of the Book being, "He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty; and he that ruleth his spirit than he that

taketh a city." Two days later he delivered a few blows at the rich and declared that "money is the root of all evil," when the thing deprecated is not money, but acquisitiveness, miserliness, WHITE SLAVES

(Windsor Record.)

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(Windsor Record.) Dr. Shearer spoke frankly and bluntly in regard to the white slave traffic, and quoted the statement of District Attor-ney Sims, of Ohicago, that there were 15,000 women imported each year, and as many as three times that number from the United States who entered abandoned dens of iniquity. To the credit of Canada, this country had en-tered into an alliance with other leading countries to suppress the traffic by which unsuspecting and undeflied girls, sometimes from the best families, are lured to shame that is worse than dath. THINKS HE'S A JINGO. (Buffalo Express.'

(Buffalo Express.

dinner given by the Canadia At a Club in Ottawa, Captain Bernier, the Canadian Arctic traveller, said that he bad laid claim to all the northern archi-pelago on behalf of Canada; that he found Americans fishing in these waters and recommended that the Government impose a license fee. He suid that he compelled Harry Whitney to take out a license. He objected to American whal-ers from San Francisco fishing in northern waters without a Cunadian Reense and wished that he and his ship had been on hand when the Alaska boundary dis-nute was going on Cantain Bernier is "SASSIETY" IN WINNIPEG.

(Winnipeg Tribune.)

"His Excellency Earl Grey," it was stated by Mayor Evans this morning, "is anxious to meet the general public, in other words the common people, and it will

in other words the common people, and it will be the mission of the reception in the city hall on Thursday evening from 8.30 to 10 to bring as many of the citizens as possible before the repre-sentative of King Edward in Canada. The reception will be purely informal, and will take place in the main corridor. Their Excellencies will stand on a dias to be erected at the foot of the stairs and the public will be admitted at the front door, and after greeting Earl and

system and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway received advice this morning that the Grand Prix had been awarded them on the installation and decorative office of their exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle, Wash. This is in addition to the gold medal awarded the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific for their building some days ago. This signal mark of recognition of their efforts at the Seat-tle Exposition is very gratifying to the company. Science, Carus, 231C. Sailing Ships, Chatterton, 699.2C. Letters of Coleridge, 821.72L2. Letters of Chatterton, 690.2C. Letters of Coleridge, 821.721.2. Letters of Samuel Taylor Coleridge, 821.72. Carmina (poems), Daly, 811D5. The Arts of Japan, Dillon, 759.52. The Ab-beys of Great Britain, Dixon, 914.1D10; Austria-Hungary, Drage, 914.36; Hol-land of To-day, Edwards, R914.92E; The Problem of the Human Life, Eucken, 179.7E. Ventures Among the Arabs, in

179.7E; Ventures Among the Arabs, in Desert, Tent and Town, Forder, 916.3F2, The Gateway of the Sahara, Furlong, The Gateway of the Sahara, Furlong, 916,1F2; Handbook for Literary and Debating Societies, Gibson, 374,4G2; The Leggends of the Jews. Ginzberg, 296G. Leux Mundi, Schüles in the Religion of the Incarnation, Gore, 232,1. The Breton at Home. Gostling, 910,41G. Philan-thropy and the State, or Social Polities, Gray, 177,7G. The Hymns of the Bieroda Griffith F204.1. Letters From

Rigveda, Griffith, R294.1. Letters Seattle, Wash., Oct. 19.—Fire early this morning destroyed the Denver Hu-tel, a large frame building. Forty men were asleep in the hotel where the fire was discovered, and six of these were injured seriously. Tuscany, of New

915.5G.

STABBED HIM.

Corry Man Was Protecting Wife When He Was Knifed in Back.

Corry, Pa., Ost. 18 .- Gustave Bacder was the victim of a murderous assault at a late hour last night, while on his way home with his wife

The couple were walking on North Centre street. They discerned a man standing in the shadow, and as they passed the man insulted Mrs. Bacder. Centre street. passed the man insuited and. Her husband was quick to resent the sult. The fellow drew a pocketky Her husband was quick to resent the in-suit. The fellow drew a pocketknife and plunged it into Baeder's back five times, inflicting serious wounds. Baed-er was taken to his home at the Erie Hotel, only half a block away, and doc-tors were called. Several citizens chased and caught John Martin, of Du Bois, Pa., who is charged with the assault. Bacder's physicians think he will re-cover, although his condition is criti-cal.

CZAR AND KING.

CZAR AND KING. Naples, Oct. 19.—The arrival here to-day of a Russian naval attache tends to confirm the belief held here that Em-peror Nicholas and King Victor Em-manuel, following their meeting at Rae-conigi, and escorted by an Italian squad-ron, will visit the Gulf of Naples while en route for Messina. "We don't hear so much about the simple life as we did," remarked the Wise Guy. "No, people are not so sim-ple as they were a couple of years ago," said the Simple Mug.

Diver-Short

ption committee laid their formal petition on the table at last night's Council tion on the table at last light's content meeting. The paper had 415 names. Councillor R: K. Scott objected to the names being published in the town papers, and the elerk was told to keep the document in possession, pending legal instructions. Much interest lies in the personnel of the signers. HURT IN FIRE.

LOCAL OPTION.

Port Hope, Ont., Oct. 19 .- The local