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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
STONGE—At High street, London, Nov. 8, 1900, the wife of H. K. Stonge, of a daughter.
MARRIED.
BLACK-SHERR—On Tuesday, Oct. 30, 1900, in Memorial Church, London, by the Rev. C. C. Owen, M.A., H. Homer Black, Ph.D., of this city, to M. Katherine Sherr, youngest daughter of Conrad Long, Esq.
DIED.
McGRORY—John McGrory, sen., died in this city, on Thursday, Nov. 8, 1900, age 84 years. Funeral will take place from the residence of his son, 108 Mill st., on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 2:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

LONDON OPERA HOUSE—
Saturday, Nov. 10.
Shipman Bros., presenting the New
A CAVALIER OF FRANCE
Georgian costumes. Superbly mounted. Regular prices. Plan open Thursday. Special matinee, 2:30-5:00 a.m. 25c.

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Great Russian Pianist,
—In—
AUDITORIUM, WEDNESDAY EVENING,
NOVEMBER 21.
Plan to subscribe open Nov. 17, at Helmsman & Co.'s. A large audience is assured.

CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL—

FINAL GAME—
London vs. Peterboro
(Champions of Ontario) (Six champions)
SATURDAY, NOV. 10th, 1900.
Tennant Park, 3 p.m. Admission, 25c; boys, 15c. All grand stands free.

NAVIGATION VIA MONTREAL TO THE

Old Country will close with the sailing of the Beaver line on Thursday, Nov. 24. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, agent for the line, will quote you lowest through rates.

OCEAN TICKETS, AND EXCHANGE

Tickets, via Allan and other lines. American money exchanged. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next advertiser.

POSTPONED TONIGHT'S CLASS—

ING to demonstration in honor of our brave boys. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY

R. L. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons 25c per hour.

Meetings.

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 23, ROYAL
Arcadium, will meet this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffell Hall.

SPECIAL NOTICE—JOHN'S ROUGH, RE-

TURNED missionary from China, will address the men's meeting at the Auditorium, Sunday, at 4.

RICHARD COEUR DE LION PRECEPT

ORY will meet in Sherwood Hall, Richmond street, this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. General business and degrees. W. T. Sten, Registrar.

Domestics Wanted.

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WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—

Good wages to competent person. Mrs. Wm. Turnbull, 338 Dundas street, Co. 25.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL

servant. Apply Mrs. J. M. McKoy, 136 Elmwood avenue.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—

No washing. Apply 419 King street.

WANTED—GOOD HOUSEMAID—APPLY

451 Ridout street.

WANTED—A GOOD PLAIN COOK. AP-

PLY Mrs. Leonard, 622 Queen's avenue, corner Adelaide street.

WANTED—AT ONCE—60 GENERAL

girls, 10 dining-room, 10 kitchen girls. Mrs. Lookhart's Employment Office, European Hotel (upstairs). Phone 564.

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—AT ONCE—GOOD, SMART office boy. Apply Holmuth & Ivey, bartenders.

WANTED—FURNITURE FINISHERS—

Apply to J. H. Alexander street.

PAINTERS WANTED—TWO GOOD

brush hands. Must be temperate. Good job to right men. Apply personally or by letter at once to W. A. Harris, Alisa Crandall.

STRONG BOYS FOR SHIPPING—

and factory. D. S. Perria & Co. 314

Female Help Wanted

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Enamel leather abounds in good qualities; it has the luster and beauty of patent calf, without its liability to crack. Its neatness, the ease with which it can be cared for, and its long wearing qualities, make it one of the most satisfactory winter shoes for the dressy man. The enamel used in the "Astoria" shoe is the finest English Horse Hide Enamel; top of best Box Calf. Made over the Hampden last, with extension sole. One of the most attractive shoes in this American line. Price, same as for all "Astorias," \$4.

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ING Dr. Robert's remedies. All money needed. A postal will bring the goods. We trust you. Write today. Address The Dr. Robert's Medicine Company, drawer 81, London.

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HORSE FOR SALE—SMALL BLOCKY—

French and Indian, for delivery or breeding. Cheap. F. E. Robinson, grocer, 100

FOR SALE—TWO LARGE BUFFALO

robes, almost new. Apply 433 Wellington street.

FOR SALE—ONE PAIR STEERS—

1 month's old. Apply at lot 30, con. 1, Westminister.

\$20 FOR A FIRE PROOF SAFE—ALL

kinds of repairs at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 208 Richmond street, one door south of T. R. station. Bicycles stored, cheap.

STRIKE ENDED—THE SUBSCRIBERS

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FOR SALE—6 OCTAVE PIANO CASE

Bell organ; nearly new. Sanborn & Trebilcock, 183 Dundas street (Anderson's) corner.

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Salvo is unequalled for pique, burn, child, and scalds, etc. For sale at McCullum's Drug Store, W. E. Daniels.

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or exchanged at Henderson's sale studios, 1424 King street.

NEW PROVISION STORE—NO 13

Market House—Having purchased the provision business of James W. Clark, friend of the former proprietor will be welcomed with all the former. Finest butter and fresh eggs only will be handled. J. C. Abbott, 257

STOVES—NEW AND SECOND HAND—

Very cheap at Keene's Store and Furniture Store, 141 King street.

NOTICE—CALL AT PARISH'S STORE

if you want cheap coal or parlor stoves (wood or coal), baseburners, furniture. Stoves exchanged. 357 Talbot street, south Market square.

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apple picking. A good one saves twice its cost first year. The Waggoner is the best. Write for catalogue, The Waggoner Ladder Co., Limited, factory, 100 1/2 Oak street, London.

HARD WOOD—BEECH AND MAPLE—

Best quality; also soft wood. Prompt delivery. S. Gillies & Son, Phone 1312.

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WANTED—GOOD PAYING BUSINESS for the winter for farmers or farmer's sons or any other man with horse and rig. One wanted in every township. Address Box 49, this office.

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TO LET—COMMODOUS BRICK COT-

TAGE, recently improved, being No. 711 Queen's avenue; moderate rent. Apply J. H. McMechan.

TO LET—75 STANLEY STREET. Mc-

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FOR RENT—3 ROOMED HOUSE—525 COL-

borne street, between Princess and Central avenues; gas, hard and soft water. Rent \$12 month. Apply 400 King street.

TO LET—TWO-STORY BRICK, ON KING

street—freshly painted; bath and water-closet. Apply 400 King street.

TO LET—LARGE STORE, NO. 113 DUN-

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TO LET—A NEW MODERN STYLE COT-

TAGE, 6 rooms; 8 minutes' walk from market. Apply 29 Alexander street.

TO LET—MOVING VANS—LARGEST

and best, 77 Carling street. Office phone 1162. Rent phone 1167. Country or city move.

TO RENT—424 PARK AVENUE. ALL

modern conveniences. Immediate possession. Apply to J. C. Trebilcock, 236 Dundas street.

TO LET—OFFICE IN ODDFELLOWS

Hall. Apply to R. K. Cowan, Barrister, County Buildings.

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—

Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Co. Phone 384.

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make. Shoddy has no place with them, nor has the cut that is out of

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WANTED—SCHOOL TEACHER FOR S.

No. 3, North Dorchester; state recommendations and salary. Apply H. Bankes, Dorchester, Ont.

WANTED—SCHOOL TEACHER FOR S.

No. 9, West Nissouri. State recommendations and salary. Apply to G. W. Keast, St. Ives P. O.

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street, East London, Ont. Telephone 616

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LOST ON RICHMOND STREET, BE-
TWEEN Bedford and Pleasantly, bag containing \$10.50. Reward at this office. 110

LOST—NEAR CORNER RICHMOND AND

Dundas, dark brown leather purse, containing small sum money, two keys, etc. Reward at this office.

LOST—THURSDAY AFTERNOON—A

pair of gold spectacles. Please leave at Advertiser Office. Reward.

COW STRAYED—RED—DEHORNE—

Howard on information to James O'Rourke, lot 8, con. 2, London township, 100

LOST—FOUR SHEEP—STRAYED AWAY

Send any information to Peter McCull Colclough P. O.

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FOR SALE—BRICK HOUSE—NO. 413
King street; in fine locality; contains water-closet, bath, four bedrooms. Apply 409

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2-story solid brick dwelling, 7 rooms, good cellar, lot 8x150; a great snap. Inquire Russell-W. M. Germain.

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MEN, with board; very central; modern 116 Maple street.

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100 acres in Colchester County, nearly all cleared, never-failing creek; 10 acres fall wheat and 100 acres now sown; good 1 1/2 story frame house; frame barn, stable and granary; good house at corner of lot; railway station one mile distant; three market towns very convenient. \$300 down, balance at 6 per cent. Write Box 338, London, Ont.

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50 milch cows and stockers, at Western Hotel, on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 1 o'clock. No reserve. D. H. Porter, auctioneer. 263 King

Amusements.

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"A Cavalier of France" is an intensely stirring melodrama. It is only sensational in a rational, legitimate way, and it contains one of the most absorbing and exciting stories ever put upon the stage. Its scenes are laid at the court of Henry III. of France, and the period, 1585, is one of the most stirring and picturesque in that reign. Coming just about the time of the Huguenot wars and persecutions, many of the characters are historical and well known through the romances of Alexander Dumas and Stanley J. Weyman: Catherine de Medici, Marguerite of Navarre, Chateaubriand, the confidant and friend of Henri of Navarre, are all seen in the play, which will be presented Saturday matinee and night at the London Opera House by a strong and well-selected company under the direction of Messrs. Shipman.

The man who built the city hall of Denver is now selling cigars and tobacco at a stand in the corridor of the building.

Experiments have been conducted in York with electric vehicles for collecting mail from street boxes. It was found that 15 minutes were saved per trip.

THOUSANDS LIKE HER—Tena McLeod, Seven Bridge, writes: "I owe a debt of gratitude to Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for curing me of a severe cold that troubled me nearly all last winter." In order to give a quietus to a hacking cough, take a dose of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil three or four times a day, or oftener if the cough spell renders it necessary.

So rapidly does lung irritation spread and deepen, that often in a few weeks a simple cough culminates in tubercular consumption. Give heed to a cough, there is always danger in delay, get a bottle of Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, and cure yourself. It is a medicine unsurpassed for all throat and lung troubles. It is compounded from several herbs, each one of which stands at the head of the list as exerting a wonderful influence in curing consumption and all lung diseases.

Conservative Rout

Little Difference From Yesterday in the Standing of the Parties.

Laurier Government Has 52 Majority, With More Coming

From Constituencies Yet to be Heard From.

ONTARIO.

LIBERALS.

Bothwell—D. A. Gordon..... 150
Brant, S.-C. B. Heyd..... 206
Bruce—W. Tolmie..... 631
Essex—N.-R. P. Sutherland..... 500
Essex—M. K. Cowan..... 52
Glengarry—J. T. Schell..... 600
Haldimand-Monck—A. T. Thompson..... 100
Huron, E.-P. Macdonald..... 100
Huron, S.-McEwen..... 200
Huron, W.-R. Holmes..... 27
Kent—G. Stephens..... 150
Kingston—B. M. Britton..... 193
Lambton, W.-T. J. Johnston..... 500
London—C. S. Hyman..... 547
Middlesex, S.-M. McGugan..... 500
Middlesex, W.-W. S. Calvert..... 174
Auskoka-Parry Sound—R. J. Wat-son..... Doubtful
Norfolk, N.-J. Charlton..... Acc.
Northumberland, W.-J. B. Mc-Call..... 150
Ontario, S.-W. Ross..... 93
Ontario—W. Gould..... 300
Ottawa-Belcourt..... 367
Oxford, N.-James Sutherland..... 2,000
Oxford—Sir R. Cartwright..... 679
Perth, S.-D. K. Erb..... 500
Peterboro, E.-J. Lang..... 282
Prescott—J. Proulx..... 102
Renfrew, N.-T. Mackie..... 102
Renfrew, S.-A. A. Wright..... 498
Russell—W. C. Edwards..... 536
Welland—W. M. Germain..... 364
Wellington, S.-H. Guthrie..... 113
Wentworth-North Brant—William Paterson..... 1,200
York, N.-W. Mulock..... 600

CONSERVATIVES.

Addington—J. W. Bell..... 230
Brockville—J. Culbert..... 300
Bruce, E.-H. Cargill..... 26
Bruce, N.-McNeil..... 7
Carleton—A. Kidd..... 624
Cornwall-Stormont—R. A. Pringle..... 150
Dundas—A. Broder..... Elected
Durham, E.-H. A. Ward..... 148
Durham, W.-Thornton..... 40
Elgin, E.-A. B. Ingram..... 82
Frontenac—H. Calvin..... 234
Grenville, S.-J. D. Reid..... 50
Grey, E.-T. S. Sproule..... 250
Grey, S.-M. K. Richardson..... Elected
Halton—D. Henderson..... 150
Hamilton—S. Barker..... 773
Hamilton—F. C. Bruce..... 767
Hastings, E.-W. B. Northrop..... 50
Hastings, N.-A. W. Carscallen..... 200
Hastings, W.-H. Corby..... 800
Lambton, E.-Oliver Simmons..... 235
Lanark, N.-B. Rosamond..... 58
Lanark, S.-J. Haggart..... 58
Leeds-Grenville, N.-J. R. Lavelle..... 302
Leeds, S.-George Taylor..... 419
Lennox-Wilson..... 107
Lincoln-Niagara—E. A. Lancaster..... 110
Middlesex, E.-J. Gilmour..... 773
Middlesex, N.-J. Sherditt..... 421
Norfolk, S.-D. Tisdale..... Elected
Northumberland, E.-E. Cochrane..... 200
Ontario, N.-N. A. McLeod..... 479
Ottawa-Thomas Birkett..... 367
Peel—R. Blain..... 15
Perth, N.-A. F. McLaren..... 215
Peterboro, W.-James Kendry..... 254
Prince Edward—G. O. Alcorn..... 72
Simcoe, E.-W. H. Bennett..... 83
Simcoe, S.-H. Lennox..... 800
Toronto, C.-W. R. Brock..... 215
Toronto, E.-A. E. Kemp..... 1,220
Toronto, W.-E. F. Clarke..... 2,246
Toronto, W.-E. B. Osier..... 1,973
Victoria, N.-Hughes..... 128
Victoria, S.-A. Vrooman..... 200
Waterloo, N.-Jos. Seagram..... Acc.
Waterloo, S.-G. A. Clare..... 150
Wellington, C.-J. McGowan..... 251
Wellington, N.-G. Tolton..... 54
Wentworth, S.-E. D. Smith..... 232
York, E.-W. F. Maclean..... 700
York, W.-N. Clarke Wallace..... 550

QUEBEC.

LIBERALS.

Argenteuil—T. Christie..... 223
Bagot-Marcil..... Elected
Beauce—J. Godbout..... 1,200
Beauharnois—G. M. Loyer..... 282
Bellevue—O. E. Talbot..... 400
Berthier—J. E. Archambault..... 250
Bonaventure—C. March..... 176
Brome—Hon. S. A. Fisher..... 550
Chamby and Vercheres—Victor Geoffroy..... 500
Champlain—A. Rousseau..... 272
Charlevoix—Charles Angers..... 139
Chateauguay—J. P. Brown..... 450
Drummond-Arthabaska—A. Lav-ergne..... Acc.
Hochelaga—J. A. C. Madore..... Elected
Huntington—W. A. MacLaren..... Elected

Joliette-Bazinet..... 80

Kamouraska—H. G. Carroll..... 150
Labelle—H. Bourassa..... 100
Laprairie-Napierville—D. Monet..... 119
L'Assomption—C. M. Laurier..... 300
Laval—T. Fortier..... Elected
Levis—S. Demers..... 400
L'Islet—A. M. Dechene..... 83
Lotbiniere—E. Fortin..... 1,000

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CHASE & SANBORN,
MONTREAL AND BOSTON.

TARDY MOORS MUST PAY UP

U. S. Battleship Kentucky May Call on Them.

British Newspaper Comment on the Elections.

Proposal to Tax Childless Married Couples and Celebrities—Composition of the British House of Commons.

GALES IN GREAT BRITAIN.

London, Nov. 9.—A heavy gale swept over Great Britain yesterday. There were several vessels wrecked along the coast, and many persons were drowned.

MOORS MUST CASH UP.

The instructions of the United States department to Consul Gunners, at Tangier, under which he acted yesterday, were to collect an indemnity from the Moorish government for the murder of Marcus Essagin, a naturalized American citizen, who was killed about a year ago by a mob. The big battleship Kentucky is going through the Mediterranean to Manila, and if she touches at a Moorish port her presence may have a stimulating influence on the authorities.

TAX ON CHILDLESS MARRIAGES.

Paris, Nov. 9.—In parliament the Socialists started a preliminary skirmish against the government, but the interpellations which were expected to involve stormy debates were not reached. In the senate M. Piot introduced a bill aiming to arrest the depopulation of France. It provides for a tax on celibates of both sexes after they reach the age of 30, and upon childless couples who have been married for five years, the tax to be maintained until a child is born to them.

TWO YEARS FOR DUELING STUDENT.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 9.—A student at the University of Dorpat has been sentenced to imprisonment for a term of two years for having killed a fellow-student in a duel a year ago. The government has virtually broken up the German dueling association at this university.

MCKINLEY CONGRATULATED.

Among the telegrams of congratulation received by President McKinley are the following:

"Paris, Nov. 8, 1900. 'His Excellency Monsieur McKinley, President U. S. of America: I beg you to accept my most sincere congratulations on your re-election to the supreme office that you have filled with such luster during which the bonds of true friendship between our two countries have, to my great delight, been drawn still closer. 'EMIL LOUBET.'"

COMMENT ON BRYAN'S DEFEAT.

England's leading representatives of high finance have been interviewed by the London correspondent of the World relative to the election in the United States.

The governor of the Bank of England, Samuel Stewart Gladstone, said: "McKinley's election must have a healthy effect both financially and politically. I consider it, in the first place, as a great security for the peace of the world. Here, undoubtedly, the belief has been that if Bryan were elected it might mean disturbance and unsettlement in the financial world. Now we may look

to a revival of business and a strengthening of American securities." At the London office of the Morgans, Pierpont Morgan said: "I consider that the settlement of the question is a relief to business interests both here and in America. The general effect on commerce and finance must be excellent. For the past fortnight prices have shown an upward tendency, and the general relief has been expressed by the further immediate improvement."

"As to the silver movement, now it has got the finishing stroke. The buying of American securities here is mainly for America. There has been a steady stream of buying for some time past, but now that McKinley is elected English money will also be forthcoming for American stocks."

NEW BRITISH COMMONS.

In the new British House of Commons there are:

Bankers and financiers	22
Barristers and Q. C.s	116
Brewers, distillers and wine merchants	23
Civil and mining engineers	4
Colliery proprietors and coal merchants	17
Diplomats and government officials	17
Estate agents, architects and accountants	2
Farmers and agriculturists	15
Gentry and landowners	68
Ironmasters and metal merchants	18
Labor representatives	13
Manufacturers and spinners	52
Medical profession	9
Merchants	44
Ministers and ex-ministers of government	40
Newspaper proprietors and journalists	33
Peers' sons and brothers	31
Printers and booksellers	31
Railway contractors and engineers	6
Steamship and ship owners and builders	18
Solicitors, in or out of practice	24
Stock and share brokers	13
Shopkeepers and traders	13
University professors and schoolmasters	13
Army and navy	64
Total	670

CABLE NOTES.

The Japanese battleship Mikasa, of 15,200 tons, said to be the most formidable vessel of its kind in the world, was launched on Thursday at the Vickers-Maxim works at Barrow. Negotiations for the sale of the Danish West Indian Islands, which have been lagging because of the campaign in the United States, will now be resumed.

Count Johann Palffy has offered the Austrian Government his estates in the Palatinate of Presburg, valued at 2,400,000 kronen, or about \$500,000, on condition that the income be applied to providing scholarships of from 700 to 1,000 kronen a year for Hungarian students at the universities.

The opinion prevails in Paris that the re-election of President McKinley will lead to a Franco-American commerce convention.

Vice-Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour, K. C. B., in command of the China station since 1897 (who is to be succeeded by Vice-Admiral Sir Henry Holdsworth Rawson), has been appointed a G. O. B., and Captains Bayly, T. Burke, Col. Agha and Jellicoe have been appointed C. B.s for services in China.

The Russian Government intends sending an agent to the United States to study homestead legislation with the view of its partial application to the peasant communities.

The whaler Eclipse arrived at Dundee yesterday from Davis Strait with a party of Arctic scientific explorers, including Messrs. Stein and Warming, Americans, and Dr. Kann, an Austrian, who secured important information as to Ellesmere Island.

Learned men of St. Petersburg are planning a scientific expedition to examine the immense number of manu-

scripts at Mukden discovered by the Russian troops, among them being ancient Greek and Roman documents, supposedly taken by the Mongolians on their retreat from the Occident. They are believed to be of great historical value.

Former General Election Results.

The results of the respective general elections have been as follows:

Aug. 7-Sept. 20, 1867:

Ontario	47	36
Quebec	45	20
Nova Scotia	14	7
New Brunswick	7	8
Totals	108	80

Conservative majority, 28.

Second election, July 20, 1872:

Ontario	38	50
Quebec	38	27
Nova Scotia	11	10
New Brunswick	7	9
Prince Edward Island	3	1
Manitoba	2	2
British Columbia	8	0
Totals	103	97

Conservative majority, 6.

Third election, Jan. 22, 1874:

Ontario	34	64
Quebec	32	23
Nova Scotia	4	17
New Brunswick	5	11
Prince Edward Island	2	2
Manitoba	2	2
British Columbia	6	0
Totals	73	133

Liberal majority, 60.

Fourth election, Sept. 10, 1878:

Ontario	59	29
Quebec	45	20
Nova Scotia	14	7
New Brunswick	6	11
Prince Edward Island	4	2
Manitoba	2	2
British Columbia	6	0
Totals	137	69

Conservative majority, 68.

Fifth election, June 20, 1882:

Ontario	54	37
Quebec	48	17
Nova Scotia	15	6
New Brunswick	10	6
Prince Edward Island	4	2
Manitoba	2	2
British Columbia	6	0
Totals	129	71

Conservative majority, 58.

Sixth election, Feb. 22, 1887:

Ontario	52	40
Quebec	33	32
Nova Scotia	16	9
New Brunswick	13	8
Prince Edward Island	4	1
Manitoba	4	1
British Columbia	6	0
Northwest Territories	4	0
Totals	122	93

Conservative majority, 29.

Seventh election, March 5, 1891:

Ontario	49	44
Quebec	29	35
Nova Scotia	16	5
New Brunswick	13	3
Prince Edward Island	2	4
Manitoba	4	1
British Columbia	6	0
Northwest Territories	4	0
Totals	122	92

Conservative majority, 30.

Eighth election, June 23, 1896:

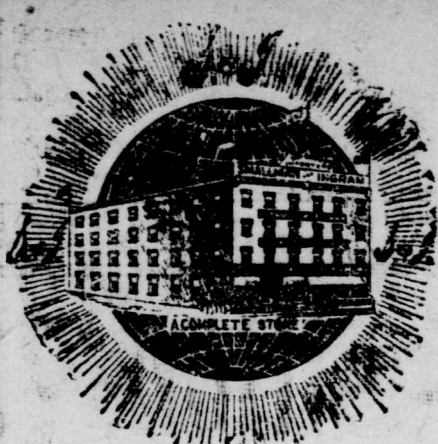
Ontario	43	48
Quebec	16	39
Nova Scotia	10	10
New Brunswick	9	5
Prince Edward Island	3	2
Manitoba	4	2
British Columbia	2	4
Northwest Territories	1	2
Totals	88	122

Majority for Liberals, 34.

When prorogation took place the strength of the parties in the House of Commons was as follows:

Ontario	7	40	45
Quebec	14	51	
Nova Scotia	8	12	
New Brunswick	1	8	5
Prince Edward Island	2	3	
Manitoba	1	2	
British Columbia	2	4	
Northwest Territories	1	2	
Totals	10	77	126

Of the Independents and Patrons there gave an independent support to the government upon the majority of questions upon which the house divided, and the tenth, with scarcely an exception, voted with the opposition.



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ALBERT EDWARD

The Prince of Wales is 60 Years Old Today.

London, Nov. 9.—Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, was born Nov. 9, 1841. In the coming year, 1901, six centuries will have passed since an English king, for the first time, conferred the rank and title of Prince of Wales upon his eldest son. During this long period no Prince of Wales reached an age as advanced as that of Queen Victoria's heir is at present. No one held that position as long as Prince Albert Edward. In this respect he has surpassed his grand-uncle, who was Prince of Wales more than 57 years, and succeeded to the crown as King George IV. in his 58th year. In point of time the tenure of the present prince's position is as unprecedented as the length of Queen Victoria's reign is in British history. With the exception of William IV, there has been no English king who was not younger at the time of his accession to the crown than the Prince of Wales is now.

The title of Prince of Wales is not a continuous title. It is never conferred upon one who is simply heir-presumptive, and it was, therefore, in abeyance during the reigns of George IV., William IV., and the four years of Queen Victoria's reign preceding the birth of the present heir-apparent. It is less generally known that even when a Prince of Wales has a son, like the present prince, the title is not hereditary, in point of law, but upon the accession of a Prince of Wales to the throne or upon the death of a Prince of Wales during the sovereign's lifetime merges in the crown, and a new creation becomes necessary. The present Prince of Wales should succeed to the crown, his son would not immediately be Prince of Wales, though he might be called so by courtesy. But the new king would certainly create his son and heir Prince of Wales. If the Queen should survive her eldest son the title of Prince of Wales would also be extinguished, and the present Duke of York, though he would obtain his father's title only under a new creation.

AN ALIEN MUST GO

Ordered To Be Deported on or Before Saturday.

Hamilton, Nov. 9.—Edward Williams, owner for the enforcement of the alien labor law, has made a thorough investigation of the alleged importation of aliens to work at the Hamilton Steel and Iron Company's blast furnace (the smelting works). He found that eight men had been brought from the United States. One of these was the new superintendent, Mr. O'Keefe, one an expert, and one a workman. These three, and these only, were United States citizens, and the one alien workman was ordered to be deported on or before the 10th. The superintendent and expert cannot be ordered away. Of the other five, three were British subjects, who had lived in the United States and worked there,

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but who had never been naturalized, remaining British subjects. Two of them were born in Hamilton. Of the other two, one was a German and the other a Hollander, who had worked in the United States, but had not become naturalized.

New York, Nov. 8.—Assistant Commissioner of Immigration McSweeney boarded the steamer Kaiserin Maria Theresa today at quarantine to look for 24 lace-makers, who, it was said, were to be brought here in violation of the alien contract labor law. He failed to find them and learned that they did not come on the boat. The lace-makers who were expected were said to be from Nottingham, England, en route to Zion, Ill., the headquarters of John Alexander Dowie.

IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD.—When the action of the kidneys becomes impaired, impurities in the blood are almost sure to follow, and general derangement of the system ensues. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will regulate the kidneys, so that they will maintain healthy action and prevent the complications which certainly come when there is derangement of these delicate organs. As a restorative these Pills are in the first rank.

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After the Battle.

Except in Ontario—of which we may speak again—the Government has been, in the Dominion at large, sustained overwhelmingly. The latest figures are about as follows: Government, 131; Opposition, 73; Independents, 4; with five deferred constituencies, four of which were Liberal previously and will likely go Liberal again.

The Government did not, in 1896, have any such majority as it had four years later when Parliament was dissolved. It began in 1896 with about 34. But through the growth of its popularity, as manifested in the bye-elections, it rose to 48 of a straight majority.

The Government again went to the country on Wednesday last, and it comes back some twenty stronger at the start, than it did immediately after the election of 1896. Doubtless the same process of winning bye-elections will again go on; and as before the legislation offered will be of a character to command the support of fair-minded "Independents." The trouble with the Government will not be that its majority is too small.

After the wheat and chaff of recounts, protests, and the like, have got through the fanning-mill, the clean-up will show the Government can rely from the start on a majority from every province except Ontario, and in Ontario, the final clean-up, and a few bye-elections, may put that province in a position less unenviable than the position it now occupies.

Among the reasons for the temporary recession of Ontario must first be placed the gerrymander. Like interest, the gerrymander works away steadily, day and night. "Thanks be," the gerrymander will soon disappear! The next most potent reason was a state of organization in Ontario not at all equal to that of the Opposition. That must be remedied. The other reason, of course, was the raising by Conservatives of the race and creed cry in this province. It was raised as openly as they dared by many of the leading Conservative speakers and newspapers. When they denounced "Tarte," for example, it was one of those convenient cases where more is meant than meets the ear; and what was done in this way from their platform and press, was bettered in private canvass. It was impossible that this could be without some effect. But unfair tactics often prove a boomerang, and every word of incendiary appeal against the electors of Quebec only reacted against the Opposition in our sister province. Naturally, we would have preferred, for our own credit, to see a larger part of the Government majority from Ontario; but if it is otherwise, the tactics of the Opposition must accept the blame. With the repeal of the gerrymander, and with real organization, Ontario will henceforth be the banner province of Liberalism.

While Quebec has sided with remarkable unanimity with the Government, it is a matter for great pride that a large majority of the English people throughout Canada have been equally appreciative of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues. And it is pleasant, as showing an absence of any improper racial feeling in Quebec, to observe, as the Toronto Star points out, that the ridings in Quebec where the English people are congregated, all supported the Government with only two exceptions. The exceptions are Sherbrooke, a strongly Conservative riding, in which the Government candidate was defeated even in a bye-election last year, and Compton, where Rufus Pope, the party organizer, is personally strong. But everywhere else the English people of Quebec have declared for the Government. The significance of this is easily seen. The minority in Quebec is sensitive of its position, and on occasion has been quick to take alarm. But where is there evidence of alarm in the returns from the Eastern Townships—from the ridings of Brome, Chateauguy, Huntingdon, Megantic, Missisquoi, Stanstead, Richmond and Wolfe, Sheffield?

The result of the election as a whole, the utter demoralization of the Opposition, and the disappearance of their principal leaders, will compel a complete reorganization of the Conservative party. We earnestly hope, for their own sake, and that of the country, they may be able to pull themselves together in such manner as to form an effective Opposition. For, after all, as The Advertiser has frequently insisted, the great mass of the adherents alike of the Conservative and of the Liberal parties are sincerely anxious for the welfare of our common country. Ability and patriotism are not the exclusive possession of either party. The best interests of the country can be promoted by the people's chosen representatives irrespective of the side of the Speaker's chair upon which they sit.

The Chinese Crisis.

In the Atlantic Monthly Mr. J. B. Angell writes a short article on the crisis in China. After all the contributions of this kind we have had during the last three months, there is not much that is new in it. Indeed, while we have plenty to learn about China in general, so much has been said about this particular situation, that it is difficult to find anything new about it. There is, however, one point brought out at the beginning of the article that is worth emphasizing. Let us not imagine that because we have read much about the Chinaman lately, we understand him. He is very hard to understand. Here is testimony cited by Mr. Angell: "I have studied him carefully for forty years. Often I have flattered myself that I had sounded the depths of his nature and had come to understand him thoroughly. But just as I was rejoicing in complacency on my success, suddenly some new mystery in him revealed itself, and I discovered that my work was not done. I cannot yet with confidence tell you what the Chinaman is. He eludes inspection. He does not like to tell his deepest beliefs. If he does, and you ask him the reasons for them, about the only thing you can be sure of is that the reasons he gives are not the real reasons." A good illustration of this last point is the fact that there is still a difference of opinion among missionaries concerning the real nature and import of ancestral worship, which is a universal practice in China.

Thus it seems that there is a great gulf between the Chinaman and the European or American. They are such different specimens of humanity, they find it hard to understand each other. Mutual ignorance, mutual misunderstanding, mutual contempt, sums up too much of their dealing with each other. Mr. Angell shows how the government of China, under a despotic emperor or governing board, and of widely separated provinces with equally despotic governors, tends to weaken what we call patriotism. Though they have a large country and an immense population, it is difficult for them to unite in a general movement, or to co-operate in defense of their country. In his opinion the Boxer movement might have been put down at first with vigorous action—not quite so vigorous as that of Tso Tsung Tang, an able Chinese general, who was sent to put down some secret societies, and did it quickly. When asked how it was done, he said, calmly: "Oh, in six weeks I cut off the heads of about fourteen hundred of them." But in this case the dowager empress supported the Boxers.

The course recommended is that "for the atrocious acts committed at Peking there must be a day of reckoning, not in a spirit of vengeance, let us hope, but as a safeguard for the future." Then a good strong Chinaman must be found to guide and guard the present weak emperor. That, however, is not an easy thing, as it means that the great Chinaman must be capable, as well as a man of right spirit, and must be acceptable to all the great powers. These conditions, to put it mildly, are not easy to fill.

One Effect of High Protection.

An English newspaper, commenting on the fact that "our American cousins" are handicapped in their export trade by the lack of a mercantile marine worthy of the name, says: "But they cannot bring themselves to face the fact that they will get one only by relaxing their harsh protectionist system." This journal goes on to say that American consuls have been ordered to report to Washington as to the means of finding markets for American coal in Europe, and the consul-general at Berlin has given the following practical advice: "It is for the marine customs of the United States to devise a collar for the Atlantic coal traffic, a vessel of large carrying capacity, low cost of construction, with sufficient engine power to steam seven or eight knots an hour, and give steerage way in all weathers, equipped with the best machinery for handling cargo, and with minimum requirements as to size of crew, and consequent operating expenses—a vessel, in short, built specially for the export trade."

This is quite a problem, but if low cost of construction is possible anywhere, it is not in the United States, and if their ships were built abroad they would have to pay a heavy duty on them. So, as long as the republic keeps up its present high tariff, the problem set by this consul-general cannot be worked out; and, indeed, as long as the present system is kept up, it is probable that the great bulk of the carrying trade will remain in the hands of Britain. The great republic has immense territory, boundless and varied resources, and is equipped by nature to compete with the world; but it is quite evident that extreme protection, with its vigor and rigour, hampers trade, and hinders commercial expansion. Alongside of such a powerful nation, our commercial life is largely influenced by them, but we may at least say this of Liberal statesmen, that they have endeavored to help the freedom of trade as far as possible by putting themselves in connection with the great open market.

KINGSTON HEROES WELCOMED.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 8.—Yesterday Sergeant Bruce Carruthers and Ptes. Aldcroft and Little arrived from Halifax. A detachment of the 14th Band greeted the returned warriors. Later on the band escorted Sgt. Carruthers to his home.

John W. Eaton, of Pittsburgh, Pa., died at Grace Hospital, Toronto, Thursday night of typhoid fever, in his 30th year. He was formerly manager of the John Eaton Company, Toronto, and was a nephew of Timothy Eaton.

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BOXER CHIEFS TRIED AND SHOT

By the British Military Authorities.

Rebellion in South China is Ruining Commerce—Emperor to Return to Peking.

Taku, Nov. 8.—A British column under Gen. Richardson left Pao Ting Fu on Oct. 23, marching in the direction of Peking. At Tung My Ling the troops tried three Boxer chiefs, destroyers of a chapel and slayers of native Christians. The British shot the chiefs.

The following dispatch from Major Lord Campbell has been received by the secretary of state for India: At Tung Ling the Chinese attempted to steal powder and caused an explosion. Two soldiers and three camp followers were killed and four camp followers were injured. A large number of Chinese were killed or wounded covering their wadded coats catching fire.

REBELLION RUINS COMMERCE. Paris, Nov. 8.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Peking announces that a high Chinese personage says the rebellion being organized in South China is ruining commerce, and that the revenues are decreasing, and that the payment of the service of the debt next spring is doubtful.

EMPEROR TO RETURN. The Peking correspondent of the Rome Tribune, writing on Nov. 3, says: News from a private source, coming direct from the Province of Shensi, where the court took refuge, says that Emperor Wang Su is about to return to Peking.

Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching again have telegraphed to the emperor, declaring that the powers will insist upon the infliction of punishment, and that escape from the demand is impossible. MOST IMPORTANT MOVE. Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang regret the delay of the consuls in presenting the peace propositions and express fears as to the future. They are ready to accept propositions based on M. Delcasse's proposals, but it is further asserted that the foreign ministers are, in the meanwhile, making time and discussing secondary questions. The Chinese regard the occupation of the imperial tombs at Si Ling as being more important than the capture of the emperor and the empress dowager.

SHANGHAI STORIES. London, Sept. 9.—Li Hung Chang telegraphs, says the Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Express, that he despairs of a settlement, and that it is useless to expect the Chinese court to consent to the execution of Fu Hsien or Tung Fu Hsiang. He declares that it is equally vain to attempt to induce the powers to moderate their demands, and that, therefore, the court is preparing for a further flight to the Province of Sze Chuan, with an imperial army of 14,000.

The Berlin papers continue to print letters from German soldiers in China, showing the terrible atrocities committed by German troops. A letter printed today describes the character of the attack on the inhabitants of a certain village: "Bayonets were fixed, and our lieutenant commanded to shoot down or bayonet everybody in sight. During the night many Chinese were killed, including a woman and a child."

AN UNDERSTANDING. The Novoe Vremya, says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Express, writing before the re-election of Mr. McKinley was known at the Russian capital, announces with official sanction, that an understanding has been reached between Russia, France, Japan, and the United States, by way of counterpoise to the Anglo-German agreement, adding that the results will become specifically apparent if President McKinley is re-elected.

DISCREDITED. Washington, Nov. 8.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, said today, in regard to the reported annexation of territory in Tien Tsin by the Russian Government, that he felt very sure no such step had been taken. He touched upon the possibility of a Russian concession, adding that the British and French allotments having been made, but dismissed the report that Russia had summarily taken possession of the territory referred to as entirely improbable.

SAVED A FORTUNE

Massachusetts Woman Earned a Pile Washing Floors.

Waltham, Mass., Nov. 9.—Mrs. Sarah Carey, a scrubwoman, employed in the cotton mills here, died last week, apparently in almost absolute poverty. She had worked in the mills for small pay for more than 40 years, and that she had lived frugally was proven when on her deathbed she confided to a lawyer, for whom she had sent to draw a will,

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24 pairs Wool Blankets, size 66x86, soft and fluffy, warranted not to shrink. Special, per pair..... \$3 00

Ladies' Hose Special, 25c

Ladies' Extra Line Plain and Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, heavy and medium weight. Special, per pair..... 25c

Boys' Hose Special, 25c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Black Wool Hose, sizes 6½ to 10. Special, per pair..... 17c to 25c

Special Clearing Sale Ladies' Vests

Ladies' Vests, 20c quality, for..... 15c
Ladies' Vests, 30c quality, for..... 20c
Ladies' Vests, 40c quality, for..... 29c
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2 only Ladies' Matalasse Capes, full skirt length, handsomely lined with squirrel fur lining; regular price, \$80. Friday for..... \$45 00

2 Fur-Lined Capes, Red and Black Matalasse Cloth, squirrel lining, sable trimmed; regular price, \$50. Friday for..... \$25 00

1 Fur-Lined Cape, black cloth, best squirrel lining, fur trimmed; regular price, \$32 50. Friday..... \$20 00

4 Fur-Lined Capes, green and blue cloth, best squirrel lining, Thibet collar; regular price, \$24. Friday..... \$20 00

1 Silk Plush Cape, Roman braid covering, Thibet collar, silk-lined; regular price, \$30. Friday..... \$20 00

1 Opera Cape, brown cloth, quilted, satin lining, marten trimmed; regular price, \$12. Friday..... \$7 00

1 Opera Cape, light green cloth, lined with pink, quilted satin, fancy collar, braided with white, and trimmed with white fur, regular price \$8. Friday..... \$5 00

1 Fur-lined Cape, red beaver cloth, best squirrel lining, fur trimmed, regular price \$32 50. Friday..... \$24 00

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that she had deposited in some twenty savings banks of Boston and suburban cities more than \$20,000. She had made a practice of depositing a portion of her earnings every week, but even her aged sister, in whose house she lived, was not aware that she was possessed of more than a few paltry dollars found in her room.

The will, which she signed in the hospital a few days before she died, gives \$1,000 in trust to her sister, with whom she lived, \$50 outright to another sister, \$1,000 for masses for the repose of her soul and \$17,500 to her pastor for charitable purposes. Mrs. Margaret Qualters, the sister who had shared her all with her and was remembered only to the extent of one-twentieth part of the estate will contest the will.

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People naturally dread the surgeon's knife, the chloroform and the operating table. More especially is this so in the case of those suffering from cancer, as the most skilled surgeon will tell his patient that he can promise no hope of a permanent cure by operation, and that the disease is as likely to return as not within a year. The new method of treating cancer by a constitutional remedy, taken internally, has been so wonderfully successful, that within the last few years it has practically superseded all other forms of treating this disease. The principle on which it is based is this: That cancer is a virulent poison in the blood, and removing the lump or growth simply does not get at the cause of the disease. The new remedy, when taken into the system goes directly to the root of the trouble, searches out the cancer poison, neutralizes and destroys it, and builds up the weakened organism. It is a pleasant preparation to take and will not upset the stomach of the most delicate. Messrs. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont., on receipt of two stamps, will be pleased to send further information about this remedy to anyone desiring it.

A CURE FOR RHEUMATISM.—The intrusion of uric acid into the blood vessels is a fruitful cause of rheumatic pains. This irregularity is owing to a deranged and unhealthy condition of the liver. Anyone subject to this painful affection will find a remedy in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. Their action upon the kidneys is pronounced and most beneficial, and by restoring when taken into the system goes directly to the root of the trouble, searches out the cancer poison, neutralizes and destroys it, and builds up the weakened organism. It is a pleasant preparation to take and will not upset the stomach of the most delicate. Messrs. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont., on receipt of two stamps, will be pleased to send further information about this remedy to anyone desiring it.

Paper money is at a premium at Nome. Miners find it more convenient than gold and pay as much as 2 per cent in excess of its face value for it. Great Luck of an Editor. "For two years all efforts to cure Eczema in the palms of my hands failed," writes Editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., "when I was wholly cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's the world's best for Eruptions, Sores and all skin diseases. Only 25 cents at W. T. Strong & Co's.

23 Killed!

Boers Defeated in a Heavy Fight.

They Lost 23 Killed, 30 Wounded and 100 Prisoners—British Casualties Light.

London, Nov. 9.—A late report from Bothaville says: "There has been heavy fighting since Nov. 6, resulting in the defeat of the Boers, who lost 23 killed, 30 wounded and 10 taken prisoners. Seven of their guns also were captured. The British lost three officers and four men killed."

SKIRMISHING.

Pretoria, Nov. 8.—During the last few days only a few slight skirmishes have been reported. The small Boer laagers west of here are being driven back by the country owing to the movements of Gen. French and Clements. The road to Rustenburg is about clear of Boers.

The prisoners, officers and men who are now captured in this vicinity are being lodged in the Bird Cage, which the Boers formerly used as a place of detention for captured British officers. Because of slight discomfort, caused by the recent rains, the Boer captives complain that the place is fit only for cattle.

Col. Edwards, late of the Imperial Light Horse, and now second in command of the Transvaal Police, has been given in charge of the system district, which includes Johannesburg, Pretoria, Krugersdorp and Rustenburg.

NOW FOR THE 'PINOS

Operations to Crush the Tagal Rebel Lion To Be Prosecuted With Great Energy.

New York, Nov. 9.—According to a special dispatch from Washington to the Tribune, the operations to crush the Tagal rebellion, which are about to be begun, and prosecuted with extreme energy, are to be of a thoroughly comprehensive character, the plan of campaign having been prepared by Gen. MacArthur last month, after a council of officers. The plan has received the unqualified approval of the war department, without material modification.

It involves extensive naval co-operation, including all the regular warships on the station, as well as the numerous gunboats purchased from the Spaniards, which are to be distributed in flotillas, each with a larger or smaller modification. Admiral Remy, in the flagship Brooklyn, has just returned from Manila to Manila to resume personal charge of the operations afloat, which Admiral Kempf, in the Newark, already at Cavite, has been mapping out in conjunction with Gen. MacArthur.

Hounds Kept a Bear Treed Nine Days.

The mysterious disappearance of two valuable hounds owned by A. W. Combs, of Oakland, has been explained, and the story behind it proves one of the most remarkable cases of canine faithfulness and determination ever recorded. Combs was one of a party of hunters who returned a few days ago from a week's hunting trip in the mountains back of Crescent City, Del Norte county.

The party had taken along four hounds, which were missed during the first night in the mountains. They had evidently strayed away during the night, and for the following four days the hunters were without their companions. On the fourth day, however, two of the hounds returned to camp, the two belonging to Combs being finally given up for lost or stolen. When the hunters were ready to start for home they informed Superior Judge Cutler of the mysterious disappearance of the two hounds, and requested him to advertise a reward for their return in his name.

One day last week Mr. Combs received a letter from Judge Cutler, conveying the happy news that the hounds had been recovered. Judge Cutler writes that they were found in the mountains several miles from where the Oaklanders had been hunting, by a miner, who had heard them barking for several days. The miner had gone to investigate, and found two hounds holding the fort at the base of a large tree, into which a bear had climbed for safety from their attack. This was nine days after they had been missed from the hunters' camp, and for several days they had remained on watch at this particular tree. They were completely exhausted and very nearly starved to death, as was also the bear, which the miner killed.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A new island has been formed out at sea, about ten miles from the mouth of the Rhine.

A woman in Topeka, Kansas, who is suing for a divorce, petitions for the custody of the family cow.

The game laws are being evaded in the west by sending birds through the mail or else in cheese boxes.



Don't Wake the Baby.

Did you know you could give medicine to your children while they were soundly sleeping? You certainly can. It is called Vapo-Cresolene. You put some Cresolene in the vaporizer, light the lamp, and place near the bed. The children quietly breathe-in the vapor. There is nothing cold to it for whooping cough, croup, colds, cough, sore throat, and all other troubles of the throat and chest. It is economical, pleasant, safe.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, \$1.50; extra supply of Cresolene 50 cents and 50 cents. Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 110 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

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THE MARKETS

American Markets.

BUFFALO, Nov. 9.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, old, 83½c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 78c; No. 1 white, 75c, on track; Corn—No. 2 yellow, 43½c; No. 3 yellow, 41c to 43½c; No. 4 white, 36c to 38c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 27½c; No. 3 white, 26½c; No. 4 white, 25½c; No. 2 mixed, 24½c, through bill.

DETROIT, Nov. 9.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 76½c; No. 2 red, cash, 77c; Dec., 77½c; May, 82c.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 9.—Wheat—Cash, 76½c; Nov., 76½c; Dec., 77½c; May, 81½c. Corn—Dec., 36½c. Oats—Dec., 23c.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations of the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker Tremont House, Phone 1278.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Nov.	72½	73½	72½	73½
Dec.	73½	74½	73½	74½
May	77½	78½	77½	78½
Corn—Nov.	25½	26½	25½	26½
Dec.	26½	27½	26½	27½
May	31½	32½	31½	32½
Oats—Nov.	21½	22½	21½	22½
Dec.	22½	23½	22½	23½
May	27½	28½	27½	28½
Lard—Nov.	11½	12½	11½	12½
Dec.	12½	13½	12½	13½
May	17½	18½	17½	18½
Ribs—Nov.	6½	7½	6½	7½
Dec.	6½	7½	6½	7½
May	9½	10½	9½	10½

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Strong's Flavoring
Extracts

Strong's Fruit Colors

Strong's Drug Store

155 Dundas Street, London.

Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Nov. 9—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Northwest gales; cold, with local snow flurries.

Saturday—Westerly winds; fair, with little lower temperature.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Miss Carrie Moore, of Cairo, is the guest of the Misses Graham, Richmond street.

—Three men have sailed for Halifax by the steamer Carthaginian, which is due on Saturday, is J. B. Fraser, 26th Middlesex.

—Lieut. Carpenter sent a cablegram yesterday to Mrs. Carpenter, notifying her that the South African contingent had sailed from Cape Town.

—Miss Campbell and Miss Macdonald, third year students at the Western University, have gone to Toronto University to complete their courses.

—Mr. H. R. McDonald will sing Mr. Woodcock's new song entitled "In the Organ Loft" at the concert at First Methodist Church, Thursday evening. The song has just been issued by Theo. Presser, of Philadelphia.

—Three men appeared in the juvenile police court this morning charged with stealing a flower stand from the premises of Geo. Hiscoc. They were shown to have broken it up and sold it for old iron. They were let go on paying the value of the article stolen.

—The conference between the representatives of the L. E. and D. R. R. Company and the Port Stanley Railway board, resulted in the former making a new offer for the latter's road. The terms, which are not yet public, being largely in advance of the previous one.

—At a sale today, under orders from the executors of the estate of the late Peter Temple, Auctioneer J. W. Jones sold the cottages at Nos. 102 and 104 Waterloo street, the first to Mr. R. B. Lloyd for \$300, and the second to Mr. James Lepper for \$770.

—At the final session of the court of revision held last night, the following rebates were allowed: Margaret Armstrong, \$50; H. Pausley, \$200; William Simpson, \$100; A. Keenleyside, \$250. Peter Farrell's appeal was confirmed, and also the loan companies' appeals against income. All others were dismissed.

—Toronto Globe: Mr. C. S. Hyman well deserved his election in London by such a splendid majority. No man in Canada has suffered more from gross and persistent election frauds. It was time that he received justice. Mr. Hyman is a man of solid ability, and will rank as one of the Liberal leaders from this province.

—The next attraction in the Auditorium concert course is the Brooks' Chicago Marine Band, which will appear on Nov. 22. Two concerts will be given, at a matinee and in the evening. The afternoon performance was necessitated by the fact that the holders of the regular course tickets will entirely fill the Auditorium, and consequently, no other tickets will be sold. All who have no tickets will have to attend the matinee.

—Mr. Harry Edmonds, of the firm of Cole & Edmonds, proprietors of the Sphur Spring Baths, left this afternoon on a three months' trip to England to visit relatives. It is some time since Mr. Edmonds has seen the land of his birth, so he now intends to take

a holiday, visiting the different points of interest, and will probably be in London when the balance of the Royal Canadian Regiment arrives from South Africa, and will witness the reception that is to be tendered them. This afternoon a number of his friends assembled at the C. T. R. depot to wish him good-bye.

—Miss Janie Milne, of Windsor, is visiting Miss Lillie McConnell, 494 Pall Mall street.

—Her many friends will learn with regret that Mrs. Edwards, wife of Mr. C. B. Edwards, of the Collegiate Institute staff, is very seriously ill with typhoid fever.

—The death of Isabella McRae, wife of Mr. Christopher McRae, occurred yesterday at the family residence, No. 653 Elias street. Mrs. McRae was in her 81st year. Her death was due to paralysis. The funeral will be held tomorrow to Mount Pleasant cemetery.

—David N. Brown, formerly a well-known mining man, of this city, died on Wednesday in Detroit. He suffered from pneumonia. His wife survives him. The remains were conveyed to his residence here, No. 483 Colborne street, internment taking place this afternoon at Woodland cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. C. C. Owen.

—Mr. Anthony Comstock, of New York, the famous worker for the suppression of vice, has been forced to cancel his engagement to speak at the Auditorium next Sunday. The engagement was made with the proviso that it would be fulfilled if his health permitted it. For some time past he has been overwhelmed with duties and cares. He is now under a doctor's charge. His place will be taken by John S. Rough, a returned missionary from China, who was formerly general secretary of the Hamilton Y. M. C. A. While Mr. Comstock's absence is to be regretted, Mr. Rough will be a most desirable substitute.

POLICE COURT.
Daniel O'Neil, the fancy writer, who stole an overcoat from the Metropolitan Hotel, was this morning sentenced by Police Magistrate Love to five months imprisonment in the Central Prison.

John Morrow, found guilty of obtaining tools by fraud from David Cowan, was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

The case against George Ballantyne and George McGregor, charged with non-payment of livery hire, was withdrawn, they having settled with the liveryman.

Fred Leslie rode a wheel on the sidewalk and paid \$2 for the privilege. Fred Leslie drove a team of horses on the walk and it cost him half as much.

Fred Fuller went down for five days in default of \$2 fine for being drunk. Wm. Roberts paid his \$2 for the same offence. Two first-timers were allowed to go.

THE OFFICIAL COUNT

Shows Hyman's Majority as 547—Only 43 Spoiled Ballots.

The official count of the ballots cast in the contest for this city on Wednesday took place at noon today in the office of Barrister R. H. Dignam, the returning officer for the city. Little interest was manifested in the formality on the part of the candidates, Mr. Dignam having to go out on the streets and secure two electors to be present at the count, as required by law. It will be gratifying to voters of fair party to know that the spoiled ballots numbered only 43, as compared with 296 spoiled in the election of 1896. The following are the official figures:

WARD ONE.

	Beattie, Hyman, house	Road-
Div. 1	87	62
Div. 2	97	88
Div. 3	98	88
Div. 4	98	88
Div. 5	98	88
Div. 6	98	88
Div. 7	98	88
Total	458	658

WARD TWO.

Div. 1	88	113
Div. 2	88	113
Div. 3	88	113
Div. 4	88	113
Div. 5	88	113
Div. 6	88	113
Div. 7	88	113
Total	610	672

WARD THREE.

Div. 1	79	94
Div. 2	96	131
Div. 3	89	80
Div. 4	88	112
Div. 5	82	97
Div. 6	108	120
Div. 7	76	117
Total	671	751

WARD FOUR.

Div. 1	92	123
Div. 2	102	123
Div. 3	105	105
Div. 4	133	112
Div. 5	92	112
Div. 6	82	83
Div. 7	107	119
Total	718	801

RECAPITULATION.

Ward 1	458	658
Ward 2	610	672
Ward 3	671	751
Ward 4	718	801
Total	2,265	2,882

Majority for Hyman, 547.

EIGHTEEN MONTHS' PAIN.

Ended Effectually and Permanently by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Central Waterville, N. B., Nov. 5.—These dull and damp days of November are terribly hard on the kidneys. Not one person in a hundred escapes backache, pains in the loins, lumbago and similar kidney troubles are as plentiful as fallen leaves.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only sure and certain cure for kidney complaints. They never fail to cure.

In proof of this read what Mr. F. W. Harris, of this place, says: "After having suffered for eighteen months with kidney disease, being unable to work most of the time, and having grown worse while taking other medicines, I used three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, which effected a complete and permanent cure."

THREE MINERS KILLED!

Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 9.—A terrific explosion occurred today in Buck Mountain colliery, near Mahanoy City. Three of the thirty men in the mine were killed.

OPERA GLASSES

Just arrived from France, in White Pearl and Gold, Smoked Pearl and Gold, Black and other colors. Very fine goods.

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EXECUTED!

Four Leading Chinese Officials Will Lead No More.

Pekin, Nov. 6, via Shanghai, Nov. 9.—Four of the leading officials of Pao Ting Fu, including Ting Yeng, the acting viceroy of Pe Chi Li, and Gen. Kung Hing, were executed Nov. 5, under the sentence imposed by the tribunal of the allies.

Renewed reports of the death of the emperor dowager are in circulation, but they lack verification, and are discredited.

BATCH OF CHINESE SURRENDER.

London, Nov. 9.—A special dispatch from Tien Tsin, dated Nov. 7, says a detachment of Italian troops, returning to Peking, intercepted three battalions of Chinese near Kun An Hsien. The latter surrendered without firing a shot.

ALLIES CLASH.

Rome, Nov. 9.—The Tribune's Peking correspondent cables, under date of Nov. 4: "The French commanders have protested against the Italians and Germans attacking the Chinese near Pao Ting Fu, claiming the Chinese there are under French protection. French Zouave having killed an Italian sailor by mistake, the Italian troops were greatly excited, but the officers succeeded in calming them."

BY ENGLISH EYES

How the General Elections Are Viewed Abroad.

London, Nov. 9.—The morning papers, irrespective of party, express unbounded satisfaction at Sir Wilfrid Laurier's victory. The Daily News utilizes it to read a lesson to the British anti-war Liberals, and says: "It is a remarkable fact which Liberals nearer home would do well to ponder, that no more eloquent statements of the justice of the British cause have been made than by Sir Wilfrid Laurier."

All the papers discuss the coincidence of three notable cases, in which the swing of the political pendulum has been arrested, and the Daily News remarks:

"Does it portend a new factor in Democratic politics? The only safe conclusion is that what has happened is not because Lord Salisbury, Mr. McKinty and Sir Wilfrid Laurier have discovered a new way of governing without mistakes, but because in all three countries the people have been stirred of national life to new and great issues, and because the opposition have been found out of touch with national feeling."

The Daily Mail points out that England has thus far failed to make any return for Canadian loyalty and urges that some compensation be made for Canada's fiscal concessions.

MAKING THE BEST OF IT.

Windsor, Nov. 9.—Some of the Windsor Conservatives do not express much regret that many of the Conservative candidates met defeat, and say that there are others who would do the party a favor by retiring to private life. They blame these men for dividing the party before the election. They say that the Conservatives will not regain power until an entirely new set of leaders is placed at the head of affairs. The present financial condition of the country has been an important factor in the campaign just ended. The people are prosperous, and by the vote Wednesday they have shown that they have confidence in the administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

SNOW IN NEW YORK

Pierce Storm Visits Buffalo—Good Prospects for Deer-Hunting in Adirondacks.

Puffalo, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Buffalo was visited this morning by the fiercest snowstorm of the season. It was a damp, heavy snow, and the pavements were soon turned into slushy thoroughfares. The wind, which was from the north, blew about 38 miles an hour. Storm signals were kept flying and vessels ready to leave port were held back for another day.

Malone, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Following the heavy rain of Thursday, snow began falling here and continued unabated. A telephone message from the Adirondacks reports four inches of snow and good prospects for deer-hunting in the closing days of the open season.

Sneezes and Blow.

That is what you must do when you have catarrh in the head. The way to cure this disease is to purify the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine soothes and heals the inflamed surfaces, removes the delicate tissues and permanently cures catarrh by expelling from the blood the scrofulous taint upon which it depends. Be sure to get Hood's.

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Steamship Arrivals.

At	From
Nov. 9.	At
Sylvania	Father Point
Sarnia	Montreal
Laurentian	Glasgow
Enns	New York
Karamania	New York
Germania	New York
Astoria	Glasgow
Laurentian	Glasgow
Belgianland	Queensdown
Mesaba	London
Werra	Naples
Nov. 8.	At
Albanian	Father Point

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A special to the New York Herald from Washington says: "As a result of the continuance in power of President McKinley and Sir Wilfrid Laurier it is expected that another attempt will shortly be made to bring about a complete settlement of the question in dispute with Canada."

ONE MORE!

Provencher, Man., Gives Bertrand (Lib.) 13 Majority.

The Conservative Majority of 668 Wiped Out.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 9.—The last poll has been heard from in Provencher, which elects Bertrand (Liberal) by 15.

Telegraphic Briefs.

Sir William Van Horne, representing United States and Canadian capitalists, has gone to Cuba, where he will try to secure options on all the trolley lines and sugar plantations in the island.

Cornelius L. Alvord, jun., the former note teller of the First National Bank, accused of embezzling \$900,000 of the bank's funds, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields, at New York, on Thursday. Adjourned for a day.

Although the reported sale of the Portland mine is denied at the office of the company in Colorado Springs, it is generally believed in mining circles that this great Cripple Creek property will pass into the hands of an English syndicate. The price is said to be \$15,000,000.

Has the City Drift Been Checked?

The census office announcement that the 155 largest cities in this country have gained almost exactly the same number of inhabitants in the past decade as between 1880 and 1890 is reassuring. For it indicates that the expected trend toward city growth has not developed in the dangerous degree which was feared by some sociologists. The exact statistics of the entire population will, of course, be necessary to show whether there has been any marked disturbance in the proportion of those living in the cities and those living on farms. This revelation about the 155 largest communities, however, is a strong indication of the ultimate showing, for it is highly probable now that the percentage of city gain will not offset that of country gain, both being a natural growth.

There are many factors now to encourage country life which did not exist ten years ago, and to these the expected check in the cityward tendency is due probably in part. The electric railway has encouraged suburban living, while steam railroads have increased in mileage to the advantage of the rural districts. The trolleys are even rivaling the street lines as to the commanding of the patronage of the farmers. The telephone, greatly cheapened by improvements and competition, has softened the isolation of country life, and the bicycle, bringing with it in a measure the betterment of the country roads, has facilitated communication and contact. The free delivery of the mails in the rural regions, too, has had its effect in encouraging the farmer to remain on his farm. He has by this means and others been placed in almost as close reach of the world beyond as the city dweller, whose annoyances have not been ameliorated in the same degree as those of the agriculturist.

But there is probably a deeper industrial reason lying beneath this condition. The city movement of the years prior to 1890 was caused in a large measure by the opening of new opportunities for young men to engage in profitable business in the commercial centers. The wonderful development of trade and manufacturing which followed the war, and more particularly marked the reaction after the panic of the early seventies, drew heavily from the farms. At the same time colleges began to throw open their doors more generously to the farmer's son and daughter. Every factor that beckoned to these young people to migrate. But doubtless the statistics will show now that the tide has turned again and is flowing toward the farm once more. The industries have reached an even state of development. The demand for college-bred men has fallen off somewhat. The opening of new markets for agricultural products has stimulated farming. The introduction of labor-saving machinery has encouraged the farmer to remain at his task, once so laborious, now profitable and comparatively easy. His estate has been bettered, in short, to a greater degree than that of any other single class, and it is hoped that the time has come when the farmer will be able to remain on his land, and his social and moral and physical evils, has been even in part checked, while the more wholesome life of the country has been stimulated.

HID HER FACE FOR LIFE

Lover Deceived Her and She Vowed No Man Should Again See Her.

When in the little Baptist Church at Newcombtown yesterday the form of Rebecca Newcomb reposed in a coffin ready for burial, it was the first time any of her neighbors had gazed upon her face in two score years. In all that time she had lived the life of a rigid recluse. It began with a little love affair of 40 years ago, when Rebecca Newcomb, the comely and sprightly daughter of one of the most prosperous farmers in the county, his farm lying between Newport and Cedarville, was wooed and won by a gay and dashing young man from the city. She gave her whole heart to him and believed that he was all that a maiden's heart could desire.

The wedding day was set and many daintily-worked garments were prepared for the events, and many details prepared for the ceremony. But one day there came the awakening. The country lass discovered that her dashing lover was false; that he had simply toyed with her heart and had cruelly deceived her.

From that time to the day of her death she lived the life of a recluse at the old farmhouse. At the death of

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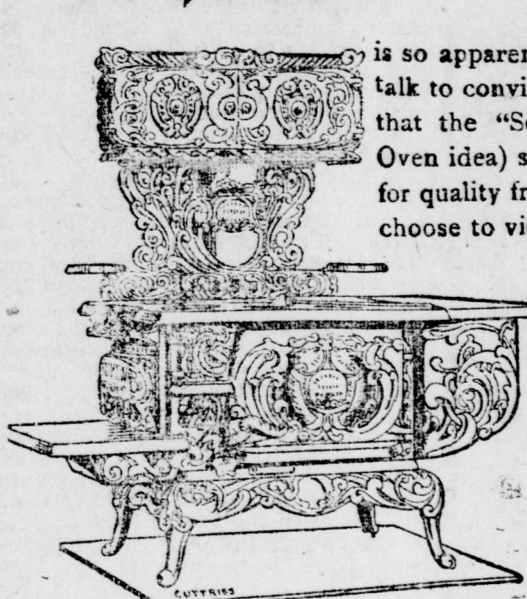
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Confessions of an Ancient Poacher.

At last there was but the bit of open field to be traversed. I did not fail here, but took on courage. When half way over I saw the birds, as many as fifteen young ones, pecking at the ground, and I was in the midst of a fringe of blackberry briars. I stopped short, in view from the farmhouse, and let go an arrow that knocked over one bird right in the very midst. I had expected at least three times that luck; but was well pleased as it had fallen, seeing the whole group scamper into the ravine swift, instead of being bagged by my bird and hand. I bagged my bird and hand, and never forgetting my danger, that would have been to lose the zest of enterprise—never ceasing to keep the tail of my eye on every avenue of approach. I bagged my bird and hand, and never forgetting my danger, that would have been to lose the zest of enterprise—never ceasing to keep the tail of my eye on every avenue of approach.

I followed the quail by sight, dreading them or doing anything to frighten them. Indeed, I coddled after them diplomatically for the sake of a shot now and then. The ravine was a cool, sweet place, where a few light rose geraniums shone pink in the shade. Tufts of golden rod waved their plumes aslant in protected spots, where wisps of blue grass stood high under the blackberry vines. A rich odor of autumn, the bouquet of maturity, lingered everywhere, and the brook's voice filled the weather, as juice fills the grape. On high in the tree tops a discord of woodpeckers' fargon and a rasping of bluejay voices added something excellent to the general effect of things, while I stole along and tried another shot, which, deflected by some slight obstacle, went wide. Suffice it on this score to say that I had an hour's hand shooting and bagged altogether five birds. Then followed a rest beside the little stream, deep in a pawpaw thicket, where the wild fruit was at the point of falling, the green-brown clusters growing dimly among the foliage and causing the bows to sag low with their weight of almost over-fragrant ripeness. Maurice Thompson, in Outing.

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Saturday.

And All Next Week.

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Lola's Secret,

A Romance.

She looked up at him. "Where are you going, Karl? It is unusual for you to have business interviews in the evening." "It is not only unusual, but it is awfully disagreeable," he replied. "I will take good care that it never happens again." "Tell me what it is all about," she said. "You know that everything of interest to you is of equal interest to me." "I will tell you all about it, my darling, when I return," and to his morbidly-excited fancy the rustling leaves seemed to repeat the words, "When I return." "At least," said Dolores, "tell me where you are going, Karl." "I cannot. I will tell you all about it when I come home." Again the summer breeze stirred the leaves, and they seemed to repeat the words, "When I come home." "I shall sit up for you," continued Dolores. "You will not be late?" He looked at his watch, and, as he held it in his hand, the sunlight flashed upon the ruby ring and the white rose. Dolores bent and kissed it. "How I love white roses," she exclaimed. "And oh, Karl, how your ring shines in the sun. It dazzles my eyes." "I must go," said Sir Karl, hastily. "I shall be late; I am loath to leave you, Dolores. You seem sweeter and dearer than ever. How many kisses will you give me?" "How many will you take?" she returned, laughingly. "Good-bye, my sweet wife," he said, clasping her to his breast. "I will tell you all about the business when I return." Their lips met in one long, loving kiss, and then he was gone. She

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red and white roses that brought Lola to her mind, and, once there, she could not disengage her. What an interview that had been! She pined for the very depths of her heart, but trembled as she remembered the vengeance that Lola had threatened. However, it had come to nothing. The threats had been only empty words; nothing had come of them—nothing ever would; but vividly and forcibly there came back to her mind the threat that, even in years to come, the vengeance should fall.

"Poor Lola!" she murmured. "She has never tried to injure me, and she never will. If she did try, there is nothing to be done."

But she could not forget the beautiful French girl. She seemed on that night to haunt her thoughts. She was startled once more by the sound of the clock—this time it was striking eleven, and a yet no shadow had broken the long line of silvery light. She began to feel anxious. Was the night growing colder? She drew a white lace shawl round her shoulders and shivered under its folds. Profound silence reigned over the mansion, most of the lights were out; all the servants, except the butler, had gone to rest. She felt a sudden sense of terror and isolation.

"I will never sit up at night alone again," she thought.

After a few minutes, her nervous fears increased so greatly that there was nothing left for her to do but to go down to the old butler in the hall. He looked up in surprise at the beautiful vision of silk velvet and pearls covered with white lace.

"My lady!" he cried, jumping up from the chair. "I am afraid I was asleep! Did you want me?"

"I am uneasy about your master," she said. "He was to have been back at half past nine, and now it is past eleven."

"The anxious voice aroused the faithful servant. He went to the hall door and opened it, letting in a flood of moonlight.

"There is no cause for fear, my lady," he replied. "The tea is ready. See, the light is not so bright as day."

She looked down the broad steps; the moonlight lay on flowers and trees, on the grass and the statues. What could there be to fear on such a night? Nothing. There could be no danger. She reflected, such as was occasioned at times by losing one's way in the dark.

"May I ask, my lady, where Sir Karl has gone?" inquired the butler. "He very often tells himself, but tonight he did not say a word of his intentions—indeed, my lady, I thought that he did not seem quite well."

"He was not well," she replied quickly; "it is that which has made me uneasy."

"I am sure, my lady, that there is no need for anxiety. Did you say where my master had gone?"

"There was a look of distress and childlike bewilderment on her face. "I do not know, Frodo," she said. "I did not tell me." Even as she spoke a cold thrill of terror passed over her, and a dreadful foreboding of sorrow made her tremble.

From Near-By Places.

ILDERTON.

Iderton, Nov. 9.—Anniversary services of the Iderton Presbyterian Church were held on Sabbath, Nov. 8. Services were conducted by Rev. A. J. McGillicuddy, of London, in the afternoon, and the Rev. Mr. Hozie, of Iva, in the evening; and on Monday evening a social and concert were given at the hall. Rev. W. J. Clark, of London, gave an excellent lecture on "Characteristics To Be Avoided." Solos were sung by Miss Fowler, of London, and R. L. Calvert, of Vanneck. There was a grand total of 100 persons present, and the proceeds amounted to nearly one hundred dollars. It was a great success.

KOMOKA.

Komoka, Nov. 9.—Rev. R. Leitch, of Delaware, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alexander McIntyre has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Cass City, Mich.

A very pleasant event occurred on Wednesday evening, Oct. 24, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John McKellar, when their daughter, Miss Ida, was united in marriage to Mr. William Morris, by Rev. R. Marshall, of Lobo.

Miss R. Close, of Port Huron, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. E. D. Dox, of London, assisted the groom. Friends from Port Huron, Thedford, Belmont, London, Lobo and Komoka attended. At the hour of 8 o'clock, while the wedding march was being played by Miss Edna Finch, the bride entered carrying a large bouquet of white bridal roses, while the bridesmaid carried pink. The young couple have the best wishes of the entire community.

The Lyons, of the Lyons' Supper, will be observed in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 11. Preparatory services this (Friday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. Wickham conducted sacramental services in the Baptist Church last Sunday evening.

Miss Annie Frank has returned from Byron.

Mr. Robert Barber has returned from Iderton.

HARRIETSVILLE.

Harrietsville, Nov. 9.—The trustees of Harrietsville public school have secured the services of Mr. David Fitzpatrick, principal of the public school of Crampton, as principal for 1901, at a salary of \$435.

Mr. Charles Eden has bought the store, goodwill and dwelling of Mr. D. D. York.

Mr. L. Bongard is building a new cheese factory at Crampton, with all the modern equipments.

The nocturnal prowlers who went forth from Gladstone on the night of Oct. 21, encountered a snag, consisting of a line of apples.

The results of inbibing the apple juice were such that the family physician's services were in demand to counteract the poison.

BANNER.

Banner, Nov. 9.—Mr. Moses Dundas had a great husking bee on Monday evening, when about 200 bushels were husked. The company was banqueted by the kind hostess, after which a most enjoyable time was spent in games and music galore.

Elder Donald McKay and Miss Jessie McKay, of Thamesford, Mr. James Mathewson and Miss H. Mathewson, of Niagara, were accorded the freedom of the household of Elder Robert Sutherland on Monday.

The Banner Literary Club will convene in the hall on Monday evening, when an interesting time is anticipated.

LYONS.

Lyons, Nov. 9.—Wilson C. Credle left for the Muskoka hunting grounds last week.

Scarlet fever has broken out in the home of Albert McKinley.

The Lyons, of the Lyons' Supper, will be resuscitated immediately for the winter.

The last half of the September make of cheese was sold at 10c per lb.

Mr. Snyder, of Aylmer, will sink an

artisan well for Duncan Taylor, clerk of the Board of Health.

At the sale of the farm effects of Mr. Matthew Whyte, on Tuesday, sixteen dairy cows sold at an average of \$31.

THE TWO WILLIAMS.

Bryan Congratulates McKinley on His Re-Election.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 8.—William J. Bryan forwarded the following telegram at noon today to President McKinley:

"Hon. William McKinley, President of the United States: At the close of another presidential campaign it is my lot to congratulate you on a second victory. (Signed) W. J. BRYAN."

New York, Nov. 8.—The Evening Journal prints the following telegram from William J. Bryan:

"Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 8.—To the editor of the Evening Journal: You may say officially that under no circumstances would I accept the office of United States senator, even if it were tendered me. I made my fight for the presidency, and I lost. I am not going to take other men's positions from them. WILLIAM J. BRYAN."

THE VOTE IN DELAWARE.

Unofficial returns of the election in Delaware show the total vote to be as follows: Bryan, 17,848; McKinley, 21,884. McKinley's plurality, 4,036.

London Public Library Additions.

Sabatier—The Vitality of Christian Dogmas and Their Power of Evolution. Stead—The Passion Play at Oberammergau in 1899.

Watson (MacLaren)—Church Folks. Congregational History. Three volumes.

Bradbury—Rugby. Great Public Schools.

Newman—Development of Christian Doctrine.

Milman—History of Latin Christianity; including the history of the pontificate of Nicholas V. in 3 volumes.

Tod—Characterhouse. Great Public Schools.

Thomas—Introduction of American Archaeology.

White—The Natural History of Seiborne.

Royal Academy Pictures, 1900. Nohi—Life of Beethoven.

Stedman—An American Anthology, 1787-1899.

Stockton—Afloat and Ashore. Tales. Farrars—Burnham.

MacKay—Pioneer Life in Zorra. A. D. Innes—Crammer, and the Reformation in England.

Edwards—Personal Recollections of H. Sutherland.

Canada: Its History, Productions and Natural Resources.

Jesuit Relations and Allied Documents, volumes 8, 9.

W. S. Davis—A Friend of Caesar. G. Dix—The Image Breakers.

Maxwell—The Chevalier of the Splendid Crest.

Polina—Cape of Storms.

C. Reid—Weighed in the Balance. Tarkington—Monsieur Beaucaire.

Tautphoeus—Quits.

Tynan—The Handsome Brandons.

Tytler—A Young Dragon.

A tail-end collision occurred Thursday on the G. T. R. in front of the Ingersoll station. A freight train was standing on the track when a second came in and ran into the first. A car was telescoped, and the contents spilled. A number of sheep were killed, but no person was injured.

Women are vastly more patient than men. It is scarcely believable that a woman, suffering past all telling, can attend to business, and bend and stoop with a back whose ache is agony. And beyond all this she smiles as she bends and stoops about her customer. A man might swallow down an oath or keep back a groan, but his face would be like a thundercloud, and his voice scarcely disguise his irritation.

For women who suffer from backache, bearing-down pains, or other pains due to womanly diseases, there is no other medicine equal to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It regulates the womanly functions, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

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School Hats for children, camels hair, trimmed velvet band and quill, regular 50c, for 25c each.

Children's Velvet Bonnets, regular \$1.75, for \$1.25 each.

Military Flannels in scarlet and navy blue, 32c and 37c yard.

All widths in Gold Braid, for trimming, 3c, 4c, 5c yard.

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Another Ribbon Special

Wide width Taffeta, all colors, at 12 1/2c yard.

Ladies' Belts

Patent leather, several styles, shaped for the waist, regular 35c, for 29c each; regular 45c for 35c.

Black Silk Velvet Belts, jeweled, regular 50c, for 25c each.

New line of Black Jet Belts, 25c each.

Ladies' Black Silk Spanish Lace Scarfs, worth \$1.25, for 25c each.

Ladies' Black Silk Spanish Lace Scarfs, wide width, worth \$2.50, for 59c. This is a big bargain, ladies. Come and see them. We have a big lot, but they have to go. Present-giving time is coming on.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Nov. 8—3 p.m.—Rainy weather and strong winds prevail from Ontario eastward to the Maritime Provinces, and light snow has fallen pretty generally over the western portion of the lake region. Present indications point to unsettled, stormy weather throughout the Dominion. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 41-54; Kamloops, 34-48; Calgary, 30-52; Qu'Appelle, 28-36; Winnipeg, 8-30; Port Arthur, 18-38; Parry Sound, 34-40; Toronto, 34-40; Ottawa, 36-44; Montreal, 42-46; Quebec, 38-50. Local temperatures, Thursday, Nov. 8—Highest 40, lowest 31.5. Today (Friday) the sun rose at 7:03 a.m., and sets at 4:50 p.m. The moon rises at 7:30 p.m. and sets at 9:09 a.m.

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Still the goddess, high above us, In her regal splendor stands, Pouring out her blessings on us, As of old, with lavish hands! So, absolved from party hatred, Let us sing along the way— Brothers, with a common purpose, And Canadians, today!

A quorum failed to appear at the meeting of the board of works last night.

An attractive programme has been arranged for a concert that will be given in the Talbot Street Baptist Church on Monday evening.

—Mr. G. S. Funnell, of 651 William street, has undergone a successful operation at Victoria Hospital for the removal of a tumor, and he is now rapidly improving.

The residence of Mr. W. R. Pate, postman, Worley road, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$150 early last evening. A defective chimney is believed to have been the cause.

Detective Ward went to Thorndale yesterday and served summonses in the case of Charles Baker, who is in jail awaiting trial on a charge of stealing a set of harness from a West Nisour farmer named Lee.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of management for the Protestant Orphans' Home was held recently, with a large number of ladies in attendance. A bequest of \$50 from the estate of the late Wm. Dobbe, of the township of McGillivray, was received. There are two nice girl babies aged 1 year and 1½ years, at the home awaiting adoption.

A company of the 7th Regiment entertained at the Kennels last night those of its members who have returned from South Africa, including Sergt. Macbeth and Ptes. Hennessy, Woddyatt, McLaren, Chapman and Day. Capt. Graham presided. A decidedly enjoyable evening was spent. Eight members of C company went to the south, the largest number of any one company in Canada.

—St. Thomas Journal: The death of Conductor Harry Mohr, at the London Hospital on Wednesday removed a young railway man who was very popular. Deceased succumbed to an attack of typhoid fever. He had been ill.

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ing for about three years, when he was injured in an accident at Woodstock by falling under his train. He was aged 36 years, and leaves a wife in Hamilton, where his home was.

A forty hours' devotion takes place at St. Mary's Church, Hill street, this week beginning at 8:30 a.m. today, and terminating at the same hour on Monday. A programme of the order of exercises was distributed by the pastor to the congregation on Sunday last, and a like programme was distributed in the cathedral. Bishop McEvay will, it is expected, preach this (Friday) evening, and Rev. Father Francis Solanus, O.F.M., of Chatham, Rev. T. Donnan, P.P., of London and the cathedral clergy will assist throughout the devotions.

The juveniles of Court Jeffery, No. 50, A. O. F., spent a pleasant time last evening at their hall, when the senior lodge, Court Stella, entertained them. After refreshments the hall was cleared and a short programme introduced. The chairman, Dr. English, called on several of the visiting brethren, who made short addresses and also sang verses, proposed a vote of thanks to the senior lodge for their kindness in entertaining them, which was accompanied by Bro. Richardson. The meeting closed with the National Anthem and three cheers for Court Stella.

The annual meeting of the Western Foreign Mission Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Church was held yesterday, and the following officers were elected for the year: Honorary president, Mrs. Alex. Purdon, sen.; president, Mrs. (Rev.) Johnston; vice-president, Mrs. Ross; Mrs. Watson and Miss Kessack; secretary, Mrs. Taylor; treasurer, Miss Fraser; leaflet secretary, Mrs. J. McIntosh; organist, Miss Gunn. The reports for the year were satisfactory, the membership being good and the offerings generous. Besides the ordinary collections, the auxiliary had offerings for the Red Cross and Indian famine funds. Mrs. (Rev.) J. A. Murray gave an account of the organization of the auxiliary some twenty years ago. Miss Gunn was made a life member.

A merry company assembled at the residence of Mrs. John Edwards, Denfield, yesterday afternoon, to witness the marriage of her youngest daughter, Miss Lizzie, to Mr. Alex. Keith, of London. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Annie, and Mr. Will Keith, of Vancouver, B. C., assisted the groom. Rev. R. Wilson, of Blair, officiated. The bride was attended by three of her handmaids, dressed in white and carried a bouquet of white roses, while the bridesmaid, who was also dressed in white, carried a bouquet of pink roses. The wedding ceremony took place under a canopy of evergreens and roses. Mendelssohn's wedding march was beautifully rendered by the bride's cousin, Miss Fannie Webb, of Toronto. After they had received the congratulations of their many friends they left on the evening train for their home in London.

WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB.

The Woman's Morning Music Club gave their first concert of the season at Cronyn Hall on Wednesday afternoon, there being a gratifying attendance. The president, Mrs. Robert Muir Burns, congratulated the members on the previous success enjoyed by the club, and hoped that the present season would prove to be a continuance of the same. The following artistic programme was rendered, to the enjoyment of those present:

Concerto in A major (1st movement) Miss T. Moore and Miss Morphy. Song—Good-bye to the Leaves... De Koven. Miss Macdonald. Piano solo—Thanson Hongroise... Dupont. Miss Bertha Hodge. Song—White Throat... Aspinall. Song—Little Boy Blue... Nevin. Miss Beatrice Macdonald. Piano duet—La Belle Grisaille... Reinecke. Miss Raymond and Mr. Hewlett. Song—Snowflakes... Cowen. Song—Sunshine and Rain... Blumenthal. Mrs. Leitch.

NEW WING OPENED.

A very successful opening entertainment was held last night at the Home for Incurables, Mr. Merchant, principal of the Normal School, was in the chair. A number of musical selections were played by the Musical Society Orchestra, under the direction of Mr. F. L. Evans, to the delight of a goodly assemblage of visitors, who afterwards inspected the new wing, and many were the expressions of surprise at the pleasant appearance of everything. Mr. Compin gave a short review of the work of the home. Some years ago the ladies of the W. C. T. U. became aware that a number of incurable patients were being discharged from the City Hospital, and were being cared for by people in their private homes. As there seemed a great need to help these unfortunate sufferers the ladies, in June, 1894, started a home in a rented house, and began with one patient. Within the first year this was increased to fourteen. Seeing that the need was growing and that the public were recognizing the good work, the ladies interested decided to purchase the present property and continue the good work. The patients, at the beginning of the present year increased to 24, and it was seen at once that the building must be enlarged, if the work was to be extended. It was then decided to build the new wing, which has just been opened, enabling the home to now provide for 40 inmates.

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About Bill Bryan.

[New York Sun.]

About Bill Bryan, may his tribe grow less. Awoke one night in very great distress, Seeing through the darkness of his gloomy room The shadowy faces of his eight years' boom.

Also an angel, with a golden pen Writing the names of many honest men, Men who would scorn the mean and grave offense Of coming dollars, worth but fifty cents.

Though years of "gab" had made Bill Bryan tired, He could ask questions, and at once inquired: "Is my name there?"

The angel answered with a pitying look "Your name is nowhere found within the book, Nor name of kith or kin."

"Then write me down," there came the answer clear, "As one who, spite of faults, still might have been."

If silver men had not all called me bright, And made me think sixteen to one was right, I always tried to do what I thought best.

For William Bryan, well—you know the rest. "That's no excuse," the angel said, "and no defense. For Satan's home, all know, is paved with good intentions."

And then the angel vanished, but came again With an awakening light. November sixth—late in election night—And showed the names the people honored most.

And, lo! McKinley's name led all the host. —Fitz Nigel.

Durno-Emmett Combination.

The first entertainment of the Y. M. C. A. course was given at the Auditorium last evening before a crowded and delighted audience. Every seat in the Auditorium was taken early in the day, and had the accommodation been greater it would have been availed of. Secretary Sayer and the concert committee are to be congratulated in having arranged for these high-class entertainments.

The programme for last night was furnished by these clever performers: Messrs. Durno, Hugh J. Emmett and Megloben Kimbrough. The first is a magician, who is said to be quite as clever as Hermann, Kellar and other leading magicians. Emmett, who comes from California, is a particularly good ventriloquist, one of his feats being the singing of "Mary of Argyle" in four different voices. Megloben Kimbrough, the third of the trio, is a musical freak-artist, who played a

A LAW UNTO HIMSELF.

Every Man Must Be That to Retain His Health and Digestion.

There are thousands of people in this world who eat no meat from one year's end to another, and are as healthy and strong as the most robust of men. They are most exclusively meat eaters; but while there are thousands of these, there are millions who live upon a mixed diet of meat, vegetables and grains, and if numbers is a criterion, it would seem that a mixed diet is the best for the human family.

The fact that you will find many vegetarians who appear healthy and vigorous, and eat equally so, and many of our robust specimens who eat both meat and vegetables and anything else that comes in their way all goes to show that the old saw is the true one, that every man must be a law to himself as to what he shall eat and drink.

To repair the waste of tissue in brain workers as well as to replace the muscle and sinew of the laborer, can only be done through the process of digestion.

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SHOT AND MARRIED

Cupid's Arrows More Effective Than Buckshot.

New York, Nov. 8.—Mrs. Salmac Kerr, who was recently so badly injured in the Adirondacks by accidental shooting that her leg was amputated, was married at noon today to Charles F. Bailey, of Philadelphia.

Mr. Bailey was with Mrs. Kerr at the time of the accident, and was struck in the back by the same bullet. The shot was fired by Dr. Charles T. Dade, who was deer hunting, and who mistook Mr. Bailey for a deer.

The engagement is said to have existed before the shooting, but it was not announced until about a fortnight ago. As Mrs. Bailey is only just recovering from the wound and operation, the service was read in her room, in the home of her mother, only members of both families being present.

Babies Suffer With Eczema

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So soft and delicate is baby's skin that it is continually subject to irritation, itching and burning, which become acute misery to the little ones. Many mothers are puzzled to know what to apply, and frequently do more harm than good by using the various mixtures recommended by people they meet.

Every woman who has used Dr. Chase's Ointment in the toilet as a skin beautifier and cure for pimples, blackheads and similar disfiguring ailments, knows that it is so delightfully soothing and healing in its effects as to be perfectly harmless to the most delicate skin.

Dr. Chase's Ointment is wonderfully prompt in relieving the many sufferings which come from itching, irritated and chafed skin, and is so thorough and far-reaching in its action as to completely cure the worst kind of baby eczema and scald head.

Mrs. A. McKnight, Kirkwall, Wellington county, Ont., writes: "I feel it my duty to let you know what Dr. Chase's Ointment has done in a very bad case of eczema on our baby. We had tried any number of cures without any permanent relief, but from the hour we commenced using Dr. Chase's Ointment there was great relief, and the improvement continued until there was complete cure. We think it is the greatest of family ointments."

No one preparation could possibly be of greater value in the home than Dr. Chase's Ointment, because scarcely a week passes that some member of the family is not troubled with some irritation or itching of the skin, pimples, blackheads, cuts or burns, in all of which the antiseptic, healing influence of Dr. Chase's Ointment is quickly felt.

Your doctor, your druggist and any one else who knows of the merits of Dr. Chase's Ointment will recommend it to you as the standard healing preparation of the age, and as the only positive and absolute cure for eczema, scald head, and every form of skin irritation and eruption. 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edman-son, Bates & Co., Toronto.

The theosophic movement is growing in Germany. There are at least 2,000 theosophists in the country, with many more inquirers.

ASTOUNDING DISCOVERY. From Coopersville, Mich., comes word of a wonderful discovery of a pleasant, tasting liquid that when used before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always insures a good night's rest. "It will soon cure the cough too," writes Mrs. S. Himmelburger, "for three generations of our family have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and never found it's equal for Coughs and Colds." It's an unrivaled life-saver when used for desperate lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50 cents and \$1 at W. T. Strong & Co. Trial bottles free.

WINTER'S ADVENT

Snow and Hail in North Virginia.

Plenty of the Beautiful in the Northwest—Severe Storms.

Buffalo, Nov. 8.—The first hail storm here in years occurred in Rockland county, N. Y., early this morning, accompanied by heavy clashes of thunder and lightning. The hail stones were very large and many panes of glass were broken in some places. There were several small fires in the county, started by lightning.

Snow and hail were reported in Northern Virginia last night and snow in the valley as far south as Rockledge county.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—Reports from the northwest show a general fall in temperature of 15 to 20 degrees, with light falls of snow at several points. This is the coldest weather of the season.

FIRST COLD WAVE.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The weather bureau issues the following bulletin: "The first well marked cold wave of the season covers the middle western and northwestern states with a minimum reported temperature of 12 degrees above zero in Huron, S. D. Freezing weather is reported in Southern Kansas and Southern Missouri, and snow has fallen as far south as the Ohio River. The temperature will continue low for the season over the eastern part of the country Saturday, but will moderate rapidly with rain in the gulf and southwestern states during Friday night and Saturday."

LOTS OF SNOW.

Traverse City, Mich., Nov. 8.—A northeast wind prevailed last night, and this morning there is four inches of snow here. Water main and street work is left unfinished.

Three Rivers, Mich., Nov. 8.—The big Republican storm of Tuesday culminated in a regular old-fashioned snowstorm last evening, and this morning there is two inches of the beautiful, and it is still snowing.

Holland, Mich., Nov. 8.—A very hard snowstorm prevailed here this morning.

FIERCE STORM.

Mackinaw City, Mich., Nov. 8.—The worst storm seen at the straits for several years has raged since last night.

The wind is blowing with hurricane force from the north, accompanied by heavy snow squalls.

The only boat that has passed since last night was the Majestic, at 1:30 a.m., when the storm had not reached its height. The following vessels are sheltered here: Folsom and consort, St. Paul and consort, and steamer Penobscot.

NEARLY FROZEN.

St. Joseph, Mich., Nov. 8.—With a terrible northwest gale prevailing, accompanied with the first snow of the season, the schooner Wing, under the command of Capt. Henry Genter, of this city, was driven on the beach ten miles south of this city early this morning. Genter and Peter Larson, who composed the crew, although half frozen from being exposed during the night, deserted the vessel and were given warm quarters in a nearby farm house. The schooner is going to pieces.

A letter from Rev. Dr. V. C. Hart, dated Shanghai, Oct. 2, says that his health and that of his wife has been much improved since they were forced to leave the Methodist missions in the Province of Sze Chuen. They will spend some time on the California coast to recuperate. From latest reports it is gathered that the mission properties at Chuen Fu and Kio Tung remain intact.

There are 80,000 French-Canadians, of whom 25,000 are voters, in Massachusetts.