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You run me risk buying Blankets from us. We guarantee our qualities to be worthy, the best are none too good for the trade we want.

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This is positively the finest blanket, made of best wools pure white, high lofty finish, dainty borders, if you want something extra fine buy these, at \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 and\$6.50

Fine Soft Super Wool Blanket; extra quality, size 60 x 80, blue or pink borders, very special per pair. \$3.60

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Both short and long, made of Frieze, Beaver and Curl Cloth, well made, well trimmed, at \$2.00, \$2.50,

Ladies' Plain Cloth Jackets, at \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$10.00 and\$12.00

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Scene : "Slater Shoe Store," prior to 1899:-

Customer: "Can't you give me a pair of Rubbers to fit my shoes? It seems imossible to get a Rubber that won't pinch or be loose on my foot. You know, I have a peculiar shaped foot, and have to wear one of the "Slater" special

shapes. Now, why don't you people make special rubbers to fit these shapes?"

"Slater Shoe" agents had so many customers who wanted rubbers to fit "Slater Shoes" that the "Slater Shoe" makers decided to meet their wishes,

Last year "The Slater Shoe Rubber" made its appearance. It fits all shapes of "Slater" and other shoes.

All styles of rubbers and overshoes, \$1.00 up.

The Slater Shoe Rubber.

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Sole Agents

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In all that the name implies. A number of good choice Dinner Sets in, a variety of colors and shapes composed of pieces from 97 to 127. These goods are IM-PORTED from the best English makers, and comprise some very excellent sets, which are only to be seen to be appreciated. The prices are

\$6.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00, \$35.00

I only HAVILAND CHINA DINNER SET, 112 pieces, something new,

beautifully decorated \$50

Our line of CHINA TEA SETS is very complete prices are \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$7.00, \$8.50, \$14.00

New Toilet Sets

Our new LAMPS and CHINAWARE for Fall and Xmas trade are now or Call and see the newest and latest styles in Lamps, Crockery and H. MACAULAY.

BRYANISM BURIED

McKinley's Sweep Even Greater Than in 1896.

He Will Have 287 Votes Sure in a Electoral College of 447.

presidential election settle the result in all but two States. These returns show that McKinley has swept the country by a greater majority than in 1896. The revised returns from Tuesday

New Hampshire, 4. Vermont, 4. Massachusetts, 15. Connecticut, 6. New York, 36. Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, 32. New Jersey, 10. Delaware, 3. Maryland, 8. West Virginia, 6. Ohio, 23. Indiana, 15. Michigan, 14. Illinois, 24. Wisconsin, 12. Iowa, 13. Minnesota, 0. Kansas, 10. North Dakota, 3. Washington, 4. Oregon, 4. California, 9.

Idaho, 3. Total, 237. Virginia, 12. North Carolina, 11. South Carolina, 9 Georgia, 13. Florida, 4. Alabama, 11. Tennessee, 12. Mississippi, 9. Arkansas, Missouri, Texas, 15.

Colorado, 4. Nevada, 3 Total, 139.

Doubtful. Kentucky, 13.

Last Election. McKinley's electoral vote in 1896 Bryan's electoral vote in 1896, 176. Necessary to a choice, 224.

Kid O'Brien Meets Death in the Prize Ring Through Concussion of the Brain.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 7. - Michael Detroit, Mich., Nov. 7. — Michael Goldman, known in sporting circles as "Kid" O'Brien, died at St. Mary's hospital at 3.45 this morning of concussion of the brain, caused by striking the back of his head on the padded floor, the result of a knockout blow delivered by Bernard Carroll at the Light Guard armory last night. The unfortunate affair occurred in the sevinfortunate affair occurred in the seventh round, after one minute thirty-five seconds of fighting. lice Lieutenant Boerbitz had Carroll take nto the police headquarters, and took the names of the seconds and promoters of the fight.

Government Majority May Reach 40--The Returns for Kent.

HOW THEY STAND.

Toronto, Nov. 8 .- The city papers are all varied. The Mail gives : Optario-Cons. 53, Lib. 35; Quebec 7, 57; N. B. 5 9; P. E. I., 1, 4; N. S., 6, 14; N. W. T. 1, 3; B. C., 2, 1; Man., 3, 2. Total Conservatives 78, Liberals 125. Independents in Ontario 2; in British Columbia 1; in Manitoba 2. Etections to be heard 4; and Algoma to be heard

The Globe claims 54 majority over all, or 58 over the Conservatives alone The Mail concedes 47 majority and the

Although no full returns for Kent could be secured last night, as soon as the city figures were announced it was generally conceded that Stephens was elected. However, the early returns from outside were not so favorable to the Reform candidate and it was not until about eight o'clock that his triumph was considered beyond doubt. Then the blocal Liberals began to enthuse and King street was soon the scene of a wild, seething mob. On the buildings opposite the Hotel Garner a white canvas had been spread, on which the election returns were shown. Here the people most did congregate and here the cheering, yelling crowd made the greatest noise. The usual villainous tin horns and trumpets made the night miserable for everyone. Besides the tin horns and cow-bells many of the youthful population appeared in red coats and Turkish attire. The young Liberals, however, of the city were the noisiest relebrators. They secured a corner on all the cannon fire crackers. The crowd was smaller than on the night of the C. W. A. meet, but the din was five times worse. The crowd simply went wild.

About nine o'clock a torch light procession was organized and the Garner a white canvas had been

procession was organized and the youth of the city of every color and every political persuasion, joined in and enjoyed carrying the torches. The

and enjoyed carrying the torches. The City Band spent a good part of the night parading the streets. They serenaded Ald. Stephens.

All the Liberal Teaders in the city were jubilant, but they said that the result was only what they had e yell-ed.

ALD. STEPHENS THANK. As soon as it was definitely known that Ald. Stephens was elected, he appeared on the balloony of the Garner House to thank his supporters. He announced the defeat of the Conservative leaders and declared the country was assured of five years more of Liberal rule. Mr. Stephens' remarks were greeted with cheers.

WHAT THEY SAY. "I have nothing to say as to the manner in which the present campaign was conducted," said President Scullard, of the Conservative Association. 'As nearly as I know it was a fair contest, the result of which no doubt is owing to the vote through registration. A large number of the voters had no political issue at stake, and were in no wise particular as to which way their vote was cast."
Said Ald. Sulman: -The Conservatives of Kent endeavored to conduct a clean campaign, but the city was

flooded with a barrel of money, and as money makes the mare go, hence the result. In every division where the voters and property holders lived in the city our candidate increased the normal Conservative majority, and the losses were made in divisions where there was a floating vote. That tells the tale.

Mayor Smith in an interview said he Mayor Smith in an interview said he was neither disheartened nor surprised at the result. He attributed Ald. Stephens, victory to the free use of money by the Liberals.

L'ATEST KENT RETURNS.

	Chat	han	14 .			
	1891		1896		1900	
City of Chatham	Campbell	Killackey	Campbell	Bell	Smith	Stephens
1-Thompson's .	. 80	71	97	98	135	87
2-Manning's	. 94	88	99	119	127	84
3-Police Station	. 68	63	59	71	56	65
4-Cornish's	. 45	42	45	64	72	50
5-Dale's	. 47	43	26	53	50	43
6-Needham's	. 43	54	40	70	60	53
7-Town Hall	. 63	45	32	28	29	38
8-Marx'	. 59	57	38	38	23	33
9-Oldershaw's .	. 34	37	38	47	34	63
10-Potter's	. 52	60	72	74	81	84
11-McKay's	. 77	57	63	66	49	62
12-Calmeyn's	65	67	69	85	79	67
13-Savage's	. 62	53	77	65	97	87
14-Waterhouse's	. 66	49	48	47	73	49
15—Kelly's	. 42	47	. 22	53	. 51	31
	897	835	825	978	1016	896

City Majority for Smith120 RALEIGH.

a	4, N. Buxton	46	56	
3	5, Doyle's	30	76	
	6. Alex. McNeil's		Maj. 9	
	7. South Buxton		Maj. 12	
2	8, Mrs. A. Jenner's	49	53	
	9, Ouvry school house		Maj. 4	
	10, School house No. 10	51	74	
	Maj. for Stephens 74.		1	
	. TILBURY EA	ST		
1	1, Town Hall	20	78	
	2, Con. 11	32	40	
	3, Con. 8		maj 30	
	4, Merlin		maj 20	
	5, Quinn	32	65	
	6, Jeanettes Creek		maj 9	
	7, Talbot Road		naj	
	8, Orange Hall	33	40	
	Maj. for Stephens 158.		4	
	TILBURY CEN	TTD		
	1, Pub. Lb	49	66	
	DOVER			
٠	1, Capman's Woods-Sur	40	34	
}	2. Town Hall	51		
	3, Levassur's Hall, Pain C.	61	117	
	4. Bagnall's			
	I T. Dagman o		maj	

Dover Centre 54 Maj, for Stephens 65 BLENHEIM. Newsom's shop....

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It should also be the power of an advertisement. Exaggerated statements may allure, but if qualities do not bear out assertion they attract only to disappolat, and in time such statements cease to impress those who have learned their unreliability. Here are short descriptions of goods we offer Friday buyers. Prices will please, qualities will not disappoint. Those who come will buy.

lies' Underskirts, dozens of pretty styles to choose from, fancy moire, black and colored moreens, felts, roman satins, silk finish moreens, rich satins and taffets silks, hand-somely trimmed with ruffles, frills, cording pleating, etc., flannel lined, at 980, \$1,25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2, \$3,50, \$4,50, \$5, and

Ladies' Fall and Winter Underwear— Several cases of ladies' and children's Under-wear have been placed in stock during the past, these were purchased direct from the mills many months ago and the prices are much below present values.

adies' Fleece Lined Combination Suits elastic weave, long sleeves, trimmed yokes, special per suit 35c

Ladies' Vests, fall weight, fine soft rib, all sizes, at each 121c, 15c and..... 19

Children's Long Sleeve Vests, fall weight, in cotton, wool and union, all sizes, extra values at each 12½c, 15c, 17c, 18c, 20c, 25c up to.....

Hosiery—Heavy Cotton Hose, for fall wear, plain or rib weave, seamless soles, sizes 5½ up to 10 in., reg. 12½c per pair, special......

Ladies' Cashmere Hose, extra fine all-wool, in plain or rib, at per pair 25c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c and........ 75c

dies' Heavy Wool Hose, rib or plain, seamless soles, full fashioned, at per pair 25c, 35c and

Child's Eider Cloaks, fine quality, in white, cardinal and fancy colors, lined with fine sateen, very pretty styles, at each \$2, \$2.25, \$2.40, \$2.65 and/.....\$2.75

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1, James McDougal s
2, Masterson's
3, Bridge Bnd
4, James Walker's
5, Tewn hall
6, Samuel Burk's
7, James Campbell
8, McCully's school
9, Jos. McGregor

Majority for Stephens 39.
THE MAJORITIES.

Conservative.

Brockville. Cardwell. Cornwall-Stormont.

Frontenac. Grey, South. Hamilton (2). Hastings, East. Lambton, East. Leeds-Grenville.

Middlesex, N

Prescott.
Prince Edward.
Toronto Centre.
Victoria, S.

Wellington, N. Wellington, C. Wentworth, S.-21.

Glengarry.
Haldimand.
London.
Northumberland, W.

Waterloo, S.

Bruce, North.

Simcoe, S. Welland.

Champlain.

Montcalm.

Conservative.

Gloucester.

York-5.

Conservative.

Colchester.

Halifax-2.

Annapolis

Conservative.

Prince, E.-1.

Cape Breton (2).

Richmond-4.

Liberal.

Restigouche

Liberal.

King's. Sunbury-Queen's-2.

Pontiac. Stanstead. Terrebonne. Three Rivers.

Conservative.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

NOVA SCOTIA.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

biberal.

Liberal.

Ontario, N.

GAINS AND LOSSES.

The London Free Press figures up the gains and losses and the standing of the parties as follows:

Good material and poor workmanship don't make reliable shoes. Neither do poor ma eri-al and good workmen.



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Our shoes come from the best Canadian and American makers. If you are not busing your shoes here you are not getting the best for your

Conservative. Macdonald-1. N.-W. TERRITORIES.

Assiniboia, E.-1. Liberal.

Conservative.

The Total Figures are not Avail-

able but Clancy is all Right.

There was a report in circulation this morning that Bothwell was still in doubt, but there seems to be no reason for doubting Mr. Clancy's re-turn. The isolated returns which are coming in nearly all seem to fav-turns coming in nearly all seem to favor him by a good majority. Chatham Township, particularly, did well, as the following figures show:

On Taylor Avenue, just outside the city, Gordon's majority was 8.
At Louisville Clancy got 48 majority.
At McKerrall's Clancy received 15 on the 11th concession Clancy led by

At Tupperville Clancy's majority At McCarron's Gordon was 28 behind

At Hurley's Clancy also had 28 to At Keith's Gordon lead by three. At Eberts Gordon's majority was 31. No. returns have been received from

These figures give Clancy a majority in Chatham township of 136, exclusive of No. 6. PRESENT STANDING.

Lib. Con.

Liberal majority over all -34.
Elections yet to be heard from—Algoma and Nipissing; Gaspe, Burrard, Yale-Cari-

Planet

DAILY AND WEEKLY Chatham, Ont

PRISON-MADE BINDER TWINE IN THE U. S.

N. Y. Post: Minnesota's binder twine plant, established in the State Penitentiary, is as much of a success as the like institution in Kansas. By this means the problem of convict labor has been solved in these two States to the satisfaction of about everyone concerned, including the labor unions. Members of the latter are gratified, as well as satisfied, as penitentiary-made twine is a direct slap at a trust. The farmers, too, are happy, as they get their binding twine at from three to five cents less per pound than is charged for the product of the trust. The only complaint in each State is that the penitentiary plants are not large enough to supply the demand. In Minnesota the output has grown to 9,000,000 pounds a year, which is somethingg more than half of the amount consumed in the State. This output was produced at a net profit to the State in 1897 and 1898 of more than \$130,000, after crediting the prison labor at fifty cents a day and making due allowance for the depreciation of machinery.

PERSIA.

A letter from St. Petersburg to London daily says that a new railroad soon to be opened will give an immense impetus to the development of trade between Russia and Persia. The first part of a system of railways uniting the two countries was opened last year. This was the railway connecting Tiflis, Alexandropol and Kars. As soon as traffic began on this line an official order was given for its continuation through Erivanj and Nabitschevanj to Djoulfa, on the Persian frontier. The line as far as Erivanj is now complete, and it is hoped that the entire section will be ready by 1902. As the Trans-Caspian railway is already joined to the Imperial system, in two years' time Moscow, St. Petersburg, and, indeed, the whole of Russia will be in uninterrupted railway communication withs Persia. On plished in five days, and that from who, 300 B. C., had established a num-St. Petersburg in six days. Merchand. is will, of course, move more slowly taking about ten or twelve daysbut even this will be much more rapid than the transit as now carried on across the Caspian Sea. Another proposed railway-the Trans-Caspian -is of equal importance, commercially and strategically. It will be a direct continuation of the Petrovsk-Biku line, which was opened last year, and will provide the shortest route to Persia. It will run along the shore of the Caspian Sea, and near Aliate will cross the steppes of Mungden to Astara, thus joining the Russian and Persian frontiers. Already there are projects to continue the roads across Persia to Turkey, with ultimate extensions to Batum and Trebizon.

NEWFOUNDLAND ELECTION.

The practice of conceding public and and money to speculators is one to which the British communities on this continent have yielded with surprising readiness. In Newfoundland at all events there seems to be a recoil. The general elections will take place to-day, and the issue is whether a scheme of R. G. Reid, a millionaire contractor, to float his concessions on the London market will be permitted without forcing him to return to the colony a part. By what is known as the "Reid deal," effected in 1898, the colonial railway and all the public franchises for mails, telegraphs, traffic and steam communication were granted to Reid together with four million acres of the best public lands. For this Reid paid a million and a half and has since expended a million and a half in improvements. He now proposes to incorporate a company in Newfoundland, to convey his concessions and privileges to the company and to float the whole in England for \$25,000,000. The Bondites or political opponents of Reid will not grant incorporation unless the colony is enabled to regain a part of these prodigal gifts. (The fight has been a determined one. To dragoon public opinion Reid at one stage suspended all his development work, discharged hundreds of employees, sold his lands and steamers to corporations made up of himself and his sons and nearly created a financial panic by shutting his purse. His next move was to create a political party, at the head of which he put his solicitor named Morine, and he has put forward as his candidates his own shipmasters, surveyors, printer, tailor, and others having intimate business relations with him. His success will make him dictator in the colony and enable him, his opponents allege, to amend and perfect his schemes. Although Canadians have long deplored the political power of these selfish concessionaries, they have not had to contend with an open and flagrant attack on the po-litical liberty of the people such as this seems to be. Still, the open and Your Doctor.

We wish you would ask your doctor what he thinks of Vapo-Cresolene. He will say "It's certainly the best way of reaching the throat and lungs, this inhaling method."You see, it brings the medicine right in contact with the weak places. If it's asthma, bronchitis, whooping-cough, croup, or any such trouble, the Cresolene vapor touches every inflamed place. Relief is quick,

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and avowed enemy is perhaps less

If marvellous were any longer word for proper use in speaking of the discoveries and performances of surgeons and others of the medical profession, it might be said that nothing more marvellous had been given to the world by them than the practice and results of spinal anesthesia, which just now is receiving profound attention from the profession of two con-tinents. Last year word came over the water that in Germany and in RUSSIA REACHING OUT TOWARDS France practitioners had dared to penetrate the sacred precincts of the spinal canal, and had by injecting cocaine there been able to produce complete insensibility to pain in all parts of the body below the point of entrance of the injection.

N. VER WITHOUT BEER.

Nineteen Centuries B. C. the Making of Beer Was Taught.

When the Romans first invaded Germany they found that they beverage of the people was a liquor produced from barley. But that was at a time comparatively modern. earliest times and in every clime man has had to resort to some stim-ulating and exhilarating beverages prepared by fermenting the juices extracts from fruits, grains or It is said that Osiris as early as 1960 B. C. taught the process of extracting the way communication withs Persia. On juices from barley and fermenting it, this line the journey from Moscow to while the Greeks learned how to the Persian frontier- will be accom- brew and ferment from the Egyptians,

BIG-HEAD CHILDREN

with long thin necks-you see them in every school-want Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil, to build up their poor little shrunken scrawny bodies.

School will be of no use to them. Something will carry them off.

They have no play in them. There is no fun in playing, when everybody else can run faster, jump further, turn round quicker, and keep on longer.

Big head is no harm; let the

body be big too. We'll send you a little to try if you like. SCOTTER BOWNE, Chemists, T

In Using Baking Powder

Nothing but the purest should be It is a well known lfact that this article of food has been grossly adultar-ated and to such an extent that "The Government" has now deemed it ad-visable to prosecute all vendors of

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the Nile. Xenophon, 400 B. C., refers to a fermented drink from barley, and it is alluded to by Aristotle, Strabo and others, under the name of zythos. Pliny mentions a kind of beer called "ceravisra." and Eunemenes in A. D., 296, says that Britain produced such an abundance of corn that it was shiftient to supply not only bread, but a liquid comparable with wine. In the seventh century beer had become so general a beverage in England, that Ina, king of Wessex, levide tax to be paid in ale, and early in the fifteenth century a brewer's company was formed in London. Up to the sixteenth century a brewer's company was formed in London. Up to the sixteenth century Englash beer was very poor, only flavored with broom, bay berries, or ivy berries, but in 1542 the cultivation of the hop plant was was begun in England, and from that time a great change was made in the quality of the beer manufactur.

Because Wear, Fit and Style are all in our goods. time a great change was made in the quality of the beer manufactur-ed. In 1610 the first brewery was established at Burton-on-Trent, and by the end of the seventeenth cen-tury beer had become the national drink. succee-wood.

Among its many peculiarities South Africa includes the "sneeze-wood" tree, which takes its name from the fact that one cannot cut it with fact that one cannot cut it with a saw without snezing, as the fine dust has exactly the effect of snuff. Even in planing the wood it sometimes cause sneezing. No insect worm or barnacle will touch it. It is very bitter to the taste, and its specific gravity is heavier than water. The color is light brown, the grain very close and hard. It is a nice-looking wood, and takes a good polish. For dock work, piers or jet t'es it is a useful timber, lasting a long while under water .- The Build

Was Dickens' Secretary. There died in extreme want in Fulham Infirmary, recently, George Dolby, once private secretary to Charles Dickens. When Dickens traveled about the country giving readings, Dolby went with him as manages. He Boswellized the novelist, and the tour, too, in a very readable volume. But poor Dolby in some points re-sembled Harold Skimpole. He was improvident, careless of money, indolent, fond of building castles in In his old age, despite generous friends, he sank steadily in the social scale.

Frozen Meat From Australia. exports of frozen meat from including frozen rabbits, Australia gaine and fish, amounted in 1899 in galue to more than \$16,000,000 The great bulk of the exports went United Kingdom. This industry is assuming large proportions in Australia. In New Zealand there are packing houses, where 300 heads of cattle and 1,500 sheep are slaughtered and prepared for export every

Not long ago, at Church Parade, in Hyde Park, a very pretty woman dropped an ivory and gold prayer book. Before it could be picked up a passer-by had trodden upon it. With an exclamation of regret bent down and discovered a gentle stream of excellent old brandy flo from between the deceptive covers. He looked up. The lady had vanished. These little volumes are now. asserts the Onlooker, usually called books of uncommon prayer.

A Cycle Funeral. At Bari, in Calabria, the other day, young Ubaldo Sibilio came a fatal header from his bicycle, and his sorrowing associates, says The Corriere di Napoli, determined that there should be a cyclist funeral, worthy one of the best wheelmen in Southern To the number of several hundred, all awheel, they cycled poor Ubaldo to the grave, and behind the coffin, like a fallen warrior's charger, they trundled the dead man's bike.

The White Man's Big Sleep. Westralian aborigines call Sunday "the white man's big sleep." A lo-cal Anglican Bishop is the authority for this, and if the blacks invented the figure it is the nearest thing to respectable shought that, asserts the Sychey Mail, has been cited in their

From Manila to Melbourne. From Manila to Australia is like going down a river, for one is out ht of land for only two da s. The voyage lasts 21 days, but the through the South Sea Islards, which accounts for its resembance to river navigation.

The Oldest Paper Dies

The oldest newspaper in the world died unlamented on August 10 last, a ter an un nterrupted career extendover a period of something like

IN GOOD HEALTH.

rrival of Ex-President Kruger at Tibutil-His Eyes Still Affected,

London, Nov. 7.—A despatch from Jibutil, in French Africa, says the Dutch warship Geiderland, with ex-President Kruger abourd, arrived there to-day. The former chief mag-istrate of the Transvaal is in excellent health though his area still effect. health, though his eyes are still affect

ed.

When the cruiser arrived Mr. Kruger was on deck, amoking. When told that the Boers were still fighting, he said: "May they fight unceasingly,"

The Gelderland will remain at Jibu-

WHAT POWER BEHIND HIM?

General Bellef That Kruger Did not Act on Mis Own Initiative.

Paris, Nov. 7.—The French Consulat Pretoria has informed M. Delcasse, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, that Generals Botha, Delarey, and De Wet and President Steyn referred the question of ex-President Kruger's trip to Europe to the burghers, who consented thereto.

A strong belief is growing in Paris that President Kruger did not act

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The original sworn affidavits and testimonials can be seen at our offices.

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PERSONALITIES:

One of Admiral Sampson's biographers says that when a boy he never played or sought amusement.

Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, is the only regular physician in the Unit-ed States senate. Mr. Kyle, of South Dakota, is the only preacher.

The most constant companion of General Nelson A. Miles is his Gordon setter Rex. The general is very fond of him and the dog is most intelligent. Henry Labouchere is described as careless and untidy in dress and a smoker of poor cigarettes. He is fond of home life, and devoted to his wife and daughter.

Governor Sadler, of Nevada, wears an 18½ collar and gloves and boots to correspond. These, as well as his hats, are made to his special order by Chicago concerns.

Senator Platt, of New York, reads all the newspapers on which he can lay hands and has several shelves of scrapbooks filled with clippings dealing with his own career.

Mr. Talbert, of South Carolina, votes louder than any other member of congress. He has a voice like a calliope, and the clerk of the house has never been compelled to call his name

Governor Sayers, of Texas, is fond of deep sea fishing. He is a frequent visitor at Rockport, on the gulf coast

of Texas, and a famous resort for fishermen. The governor holds the record for big tarpon. Senator Jones, of Nevada, is a strong believer in a diet which he himsel devised. His breakfast never varies

It is always eaten at 8 o'clock, and invariably consists only of one cup of black coffee and a large piece of cinnamon bun. Governor Rollins, of New Hampshire,

has a warm place in the hearts of church going people of his state. He is an Episcopalian himself, but tol-erant of all creeds and denominations and gives much of his time and thought to religious work. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has the re-

ligious characteristic of the family, and, as are his sisters, is a Sunday school teacher in the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York. He has a class of 63, and in the three years be has been a teacher has missed not more than three or four Sundays.

The next generation will see the Gould fortune pretty well cut up, there being so many heirs. The richest of these will be Kingdon, George Gould's eldest child. His father is rated at 20,000,000. Kingdon, though a mere child, speaks German and French, and has picked up a surprising knowledge of yachting.

WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS.

The bride who finds a spider on her wedding blessed.

The bride who dreams of fairies the

night before her marriage will be If the bridegroom carries a miniature horseshoe in his pocket he will al-

ways have good luck. Ship marriages are considered any thing but lucky. Get married on land, or don't get married at all.

No bride or groom should be given a telegram while on the way to church. It is positively a sign of evil. If the wedding ring be dropped dur-

ing the ceremony the bride may as well wish herself unborn, for she will always have ill luck. Kiss a bride after the ceremony, and

before the newly made husband has a chance to do so, and you will have excellent luck throughout the year. Maidens cager to wed should give dishwater heated to the boiling point

a wide berth. It means that they will not merry for a long time if they attempt to cleanse dishes in water so hot. Should a bride perchance see a coffin while being being driven to the railway station prior to departing upon her honeymoon, she should order the driver to turn back and start over again, or else she will surely meet with bad luck.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Next to Gibraltar, Malta is th strongest fortress in the world. The Chinese began to write books be fore they migrated from the region south of the Caspian sea.

A cald in Morocco who does not furnish the sultan's officer the expected amount of tribute is promptly sent to prison and his place disposed of by auc tion to the highest bidder. All the soap in Paraguay is made

from cocoa oil. Cows eat the pulp from the nuts, leaving the hull inclosing the kernel clean and smooth. ow will clean 40 or 50 nuts per night. Mansour, the horse that ran third in the Grand Prix of Paris in 1894 and came in only a length and a half be-hind Matchbox, which sold for \$75,-000, is now pulling a public cab in the

streets of the gay capital. The casket containing the remains of Lincoln, through fear of vandal thieves has been removed no less than ten times since it was first placed in the vault in Oak Ridge cemetery, May 4.

The telegraph poles along the Savan-nah and Stateboro railway in Georgia are growing. They are made of cy-press and must have been planted with the roots. They are sprouting at the top and serve a double purpose. They are shade trees as well as a support for the wires.



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Notice to Creditors.

the matter of the estate of Isabella Gar

In the matter of the estate of Isabella Garner, late of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, widow, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 129, that all crediters and others having claims against the estate of the said Isabella Garner, who died on or about the fifth day of October, 1900, are required on or before the 30th day of November, 1900, to send by poet prepaid or delivered to Thomas Scullard, room 26, Victoria block, Chatham, solicitor for W. S. Ireland and A. F. Falls, the executors for the last will and testament the executors for the last will and testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securi-

their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last
mentioned date the said executors will proced to distribute the assets of the deceased
among the parties entitled thereto having
regard only to the claims of which they
shall then have notice, and that the said
executors will not be liable for the said aster any part thereof to any person or sets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of Dated at Chatham this 30th day of

October, 1900.
THOMAS SCULLARD. Solicitor for the Executors do 30-6-13-20 4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Eurrogate Court of the County ot Kent.

In the matter of the Estate of Susan Adelaide Warren, late of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, widow, Notice is hereby given pursuant to the revised statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter

129, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Susan Adelaide War-ren, who died on or about the fifth day of September A. D. 1900, are required to send post prepaid or to deliver to J. B. O'Flynn, Esq., King street, Chatham, Ont., solicitor for Edward Duncan Warren, and Agnes Yule Warren, the executors of the last will restiment of the said deceased, on or and testiment of the said deceased, on or before the sixth day of December, A. D., 1900, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and a full statement of particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them duly

verified And further take notice that after such And further take notice that after such last mentioned date, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice has not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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I am old—so old I can write a letter; My birthday lessons are done, The lambs play always—they know no They are only one times one.

O Moon ! in the night I have seen you

sailing
And shining so round and low.
You were bright—ah, bright—bu
your light is failing;
You are nothing now, but a bow.

You Moon! have you done something wrong in heaven,
That God has hidden your face!
I hope, if you have, you will soon be forgiven,
And shine again in your place.

O velvet Bee! you're a dusty fellow— You've powdered your legs with o brave marsh Mary-buds, rich and Give me your money to hold!

Columbine ! open your folded wrap-Where two twin turtle-doves dwell!

That hangs in your clear green bell! And show me your nest, with the young ones in it,—
I will not steal them away;
am old! you may trust me, linnet!

linnet!
I am seven times one to-day.

—Jean Ingelow.

GRAND RECEPTION.

Remainder of Canadian Regimen to be Royally Greeted by the Motherland.

London, Nov. 7.—The remainder of the Royal Canadian Regiment left Cape Town to-day on the Hawarden Cape Town to-day on the Hawarden Castle. They will come cirect to England, where they will be the guests of the mother country. A grand reception awaits them, as the gallant conduct of the Canadians has won the admiration of every Englishman. man. The scenes on the arrival of Lieut.-Col. Otter and his men will rival, and likely surpass, those witnessed on the return of the troops up to date.

REASONS FUR RESUL

The British Press Discusses the Patisfactory Outcome of U. S. Elections.

News says: "Anti-imperialism, the attempt to stir up jealousy against England, the champsonship of the Boers, and pandering to the Fenians, all availed Bryan nothing. His defeat is even more a defeat for Croker and Tammany, and that is its happiest feature. It really looks as though Americans are tired of the gang of corrupt Irish-Americans who have degraded American politics so long."

The Star says: "Had Bryan kept to the issues of anti-imperialism, antitrusts and social reform, he might conceivably have won. Sound money News says: "Anti-imperialism, the atceivably have won. Sound money proved his undoing. He has been

crucified on a cross of gold The Times, in a special edition, says:
"McKinley's victory is for common honesty, sound sense and sober, en-lightened political judgment. Free sil-ver and its attendant heresies are the real matters on which the electors have given judgment." The Times adds that all the checks of the constitution could not have restrained Bryan from experiments fatal to so-cial order and material prosperity.

A HAPPY FAMILY.

Husband Had King Billy's Picture, Wife the Pope's-Fought Once a Year.

There's a story, it's hard to say how true it is, but is apropos around election times. During a very hot and exciting campaign in Ireland during the elections following Gladstone's second appeal to the country after his home rule bill a canvasser for one of the parties was travelling through Belfast looking for votes. His was a hard job, but he was wise, and when he entered a cabin he sized up things by the pictures, etc., and studied just how to approach the ecupant for his vote. If it looked ce a Catholic cottage the politician ould hurroo for the pope—if Protestit signs were around it meant the

Belfast is an evenly divided city and the electors are hot. Mr. Politician sauntered into a house one day and the

"Ah, my good woman," he said, "I'm glad to see that we Catholics come toglad to see that we Catholics come to-gether again," and he glanced around. By all that was hard, on the other wall hung a picture of king Billy, of immortal memory. He was up against it.

The woman of the house noticed the visitor's puzzled look as he glanced at

visitor's puzzled look as he glanced at the two pictures. She was a wise woman, and she said:

"Oh, yes. That's the pope, and that," pointing at the other, "is King William. You see, I'm a Catholic and Pat, my husband, is an Orangeman."

"And do you get along well?"

"All the time except the 12th of July. Then Pat goes out and marches with the Orange procession and comes

July. Then Pat goes out and marches with the Orange procession and comes home drunk. When he sees the pope he pulls him down and jumps on him. Then he swears and goes to bed."

"And you?"

"Oh! I wait until Pat gets to sleep and I stand on a chair and pull down. King Bill and take him but and pawn him and bug a new pope. When Pat him and buy a new pope. When Pat gets up in the morning, he has to take King Billy out of pledge and everything is quiet until next year." Nothing can be hostile to religion which is agreeable to justice.—Glad-

It is only religion, the great bond of love and duty to God, that makes any existence valuable or even toler-able.—Horace Bushnell.

HOW CHALMERS DIED.

Gallantly Attempting to Carry His Major Out of Danger.

London, Nov. 7.—Lord Roberts, in a despatch dated Johannesburg, Nov. 5, reports to the War Office as follows:

"Smith-Dorrien states that. Major Sanders and Captain Chalmers, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, behaved with great gallantry in the action of Nov. 2. Sanders rode out, under a heavy fire, to bring in a horseless non-commissioned officer. Sanders was wounded and his horse was killed, and Chalmers went to his assistance. Sanders implored him to leave, but was refused, and the gallant Chalmers was, I grieve to say, killed."

Lord Roberts has cabled to the War Office that former President Steyn, in a speech to Delarey's burghers, Oct. 22, said Mr. Kruger had gone to Europe in order to "get intervention," and that if he failed, "the Transval would be auctioned off to the highest bidder."

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greater than from pasturing, that they more than compensate for the ex-

tra labor and cars attending it. Henry Stewart has said: "The supposed large cost of soiling is the principal objection to the practice with most persons. It is useless to claim that it is not more costly than paspersons. It is useless to claim turing, so far as labor is concerned; but at the same time when well managed it is certainly more profitable There are times and places in which it is more profitable to grow small with a small expenditure of labor: and others in which it pays best to expend more labor and produce greater crops. It depends upon the amount invested in the farm and stock If one cow can be pastured and fed on ten acres of land costing \$20 per acre, \$200 in all, and produces \$50 worth of milk in the year, then it pays to pasture and grow grass and corn for her feed. But if the land costs \$200 per acre, the cow must be fed from one acre or produce more than \$50 to be even with the other case. Now a cow can not be fed on less than five to ten acres of land without soiling, either partially wholly. But by soiling, a cow can l fed the year through on two acres, and the income may be brought up to at least \$50 per acre. This is combining the production of some salable crops that will product fodder as well, with the production of milk or butter, and by so utilizing the labor that as little as possible may be lost in this direction." Mr. Stewart is too high in his estimate as to the

his argument.-Wm. Logan.

quantity of land necessary to support a cow, but in the main he is right in

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No. 31,-Corner of Prince and Park streets, No. 32—Corner of Grey and Queen streets.
No. 34—Cor Park avenue and Queen

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"What! Marry you!" almost screamed the haughty Alfrida as she drew herself up with queenly dignity. "Sir, I would die first!"

"Then die!" shouted the count as h stepped back and began whirling the crowbar around his head to give momentum to his blow. At the moment he was about to bring the terrible weapon down upon her thin and aris-tocratic skull the door opened and-(Don't fall to see our next week's issue. It will contain a war map and full details of why and how the door opened and what resulted.)

"Father, if you insist that I marry this man, for whom I have not a spark of love-if you are determined"-"I am determined," interrupted the

"And my happiness-my tears-my prayers-will not move you?" "Not a more." "Then, cold, cruel, heartless, selfish

unfeeling, unnatural father-then, sir, it only remains for me to-to"-(What remained for her will be told n our next issue, and if you miss it you will miss a good thing. A nickel pays the bill.)

M. QUAD. pays the bill.)

Reasonable Hypothesis. Demidaft-I cawn't go that Bibble fellah, deyah boy. He's a puffect bwute, don't cher knaw. Heavytoff-What's the pwig been

dwloving at now? Demidaft-Why, I've only known the eweatchah faw three months, and when tawking to him lawst night the beggah went fawst to sleep wight in vont of my eyes.

Heavytoff - He pwobably deemed that, so fah, he was only a nodding acquaintawnce, don't cher knaw .- Town

erheard In the Palais des Beaux Mrs. Billings (an enthusiast)-Come

into this room, dear; the pictures are Mr. Billings-We've been in this room before.

Mrs. Billings-Why, no, dear. Mr. Billings-Yes, we have too. remember that picture very well, and I want you to understand I'm not going through any of these rooms twice.

The Professors' Investigations. tigation as to how the peach stone got into the peach, and Professor Black is endeavoring to find out how the peach got around the peach stone. Professor Brown thinks that Professor Black is crazy, and Professor Black is sure that Professor Brown is underwitted .- Bos-

ton Transcript.

A Winfield lawyer received a letter from a client the other day urging him to hasten a certain collection. "I am hard up," concluded the writer, "and need the money bad. Hoping this will find you the same, I am yours," etc .-Kansas City Journal.

In Paris. "What did you find to be the most entertaining exhibit at the Parls exposition?" "My husband's exhibit of American

French seemed to entertain everybody the most."-Chicago Tribune. Always Fine.

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"My dear, won't you of your hair?" "With pleasure, my darling."
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Of how upon his threshold it did wait
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THE GUNS OF THE NATIONS of the Naval Artillery of the Great Powers.

The naval strength of the great powers of Europe, the United States and Japan, as far as artillery is con cerned, is given by a reliable Ge.-man authority as follows: Great Britain, 10.240 guns, France, 5,052 guns; Russia, 5,007 guns; Germany, 2,864 guns; Italy, 2,508 guns; United States, 2,324 guns; Japan, 1,592 guns. It must be mentioned that in the figures of the British artillery there are yet included 340 muzzle loaders, with which, of course, only the older vesse's of the reserve fleet

are armed. Comparing the artillery of Great Britain with the combined strength of Russia and France, we arrive 10,240 guns against 8,659 guns. As far as torpedo tubes are concerned, however, the British feet is inferior to the number of 19 tubes .- Great Britain possesses 1,534; Russia and

France, 1,553 torpedo-lancers. The above comparisons have, course, but a mechanical value, not only the number of guns, but, perhaps, to a higher degree, their quality plays the greatest part battle.

The Miners of the World. The total number of workers of sexes employed in extracting minerals from the bowels of the earth number altogether 4,355,204 In other words, they are about equal to the entire population of London. The minerals taken into account are coal, oil, stone and precious stones The numbers of miners in the various countries are given herewith United Kingdom, 875,603; Germany, 498,509; United States, 444,578; India, 310,888; Ceylon, 310,210; France 292,711; Russia, 239,435; Austria-Hungary, 219,227; Belgium, 160,-150; Japan, 118,517, and South American Republics, 100,006.

During the past year the greates output has been that of the United States, the product of which attained a value of \$896,000,000; that of the United Kingdom was worth \$481,250,000; Germany, \$187,500,-000; France, \$162,500,000; the Transvaal, \$106,125,000; Belgium, \$75,000,000; Austria, \$68,750,000. Canada, whose mineral deposits have as yet been very little exploited, pro duced \$62,500,000:

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Toronte, Nov. 8, 10 a, m.-Strong winds or gales from west or north; turning colder; local snow falls. Friday, northwesterly winds; fair and

"The Chinese Problem," Park Street Church, Monday evening.

Considering the number of registrafirst time the vote cast in the city was on the small side.

Evening classes at Business College for young men and women will open on Monday evening, Nov. 19th. See advertisement elsewhere.

Miss Louise Rathey is visiting relatives in Detroit. Before returning home, Miss Rutley will spend several weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Hazen, Young men and women - Improve

your position. Attend the evening classes at the Business College. See advertisement elsewhere.

J. H. Sowerby came up from London on Tuesday, and on the train was Fte-Trolley, of Alvinston, who had just re-turned from Seath Africa. Trolley told Mr. Sowerby that the late John Doneganstood next to him in the runks, and that he wan't more than five feet from the poor fellow when he, was shot at Paardeberg. Private Gor-rie, of Chatham, returned with the on Tuesday, and on the train rie, of Chatham, returned with the first division of the contingent, but

ne missed the train at Montreal. "Happy Thought" Stoves, for wood or coal, are the most economical, and are for sale only at John A. Morton's Hardware Store.

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Evening instruction in shorthand, book-keeping, penmanship, arithmetic, at Business College, beginning Mon-day evening, Nov. 19th. See advt. Mrs. Anderson (nee Miss Rothwell) will sing at Park St. Church next San-day, also Monday evening.

Commodore Joseph Bates, of the Rankin House, has on display a fine glass vase containing several fine specimens of gold fish, a gift from Capt. Waggoner. The gift is much ad-

Qualify for filling a better position than the one you now hold. Attend evening classes at the Business Col-lege, in Shorthand, book-keeping, penmanship and arithmetic. See advt.

Stolen or strayed-English setter dog. Markings black ear, black ticked with tan markings around chops; answers to the name of Sanko. Anybody having said dog in their possession after this date will be prosecuted. A Eberal reward will be given for the return of the dog, or any information that will lead to his recovery. J. R,

McGregor, constable. James Finlay, a well-known resident of Peles Island was arrested at Amherstburg Monday night by the chief of police of Wingham. It was alleged that Finlay ctained \$1,000 for taking care of an invalid. The bargain and contract were that Finlay should look after his charge until the disshould look after his charge until the dis-credit old gentleman shuffled off this mortal coil. Finlsy evidently tired of his task, and left Wingham. He did not return the money, and the chief followed him. Fin'ay was stopping at Amherstburg, intending to take the boat for Pelee. The chief took him in charge, but released him when he returned \$700.

PREITY HIGH-HANDED.

Ten Tsin, via Shanghai, Nov. 8.— Gen. L'nevitch, the commander of the Russian troops, has officially notified the foreign consuls that the land on the river side opposite the British and German settlements has been annexed German settlements has been annexed to Russia by right of conquest. Much railroad property, as well as the east agenal, is included in the territory amexed by Russia. The consuls will

ARCHIE'S DEFEAT.

The Mail says: The result of the election in West York yesterday, in which Archibald Campbell was completely snowed under by Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, is another evidence of the strong hold the Conservative candidate still retains upon the electorate of that constituency. The candidate still retains upon the electorate of that constituency. The large majority, between 800 and 900, which Mr. Wallace obtained, was greater than had been generally anticipated. E pecially is this true in the case of Toronto Junction, where Mr. Campbell resides, and which gave Mr. Wallace a majority of 209. There was scarcely a portion of the riding, with the exception of Vaughan township, in which the Liberal candidate received a majority, and the latter's received a majority, and the latter's decisive defeat shows conclusively that petty politics in West York will not

MAY SUPPRESS THE JUNTA. New York, Nov. 8.—A special from Washington says: Britain will be re-

quested by the government to suppress the Filipino junta in Hong Kong. The administration has had this in contemplation for some time, and now that no political obstacle presents itself, the action is to be taken without de-

A CORRECTION.

Chatham, Nov. 6th, 1900.
[Illo the Planet.—In a recent issue you published a poem, re "The British Empire's Flag." While thanking you for the important space allotted me, I beg to call your attention to Verse III, in which a line has been omitted the property of the service of the service. thereby destroying the sense of the verse. It should read after, line "With pride we score our victories—
Of glorious battles won," etc., etc.
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THE ELECTIONS MAY YET HAVE Dr. Patterson GOOD RESULTS.

The returns from the Dominio a peculiar state of public feel-We practically find that Quebec and the east is ranged against Ontar-io and the west. This is very unfortunate, and is no doubt largely due to the race cry raised by Laurier and

It is to be regretted that the people of Quebec can have their hatred stirred up by such infernal methods. Ontario does not like Tarte, but Tarte is not all French Canada. There is no race feeling here. A candidate in Ontario who appealed for support on ant-iFrench-Canadian grounds, would receive mighty poor encouragement. 'As for the result in the Maritime Provinces it is quite apparently due to the fact that the people down there have been bribed with their own mon-

ey. Then, again, there is no possible doubt but that the present government is the creature of the railroad corporations. Yet in New Brunswick Blair raised the cry that the C. P. R. was opposing him because he had been cutting into it. The cry was absurd, but it answered its purpose.

Taken all in all the general contest is barren of result as far as shattering the strength of the Laurier administration is concerned. But it will have some good effect. The ministerial candidates have passed through an uncomfortable ordeal in meeting the charges levelled against the government. They have in most cases promised, all kinds of reform if only given another chance. It is altogether likely, therefore, that some pressure will be brought to bear on the administration to curb the Tarteite extravagance which is so rapidly running up the country's debt and taxation. And if the protests of these men, men like John Charlton, should be successful, the general election of 1900 will not have been fought by the Conservative

THE KENT CONTEST.

party in vain.

The returns from the county, which are yet incomplete, indicate that Mr. Stephens, the Liberal candidate in Kent, will have a majority of over 200. This is not a large majority and can wholly be accounted for by the change in Dover and the registration vote in Chatham. It will be noticed in the city returns that the Conservative candidate ran behind wherever the Ross Government's liquor machine had a pull. Where the substantial vote of the citizens was cast it went largely in Mayor Smith's favor.

However, Mr. Stephens is elected, and, although The Planet regrets it on principle, personally it has nothing but congratulations to offer that gentleman on his success. He showed himself throughout the campaign a vigorous worker and good canvasser, and his majority is no doubt largely due to his own individual efforts.

While we think that the electors of Kent have made a mistake, that is for them to say, and all good citizens will bow to the will of the majority. That Ald. Stephens will make a courteous and obliging representative and will place himself in his representative capacity at all times at the service of his constituents, irrespective of party, we feel assured. Burring the support he will give the Laurier Government the general feeling is that Mr. Stephens will make a good

SHOT HIS WIFE

Portland Man Was so Quarrel some Bis Wife Quit Him.

Portland, Me., Nov. 7 .- Chas. Davis aged about 30 years, shot and killed his wife at their home here at noon to-day and then attempted to take his own life. He has a bullet wound in head, but may recover. Davis is a hostler. His wife was about 25 years old.

about 25 years old.

The story of the affair, as gathered by the police, shows that, owing to the quarrelsome disposition of Davis, his wife had refused to live with he called to-dsy and the couple almost immediately became engaged in an altercation. The shooting occurred without any warning. without any warning.

HAD TO SWEAR HIS VOTE IN.

The Conservatives in Windsor are trying to show that Magistrate Bartlet acted illegally in voting after the Conservative scrutineer had challenged his vote. The ballot cast by him was laid aside to be adjudicated upon by the judge in case of a recount. The majority is so big that no recount will ever be asked for, but the Conservatives may keep the matter alive to annoy the magistrate. The printed instructions given to the scrutineers contained what purported to be extracts from the abstract law. After resiting the officers who are not permitted to vote at Ontario elections, a list is given of those who may vote at Dominion elections, and among these is that of magistrates of cities of over 30,000 pcp. lation. Magistrate Bartlet insists that the law prevents the magistrates of large cities from voting, but not of cities under 30,000. The Conservatives maintain that he is wrong as to the law, while the Liberals say that the Conservatives made a mistake in printing their instructions, a mistake which would disfranchise the magistrate. The challenging was done by Arthur Kirby, whose two brothers, Will and Edwin, were themselves challenged by the Conservatives prior to that.

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The plan for "The Fadette's" ladies orchestra at the Grand on Saturday will open Friday morning at 10 o'clock. It will be open to the general public Saturday morning. Seats will not be reserved for the special matinee at 2 p. m.

Stetson's big "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Co reached town this morning and put on a very creditable parade at noon. The company is the largest that has ever played this piece here and has received the best of notice in Hamilton, London, St. Catharines and other points where it has played during the past fortnight.

The Mendelssohn Male Quartette who delighted last night's audience at the Grand will open the public library board's concert course in Wallaceburg to-night. They then go to Toronto.

A notable event in the early bookings at the Grand is Miss-Margaret Wilkes in Charles Coghlan's great comedy, "The Girl from Calcutta."

Subscribers to the Lyceum course of entertainments who have not yet received their tickets and all desiring tickets may get them at the Central Drug Store.

SOUTH ESSEX

K Cowan's Majority Reduced From 182 to 54.

Much to everybody's surprise M. K. Cowan defeated Lewis Wigle in South Essex. Anderdon township did the trick. It has usually contributed a Conservative majority, but this time went Liberal by 17. Cowan's majority in 1896 was 182. This time it is 54.

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Majority for Cowan, 54.

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uller.
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IN NORTH ESSEX The Liberals Sweep the Constituency by a Large

Majority.

The election was a landslide in North Kasex yesterday R. F. Sutherland, the Liberal candidate, led all the way. He carried the city of Windsor by 258 majority and in the other municipalities this large lead was added to. Sandwich town gave a majority of 118 for Sutherland, a figure which was never reached by a candidate in any former campaign. There are a number of places in the country which were not heard from last night, but it is estimated that Sutherland's total majority will be over 600. Rochester gave Sutherland a majority of 121, according to the latest returns.

NORTH ESSEX. Windsor, ward 4..... 328 Walkerville
 Sandwich West
 69

 Belle River
 197

 Sandwich
 197

 Maidstone (incomplete)
 78

 Sandwich South
 121

 Rochester (incomplete)
 43

 Tilbury. West (incomplete)
 131

 Tilbury North (incomplete)
 86

 Tilbury village
 18

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Majority for Sutherland, 505.

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THE FADETTES OF BOSTON.

aroline B. Nichols' Orchestra Warm ly Received Last Evening. The Hamilton Herald of yesterday,

says :- Notwithstanding the great excitement on the streets, to say nothing of the threatening condition of the weather, the Fadettes Orchestra, of Boston, which appeared in Association Hall last evening in connection with the Metropolican Course, was greeted by an audience which almost com by an audience which almost completely taxed the seating capacity of the auditorium. It was 9.30, however, before Mrs. Caroline B. Nichols raised her baton to conduct her clever organization of women players through the opening number, and consequently it was long past the hour of 11 before the delightful program was concluded. The orchestra is composed of a score of young women, who were arrayed in robes as varied in color as the most magnificent rainbow that ever adorned a midsummer sky, and they played in a manner which, to say the least, was indicative of careful training and diligent rehearsal.

diligent rehearsal.
Weber's splendid overture to Der Frieschutz was addmirably rendered, Frieschutz was addmirably rendered, and in response to a vigorous encore the orchestra struck a vibrant chord in the hearts of the audience by playing Soldiers of the Queen. Responding to another encore to The Dunce of The Hours, a catchy two-step was played. The two-lettered number for strings only was one of the most charming features of the program.

Miss Bertha Webb the violin soloist, displayed remarkable dexterity in Wienlawski's allegro movement from Second Concerto, and the tone revealed, though small, was pure and sweet, On being recalled she played that fav-orite selection among violin soloists,

Annie Laurie.

Miss Charlotte Lynn, who accompanied the orchestfa as a vocal soloist, has a prepossessing appearance and a voice of good quality and wide range. If the remaining six concerts in the course approach the standard of excellence of last evening's entertainment the subscribers will have reason to compuliment themselves on their insimpliment themselves on their

CHARING CROSS HONOR ROLL.

Following is the per centage obtained by the pupils of the Charing Cross school for October, based on weekly examinations and attendance. The letter (a) indicate that the pupil was absent from the examinations

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O R. EDWARDS,

DRESDEN. Nov. 8 .- Mrs. John Sutherland

Brantford, returned home yesterday after a visit of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. H. McVean.

Mrs. John McVean spent yesterday in London.

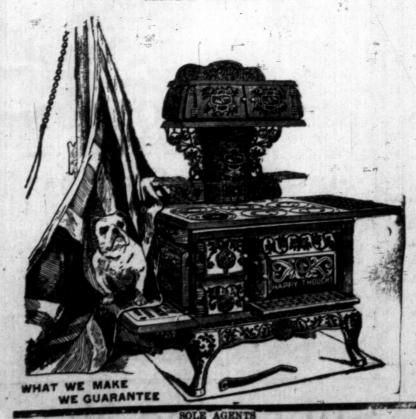
J. E. McGloghlon has sold the farm owned by Thomas Fisher, 7th con. Gore of Camden. Dr. Samson, of Windsor returned

home yesterday morning.

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Here is Mr. Hales' description of this

Here is Mr. Hales' description of this South 'African witch:—

"She was a woman of about 30 years of age. Madame was of German or Swedish nationality, married to a Russian civil engineer. She was not a beauty, but her face was full of charm, her eyes had the gift of eloquence, and she could say more without opening her mouth than most women can impart who possess a tireless tongue. She could be gay or sad nathetic, pleading.

part who possess a tireless tongue. She could be gay or sad, pathetic, pleading, or imperious at will /
"Her hands were shapely, soft, and white, and had the trick of clinging caressingly to masculine fingers when the humor suited the dame, and men who knew her well and who later came under her spell, have told me that there was a magnetism in her touch which drew men to her as moonthat there was a magnetism in her touch which drew men to her as moon-light draws the sea—something dainty, like the scent of the wattle flower at the dawning in the nostrils of the

bushman.

"Her waist would fit the crook of a man's arm, her bust was fashioned on a model designed by the gods. When she reclined upon a settee she looked like a tigress basking in the sun, so full of lissom grace and vitality did she seem, and when she walked, her bedseed a like the riceles on body undulated like the ripples on a running river."

HER WAY OF WORKING. Her first mission was among the

Boer women in the Free State and "When she left Johannesburg on her frequent trips she was not wasting her time, as folks fancied. From town to town, from farm to farm, she went with restless activity, organizing a system of spying among the Boer women, It was Madame who arranged that when our troops arrived anywhere in Natal or the Free State the wives of the farmers and the bestlooking daughters should visit our lines with fresh eggs, fresh butter, and other little luxuries. She instructed them to take note of the toumber of of men in each camp, the number of guns, and the quantity and condition of our horses. Each was advised to send all information so gleaned promptly to the nearest commando, and right well they obeyed her when

the time came for action."

Presently she presented herself at Cape Town in a sweet, secluded villa, and "looked very pathetic in her lone-liness." Among others who fell under the spell of her fascination was a cer-tain British officer, of the bluest blood -a man with a pretty face, soft blue eyes and a brain to match?" Mr. Ha

describes him as a pottroon in war, and a simpleton in all else. He was the witch's shadow,

"He thought he was fooling the green-grass widow, but she knew she was squeezing him dry. All that she gathered from him went rapidly, either by trusty messenger or by code. er by trusty messenger or by code prearranged, to Delagoa Bay, and from there it soon found its way into the hands of the Boer leaders, who laughed heartily around their mess tables at the doings in the 'little nest

at Cape Town. 9.
"At first the noble one had Madame to himself, but as his information peters out she snared others, and he had many rivals, and from each she gathered something of use to her and her Boer friends. Like a skilful angler, she played them all, varying her play to suit her fish.

"From one she gleaned how many men were with a certain general; from another she learnt how many guns he had; from another she found out how many mounted infantry men were with him; from another she got a good inkling of his intentions, and the route he intended to pursue, not asking too much from anyone, for fear of arous-ing suspicion, but gleaning a little from each.

'And all the time our generals at the front, battling for a nation's hon-or and a nation's trust, wondered how in the name of all that was evil the Boer commanders always, forestalled them in every important move." SHE FEARED KITCHENER.

But Delilah met her match in Kitch-"She ran her eyes over the tall, gaunt figure, the rugged, ugly face. She looked into the prominent, allseeing eyes, and knew at a glance that she was face to face with a magnetism

stronger than her own, and nothing would induce her to go near him

again.
"That is the most dangerous man
in Britain,' she said. 'I feel as if I
were within the shadow of death when were within the shadow of death when I am near him. He is a man for men to conquer. No woman can reach him to use him; he would read me like an open book in an hour, and I believe he would shoot me as he would shoot a Kaffir if he caught me red-handed. I will try all other men, but not that living death's head. No wonder he conquered in Egypt. I think he would conquer in Hades."

By-and-bye this extraordinary creature began to feel she was suspected. So she went up-country for a change of air.

"Wherever she went she was wel-

of air.

"Wherever she went she was welcomed by our officers, and it was a noticeable fact that disaster to our arms followed her friendship. A time at last arrived when she found it absolutely necessary to confer with the Berleaders. She had our whole military ystem at her fingers' ends, the gist of tings she had sent to her friends, but full details could enly be conveyed by word of mouth. So she determined to make the effort. Dyeing hers the ablack as the inside of a came! with nitrate of silver and logwood e stood transfigured as a Kest woman, and it was then that the glorious figure stood her in good.

Off the young martyr's breasts with his sword.

Her wrists were tied with a rope behind her back, and she was forced to her knees. One blow of a sword severed her head from her shoulders, and she was at rest. Her body was buried.

So died this young American missionary, firm in her faith, confident in the hope of a glorious resurrection, full of love for the benighted, cruel, heathen, to save whom she had given the best years of her life, and for who now she had given the best years of her life and she was at rest. Her body was buried.

So died this young American missionary, firm in her faith, confident in the hope of a glorious resurrection, full of love for the benighted.

This was a day for vengeance. Five of the great Chinese officials were tried with a rope behind her back, and she was forced to her knees. One blow of a sword severed her head from her shoulders, and she was at rest. Her body was buried.

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stead. From farm to farm right through the Free State, on to Pretor-ia she gave the Boers information worth a king's ransom."

And so Pelliah nearly ruined the British Samson. At present she is sup-posed to be in London.

The Two Big Corporations in Canada Propose to Amalgamate.

Toronto, Nov. 8.—Negotiations have been proceeding for some time toward the amalgamation of the two large bicycle corporations which were incorporated a year ago—the Canada Cycle and Motor Company (limited) and the National Cycle and Automobile Company (limited). J. N. Shenstone, general manager of the former, when seen to-day, said that the negotiations were still pending, and it would be impossible to predict the outcome. If the matter is carried through the new corporation will practically control the bicycle business in Canada It is understood that the existing factories would be maintained from the outset, and increased in size if the outlook warranted. The Canada Cycle and Motor Comp ny is incorporated at \$2,500,000, and the National at \$2,000,000.

NEVER TOO LATE

To Try a Good Thing.

I am fifty-two years old, and for forty years of that time I have been a chronic catarrh sufferer, says Mr. James Gieshing, of Allegheny City; with every change of weather my head and throat would be stuffed up with catarrhal mucus.

I could not breathe naturally through the nostrils for months together and much of the time I suffered from catarrh of the stomach. Fin-

ed from catarrh of the stomach. Fin-ally my hearing began to fail and I realized something must be done. I tried inhalers and sprays and salves which gave me temporary re-lief and my physician advised me to spray or douche with Peroxide of spray of douche with Peroxide of Hydrogen. But the catarrh would speedily return in a few days and I became thoroughly discouraged.

I had always been prejudiced against patent medicines, but as everything else had failed, I felf, justified in at least making a trid?

least making a tridi:

Qur good old family physician, Dr.
Ramsdell, laughed at me a little, but said that if I was determined to try patent medicines, he would advise me to begin with Stuart's Catarrh Tab-lets because he knew what they con-tailed and had heard of several re-

markable cures resulting from their use, and furthermore that they were perfectly safe, containing no cocaine or opiates. The next day I bought a fifty cent box at a drug store, carried it in my pocket, and four or five times a day I would take a tablet; in less than a week I felt a marked improvement which continued until at this time I

am entirely free from any trace catarrh. My head is clear, my throat free from irritation, my hearing is as good as it ever was and I feel that I cannot say enough in praise of Stuart's Ca-

tarrh Tablets.

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Horrible Toriures Were Inflicted on Poor Miss Mary Morrill.

At Last She was Hacked to Bits Outside Pao-Ting-Fu by Chinese Fiends.

Pao-Ting-Fu, Oct. 26, via Taku Nov.

-The awful fate of Miss Mary S. Morrill, the only one of the American missionaries about whose end there was any doubt, was revealed at the trial before the allied court, over which the French Gen. Bailloud is presiding.

Chinese fiends have a refinement of

ingenuity in devising agonies of which westerners have only a remote idea. They knew that the pure Christian woman could be hurt more by shame woman could be hurt more by shame than by physical torture. After making her watch the burning of the mission houses with her faithful male defenders in them, after compelling her to stand by while the streets ran with the blood of the native converts, they stripped her of her clothing and tied her by the hair to a long bamboo pole. Coolies forced her to march naked through the crowded streets of the great city.

The savage mob spat on her and threw vile refuse as she passed. The bloodthirsty Chinese soldiers devoured her with hungry eyes.
Through the miles of crowded streets she walked stained and bleed-

ing, bravely on, alone, to her martyr-A highly educated Christian China-

an who managed to escape the mas-sacre, and who witnessed the scene, told the court that her eyes were raised to the blue heaven with a look in them as if she saw it already open in them as it she saw it already open to receive her.

She was like Hypatia among the savage Christians of Alexandria, alone, naked, with death her only hope.

Outside the city walls her torture stopped. The indignities that they heaped on her were such as the devisin hell devise for the torture of damned souls — unorintable, untellable.

ed souls — unprintable, untellable. When the fiends had sated their malignant ingenuity, a soldier chopped off the young martyr's breasts with

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and sentenced to death for this crime and that against the other mission-

Mary Morrill's home was Portland Mary Morrill's home was Portland, Me., and her character may be judged from her last letter, which her father received early in August. It was dated May 30, and was a brave farewell:—"Miss Gould and I cannot leave if we would and would not if we could," she wrote. "Our 22 girls may be able to leave after the examination on June 15 but most probably will not. With

to leave after the examination on June 15, but most probably will not. With the country in its present state it would not be expedient, to say the least, for girls and women to be on the road. Their large feet would at once show their affiliation with the hated foreigners. So we are bound to stay here and care for them....Of course, if the worst should come, we could only say that we are at our posts." After telling of the killing of a Chi-

nese general who had tried to sup-press the Boxers, and some unim-portant matters, she went on:—
"I am afraid it will not be so easy. to send away the girls. Some of them live in an infected district. Of course, if we could see them safe with their parents it would be easier for us to leave at a moment's notice. It may be that the bands that have destroyed the railroads will move in another direction. It may be that some check will be put upon their movements. The Lord can do as great things as He has done in the past, 'for His arm is not shortened that he cannot save, nor His car heavy that He cannot hear. hear.'
Do not feel too troubled about us.
The danger is all around and near,
but God is nearer.' Good-night."

LITERARY NOTES.

SUGGESTIVE THERAPEUTICS.

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The opening articles in the November "Suggestive Therapeutics" (Times-Herald, Bldg., Chicago), deals with the curative effects of deep breathing, and pleads for the establishment of a compulsory system of deep breathing exercises in the public schools. Such exercises, it is claimed, would eventually stamp out tuberculosis in the young and while so ing as a preventive in the case of strong and healthy children, would build up the weak and sickly to robust health. Methods of breathing are given. This magazine has been enlarged to 128 pages and presents a very diverse table of contents upon psychic aubjects by lay and medical writers. Send for a copy to The Psychic Research Company, Cnicago.

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tem by which the sinking of ships can be prevented. Though it remains to be proved whether it will be practicable to apply the same on a large scale, the idea in its detail is, indeed, ingenious. M. Mariolle proposes to attach to the sides of the vessel a large number of bags. Each of these bags is to have a capacity of 15,000 litres, and will be covered by several coats made of a unixture of wool, cotton and India rubber, the latter preponderating. These bags are to be placed all around the and can, when empty, be placed in holes in the ship's sides. A strong iron sheet then shuts up the holes containing the bags. From the lower part of the bags a tube leads down almost to the surface of the water, closed up at the bottom by a little valve which opens inward; in each bag their is a certain quantity of calcium carbide. In case of an accident, and when the ship begins to sink, it cannot dive to more than one-third of its size, for the water rising around the vessel opens, by means of pressure, the valves of the above described tubes, penetrates the bags, wets the calcium carbide, and a quick development of acetylene gas place, whereby the bags are takes place, whereby the bars are inflated, thus removing the sheet iron cover. This process is performed within a few seconds. As all bags work simultaneously, the vessel is considerably lightened and kept

Mariolle has calculated that a big ocean stramer can in this manner be saved from sinking if it is provided ith 150 of those bags, each containing 50 kilograms of calcium car-bide, which will fill them in case of an accident with 2,250,000 litres of acktylene gas.

The old time theory that any pian-ist could be an accompanist is quite exploded, and now the art of accompanying is studied as a "post-graduate" branch. After the requisite piano training the pupil is required to learn the instrumental parts of oratorios, operas and songs, to be played afterward with the teacher as soloist. The teacher sings in an extremely "ad libitum" nanner, that the student may learn to accommodate her accompanimen to individual interpretations. Then comes the test of playing an accom paniment at sight, which naturally is the most difficult part, but an essential one.

The good accompanist sinks he own individuality completely and almost breathes with the singers in her absolute sympathy. A solo player rarely accompanies well because he is more interested in the piane work than in the vocal and cannot subordinate the accompaniment of the song. Ensemble playing is excellent preparation for accompanying, as the players are compelled to view their work as only a part of the whole if they would have the performance properly balanced.—New York Tri-

Peril of the Slant.

Incredible though it may seem, says last year of the nineteenth century (if not the first of the twentieth), there are those among us who are unaware that there is not one shred of evidence by medical men in favor of slanting handwriting.

But it is even so. Nay, more, the entire profession (says Mr. John Jackson) condemns it. Why? Because all investigation has proved indisputably that slanting handwriting is the most trutted source of physical in most fruitful source of physical in-jury to children that exists in our schools. It crooks the spine and twists the eyes; it produces conges-tion of the lungs and sows the seeds of consumption; it gives one indiges-tion, and is a frequent cause of dan-

Consequently, Mr. Jackson puts be fore the country these two vital questions: First, should there not be Parliamentary inquiry? Second, should not the teaching of writing be made an offense punishable at law?

Bull Trees & Burglar.

Ernest Martin, professional burglar, was lodged in jail at Magee's Corners, N. Y., the other morning, having been captured, laden plunder, by a savage bull on the farm of John Langdon. Martin successfully of John Langdon. Martin successfully burglarized the home of Wilham Skuse and with his, booty was making across a pasture then he was spied by the bull, which gave chase. Mar-tin ran for the nearest tree and took refuge near the top. Several times the bull came dangerously near shak-ing him out of the branches, but the desperate man clung on and was released when Farmer Langdon came to water his stock in the morning.

Swallows and Railways.

fastest trains in the world cannot at all stand a comparison flight of swallows. A with Frenchman, M. Compingue, has made me trials with swallows in order to find out whether it would be pos-sible to use them as letter carriers. The result was that on an average the swallow covered a distance of 160 miles in 64 a mutes

The question of female Parliamentary suffrage may be considered for the present as entirely shelved, says. The Queen. In our Australian colonies movements for its establishment have been rejected by large and most decisive majorities. In New Zealand it certainly has not worked satisfactorily.

Fine Woods Grow Costly The fashion of using wood for in-terior decorations is largely responsi-ble for the advance of from 15 to ble for the advance of from 15 to 35 per cent, in the price of fine

The Face Behind the Mask.

A ROMANCE.

There was another brief silence, broken again by the count, in the

same composed tone.
"Since the lady holds her levee so her, when this deluge permits one to go abroad without danger of drown-

ing."
It shows symptoms of clearing off already," said Ormiston, who, in his secret heart, thought it would be an to face in the lady's presence; you will not have to wait long."

To which observation the count re-

plied not; and the three stood in si-lence, watching the fury of the

Gradually it cleared away; and as the moon began to struggle out between the rifts in the clouds, the count saw something by her pale light that Ormiston saw not. That latter gentleman, standing with his back to the house of Leoline, and his face to that of La Masque, did not observe the return of Sir Norman from St. Paul's, nor look after him as he rode away. But the count did both; and ten minutes after, when the rain had entirely ceased, and the moon and stars got the better of the clouds in their struggle for supremacy, he beheld La Masque flitting like a dark shadow in the same direction, and vanishing in at I spline's door. The same instant Ormiston

started to go. "The storm has entirely ceased, said, stepping out, and with the profound air of one making a new discovery, "and we are likely to have fine weather for the remainder of the night-or rather, morning

Good-night, count."
"Farewell," said the count, as he and his companion came out from the shadow of the archway, and turned

to follow La Masque.

Ormiston, thinking the hour of waiting had élessed, and feeling much more interested in the coming meeting than in Leoline or her visitors, paid very little attention to his two acquaintances. He saw them, it is true, enter Leoline's house, but at the same instant he took up his post at La Masque's doorway, and con-centrated his whole attention on that piece of architecture. Every moment seemed like a week now; and before he had stood at his post five minutes, he had worked himself up into a perfect fever of impatience. Sometimes he was inclined to knock and seek La Masque in her own home; but as often the fear of a chil-ling rebuke paralyzed his hand when he raised it. He was so sure she was within the house that he never thought of looking for her elsewhere and when, at the expiration of seemed to him a century or two, but which in reality was about a quarte of an hour, there was a soft rustle of drapery behind him, and the sweetest

"Here again, Mr. Ormiston? Is this the fifth or sixth time I've found you in this place to-night?"

"La Masque!" he cried, between joy and surprise. "But surely, I was not totally sunexpected this time?" "Perhaps not. You are waiting here for me to redeem my promise, I

"Can you doubt it? Since I knew you first, I have desired this hour as the blind desire the light." "Ah! And you will find it as sweet to look back upon as you have to look forward to," said La Masque derisive-ly. "If you are wise for yourself, Mr.

Ormiston, you will pause here, and give me back that fatal word." "Never, madame! And surely you will not be so pitilessly cruel as to

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perform; and let the consequences be what they may, they will rest upon your own head. You have been warned, and you still insist."

"I still insist!"

"Then let us move farther over here into the shadow of the houses: this moonlight is so dreadfully bright!" They moved on into the deep shadow, and there was a pulse throbbing in Ormiston's head and heart like the beating of a muffled drum. They paused and faced each other silently. "Quick, madame!" eried Camiston, hoarsely, his whole face flushed wild-

His strange companion lifted her hand as if to remove the mask, and he saw that it shook like an aspen. She made one motion as though about to lift it, and then recoiled, as "My God! what is this man urging me to do? How can I ever fulfill

that fatal promise?"

"Madame, you torture met" said
Ormiston, whose face showed what
he felt. "You must keep your promise; so do not drive me wild waiting.

He took a step toward her, as if to lift the mask himself, but she held out both arms to keep him off. "No, no, no! Come not near me Malcolm Ormiston! Fated man, since you will rush on your doom, lo and let the sight blast you, if

She unfastened her mask, raised it and with it the profusion of long sweeping bla k hair.
Ormiston did look — in much the same way, perhaps, that Zulinka looked at the Veiled Prophet. The next moment there was a terrible

crash, as if a bullet had whizzed

CHAPTER XVIII.

I am not aware whether fainting fair sex, in the days (or rather the nights) of which I have the honor to hold forth, as at the present time but I am inclined to think not, from the simple fact that Leoline, though like John Bunyan, "grievously troubled and tossed about in her mind." did nothing of the kind. For the first few moments she was altogether too stunned by the sudderness of the shock to ery out or make the least resistance, and was conscious of no-thing but of being rapidly borne along in somebody's arms. When this hazy view of things passed away her new sensations was the intensely uncomfortable one of being on the verge of suffocation. She made one frantic but futile effort to free herself and scream for help, but the strong

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in the hot atmosphere within the shawl, and never passed beyond it. Most assuredly Leoline would have been smothered then and there, had their journey been much longer; but, fortunately for her, it was only the few yards between her house and the river. She knew she was carried decreases and she heard the down some steps, and she heard the dip of the oars in the water, and then her bearer paused, and went through a short dialogoe with some-body else—with Count L'Estrange, she rather felt than knew, for nothing was audible but a low murmur. The only word she could make The only word she could make out was a low, emphatic "Remember!" knew she was in a boat, and that it was shoved off, and moving down the rapid river. The feeling of heat and suffocation was dreadful, and as her abductor placed her on some cushions she made another desperate but feeble effort to free herself from this smothering shawl, but a hand was laid lightly on hers and a voive

interposed:
"Lady, it is quite useless for you to struggle, as you are irrevocably in my power, but if you will promise faithfully not to make any outery, and will submit to be blindfolded, I shall remove this oppressive muffing from your head. Tell me if you will promise."

He had partially raised the shawl, and a gush of free air came reviving-ly in, and enabled Leoline to gasp out a faint "I promise!" As she out a faint "I promise!" As she spoke it was lifted off altogether, and she caught one glimpse of the river, sparkling and silvery in the moonlight; of the bright blue sky, gemmed with countless stars, and of some one by her side in the dress of a court page, whose face was perfect-ly unknown to her. The next in-stant a bandage was bound tightly over her eyes, excluding every ray of light, while the strange voice again

spoke apologetically:

"Pardon, lady, but it my orders!
I am commanded to treat you with
every respect, but not to let you see where you are borne to."

"By what right does Count L'-Estrange commit this outrage!" began Leoline, almost as imperiously as Miranda her self, and making use of her tongue like the true woman the very first moment it was at her disposal. "How dare he carry me off in this atrocious way? Whoever you are, sir, if you have the spirit of a man, you will bring me directly back

"I am very sorry, lady, but I have received orders that must be obeyed! You must come with me, but you need fear nothing; you will be as safe and secure as in your own-

"Secure enough, no doubt!" said Leoling, bitterly. "I never did like Count TrEstrange, but I never knew. he was a coward and a villain till

Her companion made no reply this fercible address, and there was a moment's indignant silence on Leoline's part, broken only by the dip of the oars, and the rippling of the water, then:

"Will you tell me, at least, where you are taking me to?" haughtily demanded Leoline.
"Lady, I cannot. It was to pre-

vent you knowing that you have been "Oh! your master has a faithful ervant, I see! How long am I to be kept a prisoner?"
"I do not know."

"Where is Count L'Estrange?"

"I cannot tell."

Where am I to

"I cannot say."
"Ha!" said Leoline, with infinite "Ha!" said Leoline, with infinite contempt and turning her back upon him she relapsed inte gloomy silence. It had been all so sudden, and had taken her so much by surprise, that she had not had time to think of the consequences until now. But now they came upon her with a rush, and with dismal distinctness, and most distinct among all was what would distinct among all was, what would Sir Norman say? Of course, with all a lover's impatience, he would be at his post by sunrise, would come to look for his bride, and find himself sold! By that time she would be far enough away, perhaps a melan-choly corpse (and at this dreary passage in her meditations, Leoline sighed profoundly), and he would never know what had become of her, or

know what had become of her, or how much and how long she had lov-ed him. And this hateful Count L'-Estrange, what did he intend to do with her? Perhaps go so far as to make her marry him, and imprison her with the rest of his wives; for Leoline was prepared to talnk the worst of the count, and had not the slightest doubt that he already had harem full of abducted wives, some-where. But no—he never could do that, he might do what he liked with weaker minds, but she never would be a bride of his while the plague-or poison was to be had in London. And with this invincible determination rooted fixedly, not to say ob-stinately in her mind, she was near-ly pitched overboard by the boat suddenly landing at some unexpected place. A little natural scream of terror was repressed on her lips by a hand being placed over them, and the determined but perfectly respectful tones of the person beside her speak-

do not make a noise. We have arrived at our journey's end, and if you will take my arm. I will lead you along instead of carrying out.

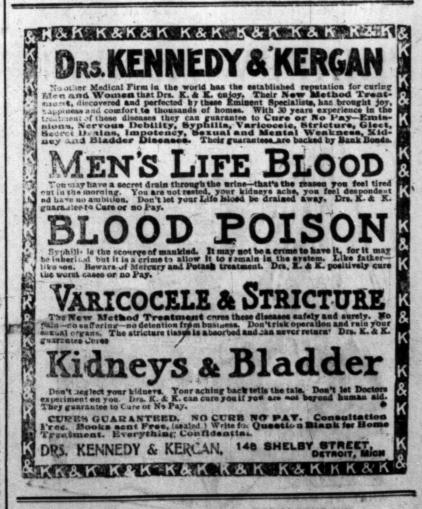
Leoline was rather surprised to find the journey so short but she arrece. Leoline was rather surprised to find the journey so short, but she arose directly, with silence and dignity—at least, with as much of the fatter commodity as could be reasonably expected considering that boats on water are rather unsteady things to be dignified in—and was led gently and with care out of the swaying vessel, and up another flight of stairs. Then in a few moments, she was conscious of passing from the free night air into the closer atmosphere of a house; and in going through an endless labyrinth of rooms, and flights of stairs, until she became so extremely tired that she stopped with spirited abruptness, and in the plainest possible English, gave her conductor to understand that she had gone about far enough for all practical purposes. To which that patient and respectful individual replied that he was glad to inform her they had but a few more



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But only olackness round me lies.

I listen for the faintest sound,
And, though I strain with either ear,
The dark is silent all around;
It's just as if I could not hear.

But if I lie with limbs held fast A sort of sound comes like a sigh-Perhaps the darkness rushing past, Perhaps the minutes passing by.

Perhaps the thoughts in people's heads, That keep so quiet all the day, Wait till they're sleeping in their beds, Then rustle out and fly away!

Or else this noise like whirring wings That dies with the first streak of light May be the sound of baby things All growing, growing in the night, Children and kitty cats and pups,

Daisies perhaps and buttercups, All growing in the midnight hours. And yet it seems of me a part,
And nothing far away of queer * * *
It's just the beating of my heart
That sounds so strange as I lie here!

I do not know why this should be; When darkness hides the world from eight if feel that all is gone but me—

A little child and the black night.

—Mabel Dearmer in Spectator.

SHE PREFERRED A MAN OF ACTION.

......... Landor was at his desk, which was pear the open window. The window looked down on the ponderous, overwhelming traffic of South Water street The grinding of huge wheels, the crashing of machinery, the clatter of hoof beats, the rattle of harness, the jarring of merchandise, the hoarse voices of porters and drivers, all rose in one mighty, mingled roar, a veritable bel-

low of commercial prosperity. Landor did not notice the turmoil. He had become accustomed to it many months ago. He was absorbed but not in his work. The minute hand had crawled quite around the dial of the big clock in the corner since he had formed a figure on the ledger lying open before him. But he had been writing. His gaze dropped to the page upon his desk. As he scanned the verse he had written his eyes took on the mingled dreaminess and sparkle one sees only in the orbs of a poet.

He drew from his desk a liftle glove pearl colored and perfumed. There was inspiration in the sight, the scent, the touch, of it. He laid it gently back, seized his pen and began on another stanza.

A brown hand reached over his shoulder. A couple of letters fell on the open ledger. One-the one in the firm, characteristic, feminine hand he had come to know-he tore open with fingers that were clumsy through baste. Two, four, closely written pages! Her notes to him heretofore had been of akmost telegraphic brevity. He plunged into the first page—had all but read it through, indeed, before he pausedthen jerked back his head as though he

had received a shock. The letter had not been intended for

But it was for him. There was his name-his name in the writing of the woman he loved-to whom he had not dared to speak unless in sweet, wild verses which she never beheld. He had read so far unwittingly. He must now read the rest." After what he had ignorantly learned he must now learn more. It meant life and all that life held for him-the words which were traced on the next page-life and love or bitter and enduring disappointment:

My Dear Friend-When you asked me lately if Landor Aldrich should do me the honor to ask me to be his wife—would Emarry him—I gave you no reply. I will te. you now. I fear your opinion uld it be lightly formed. I dread lest you think me guilty of a vulgar caprice. I will be quite frank. I think he does care for me, and 1-

There the page ended. The dreaminess was gone from his eyes now. There was a red light in them. He dug his nails into his palms until the fierce pressure pained.

He turned the page. He read on: —well, I've never worn my heart on my sleeve, Eloise. I can't do it now. But you may draw from my silence what inference you will. "Mr. Aldrich!" He looked up. He was trembling like a leaf. "About that

special shipment to the Philippines, "Yes-no! I don't know. Ask the elevator boy!" he muttered, not comprehending, and again bent over the fateful page. The man shrugged his shoulders and walked away. Landor

You spoke of his charming personality, his rare gifts of mind and spirit. Who should appreciate these more than I, who have known him so well? That one of such social standing, appearance and hereditary wealth should have singled me out from among many girls who admire him has flattered me indeed; but, should he say the words every woman wants to hear once from one man, I must answer, No.

read on:

There was a muffled cry. The letter was crumpled in fierce fingers. Then he lifted his bowed head, smoothed out the page and read on:

out the page and read on:

This, my friend, is why. He is not proving himself. He is an idler, a dreamer. With every avenue of success stretching broad and fair before him he is content to pass hours occupying a purely nominal position in his father's office. He leads the cotilion well; none better. In all matters of dilettanteism his taste is cultured and fine, and he writes the most musical yerses one may imagins. One must admire as well as love the man one marries. How can one admire the individual who saunters through life as through a charity fair? His degrees entitle him to a university professorship. His father's various interests in many places call for his personal supervision. There is so much to do before he may confidently ask a woman to give to him herself—life, body and soul—but I wish, sh, how I wish—There the letter ended.

There the letter ended. Aldrich put the letter in his pocket. He groped for his hat and gloves and coat and went out into the fresh spring afternoon. Then he remembered the unfinished poem. He returned, making it, with the glove and other little treasures, into a packet, which he put in his

breast pocket. Half an hour later he stood in the luxuriously appointed room of a great city bank. A meeting of the Cirectors had just ended. His father was leaving. "What's up, Landor? You look

queer." "I'm all right, sir. I want a word with you, though. Now will do as well as any time. Whom were you thinking of sending down to establish that branch of our house at Manila?"

"I did think of Peterson, but I'm

afraid he has signed with the other "Will you trust me to go, father?" "You!" The elder man's haggard face lighted up, then fell. "You're not capable of the task, my boy. It's a

tremendous one." Landor smiled with pale lips, but the smile was winning. "You should have more confidence in my father's son," he protested gently.

The words warmed the old man's heart like wine. His eyes blinked up at his boy. "By George," he cried, "I believe you've got it in you! I've had doubts of you. Let that pass. You shall go with full and absolute author-

And there was a new elasticity in the gait of the commercial magnate as he took his son's arm and went down to his carriage.

The following day a note came to Landor—a formal, demure little note: Dear Mr. Aldrich—I find I failed to send you yesterday my line of thanks for those violets. Will you take the belated gratitude now? There was a mistake somewhere. Always sincerely yours,

KATHERINE CLERMONT.

But the news that he was to assume control of his father's business in the Philippines had been made public in the newspapers before he saw her again. Then it was to say goodby. The hand she gave him was cold as ice, but she looked up at him with steady, unfaltering hazel eyes.

"You are really going, then? It was no newspaper canard? How we shall miss you!"

"I hope you will. May I write to you, Katherine?" He had never called her Katherine till now. "Yes, indeed! But I'm a laggard cor-

respondent. Goodby!"

There has not been since the opening up of the islands an affair which so in terested the business men of Chicago and other cities as did the success of the great branch house of the Aldriches

"A boy of 27 at the head!" the wise ones commented. "It seems impossi-ble that he should have shown such acumen, such ability. By the time he returned for a brief vacation, more than a year later, the business was booming. But the man who came back was not the boy who had gone away. He showed the strain of concentration, deprivation and hard, conscientious work. Katherine Clerment met him for the first time after his return at a great social function. She was in a rippling gown that swirled its black waves about her feet, with popples garlanding her beautiful shoulders The room went round when she caught sight of him. How changed, but-

'Katherine! Come away! How good you were to write, though so seldom!" ro?" she cried quizzically. "All the old men are talking about the way you worked and the results. I am proud

He had been ill and lonely and often depressed. Now the gates of heaven stood open.

"You know why I have come back!" be whispered. "To think that if it were not for a letter I chanced to read I might be mooning over verses in an office still-a letter it was not intended I should read"-

Her white lids lifted. "How do you know it was not intended for you to read?" Then she laughed softly-softly and long. He wondered why.-Buffalo Enquirer.

Unused Railroad Tickets.

Some men with unused railroad tickets on their hands sell them to scalpers while others go to the railroad company that issued them and obtain their value in money. Most persons, however, do neither and accept the loss when the ticket is worth less than a dollar. Indeed many persons do not realize that the railroad companies stand ready to redeem unused tickets even of small value, so that the companies must be richer by many thousands of dollars a year through this

ignorance. Every railroad ticket bears the name of the general passenger agent and of the general manager of the road. It is a simple matter to inclose the ticket with a letter directed to the general passenger agent asking him to refund the money paid and explaining the reason why the ticket is left unused in the hands of the purchaser. It is courteous to inclose a stamped envelope in

which the money may be returned.

When all these things have been done, the company generally acknowledges the receipt of the ticket holder's communication and promises to investigate the matter. The investigation consists in the proper identification of the ticket by the agent who sold it and a little bookkeeping to set the accounts right. Then the purchaser receives a check for the amount due from the railroad company along with a letter requesting acknowledgment. - New York Sun.

Origin of "Soldier." "Soldier," writes Grammaticus in the Liverpool Daily Post, is a pedigree word. Its connection with the "queen's

shfiling" may not be obvious, but there it is, all the same. "Shilling" in Low Latin is "solidus," whence comes "soldum." "wages." The man who fights for "soldum" is a "soldier." In Wyclif's New Testament (Luke III, 14) John the Paptist bids the soldiers to "he apaved with your sowdis" ("be content with your wages"), "sowdis" be-"... north country rendering of "sol-



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A new educational plan is being tried in Copenhagen. No books are instructed orally when they perform at the same time some light manual labore to the cli An automobile recently covered the distance from Coventry to London, 92 miles in four hours, this being an av-erage of 23 miles an hour.

TAKING THE REINS.

The promising Pennsylvania pacer Sidney Pointer, 2:14%, by Star Pointer, has been a mile in 2:07%.

It is said that Ben Kenny will not race

Rita E, 2:151/2, this ye her for another season.

Congressman Joseph W. Bailey of Texas will breed nothing but trotting horses and Angoras on his new ranch. May Overton's pacer by Bow Bells, dam Rosy Morn, is stepping quarters in B3½ seconds without extending himself. Straight Ticket, by Baron Wilkes, who took a new record of 2:21¼ in a winning race at Bradford, Pa., June 27, is totally blind.

Fellfare, 2:10%, sensational pacer on the Montana circuit several years ago, is at work on the trot at the Cleveland track.

The Canadian pacer Arbuteskan, 2:00%, is good this year. He turned the Hamilton (Ont.) half mile track the other day in 2:10%.

Larable the Great (3), 2:12%, is great just now. He worked in 2:10%, trotting the last quarter in 31% seconds at Detroit the other day. The California filly Eula Mac,

2:27½, by McKinney, 2:11¼, now 8, is reported to have recently trotted a half in 1:04½ at Santa Rosa.

Walter S, whom Ed Geers gave a grand circuit trotting record of 2:12½ in 1896, recently took a pacing mark of 2:20% and third money at Saugus, Mass. John Penman, formerly driver of Royal Victor, 2:08%, who was reported to have died in South Africa, is said to be alive and well and in the service of the Britisl government. Friends of C. H. Brosman are anxiou

to back Imp at weight for age against Ethelbert, Kinley Mack, Jean Beraud and any horse in training, mile and a quarter, for \$5,000 a corner.

The best green pacer at the Nashville track is in John Hull's string. He is a bay stallion, by a full brother to Star Pointer. The first time he was asked to go a mile at anything like speed he ste ped all round the track in 2:25. He expected to beat 2:10 before the close the season.

FACTS ABOUT HAIR.

The encyclopedias regard hair falling nary. Several years ago Miss E. J. Whitten,

of Topsham, Me., was said to have hair eight feet in length. Marie Antoinette wore a pompadot and rolls thrown back past her ears

Queen Anne wore side curls. A hair is a succession of cylindrical o elliptical horny cells. Curly or kinky hair is due to sudden "breaks" in the reg-ularity of the cellular succession. Short hair was the style under the Francis I regime, but with the court of Louis XIII came long hair as a fashion,

curls, wigs, powders, periwigs and pe rukes Samson's strength was attributed t his long hair, and his fate in charged up to Delilah's shears. Absalom's wealth of tresses was the cause of his own

In Egypt long hair was considered an incumbrance. It was a feature of beauty among the Hebrews and Greeks. Roman ladies used artificial hair and set the pace for future coiffures. Peasant girls in the south of France

cultivate and self-their hair as a regular business practice. Traders who attend the fairs purposely to traffic in tresses frequently find hair five feet in length, hair six feet long is very scarce.-

RECENT INVENTIONS.

Razors can be conveniently sterilized by a new apparatus which has a tank for heating the water or sterilizing liquid, provided with a hood which confines the steam, slots being cut around the edge of the hood for the insertion of the razo

In Maryland a man has patented shirt having a detachable bosom, which can be easily removed and a fresh one put in its place when soiled, the shirt having a series of buttons, to which tongues on the edges of the bosom are attached.

For army use a combined shelter tent and cape has been designed, having a canvas cover of pyramid shape, with a removable cap at the top, which is taken off for the insertion of the head, a telescopic pole being attached at the end of a bayonets to support the device as a

To give an alarm when a door or win dow is opened a new device is formed of a spring actuated bell secured to a strig of beard, with a second piece of board hinged to the first and opened into a wedge for insertion under the door, which when opened closes the wedge and starts the alarm.

TOWN TOPICS.

The town of Brunswick, Me., owns 1,000 acres of land, which it will plant in white pine as a public investment.—Mee-

white pine as a public investment.—Mee-han's Monthly.

When St. Louis gets on its best bib and tucker to welcome her world's fair visitors, she must have a new city hos-pital, better streets, pure, sightly water and a sound and sensible municipal ad-

Public parks are money getters for a live town. Buffalo is the greatest grower on earth, and no city has made more liberal provisions for parks. It will pay Binghamton to follow the example of Buffalo.

A gold mine has been located on one of the streets of Keswick, Shasta county, Cal., and there are indications of an oil vein in another. The population will soon have to move away. The town is altogether too valuable merely to be lived

THE COOKBOOK.

Cucumber is excellent if well floured and fried a light brown. In making drip coffee allow one table spoonful of coffee to each cup of water.

Potatoes, beans and peas are heating vegetables, consequently should be eaten sparingly during the hot weather. In estimating the amount of chickers saind to serve a company the proportion of five large chickens to 30 person

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Luke was hanged to an olive tree, in

It is from the remembrance of jo we have lost that the arrows of afflic-tion are pointed.—Mackenzie.

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Nov. 8.—Mrs. Thomas, of Tilbury North, died on Tuesday last after a linger illness. George Parker, of Toronto, visited friends

here yesterday.

Arthur Bowles and Miss Lily Cottingham were married here yesterday at the residence of the bride's parents, by Revenus Kennedy.

Jos. Tiernan returned yesterday from an extended surveying tour in Algama, looking bale and hearty.

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A PAPAD ENCYCLICAL.

The Pope Exhorts the World to Seek the Redeemer.

Rome, Nov. 7. — The Pope has addressed to the bishops an encyclical, dated Nov. 1, on the Redeemer. The Pontiff says he rejoices at the assemblage of Catholics from all parts of the world in Rome during holy year, which, he adds, demonstrates the people are marching towards Christ. He exhorts the world to seek the Redeemer, which, the Pontiff points out, is the road to truth and life, adding.—"As Christ's coming to the world reformed society, so the latter, in turning to Christ, will become better and be saved by following His doctrines and divine law, by discount trines and divine law, by discountenancing revolt against the constituted powers and avoiding conflicts."

If the people acted so, the encyclical continues they would all love one another as brothers and obey peacefully their superiors. Neglect of God, the Pontiff further asserts, has led to be many disorders that the people the Pontiff fairther asserts, has led to so many disorders that the people are oppressed with incessant fears and anguish. He concludes with urg-ing the bishops to make known to the entire world that the Redeemer and Saviour of mankind alone can bring sativation and peace.



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Quebec Votes Almost Solidly for the Government-Ontario Does Nobly-Gains and Losses-Several Conservative Leaders Fall by the way-The Local Contests.

Despatches received up to a late hour this — Thursday — morning indicate that the Laurier Governing indicate that the Laurier Govern-ment has been sustained at the polls by a reduced majority. Quebec and the Maritime provinces are respons-ible for this. In Ontario and the West the Liberals lost many seats. The fol-lowing summaries were received dur-ing last night and this morning: LATEST SUMMARY.

ONTARIO— Conservatives 50, Lib-erals 36, Independent 1, To hear from

QUEBEC- Conservatives 8, Liber-NEW BRUNSWICK- Conservatives



SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

4, Liberals 10.
NOVA SCOTIA— Conservatives 4,
Liberals 13, To hear from 3,
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND— Conservatives 1, Liberals, 4.
BRITISH COLUMBIA— Conservatives 3, Liberals 1, Labor 1, To hear from 1.

MANITOBA— Conservatives 2, Liberals 1, Independents 1, To hear from

1. NORTHWEST— Conservatives 1, Liberals 2, To hear from 1. Total— Conservatives 73, Liberals 12t, Independents 3, To hear from 13, Revised returns will probably show several more Conservatives elected.

GOVERNNMENT LOSSES. Wentworth South. Wellington North. Lincoln and Niagara. Leeds and Grenville North. Selkirk, Man. Toronto Centre. Brockville. West Elgin. (Patron elected.) Ontario North Prince Edward. Waterloo South. Hamilton: (Two seats.) Grey South. Wellington Centre. Middlesex North. Cornwall and Stormont. Cardwell.

Cardwell.
Huron South. (Independent el.)
Lambton East.
Queens and Sunbury, N. B. Colchester, N. S. East Prince, P. E. I. Assinaboia East. Necolet, Que. Ottawa. Total-27. GOVERNMENT GAINS. Simcoe East. Bruce North. Northumberland West. Renfrew South.

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ONTARIO. South Victoria- Vrooman, Con., el South Victoria— Vrooman, Con., elected. Conservative gain.
Centre Toronto—Brock, Con., 2,627,
Flett, Lib., 2,412; Hargrave, Socialist,
179. /Brock's majority 215.
Lennox—Wilson, Con., about 100
majority. Kingston—15 out of 22 sub-divisions give B itton, Lib., 197 majority.

North Leeds and Grenville—Lavelle, Con., leading by 75.
East Durham gives Ward, Con., a
majority of 212, complete.
North Ontario—McLeod, Con., elected. Conservative gain.

West Durham—The majority for
Thornton, Con., is 35 so far as heard
from. Constituency was Liberal before.

Elst Northumberland— Cochrane,
Con., probably elected.
South Esex—Cowan, Lib., is elected.
Majority may be less than four years

ago.
East Elgin—Ingram, Con., elected.
Majority 80. Returns all in.
South Wentworth—Smith, Con., is
200 shead as far as heard from. Brockville—Calvert, Con., elected. Conservative gain. North Oxford—Sutherland, Lib., by 1,000 majority.

West Hastings-Corby, Con., has ov-Peel-Blain, Con., elected. Conserva-

South E sex—Sutherland, Lib., will probably have majority of 375, Carried Windsor by 2.8.

No.th O.ey—Horsey, Lib., 171 major-

ity so far.

Centre Toronto—Complete returns are, B ock 2,627, Flett 2,412, Hargrave 179. Conservative gain.

South Ontario—Ross, Lib., by 75 ma-

jority. We t Toronto-Allen 4,5'2, Burns 4,727, Clarke 7,072, Osler 6,533, Stevenson 1,657.
Dundas—Broder, Con., ahead with 2

Dundas—Roder, Con., ahead with 2 places to hear from.

South Renfrew—Wright, Lib., 223 majority. Liberal gain.

Prince Elward gives Alcorn, Con., a majority of 73. All places heard from. Conservative gain.

We't Northumberlind gives McColl Lib., 150 majority. Liberal gain.

North Simcoe—Leighton McCarthy, Ind., elected.

East Peterboro—Laing, Lib., elect-East Peterboro-Laing, Lib., elect-Halton-Henderson, Con. candidate

elected sure. Majority 250.
South Brant-Heyd, Lib., elected.
We t York-Clarke Wallace defeats
Arch. Campbell by about 600.
South Esex-Cowan, Lib., defeats Hamilton-Barker and Bruce, Con-

servative. Two gains. North Ferth-Maclaren, Con., 250 majority.
East Huron-McDonald, Lib., jority 100. Lennox-Wilson, Con., about majority.
South Waterloo-Clare, Con., by majority of 221. Conservative gain East Elgin-Ingram, Con., 80 major-

Wellington Centre-McGowan, Con. 55 majority, few places yet. Conserva South Grey-Richardson, Con., el ted. Conservative gain. South Norfolk-So far as heard from



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South Norfolk gives Tisdale, Con., over 150 majority. North Middlesex—Sherrett, Con., 272 majority. Conservative gain. South Simone—Lennox, Con., by 500 majority.

Kingston-Britton's majority is 193.

West Lambton-Johnson, Lib., is el-

North Simcoe-McCarthy, the Inde-North Simcoe—McCarthy, the Independent, is elected.
South Simcoe—Wh teside, Lib., is elected by 500 majority.
South Middlesex—McGugan, Lib., is elected by a large majority.
Centre Wellington gives McGowan, Con., 200 majority. Conservative gain.
Bust Lambton—Simmons, Con., by 200 majority. Conservative gain.
Bothwell—Clancy, Con., elected by 40 majority.

West Huron-Holmes, Lib., elected in West Huron by 27 majority. South Perth-Erb, Lib., elected by 208 majority.
North Wellington-McMullen, Lib.
probably returned.
East York-McLean's majority is

715. North Lanark—Rosamond, Con., elected. South Huron-McEwen, Ind., probably elected by about 100. Libera

Haldimand and Monk—Thompson, Lib., elected by small majority over Dr. Montague. Liberal gain. Addington—Bell, Con., elected by 93 majority. West Middlesex—Calvert, Lib., pro bably.
South Lanark—Haggart, Con., elected 379 majority.
North Rentrew—McKay, Lib., by 150 majority. Lincoln and Niagara - Lancaster, Lincoln and Niagara — Lancaster,
Con., 107 ma jority. Conservative gain.
North Ontario—McLeod, Con., is elected. Conservative gain.
Cardwell—Johnson, Con., elected by
150 majority. Conservative gain from
Stubbs, McCarthyite.
Cornwall and Stormont — Pringle,
Con., elected. Conservative gain.
West Peterboro—Kendry, Con., 330
majority.

majority.
South Grenville—Reed, Con., 50
majority with three places to hear
from.
North Victoria—Hughes, Con., now
leading by 21 majority, few divisions
to come.

rescott—Cloren, Ind. Lib., elected over the straight Liberal.

Haldimand and Monk—Complete returns give Thompson, Lib., 100 maj.

Clancy elected in Bothwell.

West Durham—Later returns give



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Beith, L.b., 46 majority. Hamilton—Complete returns are as follows:—Barker. Con., 5,476; Bruce, Con., 5,466; Teotzel, Lib., 4,838; Wood, Lib., 4,222 Lib., 4,723.

Haldimand— Thompson, Lib., elect-

give figures yet. Halton-Henderson, Con., 150 maj ority, complete.
West Elgin—Robinson, Patron, by
41 majority. Liberal loss.
South Wellington—Guthrie, Lib., by South Weiling ton—Grand 170 majority.

North Lanark—Rosamond, Con., by 68 majority. Complete.

Welland—German elected.

We t Durham— The majority for Beith, Lb., is by last returns 5. North Oxford— Sutherland, Lib., has

North Oxford—Suther Ind, Ind., 200
2,000 majority.
Wellington Centre—McGowan, Con.
19) majority, four places to hear from.
Conservative gain.
Lisgar, Man., Richardson, Ind., 200
majority with two places to hear from.
North Wentworth and Brant—Patasson, Lib., 200 majority. North Wentworth and Brant—Paterson, Lib., 200 majority.

Muskoka and Parry Sound—27 polls give McCormack, Con., 255 majority.

West Elgin— Robinson, Patron, is elected by 46.

Brandon—Sifton's majority about Provencher, Man., Lariviere, Con., probably elected. East Durham— Ward, Con., 148 ma-Telegraph bulletin Government sustained by about 50 majority.

East Simcoe Clew, Lib., elected by 138 majority. Liberal gain.

North Hastings— Majority for Carscallen, Con., 800.

South Wentworth— Complete returns give Smith, Con., 100 majority. Conservative gain. West Middlesex - Calvert, Lib., 174 majority.
South Ox'ord gives Sir Richard Cartwright, Lib., over 800 majority.
North Wellington— It is now conceded that Tolton is elected by 40 ma-

Halifax - Roche, Lib., 43 maj., Ken-



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ny, Con., 88 maj. Returns complete. South Victoria— Vrooman, Con., el-ected. Conservative gain. Lincoln and Niagara— Lancaster, is elected, returns complete, Conserva-Carlton - Kidd, Con., elected by 1,000 Carlton—Kidd, Con., elected by 1,000 majority.

North Bure—Campbell, Lib., probably elected, small majority.

Selkirk, Man.— Haslaus. Con., 100 ahead. Probably elected.

Labelle—Burassa, Lib., 68 maj.
Quebse East—Liturier, Lib., elected by over 3,000 majority.

Montreal, St. Mary's Div.—Tarte,
Lib., elected by 1,000.

Virtoria, B. C.—Prior and Earle, the Conservatives, elected.
East Prince, P. E. I.—Lefurgoy, Con.
200 majority, Conservative gain.

Halifax—Roche, Lib., 43 maj. and Kenny, Con., 88 maj. Returns complete.

Yarmouth—Flint, Lib., elected.
Queens and Shelburne—Fielding,
Lib., 460 majority so far.

Brandon—Sifton's majority will be about 300



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ed by 40 majority. East Simcoe-Very close. Cannot

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jority.
Glengarry— Schell, Lib., elected by 650 majority, three places to hear



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elected, returns complete, Collective majority 107.
Victoria, B. C.— Prior, Con., 1,821,
Earle, Con., 1,732, Drury, Lib., 1688;
Riley, L.b., 1,621.
Leed: and Grenville North—Lavelle,
Con., by 321 majority. Conservative
gain.
McMul'en defeated in North Wel-

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Winnipeg — Puttee, Labor, majority
1,139 with two places to hear from
Brandon—Sifton, Lib., 200 ahead.
Lisgar, Man.—Richardson, Ind., 200
majority, two places to hear from.
Cape Breton now stands McDougall,
Con., 2,257, Tupper, Con., 2,401, Johnson
Lib., 2,886, Kendall, Lib., 2,586.
St. John City—Complete, Blair 4,
542, Foster 3,506, Blair's majority is
1,037.

London, Nov. 7.—Lord Roberts cablay the War Office that ex-President St. Hyacinthe Barnier, Lib., elect-

d by over 1,000 majority. Richmond and Wolfe-Tobin, Lib. Bagot—Mareil, Lib., elected. Taniscouata—Gauvreau, Lib., elect-

Chambly- Vercheres-Geoffron, Lib. Huntingdon-McLaren, Lib., elected. Two Mountains-Etnier, Lib., elect-Maskinange Lagris, Lib., elected, Maskinange Lagris, Lib., 6,000. L'Assomption-Laurier, Lib., 300 of

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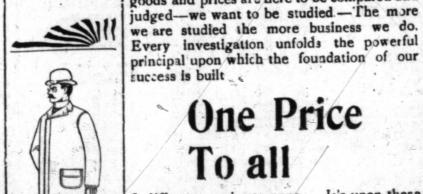
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