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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

HUGHSON—On Oct. 23, 1902, John Benson Hughson, aged 47 years.

Funeral from his late residence, lot 9, con. 3, Township of Delaware, on Sunday, Oct. 26, at 10:30 a.m. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation. 23u

SCOTT—In this city, at 127 Central avenue, on Oct. 23, 1902, Margaret E., youngest daughter of Mr. Thomas Scott, aged 22 years.

Funeral private, on Saturday at 3 p.m. 22u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND TONIGHT, AT 8:15.

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THE PRIDE OF JENNICO,

Presented by special arrangement with Mr. Daniel Frohman. Special scenery. Thrilling stage effects. A powerful cast.

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SEATS NOW ON SALE. b

$2.65—LONDON TO DETROIT AND RETURN, Saturday, Oct. 25. Last of the season at this rate; boat. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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MEETINGS.

REGULAR CONVOCATION OF ST. George's R. A. Chapter, No. 5, will be held in Masonic Temple, this (Friday) evening, at 8. General business. Visitors welcome. C. C. Reed, Scribe, E.; W. A. Wilson, Z. b

NOTICE TO VETERANS—VETERANS of '66, '85 and South Africans meet Friday night, Oct. 24, 8 o'clock, City Hall, to consider what is to be done concerning land grants. W. Tackaberry. 22u

GENERAL BOOTH, FOUNDER OF THE Salvation Army, will preach Sunday, 10:45 a.m., and will give his famous lecture, "The Past, Present and Future of the Salvation Army," in the afternoon at 2:45. He will preach again at 6:45. All these meetings in the New Grand. 21c

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—GIRLS FOR LABELING room. Gorman, Eckert & Co. 23u

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED immediately. Apply Mrs. William D. Mills, 371 Central avenue. 23tf

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY LONDON Bolt and Hinge Works, Maitland street north. 22c

GENERAL SERVANT—HIGH WAGES; three in family. 516 Ridout. 22c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—50 SMART girls for factory work; wages, $3 50 per week. Apply McEwen's Intelligence Office, 501½ Richmond street. 21n

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKERS, also apprentices. Apply Miss Taschereau, 183 Central avenue. 21c

GIRLS WANTED IMMEDIATELY FOR biscuit and baking department and caramels. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company. 87tf

GIRLS WANTED FOR FACTORY. Apply D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited. 50tf

MALE HELP WANTED.

AGENTS—IF YOU WANT TO MAKE money secure one of our free canvassing outfits; demand for our stock increasing daily; pay weekly. Stone & Wellington, nurserymen, Toronto, Ont. 23bu

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LOST—ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, on the Geary farm, London Township, between 5th and 6th concessions, an English foxhound (bitch), of white and tan color; ears trimmed. Finder returning same to London Hunt will be rewarded. 21k

LOST—BLACK COLLIE PUP, THREE months old. Finder rekarded on returning to 917 Colborne street. 22c

ELOCUTION AND PHYSICAL CULTURE.

THE OPENING LESSON IN PHYSICAL culture at Young Women's Christian Association, Friday, Oct. 24, at 8 o'clock. Miss Walker, Alma College, Instructress. Members, $1; non-members, $1 50 for ten lessons. 22u

Some Chance Organs

5-octave Andrus $5
5-octave Jackson $10
5-octave Prince $15
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5-octave Dominion $30
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CHEAP COAL—MASSILLON LUMP coal is the best domestic coal to be had. We will sell for one week at $7 per ton, and screened nut at $6, delivered. Wood at the lowest cash price. Maitland street and Grand Trunk Railway. Telephone 1,391. Green & Co.

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FOR SALE—ONE 16-FOOT LATHE, one 6-foot lathe, one 6-foot planer. Apply Thomas B. McGregor, Windsor, Ont. 18bu

RED STAR NEWS COMPANY WILL remove to No. 8 Market Lane, Thursday, Oct. 16.

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FOR SALE — ECLIPSE IMPROVED gasoline engines, manufactured by D. McKenzie & Co., 290 Richmond street.

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SEMI-DETACHED BRICK HOUSE TO let—Modern conveniences; 316 Wellington street, near Victoria Park. 23n

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TO LET—TWO-STORY HOUSE, MODERN improvements. Apply to John McLachlan, 1,046 William street. 22n

TO LET OR FOR SALE—227 HYMAN street, modern brick house, 10 rooms. Apply Webster's coal and wood office, 207 Piccadilly street. 21c

TO LET—BRICK HOUSE, MODERN, seven rooms, with all other conveniences. Apply 625 Wellington street. 9tf

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STORE, DWELLING AND STABLE—Good location; suitable for any business. Apply 625 Wellington street. 76tf

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FIFTY-ACRE FARM FOR SALE OR TO rent—Clay loam, nicely situated; 30 acres under pasture, 20 under cultivation; three miles south of London. Apply Henry Nichols, Glendale. 21c

THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS "THE White Sulphur Springs and Mineral Baths." For further particulars apply 61 Elmwood avenue, South London. 18n

FOR SALE—LARGE HOUSE AND grounds, nice location; central; all newly fitted; room for two small families. Would exchange for small house, or rent to good tenants. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

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FURNACES ATTENDED BY EXPERIENCED man. Apply H. R. Dickson, 2 Hyman street. 20n

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231.

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CORNER GROCERY AND DWELLING, nearly new; also stock. Address Box 16, Advertiser. 21c-xvt

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LADY BOARDER OR ROOMER WANTED. Address obtainable at Advertiser office. 22c

GOOD BOARD AND COMFORTABLE room, at private house; gentleman preferred. Apply Box 17, Advertiser. 21c

WANTED—BOARD, WITH ONE OR two rooms, for man and wife; central locality; modern conveniences; references exchanged. Apply 352 Piccadilly street. 21tf

WANTED.

WANTED—GOOD COUNTRY STORE; with postoffice preferred. Address Box 15, Advertiser office. 21c-xvt

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED—TEACHER FOR SCHOOL sections Nos. 16 and 20, Bosanquet and Warwick. Duties to commence January, 1903. Apply for particulars, John Stephenson, secretary-treasurer, Arkona, Ont. 23k

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Registered Thoroughbred Horses By Public Auction.

On Saturday, Oct. 25, at 2 o'clock p.m., at 347 Talbot street, London, A. M. Hunt will sell for Mr. W. H. Bringloe, of Woodstock, Ont., the following: The fine young thoroughbred stallion "Green and Red," by "Hindoo," dam and "Red and Blue," by "Ala.m," second dam "Maggie B. B." (dam of "Iroquois," winner of the English Derby), and several exceptionally well-bred brood mares by "Sir Dixon," "King Galop" and "Springfield," all in foal to "Green and Red." Here is a good chance to breed a King's Plate winner. This stock will be sold to the highest bidder, and there is no reserve. Full particulars as to pedigrees, etc., given at sale. See catalogues. Terms, cash. A. M. HUNT, auctioneer; JAMES McGREGOR, secretary. 21c

TREE CUTTING.

Any persons wanting work, and willing to cut down trees throughout the city for the wood they contain, will please communicate with

A. O. GRAYDON,
22c City Engineer.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Drill Hall, London," will be received at this office until Friday, 7th November, 1902, inclusively, for the construction of a Drill Hall, London, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and form of tender obtained at this Department, and at the office of Messrs. Moore & Henry, Architects, London.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted check on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honorable to Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the check will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order,

FRED. GELINAS, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 17th October, 1902.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it. 19c-zxv

An elevator in Bachman & Co.'s mill, Philadelphia, dropped from the second floor to the cellar. Thomas Bailey, aged 65 years, was killed and James Ewing, Charles Thorne and Robert Campbell were seriously injured. The breaking of the rope caused the accident.

A HITCH IN THE RESUMPTION OF WORK AT MARKLE'S MINES

The Men Vote to Continue on Strike at Present.

REFUSE COMPANY'S CONDITIONS

What the Employers Have to Say—Engineers and Firemen Have a Grievance.

Hazelton, Pa., Oct. 24.—The employes of the G. B. Markle & Co.'s colleries, and the men working at the different mines of Coxe Bros. & Co., voted last night to continue on strike until the conditions under which they are to be taken back by these firms are changed.

One of the officials of Coxe Bros. & Co., said today: "We insist that all the men formerly employed at our mines who went on strike shall apply to the respective foremen as individuals if they wish to return. If we have room for them and they committed no acts of violence during the strike they will be taken back with the understanding that the non-union men must not be molested. Every man who struck is considered by us as having left our employ and that is why we will not resume operations by permitting the men to return to work in a body."

At Silver Brook colliery, operated by J. S. Wertz & Co., the men must also make applications as individuals before operations are resumed.

ANOTHER GRIEVANCE.

Chicago, Oct. 23. — President Morton, of the International Association of Stationary Engineers and Firemen, stated today that all members of the association all over the country will be ordered to refuse to handle any anthracite coal until every member affected by the anthracite strike is reinstated on the basis on which the miners returned to work. The Brotherhood has a membership of 14,000, and local unions in 114 towns and cities.

President Morton declares that his organization is in a position to shut hard coal out of all cities where it has local unions, and such action will be taken, if necesary, for the protection of members of the union who have lost their positions on account of the anthracite strike.

This is President Morton's view of the situation: "According to all reports from the eastern mines, our men are getting the worst of it, while the miners are being reinstated we are left out in the cold. We have supported the miners in every manner during the strike, and believe the action of the firemen and engineers in quitting work helped materially to win the fight. Although it is true a majority of the firemen are members of the Miners' Union, because they were forced to that organization, they have retained their membership in our union, and have already asked for our assistance. We propose to give it to them, and I ecutive board, when action will be am going to call a meeting of the extaken looking to that end."

FRICTION MAY WEAR OFF.

Wilkesbarre, Oct. 24.—As was to be expected there was more or less dissatisfaction among the old employes over the reopening of the mines yesterday. Where it was decided in a number of cases not to resume work for a few days the men took it that the coal companies did not want their services, and many complaints reached President Mitchell's headquarters. But as the day wore on and the true situation became known there was a better feeling all round. Until all the collieries do resume there will be more or less idle men airing their discontent.

The firemen are being taken back in larger numbers than any of the other steam men. That is because they are experienced, and they take the places of men who are not so capable. The only friction reported between union and non-union men was at several collieries in the Wyoming region, where the miners objected to being lowered into the mines by non-union engineers.

NON-UNION MEN QUIT.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 23. — The non-union man was a scarce article around the collieries this morning. The companies did not dismiss the men that had worked during the strike, but with the stockade living quarters gone and the almost impossible task of securing boarding houses confronting them, the imported non-unionist packed up and left for other and more congenial places.

Thirty-five non-union men left the Raymond washery in a body today because of the closing up of the stockade living quarters. At about half the collieries practically full forces of men were put to work. At all, except a few, a portion of the men were sent in.

Falls of roof, which blocked roadways, were responsible in most cases for only a part of the force being reemployed. These falls can be cleared up in a few days. Every chamber that could possibly be worked was opened up. With the exception of the Hallstead, which has been abandoned, and the Sloan and Central, where new switches are being laid, all the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western collieries made a start.

Supt. Tobri said that he knew of no instance of a man being refused work, but was not prepared to say there were no such instances. Those whose places were not open for them were offered other work, he said.

Supt. Rose, of the Delaware and Hudson Company, stated that all places north of Scranton, except the Clinton, in Wayne County, made a start.

CLOSING HOURS OF CONVENTION

The Sabbath School Association Elects Officers.

REV. GEO. W. WEBB PRESIDENT

Interesting Papers Read—Subscriptions Towards Expense of a Normal Secretary.

St. Thomas, Oct. 23.—At the afternoon session of the Provincial Sunday School Convention on Wednesday a vote of thanks was tendered W. Hamilton, treasurer, for gratuitous services.

"Our Needs," was the subject of a talk by J. A. Jackson, B.A., general secretary. More liberal giving, closer union between all branches of the work and better trained teachers were the principal needs advocated.

Mr. F. W. Merchant, M. A., principal of London Normal School, discussed the question, "How Far Can the Methods of Secular Schools be Applied in Sunday School Work?" He thought the Sunday school could profitably follow the methods of the public schools in nearly every way.

The study of Acts was taken up by Rev. Elmore Harris, B.A., after which the session adjourned.

At the evening session the programme, after a service of devotional exercises conducted by Rev. D. R. Drummond, consisted of talks on the subjects: "The Mind of the Child," by F. Tracy, B. A., lecturer in philosophy in Toronto University, and "What Interest Has the Business Man in the Sunday School?" by Mr. N. W. Rowell, K. C., Toronto.

CLOSING SESSION.

Thursday morning's session of the Provincial Sunday School Convention was slimly attended upon opening, but when the conference began later on the body of the church was well filled.

The nominating committee reported through its secretary. The report was received and adopted. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. George W. Webb, Toronto; vice-presidents, Hon. James Young, of Galt; William Johnston, of Belleville; Hon. S. H. Blake, of Toronto; George Rutherford, of Hamilton; William Bowman, of London; J. K. Macdonald, of Toronto; W. H. Hussle, of Brantford; J. A. McCrae, of Guelph; H. P. Moore, of Acton; John A. Patterson, M.A., of Toronto; J. J. Maclaren, LL.D., K.C., of Toronto; H. J. Donly, of Simcoe; T. McGillicuddy, of Toronto; W. D. Beadle, of St. Catharines; Dr. Harrison, of Keene; Rev. J. J. Riddett, of Barrie, A. McInnis, of Vankleek Hill, and the presidents of the country associations.

General Executive—Officers of the association, the county and city representatives and one other representative appointed, or to be appointed, by each county and city association, and the members of the central executive. Central Executive—Rev. W. Frizzel, Ph.B., J. J. Maclaren, LL.D., K. C., John A. Patterson, M. A., Rev. John McEwen, Mrs. T. J. Laine, Thomas McGillicuddy, Geo. M. Lee, Mrs. Wm. Duncan, Mrs. E. A. Readman, J. J. Woodhouse, Rev. W. E. Hassard, B.A., H. W. Barker, Misses M. Johnston and Helen Harris, of Toronto; T. L. Moffatt, jun., of Weston; W. E. Tilley, Ph.D., of Bowmanville; Stephen Gibson, Napanee; Rev. J. J. Redditt, Barrie, and ex-officers and secretaries of the association, and the treasurer. Minute Secretaries—W. E. Tilley, Ph.D., and P. C. Trebilcock, of Bowmanville. County and city representatives for every city and county in the province were also elected.

Subscriptions to defray the expenses of placing a normal secretary in the field were received from A. E. Wallace, of Toronto; J. W. Flavelle, Chester W. Massey, A. E. Ames, Toronto, each of whom wrote, subscribing $100 each year for three years to support the normal secretary; Crossley and Hunter and John Macdonald, Toronto, subscribed $25 each.

The convention was brought to a close with the usual exercises.

MR. TARTE TO THE COUNTRY

Has Something to Say About the Premier's Letter.

The Ministerial Scapegoat—Questions for the Ministry.

Montreal, Oct. 23. —Under the heading, "A Word to the Country, Hon. J. Israel Tarte says in La Patrie: "The incident is closed—to the satisfaction of many people. * * * I see that some reproach Sir Wilfrid Laurier for the tone of the letter which he addressed to me. The Prime Minister is fatigued, harassed, ill. The undeniable harshness of some of his words by no means changes my personal feelings towards him. I have grown old enough to take the circumstances into consideration. The Prime Minister had no right to tell me that I had failed in loyalty towards my colleagues in using the language which I recently did on the fiscal question. To this unjust reproach I have the right to oppose the numerous speeches which I made in the same sense during the last few years. I did not organize a campaign in Ontario. I went into that province last year and this summer at the urgent invitation of agricultural societies, of chambers of commerce, of ministerial members. I had been misrepresented during the elections of 1900, especially, as a man who was disloyal to his sovereign. I seized every possible opportunity to dispel that prejudice, which had no justification for its existence. If those who held the strings of political organization in Ontario in 1900 had not prevented me from going to speak in that province I am sure that the results of the last electoral battle there would not have been the same in many counties.

APPEAL TO ONTARIO.

"I appeal on this point to the Liberal deputation, to our friends in the different districts in Ontario. There is loyalty and fair-play among the English population. If I had been heard I would not have been condemned. I had an ardent desire not to allow the cruel suspicion that I was not a loyal subject of his Majesty to float over my head. I went to Ontario, I opened a great many fairs, I spoke there, I discussed the questions of transportation and the tariff as I had done in the past. It is possible that I overshadowed somebody; that unintentionally I wounded some susceptibilities. I have been bitterly reproached for meddling with things which were under the control of other departments than my own. From my seat in Parliament I will ask my colleagues to reply to me for this malevolent attack. Indeed, when my officers reported to me that a dozen buoys were out of place in the St. Lawrence, I made it my duty to write without delay to my colleague, the minister of marine and fisheries. Indeed, when, during my voyage on the lakes, in the river, in the gulf, I was impressed with the need of more buoys, more lighthouses, I addressed myself to the minister who has charge of this important work. Indeed, when people have asked me, in my own Province especially, to see that this or that—such as the postoffice, for example—should be improved in his or that district, I naturally went to my colleague, the Postmaster-General.

"I have been for nearly 30 years a journalist. I have traveled much throughout Canada. It was natural that people should apply to me. The French groups in various sections of consideration have often intrusted me with difficult and delicate missions. I have fulfilled them to the best of my ability. I have in all this endeavored to serve the interests of my country, of my race, and of my party.

THE MINISTERIAL SCAPEGOAT.

"There are times when a minister who knows that he represents considerable interests is obliged to hold firm, at the risk of creating opponents to himself. At the beginning my situation was especially embarrassing. I had belonged for a long time to the Conservative party. If anything happened, or did not happen, which was displeasing to certain groups, it was I who was the culprit; I was a Conservative. I would not desire my worst enemy to have to travel the road which I have been forced to cover. My re-entering into private life is not a surprise for those who are among my intimate friends. I desired to retire before the elections of 1900; I have desired to retire since then. I yielded to the pressing solicitations of my personal friends, and I remained. The constitutional pretext, which is the cause of my departure is nothing but a shallow argument. I thank Sir Wilfrid Laurier for having done me the honor to confide to me the important portfolio of Minister of Public Works on July 13, 1896. I have learned to know my country, its immense resources, its possibilities for development. My experience will not be lost. I shall utilize it in my carer as a journalist and as a member of Parliament. I have served my leader and my party faithfully, loyally honorably. For one or the other I have never spared my time, my energy or my devotion. My views on the fiscal situation which confronts this country are, I have the profound conviction, those of a very great majority of the Canadian people and of the Liberal party—a tariff of defense for our natural interests, of firm protection, without ambiguity, for our industries, our agriculture, our working classes. That is the policy of tomorrow. That is the policy which I will continue to defend with my pen, with my speech, and from my seat in Parliament. (Signed), J. Israel Tarte."

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Chemists and Druggists,
216 Dundas St., corner Park Ave.

THE STRIKE ARBITRATORS CONVENE AT WHITE HOUSE

Were Introduced to President Roosevelt.

RECEIVED THEIR INSTRUCTIONS

The Importance of Expedition in Their Work Strongly Urged—Started Into Business.

Washington, Oct. 24.—The members of the strike arbitration commission appointed by President Roosevelt met at the White House shortly after 10 o'clock this morning and went into conference with the President.

E. E. Clarke, president of the Order of Railroad Conductors, was the first member of the commission to arrive. Bishop Spalding, accompanied by Dr. D. J. Stafford, of this city, was the next to put in an appearance. Gen. Wilson, who arrived a moment later, was followed by Thomas H. Watkins and Commissioner Wright, the recorder of the commission. Then came E. W. Parker, the mining expert. Judge Gray, of the United States circuit court, was the last member to reach the White House. With his arrival the commission was complete.

Several of the members had never before met. The introductions were made in Secretary Cortelyou's office, and immediately thereafter the commission ascended the stairs to the President's reception room.

GREETED BY ROOSEVELT.

The President greeted the members of the commission cordially. The interview was brief. The work to be done by the commission was informally discussed. The President impressed upon the commission the importance of expedition, and informed them that he had decided to appoint two assistants to the recorder to facilitate the work. He then presented to them their instructions, as follows:

"White House Washington, D. C.
"Oct. 23, 1902.

"To the Anthracite Coal Strike Commission:

"Gentlemen, — At the request both of the operators and of the miners, I have appointed you as a commission to inquire into, consider and pass upon the questions in controversy in connection with the strike in the anthracite region, and the causes of which the controversy arose. By the action you recommend, which the parties in interest have in advance consented to abide by, you will endeavor to establish the relations between the employers and the wage workers in the anthracite field on a just and permanent basis, and, as far as possible to do away with any causes for the recurrence of such difficulties as those which you have been called in to settle.

"I submit to you herewith the published statement of the operators, following which I named you as the members of the commission, Mr. Wright being named as recorder; also the letter from Mr. Mitchell. I appointed Mr. Mosely and Mr. Neill as assistants to the recorder.

"(Signed),
"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

GOT TO WORK.

With the instructions were the statements of the operators. The members of the commission withdrew in a body. When they left the White House they declined to comment upon their interview. They went direct to the office of Commissioner of Labor Wright to organize and prepare for their work.

The commission went into executive session at Col. Wright's office at 11 o'clock. Judge Gray was chosen chairman. The presiding officer is to be officially called the president of the commission.

The commission went into executive session to consider details, such as the place of meeting, the order in which witnesses shall be called, whether the sessions shall be free to the press, and whether counsel for the parties at interest shall be permitted to be present. At noon no decision had been reached on any of these subjects, but Recorder Wright said that as soon as a conclusion shall have been reached the results will be given to the public.

THE ASSISTANT RECORDERS.

Edward A. Mosely, who becomes an assistant to Recorder Wright, by direction of the President, is secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission. Dr. Neill, the other assistant recorder, is professor of political economy at the Catholic University, located near Washington.

PREMIER LEAVES OTTAWA

Consulting Liberals About the Cabinet Vacancy.

Speculations as to Who Will Be Minister of Works.

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The center of political interest has been temporarily transferred from this city to Montreal, where the Premier went this morning, accompanied by Lady Laurier. From Montreal Sir Wilfrid goes to Quebec, and will spend Sunday at his country home in Arthabaskaville. His visit to Montreal and Quebec is doubtless connected with the choice of a successor to Mr. Tarte. Hon. James Sutherland is acting minister of public works, and it would not be surprising if the portfolio of that department, for the present at any rate, were committed to his care. Mr. Sutherland's administration of the marine and fisheries department has been progressive and practical, and he has won golden opinions from the shipping interests by his promptness in carrying out improvements for rendering still more safe the navigation of Canadian waterways, especially on the River and Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Should Mr. Sutherland go to the public works department, the new minister would seemingly be given the

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of our repair department—competent workmen, good tools, genuine material and the skill which long experience in jewelry, watch and clock repairing has given us—are all at your command. No matter how small the job we shall give it our very best attention. Give us a trial.

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KAISER WILHELM A STERN PARENT

The Emperor's Children Under Strict Discipline.

SEVEN JUNIORS IN THE CIRCLE

An Interesting Glimpse of Their Family Life—"My Boys Must Be Soldiers."

Berlin, Oct. 24.—"Stern father" can be discreetly applied to Emperor William in his family life. His children never lacked for fatherly love, however, nor shrank at harshness, but Emperor William believed in what Americans call a "bringing up" for his children. This was widely at variance with the popular idea of the pampered life of little princes. It meant "early to bed and early to rise," plain food, daily tasks and all the homely features or the childhood of untitled little folks.

Six boys and a girl compose the royal family. They are Crown Prince William, aged 20; Prince Eitel Frederick, 19; Prince Adalbert, 18; Prince Augustus William, 15; Prince Oscar, 14; Prince Joachim, 12, and Princess Victoria Louise, 10.

"It is better that a woman should know how to make a pancake than that she should be able to discuss constitutional questions," Emperor William once said to a court lady to emphasize the kind of woman his wife, the Empress of Germany, is.

EMPRESS CAN BAKE AND SEW.

The emperor did not exaggerate for the sake of illustration. The empress can bake and sew and tend babies, and her reputation as a housewife is maintained by six hearty young men and a charming little princess who revere her. They were all reared along the same lines, and those lines were never relaxed. Hard and fast rules, in keeping with common sense, were laid down for them.

The children were called at 6 o'clock every morning, summer and winter. They had "first breakfast" with their mother at 7:30, consisting of bread and butter and tea.

HOME TRAINING.

Half an hour later the young princes had studied their lessons together and the older boys alone. American mothers might think the lessons imposed rather severe. Among other things the princes were thoroughly instructed in foreign languages, especially French.

A second breakfast was served at 9:30; from then until 1:15 more lessons, drills and military exercises took up all the time. A short period for recreation and amusement was allowed before science and music lessons were begun and continued until 6 o'clock, when supper was served. Then came a final hour of recreation, and the younger children were put to bed at 7:30, the big boys at 9.

Prince William plays the violin well and owns a valuable "Strad," said to have once belonged to Queen Louise. Prince Eitel plays the piano. All the princes ride horseback. An hour every day was devoted to riding, and Emperor William himself superintended these lessons. The children were put on ponies at an early age, taught to get on a horse bareback, unsaddle their mounts, and rub them down.

YOUNG SOLDIERS.

"My boys must be soldiers like their ancestors," Emperor William said when the princes were young. So the crown prince was made a soldier when he became 10. He is now a lieutenant of the First Foot Guards and of the Landwehr, and other infantry regiments. Prince Eitel also belongs to several regiments. Adalbert is the sailor of the family. He was placed on the roll of marines as a sub-lieutenant when 6 years old and has served as any other sailor on a training ship. The other princes are lieutenants in the Foot Guards.

Princess Victoria Louise has been trained to be as womanly as her brothers were taught to be manly. It is said that one of her Christmas presents not many years ago was a complete outfit for washing and ironing. All the tenderness in Emperor William's nature is extended to the one little girl of all his children. His favorite photographs are those taken with the princess on his knee. Although not over strong as children, the German princes have been so reared as to promote health and ruggedness.

OVERLOOKED

There Are Patent Medicines and Remedies Without Number For Every Disease and Affliction But One.

A prominent physician was recently asked why it was that there are so many "blood purifiers," "nerve tonics," and remedies for every ill, except one of the most common and annoying, viz., piles. He replied. There are two principal reasons. First, physicians and people in general have thought that the only permanent cure for piles was a surgical operation, that medicinal preparations were simply palliative. Another reason is that piles is in no sense of the word an imaginary disease; the sufferer from piles is very much aware of the fact, and for this reason, the few so-called pile salves, ointments, etc., have been short-lived. The patient very soon discovers their inefficiency.

He says further, fortunately, however, there is a new remedy for piles, which judging from its rapidly growing popularity, will soon take the place of all other treatment; it has certainly made astonishing cures in this obstinate disease and its merit has made it famous among physicians and wherever it has been introduced. This remedy is sold by all druggists under the name of Pyramid Pile Cure.

From the immediate relief which the Pyramid Pile Cure gives in all forms of piles, many physicians supposed it contained opium, cocaine or some similar substance, but upon analysis it was found to be perfectly free from anything of the kind, and that the instant relief and cure which follows its use is rather the result of its remarkable healing, soothing action on the parts affected.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is the only remedy, except a surgical operation, which immediately relieves and permanently cures every form of piles.

It is sold by druggists at 50c and $1, or by mail from Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich. 20u-yv

HEALER FAILED TO HEAL

Parents Held Responsible for Death of Their Child.

White Plains, N. Y., Oct. 24. — As a result of his inquiry into the death of Esther Quimby, Coroner Banning has found the following verdict:

"Esther Quimby came to her death in the Village of White Plains on the 19th day of October, 1902, of diphtheria and general septicoemia, owing to the culpable negligence of her parents, John Quimby and Georgiana Quimby, also a certain so-called 'healer,' named John Carroll Lathrop, in failing to provide proper medical care and attention. The evidence warrants the holding of the three persons under the penal code on a charge of manslaughter.

CHURCH SPLITS ON THE "AH-MEN"

Pronunciation One Reason of Pastor's Removal.

MANY NOVEL SHORTCOMINGS

Rev. Charles La Verne Roberts of Berwyn Methodist Church, Chicago, in Trouble.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—A waistcoat buttoning to the throat, having the choir chant, saying "ah-men" instead of "amen"—these are some of the reasons why the Rev. Charles Le Verne Roberts was compelled to leave the pastorate of the Berwyn Methodist Church, says the Chicago Tribune. One faction claiming to represent a large majority of the membership of the church, hoped to retain him. The other faction, also claiming to be the majority, is not sorry that he is to leave. The result is a church fight that threatens to disrupt the organization.

Besides these innovations, the young pastor, it is said, offered a short prayer over the collection made each Sunday morning when it was laid in front of the pulpit. He also asked that the choir chant the Lord's Prayer during the morning service. Here are some of the other objections raised to him: He appeared on the street with a cane and a silk hat; his clothes are from a fashionable tailor; he did not confine his visits to members of his own congregation; and, last reason, offered last evening by one of the members of the church, he lacked spirituality.

HISTORY OF THE STRIFE.

The trouble began six months ago. For some years the late Rev. J. W. Richards was the pastor of that church. At the time of his death there were three candidates for the position. The board of directors asked that Geo. Burwell, a Northwestern University student, be invited to serve until the conference should meet.

Bishop McCabe believed that the church should have a pastor who could devote his entire time to the work of the church. The result was that the supporters of Mr. Burwell were disappointed, and that those who had urged that Mr. Roberts should be sent were correspondingly gratified.

The next Sunday the congregation saw a smooth-faced, good-looking young man take his seat on the rostrum, and they noted that his waistcoat buttoned almost to his white lawn necktie. A few minutes later they heard him lead the people in prayer. At the conclusion he said "ah-men." Before they had recovered from their surprise the choir began the chant of the Lord's Prayer. Then followed the collection.

OPPOSITION MEETINGS.

For six months the new order of things proceeded. But the faction that was dissatisfied was waiting for the conference, when new appointments were to be made. Meetings were held and many of the board felt that Mr. Roberts should not be returned to Berwyn. Those who were supporting him claim that they had no idea but that he would be sent back to them as a matter of course. Until the night before the appointments were to be published they say they did not know of an organized effort being made against their pastor. Then they went to work, but it was too late.

PREACHER OF THE OLD SCHOOL.

In place of Mr. Roberts the Rev. C. C. Lovejoy, a preacher of the old school from Mount Carmel, Ill., was sent to fill the pulpit. Mr. Roberts was assigned to Pecatonica, Ill.

A farewell reception to Mr. and Mrs. Roberts will be given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hollingshead. On former occasions the farewell reception has been at the church. At former receptions, too, the new pastor has been welcomed into the church.

Mr. Roberts said that he had written to Bishop McCabe that he would not accept the assignment to Pecatonica, Ill.

"I have a great many friends in Berwyn," he said, "and I had anticipated a pleasant year there. I do not know yet where I shall go."

TYPHOID INCREASED

September Death Rate Double That of August.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—With the advent of autumn the number of cases of typhoid in the Province always increases, probably owing to low water in the wells in rural districts. This is shown in the monthly report of the Provincial Board of Health for September. The number of deaths from typhoid in September was 52, as compared with 26 in August. The deaths from whooping cough were 9, while in August they were 21. There were five less deaths from consumption than in August.

The details are given in the following table:

	Sept. 1901.	Sept. 1902.
Scarlatina	13	11
Diphtheria	45	25
Measles	2	0
Whooping cough	17	9
Typhoid	41	52
Consumption	168	167
Total deaths from all causes	1,963	1,934

Camille Flammarion, the astronomer and social reformer, has introduced a bill in the French Chamber of Deputies for the rationalizing of the calendar. He wants the year to start with the vernal equinox and consist of 364 days.

VESSEL SINKS; 18 LIVES LOST

Crew of French Schooner Lost on Grand Banks.

ACCIDENT TO DR. J. BARR, M.P.P.

Girl Ran Home After Having Arm Cut Off by a Train—Many Casualties.

St. Johns, Nfld., Oct. 24.—The French fishing vessel, Cecilia, has been lost on the Grand Banks. Her entire crew of eighteen perished. Owing to recent heavy gales on the Banks it is feared that there have been other casualties.

BOY DROWNED.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 24.—Frank Hall, aged 7, was drowned at Kaslo, B. C., through falling off the edge of a dock.

OLD MAN KILLED.

Winnipeg, Oct. 24.—An old man named James, aged 70 years, was killed on the Calgary and Edmonton road on Wednesday by a freight train. He was deaf and partially blind, and while walking on the track did not hear or see an approaching train.

KNOCKED OFF A CAR.

Three Rivers, Que., Oct. 24.—A conductor of a C. P. R. freight train named Lacasse, was knocked off while standing on top of a car passing through the bridge across the St. Maurice River here. He fell under the train and was killed.

ACCIDENT TO DR. BARR.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Dr. Barr, of Shelburne, member of the Legislature for Dufferin County, was brought to a hospital here to be treated for a fractured leg. He was out driving and was hurt in a collision with another rig.

ALBANY FIRE VICTIM.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Firemen who have been searching the ruins of Saturday night's big fire discovered the badly charred body of Ten Eyeck La Mouree, the night watchman at the Town & Brooks store, under a pile of rubbish about ten feet from one of the exits.

KILLED BY TROLLEY POLE.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 23.—John F. Tucker, conductor on the trolley line between Rome and Herkimer was killed near here early this morning. The conductor was on his way home and stood on the rear platform of the car talking with the regular conductor. The trolley slipped the wire and about two feet of the pole broke off and struck Tucker on the head, braining him.

LACROSSE PLAYER FATALLY HURT.

Port Hope, Ont., Oct. 24.—Grant McLean, aged 16, son of Col. McLean, died yesterday morning of peritonitis, resulting from injuries received in a lacrosse match played in Millbrooke a week ago.

SMOTHERED IN WRECK OF 16 CARS.

Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 24.—A broken wheel caused sixteen loaded coal cars to plunge from a high trestle near Preston Park on the O. and W. Railroad. William Smith, head trainman, was smothered to death beneath the wreckage.

RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN.

Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 24. — George Bristol, of Ancaster, while driving home from the city had his rig run down by a T., H. and B. freight train west of the city limits. Bristol was thrown out and sustained serious injuries, but not necessarily fatal.

RAILWAY MAN HURT.

Belleville, Ont., Oct. 23. — Victor Wensley, of this city, an employe of the G. T. R., fell off a freight car at Corbyville this afternoon and broke several ribs, besides sustaining interial injuries. He will likely recover.

SMOKESTACK FELL ON HIM.

Fort William, Ont., Oct. 24.—A workman named McNamara was fatally injured through a smokestack falling on him, breaking his legs in three places and smashing his shoulders, besides which he sustained internal injuries. McNamara came from Ohio and was employed by the Warren City Boiler Company.

GIRL HAD GREAT NERVE.

Toronto Junction, Oct. 23.—Remarkable nerve was shown by the 4-year-old daughter of Isaac Francis this afternoon. She was picking chips beside the Grand Trunk tracks this afternoon when a freight train ran over her, cutting her left arm off at the shoulder. The little girl picked herself up and ran home to her mother and told her she had lost her arm. The child is expected to recover.

PERISHED IN THE WOODS.

Parry Sound, Ont., Oct. 24.—On Sunday the body of an unknown man, who apparently had died from starvation and exposure, was found in the bush on Parry Island, near Depot Harbor. The body appears to be that of a seaman from the steamer Yuma, of Cleveland, Ohio, which arrived at Depot Harbor on Oct. 2, from Ashtabula, Ohio. He had given the captain of the Yuma trouble, being in delirium tremens, and had to be placed in irons while on board.

Liver Complaint, Biliousness

And Sick Headache Go Hand in Hand and Are Cured by the Direct Action of

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

"Biliousness" is the one word used by most people to describe their trouble when the liver gets out of order, leaves bile in the blood, upsets the digestive system and brings on sick headaches and irritable temper, stomach troubles and irregularities of the bowels.

People who suffer much from biliousness become pale and yellow in complexion, irritable and morose in disposition, and are liable to find themselves among the chronic grumblers to whom nothing seems to go right.

The trouble begins with the liver becoming torpid and sluggish in action, and disappears when the liver is set right. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills cure biliousness promptly because of their direct action on the liver. They thoroughly remove all the symptoms because of their combined action on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

Mrs. Don, 350 James street north, Hamilton, Ont., says: "I have been a martyr to sick headache. Though I tried numerous remedies, none seemed to bring relief. At times I found myself on the verge of despair; nothing met my case. I recently procured a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and am thankful to say that at last I have found the right medicine. At once I obtained relief. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have worked wonders for me, and I shall always recommend them."

After all, it pays to stand by the tried and proven medicines instead of running after every new-fangled treatment that is brought out. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are considered well-nigh indispensable in thousands of the best homes. They stand supreme as a reliable family medicine. One pill a dose; 25 cents a box; at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

THEORIES ABOUT FOOD

Also a Few Facts on the Same Subject.

We hear much nowadays about health foods and hygienic living, about vegetarianism and many other fads along the same line.

Restaurants may be found in the large cities where no meat, pastry or coffee is served, and the food crank is in his glory, and arguments and theories galore advanced to prove that meat was never intended for human stomachs, and almost make us believe that our sturdy ancestors who lived four score years in robust health on roast beef, pork and mutton must have been grossly ignorant of the laws of health.

Our forefathers had other things to do than formulate theories about the food they ate. A warm welcome was extended to any kind from bacon to acorns.

A healthy appetite and common sense are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of grains, fruits and meats is undoubtedly the best.

As compared with grains and vegetables, meat furnishes the most nutriment in a highly concentrated form and is digested and assimilated more quickly than vegetables and grains.

Dr. Julius Remmson on this subject says: Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat meat and plenty of it. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be easily corrected by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. Two of these excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs or other animal food in three hours, and no matter how weak the stomach may be, no trouble will be experienced if a regular practice is made of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they supply the pepsin and diastase necessary to perfect digestion, and every form of indigestion will be overcome by their use.

That large class of people who come under the head of nervous dyspeptics should eat plenty of meat and insure its proper digestion by the daily use of a safe, harmless digestive medicine like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, composed of the natural digestive principles, pepsin, diastase, fruit acids, and salts, which actually perform the work of digestion. Cheap cathartic medicines, masquerading under the name of dyspepsia cures, are useless for indigestion as they have absolutely no effect upon the actual digestion of food.

Dyspepsia in all its many forms is simply a failure of the stomach to digest food and the sensible way to solve the riddle and cure the dyspepsia is to make daily use at meal time of a preparation like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which is indorsed by the medical profession and known to contain active digestive principles.

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WHEN LIFE'S A BURDEN

It Is Generally the Result of Disease—Constipation Causes Many a One to Breathe a Prayer That Death May End All Troubles.

Celery King Cures Constipation Permanently.

When one's liver becomes surcharged with filth, one knows that unless cleaned out, the putrid mass will rot and permeate the very air with its foulness. Then death will lurk ever near and its haunting shadow will ever follow you. It's the same with a man's system. If the filthy residues remain in the body, how great is the danger you run. Hideously nasty your whole body and soon render you diseased so that death were welcome. Celery King being purely vegetable, acts quietly but surely through the stomach and blood, builds up the torn down fabrics of the system, renews the blood till in its rich ruddy flood, it fills every remote and tingling portion of the body.

"For the past three years, I have had stomach trouble and bowel complaint and as a woman advanced in years, I supposed there was no relief for me. In the fall of 1897 I was confined to my bed and my physician had great trouble in checking a severe attack of stomach and bowel trouble.

"Since then up to four months ago, I had these attacks often, each one more weakening than the other. My health became so impaired and I lost flesh so rapidly, that I became alarmed. My son who suffered from chronic nervous troubles and had obtained beneficial results from taking Celery King, often asked me to try it, but I never had any faith in patent medicines and considering my case hopeless, I concluded not to experiment. But while suffering great distress, he one day persuaded me to try Celery King. I made a cup that night and it gave me great relief. I procured a package at Hooper's drug store and only need to take a dose now and then, but I always keep it in the house. You may use my name.

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

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THE WEATHER TODAY—Warmer, partly fair, local showers.

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48-inch Panne Finish Zibeline Suiting, very rich, glossy finish. The yard only $1 25
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56-inch Frieze Finish Cheviot, heavy for unlined skirts or suits, best finish. The yard 90c
52-inch Black Cheviot Suiting, English make, guaranteed fast color. The yard 75c
56-inch Black Cheviot, heavy for suits or separate skirts, unlined. The yard 50c
56-inch Heavy Black Frieze Suiting, bright finish, for unlined skirt or suit 75c
58-inch Black Venetian Suiting, smooth bright finish, good weight for tailored suits. The yard, $1 00, $1 25 and $1 50
44-inch Black Boucle Suitings, heavy pebble effects, very new styles. The yard, 75c, $1 00 and $1 35
48-inch Black Boucle, heavy rough surface, new and very stylish for suits or separate skirts, $1 75 and $2 00
48-inch Black Camelshair Suiting, heavy stripe effect, bright finish, very stylish for separate skirts. The yard $2 00
48-inch Canvas Suiting, heavy weave, all wool, very solid cloth. The yard only $1 00
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42-inch All-Wool Canvas, finer weave, suitable for dress or waist. Our low price 50c
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MEN ARE DISSATISFIED

Friction Between Grand Trunk Railway Company and Its Engineers.

Toronto, Oct. 24. — There are rumors of impending trouble between the Grand Trunk Railway and the engineers on that system, says the Globe. The agreement between the company and the engineers expired on the first of last month, and for six weeks a committee representing the men has been unsuccessfully endeavoring to have a new agreement signed. There are 36 men, representing the entire system, on this committee, and they have been three times to Montreal, at a very considerable expense to the brotherhood, without, as they report, accomplishing anything.

In the new agreement which the men propose increased pay and shorter hours of labor form the principal element, but there are a large number of minor grievances which they want rectified.

The officials of the Grand Trunk are well aware of a weakness that exists in the brotherhood itself, and, the men say, are prepared to take advantage of it.

The trouble in the brotherhood is that the younger object to the rule of the older element. The men who now control the organization on the Grand Trunk system are in the main old men, and some of them are not even in the employ of the road. They are men who have retired, but who are entitled to retain their membership and hold the benefits of the insurance. On this account there are not a few of the younger men who have been promoted from firemen to engineers, who have not joined the latter's brotherhood, but who still remain in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. Thus in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers itself there are the two jarring elements, which to some extent prevent unanimity of action. At the present time, therefore, the situation is that the men are dissatisfied with the treatment they are receiving from the railroad, but that matters have not gone so far as to call off the negotiations.

Convalescence.

Convalescence is sometimes merely apparent, not real, and especially is this true after such diseases as pneumonia, typhoid fever and the grip. To make it real and rapid, there is no other tonic so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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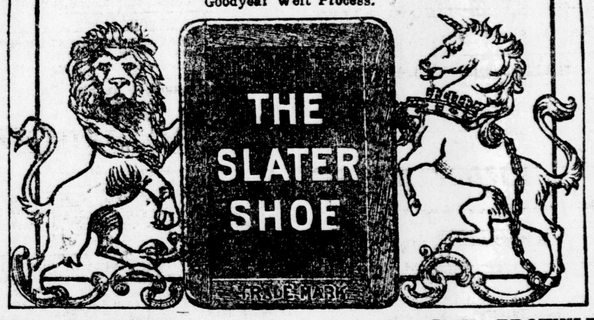
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Kick on Manners.

Are bad manners on the increase among us? Riding the other day on a suburban train there were five men sitting without their coats within the immediate range of the writer's vision, and it was not an inordinately warm day either, says Harper's Weekly. One of these gentlemen had gone as far as to roll up his sleeves and take off his collar, a pair of red suspenders being much in evidence. There were also three women in the same car who divested themselves of gloves and hats with the utmost unconcern, and who were possibly prepared to go further had the thermometer been a few degrees higher. Five or even three, years ago, such spectacles were confined to the smoking car and to the day coaches of immigrant trains.

Ready to Serve

Clark's Ready Lunch Beef—The most palatable and delicious article on the market.

Seemed the Proper Thing.

"Tomorrow," said the St. Louis pastor to the chorister, "I shall preach a sermon on the widespread sin of 'boodling,' as illustrated in the recent shocking disclosures of official corruption in our city. If possible let one of your musical selections for the morning service be appropriate to the theme."

Accordingly the choir next morning sang as a voluntary, in the most feeling manner:

"I love to steal awhile away."—Chicago Tribune.

Miss Minnie Schenck, of Williamsport, Pa., is declared to be champion woman rifle shot of the world, having just established a record of 20 consecutive bullseyes at 200 yards. Miss Schenck, who uses a .32 caliber rifle, is a terror to sparrows. Out of 50 shots she did not miss once, using a .32 caliber rifle.

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The Good News Is Spreading!

10 Off in All Departments.

The Great Clearance Sale

Is the crowning triumph of all underselling. There's great savings here, one-quarter and one-half in some lines, during this sale. We're unloading and clearing out lots of lines of goods.

Everything marked in plain figures, and 10 off our marked prices.

Just In--Big Purchase of Black and White Feather Breasts for Hat Trimming.

30 dozen Black and White and Fancy Breasts, in navy blue and red. Special prices in all these lines and 10 off.

Beautiful Black Ostrich Feathers.

Large size; special prices, $1 95, $2 39, $2 97, $3 75 to $6 each. 10 off.

Velvet and Velveteen Dept.

5 pieces only, of Black Silk Velvet, regular 50c. Sale price 25c yard, and 10 off.

Silk Velvets in black and all colors, 39c, 50c, 75c and $1 yard. 10 off these prices.

Blanket Department.

Special line of Wool Blankets, fine fancy borders, $2 25 pair, less 10 off. You pay $2 50 for these without any discount.

Special Line Black Silk-Finish Velveteen.

26 inches wide, regular 75c; sale price 59c and 10 off. You want to see this, ladies.

22-inch Black Velveteen, sale price 25c. 10 off.

Two special lines of Black Silk-Finish Velveteens, wide width, 35c and 39c yard. 10 off.

Hosiery Department—10 Off Our Special Prices on all Lines.

Ladies' Fleeced Lined Cotton Hose, black only, regular 25c; sale price 12½c. 10 off. See what you save here.

Ladies' Fine Black Wool Hose, regular 25c; sale price 19c pair. 10 off.

Ladies' Fine Plain Black Cashmere Hose, regular 50c; sale price 39c pair, less 10 off.

Millinery Department.

STYLISH FALL HATS ARE TO BE SEEN HERE.

And they are veritable creations of the Artist-Milliner. Pretty Hats and Bonnets, with all the grace and dash that our artists can put into them, are ready for you. Come and bring your friends. All are welcome, buyers or not.

10 OFF ALL LINES.

SHOT ON TELEPHONE TIP

Chicago Typo Was Warned to Watch His Wife.

Had a Busy Time—Used Revolver With Serious Results.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Telephone messages from an unknown informant caused Daniel F. Angel, a linotype machinist, to follow his wife on Monday and attempt the death of a man in whose company, it is said, she was found. P. R. Nourse, 536 East Fiftieth street, was the victim of Angel's wrath and was shot twice, the bullets inflicting dangerous wounds.

Angel is 25 years old. His wife is ten years younger and pretty. The husband is said to have been extremely jealous, and that fact being known has led to many practical jokes upon him.

Angel declares he was summoned to the telephone in his home at night and notified by a feminine voice that his wife had an engagement two hours later with an admirer. Telling his wife that he was called away on business, he hurried to a nearby store, where he purchased a revolver, then returned by a rear entrance to his house, where he secreted himself in a basement. A few minutes later his wife went away and was followed by Angel.

In a crowd about the corner of Fiftieth street and Evans avenue, Angel lost sight of his wife, and for two hours searched vainly for her. Finally, in front of the Vestibule saloon, 536 Fiftieth street, he saw her walking, apparently with a man. He shouted at her and she turned, and, seeing her husband, fled through a passageway between the saloon and a residence and disappeared.

As Angel started in pursuit he collided with Nourse, who was standing near the entrance of the passageway.

"That's my wife you've got!" he shouted, and, as Nourse started to expostulate, he was struck by the enraged man.

A struggle followed in which Angel was being worsted when he drew the revolver from his pocket and fired four shots. Two were effective, and Nourse, staggering, grasped his assailant, and with a final effort threw him to the ground, falling on top of him. The revolver fell beneath the men, and both fought for its possession, while a crowd which had seen the affray stood about afraid to interfere or to seize the weapon.

Angel had again grasped the weapon when O. J. Doane ran forward and seized his arm wresting the revolver from him. Policemen were summoned, and Nourse was taken to his house, while his assailant was sent to the Fiftieth street station.

The wounds of Nourse were dressed by Dr. Lockechla, who pronounced them dangerous. The man denied having been with Mrs. Angel, and declares he had never seen the woman. He is secretary and treasurer of a real estate investment company at 78 La Salle street. Angel says Nourse has been an acquaintance of his wife's for several months.

AN ADVENTUROUS VOYAGE

Four Men Sail From Chicago to Seek Buried Gold.

Treasure Hidden in Patagonia—A Cowboy Leader.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—Somewhere on the Illinois and Michigan canal or on the Illinois River, is the small schooner Mercury, headed south on an adventurous journey. It carries a party of four gold seekers and what are said to be all the necessary elements for another story like "King Solomon's Mines."

Charles Corrigan, said to be a Texas cowboy; Emery Busse, an old lake captain, and two sailors are the crew. They are said to have a map locating "a fabulous treasure mine" along the Patagonian coast. They have heard stories of untold wealth and great suffering, of gold hunting expeditions slaughtered by the Patagonians, and say they have seen specimens of the ore which is said to come from the treasure trove.

The Mercury started down the drainage canal last week in tow of a fast steam launch. According to their announced plans the gold hunters will go down the Illinois and Mississippi Rivers, across the Gulf of Mexico, and down the east coast of South America. Then they go through the Straits of Magellan and up the Patagonian coast.

The map is to tell them where the treasure lies buried, guarded, the adventurers say, by natives who have slaughtered two expeditions which were trying to find it.

It is a wonderful story with which Corrigan, who is the leader of the gold hunters, has excited their imaginations. The Patagonians, he has told them, refuse to allow white men to penetrate into the country, and the dangers of the trip are numberless. Nevertheless the sight of rich ore which Corrigan said came from the mines proved a loadstone, and the small party of four was collected for the trip.

Corrigan is the only man in the party who has seen the chart, if indeed there be a chart. All are said to have seen the ore, however.

While Corrigan is little known in Chicago, Busse is a familiar character. He has been a lake navigator for 25 years and an officer on many lake boats. During the first few months the Christopher Columbus was in service he was one of its officers. He has sailed on the Vernon, which was lost in Lake Superior; the Trumbull, the Minnie M., and the Martha B.

The two sailors who composed the "crew" were chosen among the men who had served under Capt. Busse.

Corrigan is in command of the gold hunters, and Busse is second in command. The Mercury is a 40-foot schooner, built two years ago at Manitowoc.

BURGLARS RAN BIG RISK

Blew Up Safe Close to a Stack of Dynamite.

Night Fireman Laveck Had a Hair-Raising Experience.

Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 24. — Frank P. Laveck, about 23 years of age, had a rather startling experience about 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Laveck is the night fireman at Pere Marquette mine, No. 2, out Gratiot avenue, just inside the city limits. He is the only man above ground at that hour, the miners being busy below.

Laveck had stepped into the engine room, when an arm encircled his neck, a revolver was thrust in his face and he was commanded to hold up his hands. Thinking it was someone playing a joke on him, he made a move to turn the weapon aside and to look behind him, when he caught sight of a mask, and was ordered to throw up his hands. He complied with the order and a coat which was hanging in the room was tied around his head, his feet and hands being also tied. They told him they were going to blow the safe in the office. He says he thinks there must have been more than three, as two of them stood guard over him.

After a few minutes Laveck asked to be released, as he was afraid the boilers might blow up. At this one of the burglars said that he would attend to that, and Laveck heard him shovel some coal into the furnace, and then reported to him what the gauge of the steam pressure then indicated. The guard then obligingly started the pumps at work for the safety of the men below.

The bottom of the safe was blown and the doors wrenched from their hinges, a much heavier charge being used than necessary. Nitroglycerine was used.

Only a few feet away in another room was stored a quantity of dynamite for use in the mine. There was enough there to wreck all the buildings in the neighborhood, and it is a wonder that the concussion did not start it off.

About $110 was secured, all papers in the safe being left untouched.

FORTY THOUSAND A YEAR

Terrible List of Accidents on United States Railways.

Ten Thousand Persons Killed or Injured in Three Months.

Washington, Oct. 24.—The number of persons killed in train accidents during the months of April, May and June last, as shown by a bulletin issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission giving the reports made by the railroad companies, was 140 and the injured 1,810. Accidents of other kinds, including those sustained by employes while at work and by passengers getting on or off cars, etc., swells the aggregate to 616 killed and 9,520 injured, or a total of 10,136 casualties. The total number of collisions and derailments was 2,010, of which 1,094 were collisions. Of these 157 collisions and 101 derailments affected passenger trains. The damage resulting to cars, engines and roadway by these accidents aggregated $1,813,833. The average loss by each collision was approximately $824, and by each derailment $995. The total casualties during the fiscal year ended June 30 last, including the 800 injured. The number of employes killed shows a diminution of 68 per cent since 1893, when the safety appliance act was passed, and this decrease has occurred notwithstanding the much larger number of men employed.

MILITIA CHANGES

As Shown by General Orders Gazetted at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—Militia general orders gazetted here contain the following provisions—Twenty-sixth Regiment (Middlesex Light Infantry), G. S. Lindsay having been discharged from special service in South Africa, is reinstated as captain, with rank and seniority.

Twenty-eighth (Perth) Regiment—To be second lieutenant, provisionally, W. J. Thompson, vice E. A. Dunbar, retired.

Thirty-first (Grey) Regiment—Lieut. R. Torry resigns.

Thirty-sixth (Peel) Regiment—To be second lieutenant, supernumerary, A. R. Campbell.

Thirty-ninth Regiment (Norfolk Rifles)—Capt. W. B. Langs, resigns his commission. To be captain, Lieut. F. D. Snider; to be lieutenants, Second Lieut. W. G. Hutchinson, J. S. Brown.

A Motto for Diners.

Said Dean Swift very aptly in remarking that "no one ought to talk at a dinner table longer than a minute at a time":

"Conversation is but carving;
Give no more to every guest
Than he's able to digest.
Give him always of the prime,
And but little at a time.
Carve to all but just enough,
Let them neither starve nor stuff,
And that you may have your due,
Let some neighbor carve for you."



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HANNA NEARLY COLLAPSED

The Senator Had To Be Helped to His Chair at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Oct. 23.—Senator Hanna nearly broke down at the close of his speech here tonight. He was standing some distance from the speaker's table when his strength seemed to fail him, and he had to reach for the stand, dragging himself over to it where he rested his hand.

After a moment's hesitation, he announced that his physical condition would not allow him to speak longer and he was helped to his chair by others on the stage.

Bars Closed on Referendum.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Many inquiries have reached the license branch of the Ontario Government as to whether barrooms must be closed on Dec. 4, the day of the vote on the liquor act. Mr. J. K. Stewart, chief inspector of licenses, said yesterday that by a clause in the prohibition act the provisions of the general election law respecting closing of bars, corruption, etc., would apply to the coming vote.

Toronto Fair Finances.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—The Toronto Exhibition directors have decided to hold the fair next year on the same date as this year—Sept. 1 to 13. The directors' financial statement shows total receipts, $115,785, and estimated expenditures (a few acounts being still open), $104,543—balance on hand, $11,242. Total receipts from admission, $94,355, or an average of over $9,000 per day. Over 9,000 season tickets at $1 were sold. The percentage to the exhibition from the side shows amounted to about $2,500, but it is believed that when the expenses entered into in connection with these shows is counted up, such as the expense of lighting, there will not be very much profit left to the exhibition on this account.

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VIOLENT VOLCANOES

Soufriere Has Been Active Ever Since Oct. 15—Isalco Busy.

St. Vincent, B. W. I., Oct. 24.—The Soufriere volcano has been in practice since Oct. 15, keeping the people in the Windward district in a state of continuous unrest. The devastated lands now include all the plantations on the northeastern coast down to the Grand Sable estate, on which the re-establishment of cultivation will be hopeless for years, even should La Soufriere soon become quiescent.

A deputation of distressed inhabitants waited upon the administrator for the purpose of informing the Government of the hopeless condition of the district. They appeal for food and shelter, especially for their wives and children, and begged to be moved from the northern quarter of the island to form a new settlement in another locality. The administrator promised to communicate the facts to his chief.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 24.—People from Puerto Barrios report that the volcano of Isalco, in Salvador, is now in a state of violent eruption. The eruption began on Sept. 7, when five large openings or craters formed on the north side of the volcano, from which quantities of lava and burning stones were ejected. Those living in the town of Isalco and the neighboring country, fled before the flow of lava, and believe that their houses were completely destroyed. The stream flowed for a distance of three miles from the crater. Lake Foatepeque, which lies at the foot of the volcano, was flooded with boiling sulphur, the water becoming hot enough to cook eggs. Fears were entertained of further disaster.

Canadian Northern's New Manager.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 22.—It is understood that E. A. James leaves the C. P. R. on Monday to take over the office of general superintendent of the Canadian Northern. Mr. Hanna will not leave for Toronto until the end of the month, as he has matters to arrange in the West in connection with his new office as third vice-president. It is understood that Superintendent Arundel, of the Winnipeg division of the C. P. R., has accepted a position with the Canadian Northern and will be made divisional superintendent by Mr. James.

New Outlet.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 21.—The report is confirmed today that the consummation yesterday of the purchase of property by the Mellon Brothers for a new harbor on Lake Erie, near Girard, is in furtherance of a plan of the Jones and Laughlin Steel Company, of this city, to secure a railway outlet of their own to the lakes. Surveys have been made and work will be begun at once to complete the Pittsburg, Niles and Western road, which will probably be the shortest and most level line running north from Pittsburg. It is estimated that it will cost $15,000,000. The Pittsburg, Niles and Western will have a total distance of about 125 miles.

A New Wireless Telegraph.

London, Oct. 24.—The Eastern Telegraph Company has equipped its cable ships with a new system of wireless telegraphy, designed by J. E. Maskelyne, jun., for the company. He purposes to utilize the ships in an auxiliary cable service for inter-island communication or any other short stretches where tides and rocks unduly shorten the life of a cable. Mr. Maskelyne's system utilizes a closed metallic circuit, both for the sending and receiving station, and a new form of coherer, dispensing with metal filings, claiming that the action is much more delicate and reliable.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY
176-178 Dundas Street, London,
Friday, October 24, 1902.

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2 Great Towel Specials.

Our genuine 40c Turkish Bath Towel, in linen color and white striped, extra heavy, fringed ends, size 24x52 inches; on Saturday morning, at 8 o'clock, for, each.....23c

Pure Linen Huckaback Towels, wide hem, hemstitched ends, size 25x42 inches, a 40c Towel; Saturday, at 8 a.m., each.....25c

Three Specials in Our Underwear Department.

Ladies' Fleece-Lined Vests, lace-trimmed in front and neck, shaped, good length, long sleeves, fastened down front, regular 35c, for, each 25c

Ladies' Fleece-Lined Vests, shaped, tape at neck, lace trimmed, long sleeves, fastened down front, regular 50c, for, each 35c

Ladies' Ribbed Knit Plush Fleece-Lined Vests, shaped, fastened in front, long sleeves, extra fine quality, regular 75c, for, each 50c

Kid Gloves, 59c Pair.

Ladies' Fine French Viola Kid Gloves, in brown, tan, gray and green, silk-stitched backs, two dome fasteners, all sizes, regular $1, special, pair 59c

$1 25 Wrappers for 95c.

Two dozen only, Ladies' Flannel Wrappers, in red and in blue, plaid back, full front, frills over shoulder, collar, yoke and sleeves trimmed with fancy braid, fitted lining in waist, strapped front, sizes 32 to 40, regular price $1 25, Saturday, only, each.....95c

Clearing of Chatelaines.

35c and 40c Chatelaines for, each 25c
45c and 50c Chatelaines for, each 35c
65c and 75c Chatelaines for, each 45c
90c, $1 and $1 25 Chatelaines for, each 68c

Dressing Sacques, $1 00.

Ladies, Pretty Wrapperette Dressing Sacques, in blue, pink and cardinal, full front, fitted back, deep rolling collar, sleeves and collar trimmed with deep 4-inch frill of lace, box pleat down front, fastened with pearl buttons, special, each $1 00

Eiderdown Coats, $1 75.

Children's Eiderdown Coats in castor and cardinal, striped, short yoke, full skirt, deep pointed cape, lined throughout with fine cream sateen, sizes 1, 2 and 3, regular prices $2 25 and $2 50, Saturday, only each $1 75

See the display of Fancy Neckwear in our window, each 15c

Black Patent Leather and Tan Leather Belts, metal buckles, Saturday, for each 10c

Good Umbrellas for the school children, Gloria covering, Congo handle, each 39c

Another Big Tea Offer.

Our guarantee, your money back, if the tea doesn't suit you.

This celebrated tea is composed of Japan and Ceylon teas, brought to this country by the best merchants we know of. We don't handle this line as a money maker. We simply put it in along with other specials. Done up in 1-lb. packages, 1 pound only to a customer.

Black Tea, worth 45c, for, pound 25c
Green Tea, worth 45c, for pound 25c
Black and Green Tea, mixed, worth 45c, for, pound. 25c

SOAP SPECIALS.

The famous Old Judd Soap, with full directions for washing, and also our guarantee, your money back if the soap doesn't suit you, sold by all dealers at 2 for 5c, our price Saturday, 6 for 10c
See the great table of Soap, 3 lines, Saturday at 3 for 5c

Nice Pearl Buttons in 4 sizes, Saturday, 3 dozen for ..10c

Regular 25c Music for 5c.

"Talk, Talk, Talk," "'Twas All Through Loving You, Dear," "Gracie," "Katy Did," "There's Nothin' Doin'," "You're Just the Man That I've Been Looking For," "I've Got Company and You Can't Come In," "It Rained a Mist," and many others, copy 5c

Dinner Set Specials.

3 only 97-piece Dinner Sets, in green, blue and pink patterns, best English semi-porcelain, regular $8 50, Saturday, set $6 75
4 only, 97-piece Dinner Sets, in brown and blue design, regular $9 00, Saturday, set $7 50

China Specials.

50 dozen new China Cups and Saucers, different styles and patterns to select from, regular 25c, Saturday 15c
4 dozen fancy China Bowls, gilt and floral decorations, regular 15c, Saturday, each 10c
5 dozen China Cream Pitchers, floral designs, special, each 10c

Hardware Specials.

4 dozen 25c Jackknives, each ..15c
5 dozen Child's Combination Sets in case, knife, fork and spoon, Saturday 10c
Emery Knife Sharpeners, each 10c
A 25c pair of Scissors for .. .15c

Candy Specials

All Day Saturday.

Maple Cream Taffy, regular 20c lb. Saturday, lb. 10c
Spanish Peanut Crisp, lb 9c
Brittle Almond Rock Taffy, regular 15c, for lb. 10c
Jelly Fondants, jelly center, cream dipped; why pay 35c lb. for this line when you can buy it here for, lb.....10c
Greek Fondants, any flavor, lb. 10c
Pepsin Gum, regular 5c, 3 for 5c

If you want Correspondence Stationery, we have it. Our finest lines are hard to describe, but we have a layout of the finest and best shown in London. We are showing some special lines for Saturday.

See the new Austrian hand-made laces.

Our Fancy Goods Department is the proper place to get the latest novelties in gifts, etc.

Saturday Evening Specials,

After 7:30 p.m.

Last Saturday night 700 yards of Lace were snatched up before 8 o'clock. Tomorrow evening we offer 900 yards of fine Valenciennes Laces and Insertions, ranging in width from ½ inch to 8½ inches wide (not more than 10 yards of one pattern to a customer, prices range up to 9c, choice, yard 3c

At Fancy Goods Department.

1,000 lbs. of Crossley's Cream Candies, including fruit centers, soft mellow creams, chocolate drops, brownies, walnut top creams and many other lines. This mixture is positively worth 25c lb. Our price Saturday at 7:30 p.m., one pound for 7c
32 dozen fancy China Bread and Butter Plates, 4 different patterns, never sold less than 2 for 25c, for each 5c
Not more than 6 to one person. Shown in the Art Room.

Saturday in Our Wall Paper Department.

300 rolls of handsome red and green Papers, regular 25c, for, roll 12½c
White Curtain Poles, silver ends, each 15c

150 rolls dainty white satin stripe Paper, floral design, regular 10c, for, roll 5c
Table Oilcloth, 1¼ yards wide, yard 25c

500 rolls Cream Paper, floral and gilt design, regular 15c, for roll 10c
Another lot of those slightly soiled Window Shades, regular 35c, for each 19c

A Sale of Carving Sets Saturday.

25 only, sets of Carvers, warranted best steel, with polished bone handle, worth $2 00 set, Saturday only, set $1 19
15 only, sets of Carvers, warranted best cutlery, steel, staghorn handle, regular $1 50, Saturday, set 98c
12 only, sets of Carvers, in satin and plush lined case, with steel, regular $4 50, special, Saturday, set $3 25
Another line of Carvers, good steel, wood handle, regular 50c, Saturday only, set 32c

Sale of Graniteware.

4 dozen Coffee Pots, regular 40c, for, each 15c
15 only small Teapots, regular 40c, for, each 25c
50 Rice Boilers, Saturday, each 50c
Large Granite Colanders, each 25c
Large Pie Tins, 3 for 25c
Funnels, regular 25c, for, each 15c

Sale of Tinware, Etc.

5 gallon Oil Cans, regular 50c, for, each 39c
Child's Japanned Baths, each 98c
Large Sheetiron Roast Pans, each 15c
9 only No. 8 Copper Pit-Bottom Boilers, Saturday, for, each $1
6 dozen strong wire Potato Mashers, each 2c

Pillow Sham Holders, each 15c | Strong Ash Sifters, each .. 15c

Sale of Crockery.

10 dozen Fruit Saucers blue and pink pattern, regular 5c, at 2 for 5c
2 dozen only, Sugar Bowls, pink and blue design, regular 35c, for 10c
4 dozen Colored Bowls, each .. 5c
Cups and Saucers, blue and white and pink and white, set 5c

Sale of Glassware.

25 only large Glass Stand Lamps, regular 50c, complete, for .. 39c
32 large Glass Stand Lamps, regular 35c and 40c, complete, for 25c
Fancy Gas Globes, each 15c
Large Fruit Dishes, 9 different patterns, regular 25c, for, each 15c

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Tupper Redivivus.

Our old friend Sir Charles Tupper bobs up serenely at the Borden banquet at Winnipeg—in spite of his 81 years just as jaunty as any young chap around the table, able to enjoy a full-course dinner, sit through long-winded speeches, deliver one himself, and make a night of it with the boys. What brand of health food does he use? Sir Charles is not growing a bit mellower with years. He is the same delightful old swashbuckler. His Winnipeg speech has the old familiar ring. How often and how vehemently has he challenged the Liberal party to "name one great public measure which it had initiated or carried through, for the benefit of Canada"? There is no use in quoting to him political history, because the veteran has more than once told us that the history of Canada for the last fifty years is bound up with Sir Charles Tupper. No doubt Sir Charles believes himself the only authentic father of Confederation. The unbiassed student of Canadian politics will be disposed to ask what would have been the fate of Canadian unity had not George Brown stepped into the breach in 1864. The Liberal party was the first and foremost champion of the federal principle. Sir John A. Macdonald was its first and foremost opponent. He fought Confederation till the eleventh hour. In 1864 the constitutional committee of the House of Commons reported that "a strong feeling was found to exist among the members of the committee in favor of changes in the direction of the federative system, applied either to Canada alone or to the whole British-American provinces, and such progress has been made as to warrant the committee in recommending that the subject be again referred to a committee at the next session of Parliament." Only three members of the committee refused to sign the report. One of the three was John A. Macdonald. When his Administration was defeated, and Mr. Brown, realizing that a dangerous crisis had been reached, and that efficient government had become impossible under prevailing conditions, volunteered to coalesce with him, in order to carry through a federal scheme, Mr. Macdonald executed one of those lightning changes which earned for him the title of the prince of political strategists. He saw the current of public favor setting in toward federation, and he decided to swim with it, true to his instincts. The late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie has touched on this as follows:

"The first day of July, 1867, saw the great reform accomplished, for which Mr. Brown had toiled so many years, and saw also the Conservatives, who opposed it to the last, now reaping the fruit of their opponents' labors. Thenceforward Mr. Macdonald would be able to boast he was father of Confederation, on the same ground that he boasted of carrying the measure to secularize the clergy reserve lands. He strongly opposed both measures, on principle, as long as it was possible to do so, and then joined the men who had initiated and carried forward the movement of both, and declared the work was his own. Having no great work of his own to boast about, he bravely plucks the laurel from the brows of the actual combatants, and real victors, and fastens it on his own head."

Sir Charles Tupper is nothing if not audacious, and is not the man to be frightened out of a position by trifles like historical facts. The Liberal party was the first party to advocate the acquirement of the Northwest Territories from the Hudson's Bay Company. It was a Liberal Administration that began the construction of the C. P. R., and events have proved that in this great project the Mackenzie Government erred on the side of caution and economy no more that its successor erred on the side of reckless extravagance.

An Enterprising County.

Middlesex should take off its hat to Wentworth County. The go-ahead ratepayers of Wentworth have voted to spend $98,000 on the county road system. This will entitle them to $20,000 from the million dollar good roads fund established by the Ontario Government. The county will spend $63,104 in the purchase of six toll roads, and nearly $50,000 for the improvement of 62 miles of county roads. The farmers of Wentworth have set an example of enterprise and progress for their neighbors. In Middlesex we have still that relic of barbarism, the toll gate, confronting the traveler on the main highway leading to the city. The neighboring County of Elgin is studded with them. Private ownership of highways in the twentieth century is an anachronism that no enlightened community should tolerate.

Wentworth is one of the number of counties that have been induced to go in for a scheme of road improvement by the Ontario Government's legislation, setting aside a million dollars for the encouragement of good roads. This measure was ridiculed by the Opposition and described as another burst of the Premier's fireworks. Mr. Whitney poked a great deal of fun at it in the last campaign. The only effect, he said, had been to set the municipalities by the ears.

The United States of Europe.

In his rectorial address at Edinburgh University, Mr. Carnegie tendered some good advice to the Kaiser and Czar, in urging an industrial union of the countries of continental Europe and a peace agreement which would relieve them of their colossal military burdens. Protectionists point to the progress and prosperity of the United States under a high tariff. As a matter of fact the United States is the greatest free trade area in the world. If a tariff wall had been built around each state, would the country have shown such amazing growth and industrial development? If protection is such a good thing why should not each state protect itself against all the others, or the North against the South and the East against the West? The countries of Europe have adopted this policy. Each of them is isolated by a tariff breakwater. Take down the breakwaters and trade would flow over the boundary lines in natural channels; Europe would then have a vastly greater free market than the United States, and would be in an incomparably stronger position economically than under the present system. She is now handicapped as the United States would be if New York put up a tariff against Pennsylvania, or one group of states protected itself against another. A European zollverein would enable France, Germany and Russia, and Austria to laugh at the American invasion, which is such a bugaboo to them at present. Europe is as rich as the United States in natural resources; it has as great a variety of climate, soil and production and it is far more populous. If the money spent on militarism were put to fruitful use, the standing armies turned into the ranks of industry, and the tariff obstructions thrown down, the face of Europe would be entirely changed.

The coal operators have found an excuse for raising the price of coal 50 cents per ton. The public will pay for the cost of the strike in the long run.

Premier Laurier goes to his country home at Arthabaskaville for a rest. He will leave the Ottawa correspondents to reconstruct the Cabinet in the meantime.

The Boer delegates declare they have been "overwhelmed with kindness in this country." It is gratifying to know Canadians have won their respect in peace as well as in war.

The Cleveland Leader has a glowing description of the work the Walkers are doing at Rondeau. Port Stanley would have had it if the business had not been bungled here.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's versatility is acknowledged by his critics. Four days ago they would have it that Mr. Tarte was the real master. Now they complain that Sir Wilfrid is altogether too masterful.

The Supreme Court of Washington has decided that a Japanese cannot become a citizen of the United States. Uncle Sam may try that game safely on China, but little Japan cannot be insulted with impunity, as the motto has it.

With Distinction.

[Harper's Bazar.]

"We treat our cook just like one of the family," said Mrs. Gilfoyle.

"We don't," added Mrs. Poindexter. "We don't dare. We are polite to our cook."

His Theory.

[Washington Star.]

"You don't have much to say on public questions?"

"No," answered Senator Sorghum. "I am very much inclined to think that in modern affairs public questions are of less consequence than private understandings."

'Tis But a Little Faded Flower.

[Ellen Clemntine Howarth.]

'Tis but a little faded flower,
But oh, how fondly dear!
'Twill bring me back one golden hour,
Through many a weary year.
I may not to the world impart
The secret of its power,
But treasured in my inmost heart
I keep my faded flower.

Where is the heart that does not keep
Within its inmost core,
Some fond remembrance, hidden deep,
Of days that are no more?
Who hath not saved some trifling thing
More prized than jewels rare—
A faded flower, a broken ring,
A tress of golden hair?

He'll See Them Yet.

[St. Thomas Journal.]

One English journalist said he did not hear a joke all the time he was in Canada. However, there's hope for him. He hasn't seen the points yet. He'll laugh next year.

A Boy's Mother.

[James Whitcomb Riley.]

My mother she's so good to me—
Ef I was good as I could be,
I couldn't be as good—no sir!
Can't any boy be good as her?

She loves me when I'm glad er sad;
She loves me when I'm good er bad;
An', what's a funnlest thing, she says
She loves me when she punishes.

I don't like her to punish me—
That don't hurt; but it hurts to see
Her cryin'. Then I cry, an' then
We both cry, an' be good again.

She loves me when she cuts and sews
My little cloak an' Sund'y clothes;
An' when my pa comes home to tea,
She loves him most as much as me.

She laughs an' tells him all I said,
An' grabs me up an' pats my head;
An' I hug her, an' hug my pa,
An' love him purt' nigh much as ma!

Killing Trade.

[Montreal Herald.]

"Extreme protection," says Henry George, "teaches us to do to ourselves in times of peace what enemies seek to do in times of war." It closes our ports.

The Land O' the Leal.

By Lady Nairne.

Carolina Olipnant, afterwards Baroness Nairne, was born at Perthshire in 1766. Her father was a strong Jacobite, and this explains the Jacobite tendency of many of Lady Nairne's poems—"Wha'll Be King but Charlie?" "Bonnie Charlie's Noo Awa," and "Charlie Is My Darling." She contributed to the "Scottish Minstrel," of which she was the editor for four years, about 80 or 90 poems. These verses were collected later under the name of "Lays from Strathearn."

I'm wearin' awa', John,
Like snaw wreaths in thaw, John,
I'm wearin' awa'
To the land o' the leal.
There's nae sorrow there, John,
There's neither cauld nor care, John,
The day is aye fair
In the land o' the leal.

Our bonnie bairn's there, John,
She was baith gude and fair, John:
And O, we grudged her sair
To the land o' the leal.
But sorrow's sel' wears past, John,
And joy's a-coming fast, John,
The joy that's aye to last
In the land o' the leal.

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O, haud ye leal and true, John,
Your day it's wearin' through, John,
And I'll welcome you
To the land o' the leal.
Now fare ye weel, my ain John,
This warld's cares are vain, John,
We'll meet, and we'll be fain
In the land o' the leal.

ALLIANCE BY EXCHANGE OF BLOOD

"They have looked each other between the eyes, and there they found no fault,
They have taken the Oath of the Brother-in-Blood on leavened bread and salt:
They have taken the Oath of the Brother-in-Blood on fire and fresh-cut sod,
On the hilt and the haft of the Khyber knife, and the Wondrous Names of God."

—[Ballad of East and West—Kipling.

In the report, recently issued, of the expedition against the remnant of the Soudanese mutineers, there is a curious reference to blood brotherhood. Certain chiefs who would willingly have assisted dared not follow their inclination, because they were attached to the rebels by this mystic bond. It was necessary to absolve them by some means. Such cases are very rare, naturally, for blood brotherhood is the most sacred of all obligations. In the Far East it can only be dissolved by cutting out the scar of the wound—with a liberal allowance of the adjacent flesh, to make sure—while the medicine man performs mysterious rites. The African usage is similar, probably. But men whose heart was not in it might well hesitate to go through such an unpleasant operation. So Dr. Bagshawe invoked European science. "With due formalities he injected a dose of apormorphia into the cicatrix." This made the patient violently sick in about five minutes, and a few nauseous draughts finally relieved his conscience. He was free to attack his former brethren now.

Alliance by the exchange of blood is recognized by savages over a great part of the world now, but once it was universal, except in America. We do not recall an instance there. But it certainly prevailed in Europe until a date comparatively recent. The Northmen used a very elaborate form of it. They cut three long strips of turf and raised them carefully, so that one end still adhered to the soil, while the loose part was elevated to form an arch, supported by a spear in the middle, high enough for a man to pass through. The enemies to be reconciled, or the friends who wished to be sworn brothers, stood on either side. Each thrust out his arm and made a gash in it, under the arch of turf. Sometimes they caught each other's blood in their hollowed hands and took the oath of eternal friendship on it; more commonly they let the blood fall to the earth, knelt down, made a puddle of it, and swore on that. When two champions had fought long enough to appreciate each other's valor, it was not at all uncommon for one to propose that they should cease to be enemies and become Jardarmen, as blood brothers were called, and the offer was seldom refused, one of the many traits of chivalry that relieve the horrors of Viking warfare. If one of the combatants did refuse, not unfrequently some warrior of assured position would order him to submit. And the tie of blood brotherhood was never broken.

OLD SCOTCH CEREMONY.

We find it established in Scotland so late as 1236—"an abominable practice of their ancestors," says Mathew Paris. The nobles and chiefs of Galloway made a league against the King. At the assembly of the conspirators, "each drew blood from the vein next the heart, and let it fall into a great cup; they stirred and mixed it well, then pledged one another, as a token that henceforth they were bound, as if in natural brotherhood, for a time, even to the risk of their own lives."It prevailed among the Irish later still, but we are told that even this awful bond could not restrain their faithless nature—perhaps a "Saxon calumny." It may be traced in the legends of Rome and even in the annals, as in the tale of Catiline's conspiracy. Tacitus says that Armenian kings tied their thumbs together when they made a treaty, pricked them and sucked the blood. A notable instance was the ceremonial which preceded the invasion of Hungary, when the turbulent Magyar "dukes" bound themselves at last to obey their king.

But examples are endless. Europe was shocked to hear how Baldwin II. (French Emperor of Constantinople), with all his chivalry, had exchanged blood with the heathen Commains—mixing the whole in a great goblet which his majesty and all the Christian knights put to their lips at least. Afterwards the Commains made them stand in line opposite to themselves—a dog was loosed and each had to cut at it with his sword. The descendants of these Turkomans have dropped such practices, perhaps, being converted to Islam. But Herodotus describes how the Arabs themselves used to draw blood from the palms of their hands with a sharp sword when making an alliance; they did not drink it, however, but smeared seven pebbles therewith and swore upon them. In Africa, at the present time, Arabs do not hesitate, as a rule, to make blood brotherhood with pagan negroes. If scrupulous, however, they employ a proxy. Mr. Joseph Thompson witnessed the scene. The proxy and the chief sat down with legs interlaced; after the usual proceedings, a piece of meat was rubbed in the blood and actually eaten. Emin Pacha had no prejudices. He found the system convenient, and laid himself out for alliances of the sort. Yet it was a "blood brother" who murdered him—possibly thinking that the rite was of no importance when so abused. But in fact, a European cannot escape if he travel far into the wilder parts of Africa.

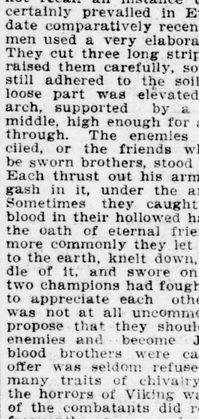
OBSERVANCES IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

It is not less honored in the wilder parts of Asia also, but, as one would expect, in a much less disgusting form generally than that usual with negroes. The quantity of blood drawn is imperceptible, and even that is so diluted that it can affect the imagination only. In Borneo it is commonly mixed with tobacco and smoked. On one remarkable occasion blood brotherhood was mentioned in diplomatic correspondence, not unimportant by any means at the time. Mr. O'Rilley was traveling among the Red Karens on the Burmese frontier about 1840. He had a mission of some sort from the Indian Government. A great Karen chief invited him to exchange blood. It was "drawn off" into a cup of native beer, together with filings of guns, spears, and swords, and duly tasted. Then they killed a bullock, preserving the horns, which were mounted in silver presently; the chief kept one, and Mr. O'Rilley the other. Many years afterwards the King of Burmah made a more serious attack than usual on the Red Karens. Finding themselves hard-pressed, they sent this horn to the Governor-General of India, summoning him to their aid by virtue of the ancient treaty. Whether Mr. O'Rilley was still living we know not, but he had reported the transaction, and his horn was forthcoming in evidence.

After much consideration of this unprecedented affair the Indian Government recognized its liability, and warned the Burmese monarch to recall his troops. He obeyed in the end under protest. The custom prevailed in India also; a most interesting survival of it comes to light when a new Maharaja of Udeypore succeeds. Since the reigning chieftain was among us only a few weeks ago, as a guest of his majesty, everyone knows that he represents the best blood of India, the purest Brahmin faith, and by very far the oldest dynasty in the universe. But when this great personage comes to the throne he receives the Tecka, the mark of his sacred dignity, not from a Brahmin, but from a naked Bhil of the Aravalli tribe, a heathen, or little better, who, standing by the musnud, cuts his hand, and with the blood smears the chieftain's forehead. For the most wretched Hindu of good caste it would be defilement to have such a creature near him; to be touched, would be deadly sin, but words could not describe the pollution of his blood. But the Maharaja does not even require purification. A custom so monstrous and unnatural, as it seems to the orthodox, must preserve the memory of some strange event. There is no record, we believe, but tradition asserts that the Rajput nobles conspired some twelve centuries ago, and drove their Maharaja from the throne. He took refuge with the Aravalli Bhils, an aboriginal people who have scarcely begun to be civilized even now. Years afterwards his subjects recalled him, and he was invested with a Tecka a second time; but he insisted that a Bhil should perform the ceremony.The explanation is not improbable; at certain intervals the Maharaja still sends a friendly greeting to the Aravalli savages, and they enjoy a special privilege of access to him. It can scarcely be doubted that some remote forefather exchanged blood with the Aravalli chief.—London Evening Standard.

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THE MARKETS

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Friday, Oct. 24.

Wheat, new per bu.....66c to 66c
Oats, new, per bu.....27c to 29c
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Corn, per bu.....44c to 45 9-10c
Peas, per bu.....75c to 90c
Barley, per bu.....52c to 60c
Beans, per bu.....70c to 80c

Sixteen loads of hay were on the stand today and sold at $10 per ton for the choicest and $9 to $9 50 for medium quality. Three loads of straw sold at $6 per ton, and one load at $3 50.

Grain—Six loads of oats sold at 85c to 86c per per, or 29c per bu. No wheat offered.

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AMERICAN MARKETS

TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., Oct. 23.—Wheat—Dull but strong; cash, 75½c; Dec., 77¾c; May, 77¾c. Corn—Active and strong; Dec., 44¾c; May, 43½c. Oats—Dull, firm and higher; Dec., 32¾c; May, 35c. Clover seed—Dull but firm; Oct., $6 80 bid; Jan., $6 90 bid. Rye, 52½c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 23.—Flour—Receipts, 24,100 bbls; sales, 3,200 pkgs; flour dull, the recent advance having checked buyers. Buckwheat flour—Easy. Rye flour—Easy. Wheat—Receipts, 245,600 bu; sales, 985,000 bu; wheat was firm and higher on cables, a jump in corn and fears of a western movement owing to rain; Dec., 77 15-16c to 78 5-16c; March, 78 1-16c to 78 5-16c. Corn—Market advanced on good buying of December, prospect of rain west, and cables; Dec., 56 5-16c to 56⅞c; Jan., 51⅞c; May, 48¼c to 48⅝c. Oats—Receipts, 98,600 bu; oats were steadier with corn; track white, 34c to 40c. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5⅝c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Firm. Hops—Firm.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—A good cash and export demand, with prospects of unfavorable weather, gave a firm tone to wheat today, and December closed ⅜c higher. December corn was 1⅜c higher, while oats were unchanged. January provisions closed from 2½c to 5c and 15c higher. Primary receipts of wheat were 1,296,000 bu, compared with 955,000 bu a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 981 cars, which, with local receipts of 108 cars, 6 of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points 1,089 cars, against 968 last week and 688 a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 80 cars; corn, 255 cars; oats, 245 cars; hogs, 13,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—Dec., 72⅝c to 72¾c; May, 74¼c. Corn—Dec., 51⅝c to 51¾c; May, 48¾c; July, 43½c; Oct., 37c; Nov., 36¾c. Oats—Oct., 31¼c; old, 28c; Dec., 31⅜c; old, 28¾c; May, 42¾c. Pork—Oct., $16 60; Jan., $15 77½; May, $14 87½. Lard—Oct., $11; Nov., $10 35; Dec., $9 60; Jan., $9 20; May, $8 55. Ribs—Oct., $11 50; Jan., $8 20 to $8 32½; May, $7 82½. Rye—Dec., 44¾c to 50c.

Cash quotations: No. 2 spring wheat, 72c; No. 3, 68c to 71¼c; No. 2 red, 71c to 71¾c. No. 2 corn, 57c; No. 2 yellow, 59¼c. No. 2 oats, 25¾c; No. 3 white, 31c to 32½c. No. 2 rye, 49¾c. Good feeding barley, 42c; fair to choice malting, 44c to 57c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 21; No. 1 northwestern, $1 24. Mess pork, $16 85 to $16 90; lard, $11 to $11 02½; short ribs sides, $11 20 to $11 40; dry salted shoulders, $9 75 to $10; short clear sides, $11 87½ to $12. Eggs firm; loss off, cases returned, 23c.

Receipts—Flour, 16,700 bbls; wheat, 130,600 bu; corn, 226,900 bu; oats, 212,000 bu; rye, 14,400 bu; barley, 55,900 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 24,500 bbls; wheat, 6,700 bu; corn, 122,000 bu; oats, 166,700 bu; rye, 2,200 bu; barley, 16,400 bu.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 23.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 1-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝c; molasses sugar, 2 13-16c. Molasses—Firm.

LONDON.

London, Oct. 23.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 8s; centrifugal, 8s 6d; beet sugar, Oct., 8s.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 23.—Oil closed at $1 30.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Oct. 23.—Credit balances, $1 30.

LONDON.

London, Oct. 23.—Petroleum, American refined, 5 5-16d; spirits, 6¼d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Oct. 23.—Petroleum, 18 francs.

BREMEN.

Bremen, Oct. 23.—Petroleum, 6 marks 35 pfennings.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 23.—Butter steady; receipts, 3,484 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 25c; do, firsts, 23c to 24½c; do, seconds, 21c to 23½c; do, lower grades, 18c to 20c; creamery, held extras, 24c to 24½c; do, firsts, 22½c to 23½c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 23½c to 24c; do, firsts, 22c to 23c; do, seconds, 20c to 21½c; do, lower grades, 18c to 19c; western imitation creamery, finest, 14½c to 20c; do, fair to good, 15c to 19c; do, lower grades, 17c to 17½c; renovated, extras, 20½c to 21c; do, common to prime, 17½c to 20c; western factory, June make, 17½c to 18½c; do, current make, firsts, 18c; do, seconds, 17c to 18½c; do, lower grades, 16c to 17½c; packing stock, 16c to 17½c. Cheese quiet; receipts, 7,181 boxes; state full cream, small colored or white, Sept., fancy, 12¾c; do, Oct., choice, 12½c to 12¼c; do, good to prime, 11¾c to 12c; do, common to fair, 10c to 11½c; do, large colored or white, 12c; do, Oct., choice, 11¾c; do, good to prime, 11¾c to 11¾c; do, common to fair, 10c to 11¼c; light skims, small choice, 10½c to 10¾c; do, large choice, 9c to 10c; part skims, prime, 9¼c to 9¾c; do, fair to good, 8¼c to 8¾c; do, common, 6c to 7c. Eggs steady to firm; receipts, 7,139 cases; state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected white, 26c to 27c; do, average prime, 23c to 25c; do, held and mixed, 20c to 21c; western, loss off, 24½c to 26c; do, fancy candled, at mark, 23½c to 24c; do, uncandled, northerly sections, 19c to 21c; do, southerly sections, 18½c to 21c; Kentucky, 14c to 20½c; Tennessee, 18½c to 20c; dirties, 13c to 14c; refrigerator, 14c to 21c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Butter steady; creameries, 16½c to 24½c; dairies, 15c to 21c. Cheese steady, 10½c to 11¾c.

BROCKVILLE.

Brockville, Ont., Oct. 23.—At a meeting of the cheese board today 2,996 boxes were registered, of which 1,335 were white, balance colored; all sold at 11 3-16c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Oct. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 150; steady; prime steers, $7 25 to $7 75; spring steers, $5 75 to $7; butchers' steers, $4 to $5 50; heifers, $3 to $5; cows, $2 25 to $4 25; canners, $1 50 to $2; bulls, $2 50 to $4 25; feeders, $3 75 to $4 50; stockers, $3 25 to $4; stock heifers, $2 50 to $3; veals, $5 50 to $8 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500; slow; heavy were strongers, others about steady; heavy, $7 15 to $7 30; a few at $7 45; mixed, $7 10 to $7 15; Yorkers, $6 95 to $7 05; light do, $6 75 to $6 95; pigs, $6 to $6 75; roughs, $6 50 to $6 75; stags, $5 50 to $6.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,100; steady; top lambs, $5 40 to $5 50; culls to good, $4 to $5 35; yearlings, $4 to $4 25; ewes, $3 25 to $3 75; sheep, top mixed, $3 60 to $3 65; culls to good, $1 75 to $3 50.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000, including 8,000 westerns; steady; good to prime steers, $7 25 to $8 25; poor to medium, $3 75 to $6 90; stockers and feeders, $2 25 to $4 75; cows, $1 40 to $4 50; heifers, $4 25 to $5; canners, $1 40 to $2 50; bulls, $2 25 to $4 75; calves, $3 75 to $7 50; Texas-fed steers, $3 to $4 25; western steers, $3 75 to $6.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; left over, 4,800; market opened 10c to 20c higher than early yesterday; mixed and butchers, $6 70 to $7 15; good to choice heavy, $6 90 to $7 25; rough heavy, $6 40 to $6 80; light, $6 40 to $6 50; bulk of sales, $6 70 to $7.

Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $3 50 to $3 85; fair to choice mixed, $2 50 to $3 50; native lambs, $3 50 to $5 50.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Oct. 23.—There were about 500 head of butchers' cattle, 300 calves and 500 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. In addition to those some hundred cattle, including nearly all the good ones, were sold here yesterday. Trade was slow, as the butchers had bought their cattle yesterday. Common cattle sold at from 2c to 3c, and the canning bulls and lean cows brought about 1¾c per lb; calves sold from $3 to $10 each, or from 3½c to 5½c per lb; sheep sold at from 3c to 3½c, and the lambs at from 3½c to a little over 4c per lb; good lots of fat hogs sold at from 6c to 6½c per lb, weighed off the cars.

TORONTO.

[Associated Press Report.]

Toronto, Oct. 23.—Receipts at the cattle market today were 78 loads, with 1,100 head of cattle, 1,464 sheep and lambs, 6[illegible] hogs and 21 calves. The supply was very evidently largely in excess of the demand, business being slower than for a long time past, and many loads being left over unsold. Shippers have but limited space for export, this class of cattle in consequence being little in demand. The best exporters today did not fetch more than $4 75, and very few at that. Butcher cattle, except for the very choicest, which were scarce, were 25c to 50c lower. Choice butcher cattle were selling at $3 70 to $4. There was a pretty active demand for good feeders, but the light stockers were too plentiful. Loads of light stockers, 700 lbs, were selling at $2 30 to $2 50; feeding bulls from $2 50 to $3; feeding steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, at $3 80 to $4. Export ewes are steady, lambs easier. Farmers requiring thin young ewes for breeding purposes can be well supplied, any amount of this class offering just now at about 3c per lb. Best hogs are $6 10; light fats, $5 85.

Crawford & Co. bought half a dozen loads, principally short-keep feeders and exporters; a load of good short-keep feeders, 1,000 lbs, were bought a 34; a load of good exporters, 1,250 lbs, at $4 60; another load at $4 70; two export bulls, 1,800 lbs each, at $3 50; two extra choice heavy bulls at $4. Frank Hunnisett bought 30 mixed cattle, 800 to 1,000 lbs, at $3 25 to $4. Wesley Dunn bought 780 lambs at $3 75; 525 sheep at $3 40; 15 calves at $8 each. W. Levack bought about 150 head of cattle; exporters, $4 50 to $4 75; butchers, $3 50 to $4 25. Thomas Halligan bought a load of mixed butchers and shippers, 1,075 lbs, at $4 10. M. McCurry bought a lot of 28 light stockers, 650 lbs, at $2 40; a lot of 13 heifers, 850 lbs, at $2 85; 9 cows, butchers, 1,050 lbs, at $2 60. W. H. Dean bought 6 loads of feeders, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs, at $3 to $4 12½. J. Collins bought 22 butchers' cattle, 960 lbs, at $3 25; another lot of 22 cattle, 1,180 lbs, at $3 80. Lunness & Halligan bought about 70 light stockers, 850 lbs, at $3 to $3 50; about 3 loads of feeders, bulls, at $2 50 to $3 40.

TORONTO.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Forty-six loads in today, including 1,205 hogs, 990 sheep and lambs and 20 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice	$4 70	@	$5 00
Export cattle, medium	4 50	@	4 70
Export cattle, common	4 35	@	4 50
Export bulls	2 75	@	4 25
Export cows	3 50	@	3 85
Butchers' cattle, choice	4 00	@	4 40
Butchers' cattle, medium, mixed	3 25	@	3 85
Butchers, cattle, common	2 25	@	3 00
Feeders, short-keep	4 25	@	4 50
Feeders, medium	3 60	@	3 85
Stockers	1 75	@	2 50
Milch cows, each	30 00	@	50 00
Export ewes, cwt	3 25	@	3 40
Export bucks	2 50	@	2 75
Culls, each	2 00	@	3 00
Lambs, per cwt	3 50	@	3 75
Calves, per head	2 00	@	10 00
Hogs, singers, off cars	6 00	@	6 00
Hogs, fats and lights, off cars	5 75	@	5 75

Market dull, nothing doing. Sheep and lamb trade slow. Milch cows firm at prices quoted.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Oct. 23.—Canadian cattle are quoted from 11½c to 12½c per lb, dressed weight; sheep are worth from 11c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is 11c to 12c per lb.

DEWET AND BOTHA AT LOGGERHEADS

Disappointed at the Financial Results of Visit.

REMOVAL OF CATTLE EMBARGO

British Parliament Will Be Urged to Lift the Onerous Restriction on Canadian Stockers.

London, Oct. 24.—A large gathering of influential persons, representing the agricultural interests, dealers, breeders, co-operative societes and dock boards, met a number of members of Parliament at the Westminster Palace Hotel and urged their views with regard to the removal of the restrictions placed by law upon the importation of live Canadian cattle into British ports.

The members of Parliament present promised to use every effort to further the lifting of the objectionable embargo, and a resolution was unanimously passed to ask Parliament to amend the act of 1896, and it is expected that next session a bill will be introduced into the House of Commons, asking that Canadian store cattle be allowed to enter British ports.

Every speaker urged that Canada be treated as a part of the empire and not as a foreign nation.

J. G. Colmer represented the Canadian high commissioner, Lord Strathcona, who is confined to his room with a sprained ankle.

London, Oct. 24. — Gens. Dewet, Botha and Delarey were to be special guests at a dinner given last night by Lady Cook, but they failed to attend, although up to the last moment they were expected. Quarrels have arisen among the Boer generals, and it is supposed that on this account they declined to go together to the dinner.

It is reported that Gen. Dewet wants the tour of the generals, including the trip to the United States, abandoned, and that all three are disappointed at the financial results so far obtained. Gen. Botha, however, is said to be anxious to make a further effort to collect funds. A warm discussion on this point is believed to have ocurred between Gens. Dewet and Botha. Gen. Delarey is said to have remained neutral in the matter.

Gen. Dewet's presence is considered necessary for the success of the tour, and if he persists in returning to South Africa it is not unlikely that the tour will be abandoned.

Gen. Dewet expects to sail for South Africa on Nov. 1.

EVACUATION OF SHANGHAI.

Paris, Oct. 24.—From authoritative sources it is learned that France, Great Britain and Germany have made an agreement providing for the military evacuation of Shanghai by their forces. The negotiations have also brought about an important extension of the "open door" policy, as urged by Secretary Hay. The agreements affect not only Shanghai but the entire Yang Tse Kiang Valley, which the powers are seeking to develop for commercial purposes. The date of the evacuation is still open, but a leading official of the foreign office expressed the belief that it will undoubtedly be accomplished by Jan. 1.

STRIKE IN FRANCE ENDED.

Paris, Oct. 23.—Further serious strike disturbances occurred at Dunkirk. Barricades were erected and the cavalry was compelled to charge the rioters. Some of the latter were killed or wounded.

In the Chamber of Deputies today the Premier read two dispatches which he had just received from Dunkirk. The first message related to the disorders there, and the second reported that the strike was ended, and that work would be resumed at once, as the workmen and their employers had some to a complete agreement. Immediately afterward the following order of the day was accepted by the Government, and adopted by 375 votes to 164: "The Chamber of Deputies, taking into account the declaration of the President of the Council that he will press in Parliament the discussion of this vote on the reforms interesting to the miners, and confident in his firmness and wisdom to protect the liberty of work and the free exercise of the right to strike, invites the President of the Council to use all his influence to cause both parties to accept arbitration."

CABLE NOTES.

The Government troops recaptured Monte Christi, on the north coast of Santo Domingo, near the Haytian border, after a severe fight, in which each side sustained heavy losses. Gen. Navarre, the ex-governor who revolted and took possession of Monte Christi, was captured. The fighting, which was very severe, lasted two days. The commander of the United States warship Cincinnati at Cape Haytien, telegraphs that the revolution has broken out afresh, and that women and children have taken refuge on board the Cincinnati.

THE COAL BARONS PUT UP PRICES

Advance to Hold Till the End of the Year.

RONDEAU THE NEW COAL PORT

Dealers Object to Hamilton City Going Into Coal Business—Rush of Bituminous.

Philadelphia, Oct. 24.—In view of resumption of mining of anthracite coal the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company has issued the following statement, dated "The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, President's office, Philadelphia, Oct. 23, 1902:

"Mr. C. E. Henderson, general manager. Dear Sir The reports of the superintendents in charge of the mines show that, as a result of the strike, the mines and mining plants have sustained considerable injury, and their respective working organizations have been impaired. For some time to come the collieries cannot be worked to produce their average quantity of coal. This will increase the cost of production. Estimates have been submitted showing the probably increase in cost per ton at the several groups of collieries. The general average exceeds 50 cents per ton. You will therefore add to the circular price 50 cents per ton, this additional price to continue until the first of January, 1903, by which time we hope to reach a normal condition of mining and production."

The general price circular gives the following prices as relates to coal delivered on board vessels for shipment beyond New York harbor: Broken, free white ash, $4 75; egg, $5; stove, $5; chestnut, $5. Broken, hard white ash, $4 85; egg, $5; stove, $5; chestnut, $5. Broken, Shomokin, ——; egg, $5 25; stove, $5 25; chestnut, $5 25. Broken, Schuylkill, red ash, $5 50; egg, $5 50; stove, $5 50; chestnut, ——. Broken, Lorberery, ——; egg, $5 50; stove, $5 50; chestnut, $5 50. Broken, Lykin's Valley, $5 75; egg, $6; stove, $6; chestnut, $6.

DEALERS KICK.

Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 23. — Mayor Hendrie has received a letter from Staunton & Opeir, solicitors for the local coal dealers, who threaten to take action against the city to restrain them from going into the fuel business, and for damages because the city is underselling them in coal and wood. The city went into the fuel supply business a couple of wekes ago because the coal and wood men were asking extremely high prices for this necessity. The city purchased 1,000 tons of soft coal from two of the local dealers, and started in to sell at cost, $8, compelling the dealers to come down from $12 a ton for the same article. It has since reduced the price to $7 50, and is selling wood at $6 50, although dealers asked $9. When the mayor received the letter he communicated with the two local dealers canceling the order for any coal. The dealers, although objecting to the city underselling them, want to hold the city to its bargain, and thus the matter stands.

RONDEAU AS A COAL PORT.

Cleveland Leader: The shipment of coal has assumed several new channels during the last year. Two years ago the shipments of coal from this country to Canada began in something like its present volume. Most of it heretofore has gone through the Georgian Bay district, but this year the movement began through Port Stanley, and lately some of it has been sent through Toronto and Quebec. The eastern trade has, of course, been entirely due to the absence of hard coal. The situation has developed a demand for the soft coal of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Ohio, in Southern Canada, which resulted in the brisk trade through Port Stanley. Word now comes that Rondeau is being fitted up for coal handling, and that next year an enormous amount of it will be shipped through that port. In fact, it is said that Detroit and Lake Erie Railroad will fit out that port with the most modern machinery during the winter, and will handle an enormous quantity of coal in the spring. The harbor has a mean depth of over eighteen feet without dredging, and is situated in a bay seven miles wide. This makes an excellent opportunity for a good harbor, which will be taken advantage of. This will increase the coal movement through Cleveland.

BITUMINOUS ON THE RUSH.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Soft coal is coming into Toronto by the shipful, and there seems every prospect that in a short time anthracite will fill the bottoms of the vessels coming to this port. There were 1,340 tons of soft coal landed here yesterday, and it is selling at $5 a ton.

The first consignment of hard coal to reach Toronto since the strike came into effect came in yesterday morning, when the schooner Oliver Mowat arrived from Erie, Pa., with 422 tons of soft coal and 96 tons of hard coal.

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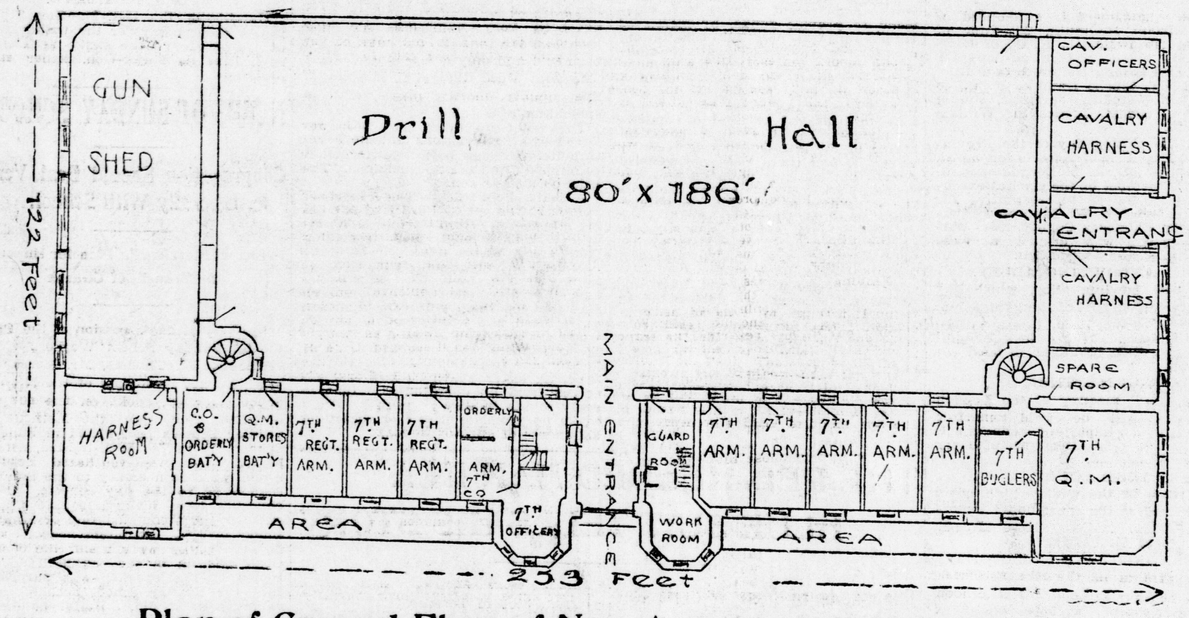
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SWITZERLAND GETS ALARMED

Germany's Decision to Fortify Frontier.

NOVEL EXPERIENCE FOR A KING

Four Hundred Recipients of Coronation Honors Presented at Buckingham Palace.

London, Oct. 24. — "Great anxiety is felt here," says the Geneva correspondent of the Daily Chronicle, "at Germany's decision to fortify the entire German-Swiss frontier with a line of forts. It is expected that Switzerland will follow suit."

KING OSCAR IN COURT.

King Oscar of Sweden has had the novel experience of being summoned to appear in court, in connection with documents belonging to the late Helga De La Brache, said to be in his possession. Helga, who was the daughter of the dethroned King Gustavus Adolphus IV., died some years ago. Her legatee now demands the delivery of papers received by King Oscar's father from Helga. These papers are understood to be of an interesting historical character.

KING EDWARD DISTRIBUTES CORONATION HONORS.

London, Oct. 24.—Nearly four hundred recipients of coronation war honors were invested by King Edward at Ruckingham Palace today. The investiture was carried out in the ballroom with unusual ceremony. All the great officers of state were present, and the scene was particularly brilliant, for all the participants, in accordance with his majesty's instructions, wore all the ribbons, orders or medals that they possessed.

THREE FAST WARSHIPS.

The British admiralty has given out contracts for the construction of three warships, described as "scouts." They will have a speed of 25¼ knots, when in fighting trim, their engines will be of 17,000 horse-power, and their seagoing qualities will be superior to those of the torpedo boat destroyers.

PRINCE CHING OBJECTS.

Pekin, Oct. 24.—Prince Ching, president of the foreign office, intends to ask Germany to interpret the "invidious stipulation" regarding the evacuating of Shanghai by the foreign troops as embracing all China, thus removing the implication that the Yang-Kiang Valley is threatened by British schemes of aggrandizement. As the Germans are pleased with the agreement as it stands, it is doubtful if Germany will consent.

CHEERED FOR ROOSEVELT.

Paris, Oct. 23.—President Roosevelt's name was enthusiastically cheered in the Chamber of Deputies today when M. Jaures (Socialist) urged the Government to follow the example of the American President's conciliatory attitude in dealing with strikes.

LADY SOMERSET DENIES IT.

London, Oct. 24.—Lady Henry Somerset, who is in the United States, has cabled to the secretary of the British Women's Temperance Association, an emphatic denial of the report that she had made the statement attributed to her to the effect that the British people is a "nation of drunkards."

GERMANS LAUGH AT CARNEGIE.

Berlin, Oct. 24.—Andrew Carnegie's suggestion in his rectorial address at St. Andrew's University, Scotland, that Emperor William organize the "United States of Europe," has been received with laughter by the Germans. The Vossische Zeitung calls it a "nonsensical proposition," adding: "Since not even a customs union is possible between Germany and Austria how vain it is to propose a political union. Should the Emperor follow the advice it would expose him to repulse after repulse."

The Boersen Zeitung curtly expresses the hope that Mr. Carnegie will "let antiquated Europe alone to work out its own salvation."

The Lokalanzeiger says: "The only way Germany can make head against the American danger is for Emperor William to continue his energetic influence in the development of the country economically."

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A bill will be introduced at the next session of the Massachusetts Legislature, looking to the incorporation of labor unions, says a Boston dispatch.

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NO FEAR OF A RUPTURE

Engineers and Firemen Settling Differences With G. T. R.

Montreal, Oct. 23.—The delegation of Grand Trunk engineers and firemen, which has been in the city for some time conferring with Mr. W. D. Robb, superintendent of motive power, is still here, having frequent interviews with the chief. Neither the company nor the men have any statement to give out for publication, beyond the fact that negotiations are progressing amicably, and there is no chance of a rupture.

STARTED IN HIS LEGS

An Oshawa Case Which Puzzled the Local Doctors as Well as Those the Hospital in Toronto

Oshawa, Ont., Oct. 20.—Five years ago, Mr. Joseph Brown, of the Oshawa Malleable Iron Works, began to feel a stiffness and soreness in the calves of his legs. This gradually increased till he lost all power in his legs and arms. He could not raise his arms to his head nor walk alone a single step.

The local doctors all treated him and gave him up. A Bowmanville doctor then advised him to go to the hospital in Toronto, which he did in January, 1898.

He remained in the hospital over four weeks. Twelve doctors there told him that nothing could be done for him, so he was removed to his home in Oshawa.

He writes: "I used altogether twelve boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and by the first of May I was able to start work again in the shop and I have never been sick or off work a day since."

Twenty-Five Fishermen Saved.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 24.—The bark Blanche, from Newfoundland, has arrived here with 25 persons taken off a sinking fishing schooner. The shipwrecked people were returning to Newfoundland from Labrador with the summer's catch of fish, when their schooner, the Sweet Briar, sprung a leak. A distress signal was set, but it was some days before the Blanche hove in sight and took them all off. There were six women in the party. The Sweet Briar was set on fire before being abandoned.

Alaskan Boundary Marks.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 24.—A special to the Post Intelligencer, from Juneau, Alaska, says: United States Judge Brown has word from Commissioner Garton, of Porcupine, that Johnnie Stick, an Indian, has guided J. W. Smith and Frank Alterinose to the Boundary Monuments (Russian), six in number, in Rainy Hollow, southeast of there, found by Lieut. Emmons. The district is a vast mineral belt in American territory. The monuments are ten feet high and built of stone.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Oct. 23.	Reported at	From
Sarmatian	Father Point	Glasgow
Buenos Ayrean	Glasgow	Philadelphia
Majestic	New York	Queenstown
Armenian	Boston	Liverpool
La Lorraine	Havre	New York
Teutonic	Liverpool	New York
Roma	Naples	New York
Palatia	Genoa	New York
Monmouth	Father Point	Tyne

The Oldest Church.

Every evening for 262 years the bells of the mission of San Miguel, in Santa Fe, New Mexico, have pealed forth the angelus. The mission of San Miguel, established by the Spanish Jesuits in 1640, is the oldest church in the United States. It was built of sundried bricks, or adobe, and has stood the test of time for nearly three centuries, in the second oldest city in the United States. But old as it is, San Miguel is young beside other buildings near it. Only a stone's throw away is what is said to be the oldest house in the new world, built in 1583, and a Spanish castle built in 1581, 321 years ago. The house is still used, and it was in a room of the castle that Gen. Lew Wallace wrote "Ben Hur." He was then in command of Fort Marcy. The castle that witnessed the rule of the Spanish conquistadores is still habitable.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

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STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Oct. 24.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	136¾	136¼
Canadian Pacific, new	137	135⅝
Duluth, common	20	19
Duluth, preferred	30	29
Winnipeg Electric	..	..
Montreal Street Railway, xd	280	275½
Toronto Street Railway	118⅞	118½
Halifax Street Railway	104	100
St. John Street Railway	130	115
Twin City Transit Railway	120½	120
Twin City Railway, new	..	..
Richelieu and Ontario, xd	100	99½
Commercial Cable	180	170
Montreal Telegraph	170	165
Bell Telephone	170	162
Dominion Iron and Steel, com	57½	57
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref	96½	96
Montreal Heat, Light & Power	97½	97¼
Nova Scotia Steel, common	110	105
Detroit Railway	89	88½
Laurentide Pulp	100	..
Montreal Cotton	132	124
Dominion Cotton	60	55
Canada Colored Cotton	60	50
Merchants Cotton	..	85
War Eagle	..	..
Payne	..	..
Montreal Street Bonds	..	..
Republic	10	2
Virtue	..	..
North Star	..	..
National Salt, common	..	..
Dominion Coal, common	133	131½
Dominion Coal, pref	118	117
Int. Coal	75	70
Int. Coal, pref	..	..
Ogilvie Milling Co., pref	135	..
Ogilvie Bonds	120	117½
Bank of Montreal	..	259
Ontario Bank	..	129
Molsons Bank	217	214
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants Bank	..	161
Royal Bank	..	182
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	..
Quebec Bank	120	117½
Union Bank	130	120
Bank of Commerce	..	160
Hochelaga	..	137
Imperial Bank	..	..
Colored Cotton	..	..
Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds	90	89¾
Laurentide	107	106
N. S. Steel Bonds	..	..
Toledo Bonds	36	33

SALES: C. P. R., 150 at 136¼, 150 at 136½; R. and O., 50 at 100; Coal, common, 100 at 131½; Steel, common, 25 at 56½, 75 at 56¼, 100 at 56, 150 at 56½, 425 at 56¼, 200 at 56½, 125 at 56½, 250 at 56¾, 200 at 57; Steel, preferred, 1 at 98, 30 at 96½, 15 at 96½; Power, 50 at 98½, 25 at 97¼; Toronto Railway, 100 at 119; Dominion Cotton, 25 at 56; Twin City, 75 at 120, 50 at 120¼; Payne, 1,000 at 15; Montreal Telegraph, 9 at 165½; Bank of Commerce, 21 at 162½.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 24.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	..	258
Ontario	135	133½
Toronto	250	..
Merchants	164	161
Commerce	162	161
Imperial	..	240
Dominion	242	241
Standard	..	245
Hamilton	235	233
Nova Scotia	..	260
Ottawa	225	222
Traders	..	..
British America	100	95
Western Assurance	..	93
Imperial Life	..	149
National Trust	138	136
Toronto General Trusts	168	..
Consumers Gas	..	211
Ontario and Qu Appelle Land	..	85
Canada Northwest Land, Pref	..	99
Canada Northwest Land com	..	..
Can. Pacific Railway Stock	136¾	136
Can. Pac. Railway Stock, new	..	..
Canada Life	..	..
Toronto Electric Light	165	159
General Electric	204½	209
General Electric, pref	..	..
London Electric Light, new	104	..
Commercial Cable	180	175
Cable Coup. Bonds	..	..
Cable Reg. Bonds	..	..
Dominion Telegraph	..	..
Bell Telephone	..	..
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co.	100	98
Niagara Navigation	..	128
Northern Navigation	150	149
St. Clair L. and C. Navigation	..	..
Toronto Railway	119½	119
Twin City Railway	120	119⅞
Winnipeg St Railway	..	160
Sao Paulo Tramway	96	95
Luxfer Prism, pref	..	..
Carter Crume	..	102
Dunlop Tire, pref	106	105
W. A. Rogers, pref	105	102
Packers A	100	99
Packers B	100	97
Dominion Steel, com	57	56
Dominion Steel, pref	..	..
Dominion Steel Bonds	..	89¼
Dominion Coal, com	132	131¼
Nova Scotia Steel, com	107	106
Lake Superior, Com	25	24
War Eagle	19½	19
Payne Mining	..	..
Cariboo (McKinney)	21½	20
Virtue	..	..
North Star	..	..
Crows Nest Coal	..	..
Canada Salt	128	125
British Canadian L. and I.	72	70½
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv.	108	106
Canada Permanent	..	120
Canada Savings and Loan	..	121
Central Canada Loan	..	136
Dominion Savings and Invest.	..	70
Hamilton Provident	..	119
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	182
Imperial L. and Invest.	..	..
Landed Banking and Loan	..	120
Lan. and Can. L. and A.	95	93
Manitoba Loan	..	..
Toronto Mortage	..	89
London Loan	..	112
Ontario Loan and Deb.	..	122
Toronto Savings and Loan	..	127
Peoples' Loan	..	..
Real Estate Loan and Deb	..	..
Nova Scotia Steel Bonds	..	110¼

SALES: Commerce, 10 at 162; Imperial, 10 at 241; Dominion, 20 at 241½; Toronto Electric Light, 25 at 159, 25 at 159¼; National Trust, 5 at 136; Twin City, 5 at 120¼, 100 at 120; Sao Paulo, 35 at 95½; C. P. R., 150 at 136; Canada Permanent, 400 at 120; London and Canada, 5 at 93; Steel, 100 at 57½, 25 at 57, 25 at 56¾, 25 at 56⅝; Coal, 125 and 25 at 132; Superior, 25 at 24⅝; Nova Scotia Steel, 15 at 107; Packers, B, 10 at 97½; Steel bonds, 5,000 at 90.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 24.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Anaconda	97½	..	..	..
Amal. Copper	64⅝	65¼	64⅝	65¼
American Sugar Co.	123¾	124⅛	123¼	123⅜
American Locomotive	31	31⅛	31	31
American Foundry	35½	..	..	..
Atcheson Com.	88½	88¾	88⅝	88⅞
Atcheson Pfd.	100⅞	100⅞	100¾	100¾
B. & O.	108⅞	108¾	108⅛	108¾
Brooklyn Tran.	63¼	63⅞	62⅜	62⅞
C. P. R.	136⅛	136⅜	136⅛	136⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	51⅜	51⅜	51⅜	51½
Chicago Gt. Western	30⅜	..	..	..
C. F. I.	85½	85⅜	85⅜	85⅜
Erie	39⅛	39⅜	39⅛	39¼
Erie Pfd	68	..	..	..
Illinois Central	148¼	148¾	148¼	148¾
L. & N.	139⅝	139½	139	139¾
Manhattan	134⅞	135	134⅝	135
Metropolitan St. Ry.	139¼	..	..	..
Mexican Central	..	..	..	..
Mo. P.	111	111¼	110¾	111
Norfolk and W.	77¼	77⅜	77⅛	77¼
Ont. and West	33⅞	33⅞	33⅛	33⅜
Pennsylvania	163½	163¾	163⅜	163¾
People's Gas	103½	104	103¾	104
Reading	68⅛	68¾	68⅛	68¾
Reading, Pref	88⅜	88½	88¾	88½
Republic I. and S.	22½	22½	22¼	22⅜
Rock Island	200	..	..	..
Southern Ry.	37⅛	37⅝	37½	37⅛
Southern Ry. Pfd	93¾	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	71⅝	72¼	71⅝	72¼
St. Paul	191½	192	191⅛	192
Texas	44	..	..	..
T. C. I.	65⅛	65¾	64½	64½
U. Pacific	104¾	105⅛	104¾	105⅝
Union Pacific, Pfd	91¼	91¼	91¼	91¼
U. S. Leather	14¼	14½	14¼	14½
U. S. Rubber	18	..	..	..
U. S. Steel, com	40¼	40½	40¼	40½
U. S. Steel, pref	88½	88⅞	88½	88¾
Wabash Com	33¾	..	..	..
Wabash Pfd	48⅝	49	48⅝	49
W. Union Tel	91⅛	..	..	..
Wisconsin Central	27¾	..	..	..

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 24.—Oil opened at $1 30.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Oct. 24—Closing.—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 6½d; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 8¾d; No. 1 California, 6s 4¾d. Futures quiet; Dec., 5s 10⅜d; March, 5s 11⅛d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed 5s 8d. Futures quiet—Oct. nominal; Jan., 4s 3⅝d; March, 4s 1d.

Peas—Canadian dull, 6s 6½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter quiet, 8s 3d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, £6 10s to £7.

Beef—Extra India mess strong, 115s.

Pork—Prime mess western strong, 95s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 57s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 63s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 66s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 62s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 61s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 57s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 66s; shoulders, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 51s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 55s 6d; American refined, in pails, steady, 57s 6d.

Butter—Nominal.

Cheese—American finest white and colored strong, 55s.

Tallow—Prime city firm, 29s; Australian (in London), quiet, 33s 3d.

Turpentine spirits—Dull, 38s.

Rosin—Common steady, 4s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined quiet, 6d.

Linseed oil—Dull, 27s 6d.

The receipts of wheat during the past three days were 215,000 centals, including 186,000 American.

The receipts of American corn during the past three days were 22,800 centals.

Weather—Dull.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Oct. 24.—Beans are up 2c, but trading yesterday was light. Quotations: Cash, $2 42; Oct., 1 car at $2 42; Nov. and Dec., $2 37; May, $2 50.

HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 23.—Baled hay—The market is steady, with offerings moderate; No. 1 timothy is quoted at $9 25 to $9 50 per ton, on track.

Straw—The market is quiet, with car lots on track quoted at $5 50.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Wheat—Steady, at 66½c to 67c for red and 67½c for white, low freights to New York or middle freights; goose, 65c for No. 2 east; spring, 65½c for No. 2 east; Manitoba, 83½c for No. 1 hard, 81½c for No. 1 northern, and 79½c for No. 2 northern, grinding in transit. Flour—Steady; $2 65 bid for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags east or middle freights; choice brands are held 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Steady, at $14 for cars of shorts and $18 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Steady; No. 3 extra, 43c; No. 3, 40c; feed, 43c, middle freights. Buckwheat—Steady, at 53c, middle freights. Rye—Steady; No. 2, 47½c to 48c, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 64c asked for Canada yellow west; American No. 3 yellow is quoted at 69c for cars on the track at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 31c, middle freights. Peas—Steady; choice milling, 71c, middle freights. Butter—Offerings heavy; quality of shipments generally not very high; good demand for choice grades; creamery prints, 20c to 21c; solids, fresh-made, 19c to 20c; earlier makes, 17c to 18c; dairy tubs and pails, choice, 15c to 16c; medium, 13c to 14c; pound rolls, 16c to 17c; medium, 13c to 15c. Eggs—Offerings large; gest firm, at 18c to 18½c; seconds, 12c to 13c; splits, 11c to 12c; limed, 16c to 17c.

AMERICAN MARKETS

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, Oct. 24.—Spring wheat—No. 1 hard, 78¾c; No. 1 northern, 77¼c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 76½c; No. 1 white, 78c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 67½c; No. 3 yellow, 66½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 36½c; No. 3 white, 35½c, on track.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Oct. 24.—Wheat—No. 2 red, cash, 76½c; Dec., 77¼c; May, 78⅝c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 24.—Flour—Receipts, 26,961 bbls; sales, 2,700 pkgs; flour was steady but dull. Buckwheat flour—Easy, $2 30 to $2 40, spot, to arrive. Rye flour—Quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 132,600 bu; sales, 955,000 bu; wheat opened quiet and ruled steady during the forenoon, in sympathy with corn; Dec., 78½c to 78⅞c; May, 78 7-16c to 78¾c. Rye—Steady; state, 54c to 54½c, c.i.f., New York; No. 2 western, 58½c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2, 54c to 54½c, on track. Corn—Receipts, 35,700 bu; sales, 75,000 bu; corn advanced on covering, cloudy weather west and good support, but toward noon eased off under realizing; Dec., 56¾c to 57¼c; Jan., 52½c to 52⅝c; May, 48⅝c to 49c. Oats—Receipts, 55,500 bu; sales, 5,000 bu; oats were dull and barely steady; Dec., 36½c; track, white state, 34c to 40c; track, white western, 34c to 40c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 1-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝c; molasses sugar, 2 13-16c; refined firm. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5⅝c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Quiet. Hops—Firm.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

CHICAGO.

Reported for the Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker.

Chicago, Oct. 24.

		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—	Dec.	72½	73	72⅛	72¾
	May	74¼	74⅛	73⅝	73⅝
Corn—	Dec.	51¼	52⅛	51¼	51⅝
	May	43⅞	44⅛	43½	43⅝
Oats—	Dec.	31¼	31⅜	31	31
	May	32¼	32¼	31⅞	32
Pork—	Jan.	15 67	15 67	15 62	15 62
	May	14 82	14 82	14 72	14 75
Lard—	Jan.	9 17	9 20	9 10	9 12
	May	8 47	8 47	8 42	8 42
Ribs—	Jan.	8 30	8 30	8 22	8 25
	May	7 80	....	....	....

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Great Britain has asked Canada to assist in raising and maintaining in the Dominion a force of 5,000 men for Imperial defense purposes. The Government has declined the proposal.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Saturday: Fair and Mild.

FORECASTS.

Today—Strong winds and moderate gales from southwest; fair and warmer.

Saturday—Moderate westerly winds; fair and mild.

TALES OF LONDON TOWN

—The approach to the city scales is undergoing much-needed repairing.

—The funeral of the late Mr. John Benson Hughson will be held on Sunday.

—Mr. Alfred Jones, wife and family, of Askin street, have returned from a visit in Westminster.

—Messrs. McGugan and Jones, G. T. R. officials, were in the city on an official trip of inspection yesterday.

—Miss Bertha Hinsley, Farnstan, Ore., formerly of this city, is visiting her cousin, D. C. Platt, 110 Wellington street.

—Detective Skirving, of the L. E. and D. R. R., was in the city this morning in connection with a case in which the company is interested.

—Miss Emma Larkin, formerly of this city, has been called from Rochester, N. Y., to the bedside of her sister, who is seriously ill at the family home in Thorndale.

—While answering an alarm at the corner of Piccadilly and Waterloo streets, the band off the hub of the ladder truck was lost. The firemen would be glad if the finder would return it.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Miriam Hellmuth, daughter of Mr. Isadore Hellmuth, K. C., of Lawton, Deer Park, and grand-daughter of the late Bishop Hellmuth of Huron, and of Mr. Clarke Gamble, K. C., to Mr. John Meredith, barrister, son of the Hon. Chief Justice Sir William Meredith.

—On the closing day of the Provincial Sunday School Association at St. Thomas, Mr. D. A. McDermid was re-elected a member of the general executive committee as representative for London, and Mr. W. Thompson, Derwent, for Middlesex County. Mr. William Bowman was elected a vice-president of the association.

Y. M. C. A. BOWLING ALLEY.

The new bowling alley, which has been fitted up as part of the gymnasium equipment of the Y. M. C. A., will be formally opened at 8 o'clock tonight. The mayor will be asked to bowl the first ball.

PRESS CLUB MEETING.

A special meeting of the London Press Club will be held tomorrow night, at which important business will be discussed. The attendance of every member is desired.

WEEKLY HIGH COURT.

A sitting of the weekly high court will be held at the court house tomorrow. Several motions have already been entered for hearing.

FUNERAL OF LATE F. J. STONE.

The funeral of the late Frederick James Stone was held this afternoon from his residence, Colborne street, to Memorial Church, where services were conducted by Rev. C. C. Owen. Interment took place in Woodland Cemetery. Those acting as pallbearers were selected from among the Chosen Friends, Ancient Order of Foresters, and Metal Polishers' Union, to all of which deceased belonged.

STRATHROY WANTS WATER-WORKS.

The Town of Strathroy is contemplating the establishment of a waterworks system, either as a municipal department or as the undertaking of a company. Dr. Bryce, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, while in the town on Tuesday night, addressed a public meeting on the subject. It is probable that a bylaw will be submitted in January.

BIG PRICE FOR POTATOES.

It is predicted in agricultural circles that potato prices will take wings and soar high during the next few weeks. Many bushels of them rotted in the ground from constant soakings of rain, and at present the tubers are selling at $1 10 a bag. Prices have risen 35 cents in the last few days, and it is expected the upward tendency will continue.

INTERRED AT WOODLAND.

The remains of the late Mrs. Jemima Cooper, formerly of this city, who died in Chicago, were interred beside those of her husband at Woodland Cemetery this afternoon. Mrs. Cooper was born in Nottingham, England, 64 years ago, and came to this country when about 20 years of age, together with her husband. They lived here 29 years, and then moved to Chicago, where they had since made their home. Mrs. Cooper's husband died about a year ago. Two sons, E. J. of Chicago, and Wm. H., of Oklahoma, I. T., and one daughter, Miss Bertha, of Chicago, survive. Ven. Archdeacon Davis conducted the services.

A CORRECTION.

The Advertiser in its report of the presentation of diplomas and prizes to the graduating nurses at Victoria Hospital, made an error in stating that Miss Dufton received a gold medal and Miss Mortimer a silver medal, while the other members of the class were presented with their diplomas. As a matter of fact there were no such distinctions, medals of uniform value being presented to all the graduating nurses. In other words, each member of the graduating class, besides receiving her diploma, was presented with a handsome gold medal.

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TRUSTEE ENGLISH.

IN MEMORY OF THE QUEEN

Monument To Be Erected in Victoria Park.

Daughters of the Empire Will Undertake the Work.

The local branch of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire have undertaken a most laudable work. At a recent meeting it was decided to provide funds, by means of entertainments, personal solicitation, etc., for the erection of a suitable monument in Victoria Park to the memory of the late Queen Victoria. It has been pointed out that London is the only city of its size in Canada which is unable to boast of at least one public monument. In Toronto a beautiful statue of the late Queen was recently unveiled; and there is a very general belief that patriotic London will respond liberally to an appeal such as the Daughters of the Empire contemplate making. There is already the nucleus of such a fund in the hands of the city council, over $100, having been collected on a previous occasion for a patriotic monument.

The energetic women who have undertaken the work are determined to carry it through to a successful conclusion. That the monument may truly represent the loyal sentiment of every class of the community is their earnest hope. Contributions, no matter how small, will be gratefully accepted, and a donation of 10 cents will be as much appreciated as a larger sum, if the sentiment of loyalty prompts the gift.

COAL IS SELLING SLOWLY

Municipal Yards Dispose of Less Than Ten Tons.

Warm Weather and End of Strike Keep Sales Down.

Both coal and wood are now selling at the local municipal wood yard. So far the warm and pleasant weather has acted as a deterrent and sales have not been very numerous. Probably less than ten tons of coal have as yet been sold and only a few lots of wood. The first wood that arrived was of fine quality, mostly maple, with a sprinkling of beech.

The relief inspector has been relieved of all restrictions in selling anthracite. He has been told to sell it to anybody and ask no questions. The price is $10 per ton.

A dealer here said to The Advertiser today that as yet no hard coal is coming into the city from the mines. Whatever is being brought here is coming from small places nearby, where the city dealers bought some time ago. It is only arriving now. The same dealer said that any one who has enough fuel to keep them going for a month or so need not worry, as a supply would be here within five or six weeks. He anticipates that there will be hardly any here from the mines before that time. A letter which he had just received from an operator said that in reply to his inquiry re coal, he could make no promises whatever regarding shipments of anthracite coal.

THE RED-HEADED MAN IN A BLUE SUIT TELLS HIS STORY

Thousands of Men Will Be Recruited in Canada for the United States Army?

The following proposal touchin' on and appertainin' to the United States army was told to a local hotelman today by a red-headed man with a blue uniform.

"The United States Government," said the red-headed man, "is going to increase its army and I am recruiting for it here in Canada. It will raise 40 regiments of ten companies each, 120 men to a company, or 48,000 men in all. What for? You don't know? Well, I'll tell you It's for work in the Danish West Indies. There are a number of us recruiting in Canada. My territory is from here to Toronto."

Doubtless the other dozen or so are recruiting among the Eskimos and the Moravians of Labrador.

The red-headed man continued to this effect—that perhaps the men whom he would recruit would not leave home right away. He, however, with the aid of a certificate from the hotel man, would get money for their board from the United States Government. The hotel man would get half and he would get half. The hotel man didn't quite appreciate the subtlety of this. Besides he had read somewhere about the Landsthing or Landslide or some such foolishness saying that they wouldn't sell the West Indies, so he couldn't figure out just what the United States had to—anyway he decided that he wasn't in the game.

LARGE STORE FOR LONDON

T. F. Kingsmill Will Unite His Two Buildings in One.

Occupying the Runians Stand While Remodeling Is in Progress.

No city in Ontario has made such advancement in its retail stores as London has done in the past few years. The business establishments on Dundas street are a revelation to Londoners who return to visit their native city, and they express genuine surprise at the beautiful fronts and large spaces occupied by some of the enterprising merchants.

Another important change is to be made by Mr. T. F. Kingsmill, the veteran and successful merchant, by joining the premises he at present occupies and the Wright property, next door east, which he recently purchased.

Within six or eight weeks the two premises are to be remodeled and made into one large store, extending from Dundas to Carling streets. The fronts of both houses are to be entirely rebuilt to four stories. The contracts for the different sections of the work are all let, and when completed this city will have one of the best and largest drygoods houses in the province, outside of Toronto.

On Monday Mr. Kingsmill will remove all of his stock to the Runians, Carson, McKee Company stand. Mr. Kingsmill, as everyone knows, purchased the Runians stock, and by occupying that large store, is enabled to proceed with his trade without interruption. Mr. Kingsmill is to be congratulated on this enterprising change. His thousands of friends, both in this country and in England, still recognize him as the "Prince of Merchants."

"E" CO.'S ANNUAL DINNER

Members of Smart Unit Enjoy Banquet at St. Johns.

Programme of Patriotic Speeches, Songs and Music.

E Company, Seventh Fusiliers, held their annual dinner last evening at St. John's, and the affair proved an immense success. The feature of the evening were the selections rendered by well-known London artists, and particularly the Golden Gate Quartet, who introduced some of the latest songs.

The dinner was very elaborate, and the banqueting tables handsomely decorated, a circumstance for which the guests were indebted to the ladies of St. John's.

After the repast the following toasts were proposed and responded to: "The King"; "Canada," Capt. A. A. Campbell; "Our Commanding Officer and Staff," Quartermaster-Sergts. Amon and Shillington; "Our Company Officers," Lieut. Spittal; "Our Guests," Lieut. Bently; "Canadian Coronation Contingent," Sergt.-Major Milligan; "Sister Companies," Color-Sergt. Jacobs, Redge and Rider; "The Ladies," Corporals Green and Sussex; "The Host," Mr. E. Barrell.

The officers of the evening were Color-Sergt, Treleaven, Sergt. Hutchinson, Corps. Green, Ferguson and Sussex.

Rusty Nail Caused Lockjaw.

Milton, Ont., Oct. 24.—Percy Syer, the 11-year-old son of S. Syer, is dead of lockjaw, as the result of running a rusty nail into the calf of his leg while playing football.

MANY MINERS OUT IN THE COLD

Feeling of Unrest in the Lykens Valley—Hundreds Will Not Get Back.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 24. — It is stated here that not 50 per cent of the men who went out in the Lykens Valley region, when the coal strike was declared, will get their places back, and that only a small number have started work. Others will be given employment, but the coal company has refused to discharge those who took the places of men who struck. The miners are incensed at this action by the company, and there is a feeling of unrest in the Lykens Valley. The company has issued an order to the effect that only a limited number of men will be re-employed, and that it will not discharge the men who have taken the places of the strikers.

A LITTLE BETTER.

Wilkesparre, Pa., Oct. 24. — There is a slight improvement in the coal mining situation in the Wyoming and Lackawanna regions this morning, but in the Schuylkill and Lehigh regions there has been little chance since yesterday.

All of the collieries of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company are being worked with an increased force of miners.

The Ontario and Western Company started all of its mines this morning.

The Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company resumed operations at two of its mines, but owing to the accumulation of gas they had to shut down again.

The Delaware and Hudson Company has more mines in operation in the Lackawanna district than yesterday, but in the Wyoming region the company could not get an additional colliery started, although steam was up in readiness for hoisting coal.

The Lehigh Valley Company reports that it has one more mine in operation this morning than yesterday.

FEELING THE WAY.

A general resumption is not looked for until Monday. With the mines in operation the output of coal must be somewhat curtailed, because the mines cannot be worked to their full capacity. As one mine superintendent expressed it today: "We are only feeling our way. It will take some days before anything like a normal output will be obtained."

TROOPS TO LEAVE.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 24.—Gov. Stone issued order today for the withdrawal of troops from the strike region at such time as Major-Gen. Miller may designate.

NEEDS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

Congregation Should Deal Very Liberally With School.

Principal Merchant's Plea for Important Branch of Church.

At the last day's session of the Provincial Sunday School Workers' Convention at St. Thomas, Mr. Merchant, M.A., D.Paed., principal of the Normal School, London, spoke on the subject of "How Far Can the Methods of Secular Schools be Applied in Sunday School Work?" Well-lighted, well-heated and well-ventilated schoolrooms were as neessary to the Sunday schools as to the day schools. Few churches have made adequate provision for the accommodation of Sunday school classes. No public school could do satisfactory work under the conditions existing in the Sabbath school rooms. The speaker was surprised that the Sunday school accomplished as much as it did. Better buildings could be secured only by agitation. Congregations should do more for the Sunday schools.

The accommodations for Sunday school children were not at all equal to those provided the congregation for brief services each Sunday. The home has relegated the Biblical training of children to the Sunday school. An attempt has been made to foist it upon the secular schools, but the speaker declared that this would never be accomplished. The money devoted to supervision of public schools was the best invested of any educational funds. Such supervision was much more greatly needed in the Sunday schools. Teaching must take its place beside preaching. A better selection of lessons should be made for the Sunday school. The lessons must furnish material for free play of the imagination. There were many Biblical stories suitable for the primary classes. Diversity rather than uniformity is the proper method for teachers to follow. Actual study of the class to be taught is more important than preparation of the lesson.

Speaking of secular schools, many a school room tragedy was enacted because teachers do not understand the tendencies and capacities of their pipils, and the same is true of Sunday school teachers. Vividness of presentation, rather than repetition, should be always aimed at. When it is considered that there is three times as much money spent upon the choir as is spent upon the Sunday school, it was no wonder that the church had come to be regarded as an aesthetic rest day social club. The growth of the church has been in the form of public lecturing or preaching. More attention should be given to Sunday schools.

In answer to an inquiry, Mr. Merchant said he did not favor detached lesson; all should be consecutive. Asked as to how secular school authority could be enforced in Sunday schools, the speaker said actual compulsion was always a source of friction, and was not necessary to attain good results.

Bishop Grant Married.

Springfield, Ohio, Oct. 24.—Bishop Abram Grant, D. D., of Indianapolis, bishop of the Fourth Episcopal district of the A. M. E. Church, married Mrs. Louisa Armstrong, widow of the late Bishop Armstrong, at the home of the officiating minister, Bishop B. W. Arnett, in Zenia, yesterday afternoon. The bride was formerly matron of the Wilberforce University.

GREAT MEDICINE.—Tonti, one of the pioneers of French Canada, lost a hand and wore an iron hook as a substitute. He was in the habit of boxing the ears of refractory Indians with this iron hand, and they have remarked that it was "great medicine." Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is great medicine. It takes hold of pain with an iron hand and knocks it out of the system.

ROYALTY WILL LAY LAST STONE

The Duke of Connaught Will Open the Nile Dam at Assouan.

Cairo, Oct. 23.—Official arrangements for the dedication of the dam on the Nile at Assouan are complete. The Duke and Duchess of Connaught will arrive here Dec. 6, and, along with the Khedive, will go by special train next day to Luxor, whence they will take a steamer to Assouan, arriving Dec. 9. The inauguration takes place on the afternoon of Dec. 10.

On Dec. 10 the party, including the guests, goes to Assiout on steamboats. The following day the supplementary dam at Assiout will be inspected, after which the party will return to Cairo. The ceremony of inauguration consists in laying the last stone and opening a number of sluices to let the water flow down the river.

The Assouan dam built across the Nile is the greatest work of the kind ever attempted. As a triumph of engineering it stands perhaps at the head of human achievements. It has cost a little more than £25,000,000. It is nearly a mile and a half long, 38 feet high, and is pierced by 180 sluice gates, which are opened and shut by machinery, and regulate the flow of water in the river. The supplementary dam at Assiout, a few miles up the river, is intended as a reinforcement of the great dam, to assist it by breaking the force of the spring floods and restraining them in a local reservoir capable of storing more that 1,000,000,000 cubic feet of water. By means of these dams the surplus waters will be stored in the rainy season and released in the time of drought. This system of irrigation will make capable of cultivation vast areas of what is considered the richest soil in the world, and the effect of the harvests thus obtained on the food markets is worth considering.

PREMIER LEAVES OTTAWA

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portfolio of marine and fisheries, is mere speculation, as nobody knows what will be done save the Premier himself.

AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Oct. 23.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived here today to consult with Montreal Liberals regarding the appointment of a successor to Mr. Tarte in the department of public works. He was met at the station by Mr. S. H. Janes, of Toronto, and they walked up together to the Windsor. His first caller was ex-Mayor R. Prefontaine, M.P., who was with the Premier for about half an hour. Mr. Prefontaine admitted that he had discussed the subject with Sir Wilfrid, but declined to say whether or not any offer was made to him. Among other callers were Messrs. B. J. Coghlin, president of the Reform Club; Hon. Dr. Guerin, Messrs. Joseph Brunet, M.P., H. J. Cloran and G. W. Stephens, jun., Sir Wilfrid had lunch at the St. James' Club with Senator Casgrain, and later had further consultations with leading Liberals. Opinion here is that Hon. L. P. Brodeur will be offered the vacant portfolio, and that Mr. Prefontaine will be made speaker of the Commons. Sir Wilfrid, who is accompanied by Lady Laurier, will leave for Quebec tomorrow, and on Saturday they will go to Arthabaskaville to spend a few days with Mr. Henri Laurier.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Oct. 24.	Reported at	From
Tunisian	Martin River	Liverpool
Lake Megantic	Fame Point	Liverpool

An earthquake shock was felt at Rome yesterday morning.

The French industry of raising flowers for the manufacture of perfume has been greatly injured by the chemical colors and artificial ethereal oils produced in Germany, as the latter sell at a lower price and are hardly distinguishable from the genuine.



It's About Now

That YOUR TROUSERS commence to bag at the knees, fray at the bottom and go into a general state of collapse. Fall weather is hard on Trousers. A fresh pair about now will be welcome. Here is a lot of new patterns—stylish mixtures, dull checks, stripes, etc. All better class worsteds that will go well with good suits, hold shape and wear to please you. **$2.75 to $4.50.**

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Her Recompense.

This might not have been so easily accomplished but for the fact that when the would-be murderer found that the avengers were after him, he hastily pulled off his coat and threw it away to make his progress easier, and his revolver being in one of the pockets, he had nothing with which to defend himself when brought to bay.

When he was led into camp, the look of hatred and malignity he directed at Rich left little doubt as for whom his shot had been intended.

A dozen pairs of hands were ready to assist in binding him, and they were not remarkably tender in the operation, either; after which he was conveyed and secured to a wagon, and a guard set over him to make sure that he did not escape.

When this had been accomplished Rich sought the gentleman who had rendered such timely assistance in the arrest.

He was a noble-looking man of perhaps forty-three or four years, and Rich was instantly impressed that he had seen him before.

"Pray tell me, sir, to whom we are so indebted," he said, holding out his hand in cordial greeting.

"My name is Halstead," was the reply, "and I was hunting in the woods yonder when I heard the report of a revolver from this direction. Thinking I might find a companion in my sport, I followed the sound, and—the rest you already know."

While he was speaking Rich had been observing him closely.

"I think I have met you before, Mr. Halstead," he said, when the gentleman had concluded his explanation. "Do you remember a lad whom you encountered one day several years ago among the hills of Vermont, and who came near causing a serious accident to your wife by arousing a huge snake, which frightened your horse?"

"I remember a brave boy," returned Mr. Halstead, heartily shaking the hand he was holding, and smiling with undisguised pleasure, "who doubtless saved Mrs. Halstead a serious fright, if not a fatal injury, by his courage and presence of mind. I am very glad to meet you again, Mr. Waldemar."

Rich was surprised that he should have remembered his name, while he noticed that an expression of sadness and an unwonted pallor had swept over his face upon learning who he was.

He presented him to Mrs. Campbell and Grace; then, excusing himself, returned to Annie, whose anxious eyes followed him everywhere, as if she could not feel sure that he was safe even now.

It was thought best to return home immediately, for, of course, there could be no more enjoyment after what had occurred.

A comfortable couch was arranged for Annie in Mrs. Campbell's roomy carriage, and a whole seat given up to her, Grace asking permission to ride with one of the farmers' daughters, and, as soon as they could harness their horses, they set out upon their homeward ride.

"I hope we shall meet again," Rich had said to Mr. Halstead at parting. "We are spending a little time at Mr. Starkey's farm in Lynnell, and when we are a little more calm it will give us pleasure to become better acquainted with you. Are you stopping in this vicinity?"

"Yes; I have been in Maine all summer; I am at Sherman, about five miles from you, I believe," responded Mr. Halstead, then adding, with some embarrassment: "may I inquire—is Miss Waldemar with you?"

"Yes; my aunt has been here more than a month. She did not accompany us today, however, as her strength is not sufficient for such an excursion," Rich returned.

"Ah!" said the gentleman, with a slight start, "is she not well?"

"Not as well as we could wish; but improving, I believe, on this delightful country air and diet," said the young man.

Mr. Halstead sighed as he bowed and turned away, and, as he had not responded to Rich's expressed desire that they might meet later on, he feared that he should not see him again, while it suddenly flashed upon him that he had not inquired for the pale, beautiful woman whom he had so admired that lovely summer day, and whose ring he still wore upon the little finger of his left hand.

It was rather a solemn party that returned from the excursion that had promised so much in the morning. Annie appeared much refreshed by the long, quiet drive, though she was still greatly shaken, and her sweet face was very grave as she was borne into the dear old farmhouse which she had grown to love so fondly.

The wretch who had come so near being a murderer was taken to the country town and lodged in jail to await his examination; and it may as well be stated here that, upon being tried, and his previous offenses brought up against him, he was found guilty, and sentenced to twenty years' hard labor in the State prison.

But before that time expired he was called before a greater Judge to settle his final account.

Miss Waldemar was greatly shocked upon being informed of the startling event of the day, and seemed scarcely less agitated upon hearing who had rendered such efficient assistance in arresting the criminal.

She was even more unnerved and ill than Annie during the next few days, and the "two charming invalids," as Grace playfully termed them, were waited upon and attended with the fondest care by every one in the house.

The second day after the picnic Mr. Halstead rode over from Sherman to inquire regarding the recovery of the young lady who had sustained such a fearful shock.

The Campbells and Rich received him and spent a delightful hour with him, though they all noticed that his eyes frequently wandered to the door and his attention seemed somewhat diverted by every step in the hall.

After a while he inquired especially for Miss Waldemar, a flush mounting to his brow as he did so.

Rich replied that she was not able to see visitors that day, for she had been prostrated by the narrow escape of Miss Noble.

He arose soon after this and took his leave, appearing preoccupied and sad as he rode away.

No one, save Grace Campbell, suspected why Miss Waldemar was so often found with tears in her eyes.

She, knowing something of the story of Miss Waldemar's life, though she had never learned the name of the man whom she had loved so fondly in her youth, felt sure she had discovered the sequel to all the past.

Her own heart had been in sympathy with her and her keen eyes were quick to read both her face and that of Arthur Halstead, when the name of either was spoken in the presence of the other, and she was not long in arriving at the right conclusion regarding their relations to each other.

CHAPTER XXXVII.

About a week before Annie Noble's wedding-day, it was discovered that there were a number of trifles wanted for that important occasion which had been forgotten during the shopping excursions in New York, and Audrey, who was somewhat better, though still far from being herself, volunteered to run down to Bangor and make the required purchases. Mr. Starkey drove her over to the Lynnell station the next morning, and waited to see her safely aboard the train, when he told her to take good care of herself and he would meet her there when she returned at night.

Already the drive in the fresh morning air had invigorated her, and she felt something of her old energy returning to her.

She found the journey to the city very pleasant, and she actually enjoyed her shopping. She found Annie's list longer than she had thought, but she gave her mind wholly to it, and, becoming really interested in her work, she was surprised to find how the time had slipped by, and that it was two o'clock when she reached the last article on her memorandum. Then, finding from her timetable that she had more than two hours remaining before her train would leave for home, she took a carriage to drive about the city for awhile.

Among other places of interest she visited the public library, and spent some time looking at the large collection of books, pictures and other objects of interest gathered there.

Finally she sat down at a desk and glanced through the visitors' book, to see if it contained any names that she knew.

There were none, and after writing her own, she arose and passed out of the room.

Just as the last flutter of her garments disappeared through the doorway a gentleman emerged from an alcove at one end of the room. It was Arthur Halstead. He went to the desk that Audrey had just left, sat down, and took up the pen her fingers had so recently held, to write his own name. His eyes fell upon the last one recorded upon the page before him. The ruddy color faded from his face as he saw those characters which years ago he had so loved to trace upon the white-winged missives that he had sent to tell her of his truth and faithfulness.

With a few rapid strokes he dashed off his own name, threw down the pen and sprang from his seat. As he did so something upon the desk attracted his attention. It was a lady's purse and cardcase combined, a dainty little affair, having a gold clasp, chain and plate, and upon the latter there was a familiar monogram engraved.

He knew it instantly, for it was the one that he himself had given to Audrey in that sweet long ago, as a parting souvenir. She had laid it sacredly by for long years, but of late something had inspired her with a desire to use it.

Taking possession of it, he hurried from the room, although with no definite purpose in his mind.

He had just crossed the vestibule, and was about to pass out of the building, when the door opened and a woman entered.

One glance was sufficient for those long-parted lovers to recognize each other, as they stood thus, face to face, for the first time for more than a score of years.

"Audrey!"

"Arthur!"

Eye spoke to eye, heart to heart, as their lips gave utterance to those names, which had been so sacredly enshrined in their hearts for the best portion of their lives.

Arthur Halstead put out his hand and clasped hers.

"At last I meet you!" he said, but his voice shook with emotion, and, strong man as he was, he was trembling violently. "Are you well—are you better?"

"Yes, I am better; I was far too ill to see anyone the day you called," Audrey answered, quietly, though she, too, was very pale.

His face lighted at her words. He had imagined her illness was merely an excuse for not meeting him.

"And you—are you well?" Audrey continued, for he still held her hand, and a strange feeling of embarrassment was stealing over her.

"Physically, yes; mentally, no," he briefly returned.

She looked up quickly, an expression of questioning and surprise in her beautiful eyes.

"And—your family?" she inquired, hesitatingly, not exactly knowing what else to say.

"I have none. My wife died a year ago last month, and I have no children."

Quick tears of sympathy sprang to Audrey's eyes; her heart was full, but her lips were mute.

He saw them, and added, more gently, as he held up her lost purse:

"You were coming back for this. I found it on the desk, recognized it, and was going to send it to you, if I did not find you."

"Oh, yes; thank you, I feared I had lost it," she replied, flushing, but taking it from him with an eagerness that told him how highly she still prized it.

He opened the door and they passed out of the building together.

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FOOTBALL.

NORMALITES LOSE THEIR FIRST GAME.

The Normal School Football Club is wearing mourning today as a result of their game with the collegiate at St. John's A. C. grounds yesterday afternoon. The pedagogues evidently were in poor condition as a result of their Thanksgiving outing, and put up the poorest game they have played during the term. The collegiate team, on the other hand, had benefited by their former defeats, having made some important additions to their team since their field day sports. After about 12 minutes' playing the first score was made for the collegiate, which was followed immediately by a second. This evidently decided the game, as the teachers seemed to regard a victory as impossible, and played an easy game thereafter. In the second half, some good features were noticeable on both sides, but resulted in a third goal being scored for the victors. Mr. Couse, the association referee, umpired the game in a generally satisfactory manner. The line-up was.

Collegiate—Robb, goal; O'Grady and Downey, backs; Cameron, Rickman and Elwood, halves; Taylor, Kennedy, Little, Crawford and Garrett, forwards. Normal—Henderson, goal; Cayley and Trask, backs; Maylard, Weir and Johns, halves; Branion, McCarten, Grant, McTaggart and Buchanan, forwards.

COLBORNES WON.

The football team of the Colborne street school defeated the representatives of Princess avenue school yesterday in a warmly-contested game by the score of 26 to 20. Gordon Lawson was captain of the winners and Mr. S. P. Latta acted as referee.

IS RUGBY DETERIORATING?

[Toronto Telegram.]

The Ottawa Citizen has decreed that football is not deteriorating. It says:

"The question of whether Rugby football has deteriorated or not may be settled by a glance over the situation. The Rough Riders, for instance, have players who have been conspicuous in the game for some years and who are as active and capable as ever they were. That these players have improved with passing seasons and with efficient coaching is the conclusion that will be arrived at by any reasoning person. The same may be said of Ottawa College and of the Argonauts. The style of play may have changed with the passage of time, but it is foolish to assert that Rugby is on the decline. Mr. Brown should weigh his evidence carefully before bringing in a verdict."

But even the Citizen does not explain the lack of interest in the gridiron game. In its opinion football cannot be on the decline as long as an Ottawa team is on top.

Still the better informed Rugby men agree that "it is time for a change;" that the scrimmage must go, and that rules must be found that will produce more sport and less brutality. Argonauts and Hamilton are said to favor the Burnside rules. Ottawa may or may not like them, but the O. R. F. U. would be better off without Ottawa, and as Ottawa only stays in the O. R. F. U. because it can get no place else to play, its opinion should not have much weight anyway.

THE TURF.

WINDSOR'S CASE NOT HOPELESS.

Windsor, Oct. 24.—From circumstances that developed yesterday, it appears likely that there will be running racing at Windsor next season, even though the present lessees carry out their present intention of abandoning the track. Eastern parties are convinced that they can run a meeting that will be successful, and will undertake to get control of the plant as soon as the lease now held by Messrs. Wagner, Chambers & Walker runs out. It is known that these parties have already made overtures to the owners of the track, the Windsor Driving Park Association, but the officers of that organization are so closely guarding the details of the deal that is proposed, that it will be some weeks before the plans in full can be published.

It is whispered that the applicants are men identified with eastern racing, and that in the event of success in their efforts to secure the plant, they will make some big changes. R. C. Chambers, while in the city, was certain that the present lessees would not renew the lease, and it is likely that several more applications for the plant will be received before the present contract expires.

When questioned as to the reliability of the report that eastern parties were after the track, Secretary Hanrahan, of the association, admitted that such was the case. Further he would not commit himself. "I have nothing to say for publication," said Mr. Hanrahan, "but you can rest assured that the track will not remain idle. We have one application in now from the east, but the names will be withheld for the present."

The officials of the association are not losing any sleep over the matter. They say that a meeting will surely be held next year, and it will be conducted according to the rules and regulations of the Western Jockey Club, as the association has always been in accord with the organizations that govern race meetings.

WORLD'S RECORDS BROKEN.

Memphis, Oct. 23. — Two world's records broken, another one tied and a gallant attempt by the great Cresceus to lower his trotting record, were the sensational features at the driving park this afternoon. The exhibition of Cresceus and Onward Silver were reserved for the end of the day's sport.

It was after 5 when Onward Silver, accompanied by a runner, appeared for his great effort to lower the two-mile trotting record of 4:29½, made by himself last week at Lexington. At the second trial the starter gave Hudson the word and the handsome trotter fairly flew around the first turn. Hudson apparently checked his speed at the quarter, which was passed in :34¼. Going down the back stretch, Onward Silver broke, but soon regained his stride. The half was reached in 1:08¾, and the three-quarter in 1:41½. Here the running horse set a hot pace to the wire, and the mile was made in 2:14½. At the next pole the time registered 2:48¼. Down the back stretch again Onward Silver moved with clocklike precision and the mile and a half post was reached in 3:21¼. Here the runner again set a hot pace, and at the last quarter pole the timers registered 3:54½. Hudson began to urge the horse in the stretch, and when the wire was reached a new world's record was hung out, the time being 4:28¼. Both horse and driver received an ovation.

Cresceus, with two runners, next appeared. Ketcham sent him along at a lively gait to the quarter in :31½. When the half was passed in 1:02, old horsemen shook their heads and remarked that the 2:02¼ record was safe. The three-quarter pole was reached in 1:33½, and the mile was finished in 2:04 flat. A stiff breeze was blowing directly up the stretch, and the exhibition was regarded as remarkable.

In the diamond handicap Major Delmar trotted the first heat in 2:05½, equaling the record for geldings in a race. In the third heat of the same race, at one-half mile, Major Delmar won handily in 1:01, which is a record for the distance. Tomorrow Dan Patch, the famous pacer, will attempt to lower the 1:59¼ miles record. Summary:

Diamond handicap, 2:15 trot, three heats; first 1 mile, second 1⅛ miles, third ½ mile; purse $6,000:

Major Delmar, b. g., by Delmar-Expectation (A. McDonald)	1	1	1
Monte Carlo, b. g. (Eckers)	2	2	3
Chase, b. g. (Hudson)	4	3	2
Nutbearer, b. g. (Foot)	3	4	4

Time—2:05½, 2:22½, 2:01.

2:18 pace, $1,000—Orin B., b. g., by Graystone, won in two straight heats; Harry D., b. g., owned by D. Curchi, of Centralia, Ont., 2; Major Hal, b. G., 3. Dorothy Wilton, Ross Mason, Hard Case, Dark Way, Five Points, Ethel Mack, Irene S. and Perry K. also started. Best time, 2:09¼.

2:20 trot, purse $1,000—Billy Foster, b. g., by Foster Boy, won in two straights; Grace Boyd, b. m., 2; Lauretta, ch. m., 3. Clarita W., Jautina, Katie S. and One Onta also started. Best time, 2:12¼.

2:10 pace, to wagon, amateur drivers — Gold Brick, ch. g., (Mr. Smathers), won in two straight heats; Nicol B., b. s., (Mr. Devereaux), 2; Dr. Nonical, ch. g. (Mr. Billings), 3. Frazier and Carlio M., also started. Best time, 2:18½.

Onward Silver, to beat world's two-mile trotting record of 4:29½—(Scott Hudson); time by quarters, :34¼, 1:08¾, 1:41½, 2:14½, 2:48¼, 3:21½, 3:54½ and 4:28¼.

Cresceus, to beat world's trotting record of 2:02¼ — (Ketcham); time by quarters, :31½, 1:02, 1:33½, 2:04.

WINDSOR TO BE DROPPED.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 23.—Failure to make a sucess of running meetings at the Windsor course will cause the dropping of that track from the northern circuit. R. C. Chambers, one of the lessees of the plant, made this statement last evening. "We will pass Windsor by," said Mr. Chambers, "as we find that meetings over there do not pay. In the first place, the street car service is inadequate, and the lack of suitable accommodations has caused Messrs. Wagner, Walker and myself to relinquish control of the track. The lease expires next year, and we will not renew it." Mr. Chambers hinted that the lessees of the Windsor track had designs on the Grosse Pointe course.

PEARL VS. HEATHER BLOOM.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Richard Donnelly, who is here with Heather Bloom, the bay gelding which holds the world's record for the highest jump a horse ever made, said today that George Pepper, of Toronto, could win $10,000 or any part of it at the coming horse show in the Coliseum, if his horse, Pearl, jumps higher than Heather Bloom. Pepper claims that Pearl beat Heather Bloom's world's records at Des Moines two months ago.

AT MORRIS PARK.

New York, Oct. 23.—A. Featherstone's Igniter won the Ramapo handicap at Morris Park today. The winner was heavily played, his price opening at 8 to 1 and going to 4 to 1. Igniter broke in front and led his field around the first turn, when he gave way to Oom Paul, who continued to make the pace to well into the stretch. Here Igniter came up and won, driving, by a length from the favorite, Oom Paul. The surprise of the day came in the Fordham handicap, the winner turning up in the 10 to 1 shot, Belle of Lexington, who made all the running and won in a drive from Royal. The weather was clear and the track fast. Summary:

First race, 3-year-olds and upward, Withers mile—Potente, 107 (O'Connor), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, 1; Clorita, 109 (Odom), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, 2; Animosity, 96 (Cochran), 20 to 1 and 2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:41½.

Second race, the Autumn Meadowbrook handicap, steeplechase, about 3 miles—Cheval d'Or, 135 (Harris), 8 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; The Abbe, 142 (Dahling), 8 to 1 and 5 to 2, 2; Gypsic, 139 (Dayton), 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, 3. Time, 6:15.

Third race, Ramapo handicap, for 3-year-olds, 1⅜ miles—Igniter, 112 (O'Connor), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, 1; Oom Paul, 112 (J. Martin), 2 to 1 and 9 to 10, 2; Caughnawaga, 97 (Redfern), 13 to 5 and even, 3. Time, 1:54¾.

Fourth race, the Fordham high-weight handicap, last 5 furlongs of Withers mile—Belle of Lexington, 93 (Cochran), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, 1; Royal, 114 (Redfern), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, 2; Unmasked, 123 (Odom), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:27¼.

Fifth race, maiden 2-year-olds, last 5 furlongs of the Eclipse course—Florham Queen, 93 (Redfern), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, 1; Knight of Gold, 102 (Cochran), 60 to 1 and 20 to 1, 2; Prince Ching, 109 (O'Connor), 40 to 1 and 15 to 1, 3. Time, :58½.

Sixth race, handicap, for 3-year-olds and upward, 1⅛ miles—St. Finnan, 96 (Martin), 6 to 1 and 8 to 5, 1; Rockwater, 109 (Lyne), 6 to 5 and 1 to 2, 2; Zoroaster, 108 (Shaw), 4 to 1 and 9 to 10, 3. Time, 1:55.

AT WORTH.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—"Lucky" Baldwin's 7-year-old mare, La Goleta, cut two-fifths of a second off the track record for 1 mile and 70 yards in the second race at Worth today. Her time was 1:43⅗, within 1⅕ seconds of the record for the distance set by Jiminiz at Harlem last year. Elsie L., a prohibitive favorite at 7 to 20, in the fourth race, had to equal the track record of 1:12⅗ for the 6 furlongs to beat out Hergis half a length to the wire. Track and weather conditions were perfect. Jockey Coburn, who was suspended Monday for foul riding, was reinstated today by the Worth officials. Summary:

First race, 5 furlongs—Apple Sweet, 107 (Robbins), 16 to 5, 1; Aylmer Bruce, 112 (Coburn), 4 to 1, 2; Inster, 100 (J. Daly), 25 to 1, 3. Time, 1:01⅕.

Second race, 1 mile and 70 yards—La Goleta, 104 (Buchanan), 9 to 5, 1; Constellator, 100 (Battiste), 14 to 5, 2; Gallant, 100 (Davison), 30 to 1, 3. Time, 1:43⅗.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Autumanon, 112 (Otis), 3 to 1, 1; Sim W., 107 (S. Bonner), 50 to 1, 2; Lime Light, 107 (Hoar), 12 to 1, 3. Time, 1:20⅕.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Elsie L., 104 (Helgeson), 7 to 20, 1; Hergis, 103 (Pierratt), 8 to 1, 2; Hoodwink, 100 (Battiste), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:12⅗.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Carl Kahler, 100 (W. Hicks), 2 to 1, 1; Evedyn Byrd, 102 (Robbins), 18 to 5, 2; Bummer, 105 (Fuller), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:20.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Vulcain, 108 (Birkenruth), 4 to 1, 1; Moabina, 95 (W. Hicks), 10 to 1, 2; Illowaho, 94 (Helgeson), 8 to 5, 3. Time, 1:40⅘.

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 23.—This was long-shot day at the fair grounds track. The outsider, Virgie d'Or, at 40 to 1, won the sixth race from Jack Young by half a length. Only two favorites were successful. Weather fine; track good. Summary:

First race, 7 furlongs, selling—Locust Blossom, 107 (Louden), 20 to 1, 1; Precisely, 114 (Dale), 5 to 2, 2; Emily Oliver, 107 (R. Murphy), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:28¼.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Monsieur Beauccie, 103 (Louden), 8 to 1, 1; Light Opera, 103 (Scully), 8 to 1, 2; Dr. Kier, 114 (Dale), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:08½.

Third race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Tanados, 97 (Scully), 6 to 1, 1; Florrie S., 97 (W. Walkie), 5 to 1, 2; Trauer, 96 (L. Spencer), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:44¼.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Geheimnis, 119 (Dale), 5 to 2, 1; Bas d'Or, 98 (Scully), 8 to 1, 2; Fore and Aft, 108 (W. Waldo), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14¾.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Lunar, 106 (Watson), 7 to 10, 1; Leenja, 97 (Bridwell), 7 to 2, 2; Fonspray, 106 (R. Murphy), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:48¼.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Virgie d'Or, 101 (Fell), 40 to 1, 1; Jack Young, 93 (W. Waldo), 18 to 5, 2; Bill Massie, 101 (Fauntleroy) 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:41.

THE PROTESTED ELECTIONS

Strong Charges Against Dr. Snider, M.P., for North Norfolk.

Laval Petition Struck Off and Restored —The Argenteuil Vacancy.

Toronto, Oct. 24. — Strong charges are made against Dr. Snider, the Conservative member for North Norfolk, in the particulars of the protest filed this morning by the solicitors for the petitioner, E. C. Carpenter. One charge states that the member, through his election agent, Dr. McGuire, conspired with the Conservative party to become the candidate for a money consideration; that the contract was carried out and Dr. Snider was paid. It is alleged, too, that Dr. Snider personally received and distributed money from a fund raised by Messrs. J. P. Whitney, Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, Dr. Pyne, E. B. Osler, E. B. Ryckman and E. Bristol. The particulars give over 100 items of specific sums from $1 to $5 paid to voters, with the names of the recipients.

Dr. McGuire, the election agent, is charged with distributing money to fifty named persons to be expended for corrupt purposes. The trial is set for Simcoe, Nov. 4.

LAVAL ELECTION CASE.

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—While there were persistent rumors that Sir Henry Strong is retiring from the supreme court bench, he was present this morning, and presided as usual. The Laval election petition was under consideration on a motion to restore it to the rolls. It was struck off on Oct. 10 for a lack of prosecution. An order restoring it was granted. The exchequer cases were then taken up.

It is understood Sir Henry will retire after hearing the Yukon cases, and will be succeeded by Justice Armour.

ARGENTEUIL LIBERALS.

Lachute, Que., Oct. 23. — The Liberals of the County of Argenteuil met in convention here today to choose a candidate to contest the seat in the Dominion House made vacant by the death of Dr. Thos. Christie, the late member for the county. Thomas Christie, druggist, son of the late member, was unanimously chosen.

Boer Delegates at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The Boer delegates, accompanied by Mr. O'Halloran, deputy minister of agriculture, visited the departmental buildings and the stock farm of W. C. Edwards, M.P., at Rockland.

Looking After Gamblers.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 24.—The Provincial License Department intends to act vigorously against barrooms in which gambling machines are used. A circular has been sent to local inspectors to direct proprietors to take such machines out or proceed against them under the act.

Death of the Bearded Lady.

New York, Oct. 23.—Mrs. William Donovan, who traveled with Barnum's circus as "the bearded lady," died yesterday at her home in Brooklyn. She was 37 years of age. She was born in Virginia and started traveling with a show when she was 9 years old. In the course of her career she visited every civilized country in the world. She had a heavy black beard and moustache.

Under Temperance Education.

Portland, Me., Oct. 24.—President Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, of Portland, and the other officers of the National W. C. T. U. were re-elected by the national convention here. Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, of Massachusetts, superintendent of the department of scientific temperance instruction, said: "More than 26,000,000 children of school age in the United States are under temperance education laws today."

Americans Buy Canadian Mine.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—News reached the city of the sale at Cleveland of the Folger copper mining property at Round Lake, 30 miles west of Port Arthur, along the line of the Canadian Northern Railway. The purchasers are Cleveland and Pennsylvania capitalists, one of whom is said to be worth $10,000,000. The former owners were the Folgers, of Kingston, Ont. The mine is reported to contain rich ore, sometimes running to eight per cent of copper. It is stated that heavy development work will take place at once under the new management.

Toll-Gates Abolished.

Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 24.—Voting took place throughout Wentworth county on Wednesday on a bylaw to raise $98,000 for the purpose of taking over toll roads and other roads in the county. The complete returns are not to hand yet, but the bylaw was carried by a large majority in every township, and as a result all roads will be free, and several of them now in poor shape will be improved at once. About $50,000 will purchase all the toll roads, and the balance will be used in making improvements on the roads.

Paper Mill at the Soo.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 23.—An important meeting of capitalists was held here Tuesday, at which there was organized the Great Lakes Paper Mills Company, with a capital stock of $800,000. The incorporators are: Edward W. Douglas, Philadelphia, Pa.; Frank S. Lewis, Philadelphia, Pa.; Francis H. Clergue, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Cameron Currie, Detroit; Frank J. Herker, Detroit. The mills, which will be located at the United States Soo, will be modern in every respect, and will be built entirely of stone, brick and steel. They will receive power from the new canal, and will have a capacity of 125 tons daily.

Rockefeller's Thank Offering.

New York, Oct. 24.—At yesterday's meeting of teachers and college trustees of Columbia University it was announced that John D. Rockefeller had offered to give $500,000 to the college, provided that the college could raise $190,000 to pay off the debt of the institution, and $250,000 in addition to that amount. The announcement was made also that Mr. Rockefeller makes the gift as a "thank-offering to Almighty God" for the preservation of himself, his family and household from the fire which recently destroyed his country home at Pocantico Hills.

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Reportorial Dignity Injured.

A reporter on one of the local daily papers is small of stature and looks and behaves like a very young boy. One night recently he was sent to Everett on an assignment by the night city editor. He called at a house and asked for the lady he wished to interview. It was after nine o'clock, and the curfew had warned all children from the streets on penalty of being arrested and locked up.

The questions the reporter asked the lady were impertinent but important. She gazed at the innocent looking "child" before her a moment, and then said: "Little one, you are not a reporter. You are an imposter whom some idle, malicious gossip has sent here to worry me. You ought to be in your bed. Now you run along home or you will get arrested and locked in a cold dungeon; for remember, the curfew has rung, and all little boys must be in bed, nicely tucked in, before the curfew rings. So run along like a good little child."

The reporter choked down his wrath and went his way. But his dignity had been assailed, and he gave vent to his feelings later when he related his experience to his chief. Now he is devoting all his energy to growing a mustache.—Boston Herald.

Sacred Mountain in Japan.

Almost every mountain in Japan, especially if it be unusually picturesque or grand, is dedicated to some deity, who is believed to be guardian of the mountain. It is not surprising that these grand cones of strength and power, which inspire all beholders with awe, should seem inbued with intelligence to these simple-minded people and should fill their hearts with the instinct of fear or dependence. For this reason the grandest shrines throughout the land are found on high or precipitous mountain tops; tributes offered either in admiration or as pleas for protection. These temple grounds are covered with the oldest and largest forest trees, and oftentimes to the eyes of the people below the clouds which hover around the mountain peak seem to rise from and to hide within the forest shadows. This originated the belief that the gods hold power over the clouds to withhold or cause rain.

Art in Photography.

With the modern methods at command, there are virtually no limitations to the individuality that can be conveyed in the photographic print. These methods are extremely subtle and personal in character, says the Century. For this reason each individual print has a distinct identity of its own that reflects the mood and feeling of its maker at the time of its production, and, in consequence, it rarely happens, in the case of the two prints identically alike are produced from the same negative. This fact has special significance for the collector. The Brussels and Dresden art galleries were among the first to realize the individual value of pictorial photographs as original artistic creations, and have for some years been purchasing examples for their permanent art collections. Large prices are frequently paid for choice prints, as much as $300 having been refused for a picture exhibited this year at the National Art Club in New York, in the exhibition of the Photo-Secessionists, probably the most radical and exclusive body of photographers.

The Finish at Monte Carlo.

One sees only the appearances of luxury and gayety in this glittering community. Despair would make a blot upon it. Those who have lost their fortunes disappear like magic, and while the newspapers announce on their first page, "Monsieur le Duc has left the azure coast and has returned to his sumptuous apartments," the poor devil goes to conceal his shame in some little shanty lost in the ocean of Parisian roofs, says Harper's Weekly. But all have not the courage to go away. Many stay. Of such not a word is heard. The cold, the rain, fog, ruin, and death are and ought to be, according to the announcement of the company and the press, wholly unknown in this favored spot. Orange trees always in flower, palm trees always green, and the sky always blue, a continual fete, winners, fortunate gamblers, nobles, millionaires, counts, dukes, grand dukes, highnesses, and princes, princes—that is what people want in Monte Carlo. A pistol shot is never heard, never causes a scandal. The walks where the cactuses stretch out in perspective toward the sea are always clean and well sanded. One never sees a drop of blood.

The Trolley Omnibus.

The trolley omnibus is about to be introduced into New England. This very useful application of electricity enables an omnibus to become an automobile by taking current through a flexible cable from a double trolley overhead. The trolley is either a double-pole trolley of the regular sort or a small carriage that is moved along the wires in advance of the omnibus, propelled by a little motor of its own, says the Tradesman. The motorman of the omnibus regulates the speed of trolley carriage as well as that of the larger vehicle. This form of electric vehicle is useful on roads where it would not pay to construct a track. The trackless trolley line can also be operated in cities on streets where a track would not be permitted, for example, where streets are too narrow or along drives or parkways or boulevards. It can be installed at comparative light expense and made to pay well when travel exists only at certain periods of the year, as, for example, at summer resorts. A good macadam road is requisite for the country line. The power can be purchased from some nearby central station lighting company.

Fool and His Money.

In a Sunday school belonging to a large parish in an American city the teacher of a class which consisted of boys and girls requested each pupil to commit to memory an appropriate text and recite it on the following Sunday when the regular contribution of a penny should be deposited in a bag kept for the purpose. The idea was a new one and pleased the children, and on the appointed day each child, as he or she dropped a penny in the bag, recited the text, which evidently had been learned with pleasure. The various texts: "The Lord loveth a cheerful giver," "Cast thy bread upon the waters," and others equally appropriate were repeated with each contributed penny, and the delighted teacher passed the bag to the boy who sat at the end of the class. Rising from his seat the little fellow dropped his penny into the bag, and, in a voice which plainly revealed his satisfaction with his own selection of a text, said, "A fool and his money is soon parted."

Ticklishness.

"Why is it that one person is ticklish and another isn't?" asked a man who is fond of the unusual thing. "I have often wondered how men were differently constituted in this way, and have never seen any satisfactory answer up to this time. Some men can't stand to be touched in the side. Others cannot stand to be touched on the knees. They 'steal sugar,' according to the nursery legend, and will simply have a fit if you scrape the ends of your fingers over their knees. The bottom of the foot and the palm of the hand are tender places with other people. On the other hand, there are men who are not at all ticklish. I have seen tests made with straws about the ears and neck without any sort of disturbance. The subjects, too, were reasonably sensitive. I cannot say that they were not thin-skinned to some extent, for I know many of them were. But they were not ticklish. As a rule the man whose skin is thin is the ticklish man, but there are the usual exceptions to this rule. I suppose it is a matter involving the nervous constitution, and if persons are unusually ticklish I guess it is due to the fact that the sense of touch is more keenly develped at the particular parts of the body which are peculiarly sensitive. I can account for the vast difference in persons in this respect in no other way. It is simply a question of a highly developed sense of touch."

His Only Name Is Wolf.

The collision of a Jefferson avenue car with a junk wagon brought out the fact that at least one man in St. Louis has no given, or first, name, says the Republic of that city. Patrolman Charles F. Campbell, who witnessed the accident questioned the other witnesses to obtain their names. He got the names of Motorman George Noels and Conductor C. W. Hickman, and then turning to the driver of the demolished junk wagon, asked, "What is your name?"

"Wolf," said the driver.

"What's your first name?" queried the policeman.

"I haven't any," said Wolf.

"Now, stop your joking. I have to make a report of this accident to the captain," said Campbell, "and it must be done quickly. Come on, now; give me your full name."

"I'm not fooling," said Wolf. "I never had a first name. I can see no use for one and never wanted one."

The policeman, still incredulous, wrote "Wolf" in his notebook and went away. Wolf picked up his junk, which had been scattered by the collision, and summoned another wagon to haul it away.

Flogging.

It is not generally known that flogging, which has been abolished in the English army, still survives in the navy. The change of public sentiment serves to keep the practice from such excesses as in the old scandalous days when boys were flogged to death and only seditious Radicals objected, but a recent case has caused some severe comment in England. The experience of the United States navy since flogging was abolished—largely as a result of Herman Melville's "White Jacket," written after service as a sailor in the navy—shows that milder measures are quite as efficacious.

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DISMISSED APPLICATION

Ald. Dreaney Accuses Ald. Cooper of Using Knife in Ironside Case.

Mr. Robert Ironsides' application for reinstatement as first assistant city engineer came before No. 2 committee last night and was filed. Only Ald. Dreaney supported it in any way whatever. He asked that it be laid over for a week, but the other members of the board would not agree to this. Ald. Dreaney's opinion was that Ald. Cooper had his knife in for Ironsides in this case, but this the chairman denied.

The board decided to leave to the city engineer the removal of superfluous trees about the city, and granted permission to Messrs. John A. Little and A. M. McEvoy to tap respectively the sewers on Dundas street east and Becher street. The board will notify property owners not to encroach upon the river bed by filling in upon their property. A few other routine matters were attended to.

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515 Richmond Street.

LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mrs. Melbourne, of Manistee, Mich., passed through the city this afternoon on her way to Hamilton to visit her daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. K. Melbourne.

—Next Sunday evening Miss Sproule, missionary to the lumber camps in connection with the W. C. T. U., will give an address in the Methodist Church, Thorndale.

—The many friends of Mrs. George Craddock, regent of the Wellington Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, are congratulating her on the splendid success of the "Spinsters' Convention," which was given by her chapter.

—Detective Rider and L. E. and D. R. R. Detective Skirving yesterday arrested two young lads on the charge of breaking open a freight car and stealing therefrom a number of bottles of whisky. The alleged offense was committed a week or ten days ago.

DELAWARE CITIZEN DEAD.

Benson Hughson, an esteemed Delaware Township farmer, died last night at the family residence, lot 9, con. 2. His death was due to acute pneumonia, and he had been ill only a short time. He was the son of a clergyman who was well known in this section of Western Ontario. Mr. Hughson leaves a widow and three children.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

On Sunday next Sunday school anniversary services will be held in the Wellington Street Methodist Church. Rev. C. T. Scott will preach in the morning and Rev. W. G. Howson and the pastor, Rev. R. D. Hamilton, will address a gathering of the Sunday school scholars in the afternoon. The proceeds will be devoted to the fund for the erection of the new Sunday school, work on which will be commence next spring.

TWO PRESENTATIONS.

Two presentations took place yesterday at the local office of the Bell Telephone Company. Mr. George A. Holman, who has been one of the local inspectors for the past four or five years, was presented by the office staff with a purse of gold and an address, prior to his leaving for Port Arthur, where he will have charge of the inspecting department. Miss Maud Whately, one of the long-distance operators, was presented with a handsome gold crescent and star brooch, set with pearls. Miss Whately goes to Sarnia Hospital to become a trained nurse.

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RECORD RUNS ON G. T. R.

Over two hundred school teachers from Toronto and York county occupied a special train, which passed through the city last evening, en route to Detroit. The engines pulling the trains made remarkable time. Engineer Lister drove engine 974 from Toronto to this city, coming from Hamilton here, he covered the 78 miles in 82 minutes, thereby making a record. The train was taken at this city by Engineer Rutherford, with engine 565 and pulled to Windsor at the rate of 53 miles an hour. A number of teachers went by the C. P. R. also.

STUDENTS ENTERTAIN TEACHERS.

Class B of Normal School students entertained at dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Merchant and Mr. and Mrs. Dearness. The table was very attractive, being decorated with ivy and the college colors, red and yellow. An odd but pretty center piece consisted of a basket of oranges and apples. The menu cards were in the shape of maple leaves, tied with the colors. The menu was entirely prepared by the girls and reflected great credit on the teacher, Miss Butchart.

Public Library Additions.

Richardson—Classification. Theoretical and practical.
Cheyne (editor)—Encyclopaedia Biblica. Volume III.
Linesman—The Mechanism of War.
Henderson—Education and the Larger Life.
Arnold—Plans for Busy Work. For primary teachers.
Barber—Wagner Opera Stories.
Du Bois—Beckonings from Little Hands.
Lindsay—Mother Stories.
Poulsson—Love and Law in Child-Training. For mothers.
Snider—The Psychology of Froebel's Play-Gifts.
White—How to Make Baskets.
Jackson—Electricity and Magnetism. Elementary.
Goodale—The Wild Flowers of America.
Douglas—Brush Drawing and Design. For public elementary schools.
Pratt—Perspective. Including projection of shadows and reflections.
Royal Academy Pictures for 1902.
National Worthies. A selection from the National Gallery.
Taylor—Why My Photographs are Bad.
Kobbe—Opera Singers.
Mair—Tecumseh (a Drama), and Canadian Poems.
Tainsh—A Study of Tennyson's Works.
Mabie—William Shakespeare, Poet, Dramatist and Man.
Doyle—The War in South Africa: Its Cause and Conduct.
Aldrich—A Sea Turn and Other Matters.
Becke—By Rock and Pool.
Besant—No Other Way.
Chambers—The Maid-at-Arms.
Crockett—The Banner of Blue.
W. Gibbons—The Black Diamond.
Hope—The Intrusion of Peggy.
Merriman—The Vultures.

A LITTLE ACCIDENT

Saved a Lot of Money.

Food that will safely and surely carry a man through exhausting mental work is worth knowing of.

A man in St. Louis, Mo., says: "In my work, it is necessary to begin at 7 o'clock and work straight through without lunch until 2 p.m. You can readily see that this is a strain on the ordinary person, and I was frequently worn out and sick with hunger and weakness. On numerous occasions when 2 o'clock came round, I was so utterly exhausted and unstrung as to be forced to lose the remainder of the day, and that carried with it a loss of money.

The first package of Grape-Nuts came into our house a little over a year ago by accident. There has been one by design ever since that time. Almost immediately after beginning to use Grape-Nuts, I felt its good effect in my ability to work those long hours in comfort. There was no sickness or weakness, and no loss of time from exhaustion. In my business, it is also necessary to work every Wednesday night of each week. The change from day to night work and then back again is certainly no light call on the reserve force of any one, and my invariable preparation for this task is a generous saucer of Grape-Nuts and cream, a light lunch, but a most sustaining one.

An old friend was visiting me recently, and while eating the evening meal, I was extolling Grape-Nuts to him. He rather doubted the deliciousness of the food. My three children, aged four, six and eight years, were at the time watching a large cream cake on the table, and enjoying in anticipation the treat. I asked the three which they would prefer for dessert—cream cake or Grape-Nuts. Without hesitation, they answered in chorus, 'Grape-Nuts.' My friend was convinced.

The only breakfast the children have is Grape-Nuts and rich milk, and you could not find a more healthy trio." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

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New Layer Figs, 15c pound.

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We get the best quality of Oysters direct from Baltimore. You can rely on their being fresh and cleanly kept. Extra Selects, 50c quart. Large Standards, 40c quart.

Salted Oyster Biscuits, 10c lb.

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BRIDGING THE BOG HOLE

Two Townships Making Needed Improvement.

The Townships of North Dorchester and Dereham are building a 45-foot bridge over the swampy area opposite lot A, concession 2, south of the River Thames, on the townline between the two townships. The Counties of Middlesex and Oxford each granted $300 towards the erection of this bridge. The road at this point has hitherto been impassable at certain seasons of the year.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

AT THE GRAND TONIGHT.

"The Pride of Jennico," James K. Hackett's famous play, will be presented at the Grand tonight, by a competent cast. The play is one of the most successful of romantic dramas, and it will be presented were with all the elaborate scenery, costuming and accessories which have accompanied it during its prosperous run in New York at Frohman's theater, the Criterion. The entire production, while under the management of Mr. Percy Sage, is made by arrangement with Daniel Frohman, who owns and controls the play, and the stage production is under the personal supervision of Mr. Frohman's stage managers.

MINSTRELS COME TOMORROW.

The first part of the McKinney Bros.' minstrel entertainment, the attraction at the Grand on Saturday afternoon and evening, is brought to a close by the comedians presenting Al Read's burlesque, entitled, "Under the Gas-pipe," with its thrilling finale of a locomotive rushing across the stage at full speed. The olio opens with the Imperial Quartet, and they are followed by the past-masters of musical comedy, Messrs. Campbell and Campbell.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Snow fell in Montreal Tuesday.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association has decided not to send a representative to South Africa.

The New York Yacht Club last night elected Emperor William of Germany, and his brother, Prince Henry, honorary members.

Fire on Thursday did $4,000 damage to Coulter & Campbell's brass works, corner George and Britton streets, Toronto. Covered by insurance.

Mr. C. Cliffe, editor of The Sandon (B. C.) Review, has purchased an interest in a newspaper at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and removes there at once.

The coroner's jury at Bathurst, N. B., has found a verdict of murder against Frank Lyman, a seaman, for the slaying of Mate Burns Mason, of the American schooner Georgia.

COURT OF REVISION STRUCK
$60,000 OFF CITY ASSESSMENT

Favorable Decisions Given in the Majority of Seventy Cases Appealed.

The Court of Revision gave judgment upon 70 appeals last night, affecting the assessment by a total of more than $60,000. The number of appeals allowed was larger than usual, but reduction is less. Mr. T. F. Kingsmill secured a reduction of $15,000 on the Runians, Carson, McKee stock, and a total of about $14,000 was taken off three firms which have gone out of business—the Sanitary Dairy, Sleeman's and Eacrett's. The judgments were:

T. F. Kingsmill—Personalty, $15,000 off; realty, $500 off.
Thomas Beattie—Realty, $1,200 off.
W. C. Coo—Realty, $200 off.
W. Eacrett—Personalty, $2,500 off.
L. H. Martin—Realty, confirmed.
Thomas Marshall—Realty, $100 off.
John Thompson—Realty reduced to $500.
J. & George T. Mann—Realty, dismissed; personalty, $300 off.
Trebilcock & Son—Realty reduced to $2,000, personalty to $1,500.
Selina Downs—Realty reduced to $400.
R. Dagg—Personalty, $1,000 off.
A. Lee—Realty, confirmed.
George Black—Income, $200 off.
Jean D. Ives—Realty reduced to $1,900.
A. E. Chantler—Realty reduced to $1,000.
Canadian Pacific Railroad—Realty, $5,000 off.
A. Ashton—Realty reduced to $1,500.
Frank Harding—Confirmed.
D. L. Hardey—Realty, confirmed.
George Haylock—Statute labor, allowed.
William Casey—Statute labor, allowed.
Sisters of St. Joseph—Realty, $600 off.
Sleeman Brewing Company—Personalty, $3,500 off.
Thomas Brierly—Statute labor, allowed.
W. R. Hobbs—Realty, confirmed.
John Christie—Realty, $100 off.
Federated Business College, $3,000 off.
James Spry, $100 off.
Margaret Stevenson—Realty, $50 off.
Sanitary Dairy Company—Realty, $3,000 off; personalty, $5,000 off.
City Gas Company—Realty, $1,500 off.
Martin Roberts—Realty confirmed.
William Kerr—Realty, $300 off; personalty, $1,000 off.
English Estate—Realty, $400 off.
William Andrews—Realty and personalty confirmed.
S. E. Jeffery—Realty confirmed.
N. M. Lockhart—Statute labor, allowed.
Amos Harris—Personalty, $200 off.
R. Smith Estate—Realty, $400 off.
John Anderson—Realty confirmed; income, $300 off.
George T. Hiscox, $200 off.
John A. Nelles—Realty, $1,000 off; income, $500 off.
Thomas Brown—Realty, $100 off.
James Burton—Personalty, $100 off.
P. E. Bucke—Income confirmed.
J. S. Gilleson—Realty, $200 off.
R. B. Griffith—Income confirmed.
John Lang—Realty, $200 off.
William Leff—Realty confirmed.
F. E. Langford—To be assessed as owner, allowed.
A. Leigh—Realty confirmed.
Randall Learn—Personalty, $1,200 off.
D. E. McDonald—Against statute labor, allowed.
A. L. McDonough—Realty, dismissed.
H. G. McHarg—Income, allowed.
M. O'Meara—Realty confirmed.
W. H. Pimm—Personalty, $1,000 off.
John Porteous—Income, $300 off.
William Robson—Realty, $50 off.
Elijah Windsor—Income, $300 off.
W. J. Wilson—Realty, $500 off.
Henry Wooster—Realty confirmed.
N. S. Williams (for Western Woolen Company)—Personalty, $5,000 off.

The court will meet again on Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

WENT FOR SEC'Y WYNDHAM

Nationalists Were in Evidence in the House.

Another Breezy Seance Ended by Enforcing Closure.

London, Oct. 24.—Another scene was caused by the Irish Nationalists in the House of Commons yesterday. The Nationalists bombarded Chief Secretary for Ireland Wynham with all kinds of relevant and irrelevant questions, and when the speaker barred further attacks in this direction, the Nationalists moved an adjournment of the house in order to discuss some triviality which happened during the last session.

When the speaker ruled the motion out of order great disorder followed. Nationalist after Nationalist sprang to his feet and violently challenged the speaker's ruling. William Redmond was especially prominent in his insistling on arguing with the speaker. He was urged on by frantic cheers and shouts from the Nationalist benches.

Finally Mr. Devlin obtained leave to move the adjournment of the house to discuss certain rioting in Belfast on Oct. 19.

Premier Balfour declined to change his attitude regarding granting a day for Patrick O'Brien's resolution that a day be granted for a debate on the state of Ireland.

The Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman declined to say he would accept the motion or would support it as a vote of censure against the Government.

The evening session of the house developed recriminations between the Irish Catholic members and Thomas Sloan, the new Protestant member from South Belfast. There was much cheering and counter cheering.

In moving the adjournment of the house to discuss the Belfast rioting, Mr. Devlin, while disclaiming any motives of religious bigotry, attacked the Irish executive for permitting disorderly Sunday meetings on the steps of the Belfast custom house, during the course of which he charged that "itinerant blasphemers insulted the Catholic community and fomented infamous attacks on certain Protestants." Mr. Devlin said that the result of the Belfast elections, however, had served to frighten the Irish supporters of the Government.

Mr. Sloan, in his maiden speech before the house, replied that there had been more rowdyism in the House of Commons in the past week than he had seen on the steps of the custom house. He said that none of the speakers at the later place was ever jailed for boycotting and intimidation, for the simple reason that they were all loyal subjects, who did not believe in such conduct.

Mr. Wyndham praised what he characterized as the success of Mr. Sloan's first appearance, and denied that there had been any rioting at Belfast on Oct. 19.

William Redmond then rose to speak, but Premier Balfour moved the closure, which was carried by 188 to 121 votes.

Mr. Devlin's motion was defeated by 200 votes to 98.

The house then resumed the discussion of the education bill.

Breathing Disease.

Infectious diseases are breathed into the system from those affected with disease or from bad smells; yet how many women breathe daily the offensive steam from common soaps made from rancid fats, and keep their hands for hours in such solutions, and the clothing from such soap suds is worn next the tender skin. No wonder disease and eczema are prevalent! Users of Sunlight Soap—Octagon Bar—know the difference between that and the pure, healthful smell from the vegetable oils and pure edible fats in Sunlight Soap. 208

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