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LONDON, Oct. 24.—The next commoner to be elected to the peerage is J. J. Colman, the senior partner of the great firm of Colman & Co., mustard manufacturers, whose yellow sign appears on every wall and in every railway station in the United Kingdom.

ANOTHER BLACK MARK AGAINST WALES. The Prince of Wales has had another black mark put against his name this week in the shape of a revelation made during a civil action in the Westminster County Court. The case was one in which the Lyceum Theatre was chiefly concerned, and the Lyceum Theatre had been the theatre of a 2400 for box tickets came out quite indignantly, and apparently much to the regret of the theatre people.

A BOOM FOR BABES. Her Majesty the Empress of Germany is in the best of health, and her little daughter is strong and wide awake for a nine-month baby. In addition to the royal pardon granted to 400 female prisoners, the Empress has conferred a boon on her worthier subjects by donating 200 complete baby outfits to the several maternity homes in the large cities of the empire. The Kaiser's name is on everybody's lips today.

VISITORS TO THE BIG SHOW. Apart from emigrants, it is expected that nearly 500,000 Europeans will visit the Chicago World's Fair. The Hamburg-American Line proposes to build a steamer that will surpass the latest accessions to the Cunard Line, and to give ample provision for the numerous passengers expected. It is arranged that tickets for Chicago will include board, railway travel and return, besides admission to the fair.

SOME IDEA OF THE SIZE OF THE MULTITUDE which will cross the Atlantic to visit the World's Fair next year may be gained from the fact that nearly 3,500 members of the Regent Street Polytechnic have already engaged passage.

FOUR YEARS FOR STEALING FOUR CENTS. The Tory magistrates continue to make English justice a subject for contempt and derision. Judge Little has just sentenced a man who pleaded guilty of stealing two pence from the till of a public house to four years penal servitude. The other day a wretch who culminated a series of cruelties by crushing his wife's cheek bone by a blow with a shovel got four months in the workhouse, and the punishment was regarded as exemplary.

LABOR MEETINGS IN LONDON. At a meeting on Sunday in London of delegates of the Socialist and Radical unions the compromise arrangement was approved, whereby the Government consented to open Trafalgar Square to public meetings on important occasions, and the labor leaders agreed to meet the views of the Home Secretary on the subject until the ordinance regulating the use of the square can be amended. It was declared that meetings of the unemployed would be held at frequent intervals throughout the winter.

NEILL-CREAM'S CASE. The summing up of Justice Hawkins in the case of the poisonous Neill-Cream, is attracting widespread comment. It is generally conceded that the judge made a stronger presentation of the case for the prosecution than did Sir Charles Russell, who appeared for the defense. It is clear that Hawkins from the outset regarded Neill as guilty, and the public are adopting the same view. A movement is being started to obtain a respite for Cream on the ground that he is insane, but it does not stand the slightest chance of success. Neill will certainly be hanged unless he manages to dispose of himself with one of his own capsules.

THE QUEEN'S OSTRICH. Queen Victoria's ostrich is homesick since its transfer from Liverpool to the London Zoological Gardens. It has sulenly refused to eat, and bananas have been run down its throat by the unsentimental keepers. The other day Superintendent Bartlett inflicted an additional indignity on the royal bird by forcibly administering a big dose of castor oil. It is feared the Queen will never look upon the bird alive. If it should die it will be preserved and stuffed and placed in a hallway at Windsor Castle or Osborne House.

DENTISTS DISGUSTED. English dentists are much agitated over the probability that the British Medical Council will need to the application of Prof. Winder, of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, that the degrees of the college should be recognized in England the same as degrees from Harvard and Michigan colleges. English dentists have already found that much lucrative business is going to established American dentists, whose methods and skill are advanced beyond the accepted standard of dentistry in Great Britain. Dr. Forshaw, of Bradford, is conducting the negotiations with the British Medical Council on behalf of the Baltimore College.

OUIDA ON THE RECENT BRUTAL RACE. The novelist Ouida has written a letter upon the cruelty to animals exhibited in the great ride of Austrian and German officers between Vienna and Berlin. The letter is headed "Decorated Butchers." The writer suggests that each and every person who took part in the ride deserves degradation and imprisonment; that it is wholly useless to preach the doctrine of mercy to the multitude while scenes of rivalry and so-called noblemen spur animals to death and drag them into the goal, dripping with blood and sweat and screaming with agony, their spines twisted and their shapely heads dropping off. "It is useless," urges Ouida, "to frame laws against cruelty to animals unless such cruelties as these are to be punished."

CIVIC PRIDE IN FRANCE. "Free-thinking" France carries her contempt of religious ceremonies to interesting extremes. Civic funerals are everywhere the order of the day. The deputy mayor of Verdun has gained notoriety by the laconic simplicity with which he committed to earth the remains of a fellow-citizen the other day. Shopping to the side

of the coffin by the open grave, he uncovered his head and facing the assembled mourners said: "Citizen Mori, in the name of the law, we bury you." Then the gravediggers did their work.

THE SPENDTHRIFT LORD. Next week the courts will finally decide the question of the possession of the great Savernake estate, the birthright of Lord Salisbury, which he sold to the owner of the Guinness brewery for about \$4,000,000. In the meantime another of the exploits of the spendthrift young lord is receiving judicial attention. A young blood, by name George Maxwell, while drunk, as he says, gave the marquis a check for \$5,000 in a game of bacarat at Brighton last February. The check came into innocent hands and the matter was sued. The court will consider for a few days the point whether he should pay.

MR. MOODY'S MOVEMENTS. Evangelist Moody, having completed his special mission at Spurgeon's Tabernacle, the result of which, he says, was "a phenomenal harvest of souls," has since been lunched and feted liberally in London and the provinces. He is at present in Norwich visiting Ireland daily to big audiences, and will visit Ireland before returning to America. Some time next year he will start work in the West End of London under the auspices of a committee of rich and influential Churchmen and Nonconformists now being formed.

COLOSSAL PANORAMA. Among the sights at the Chicago World's Fair will be a colossal panorama, covering nearly 2,000 square feet of canvas. The subject of the panorama is the Maennichen in Bernese Oberland. Hans Berg conceived the idea, and three noted Swiss painters, Burnand, Baudouy and Furet, with twelve assistants, have been working incessantly on the canvas. The artists spent four months sketching in the Maennichen before starting painting. A proof of the panorama has been exhibited in Paris, and the work is pronounced a masterpiece of art. The painting will be finished in about a month. It is said that spectators, viewing the painting from an elevated platform, are so impressed by the realistic mountain scenery that they turn giddy. A special lighter is being built at Paris to convey the panorama to Havre, as the railroad is unable to carry it. From Havre the painting will be shipped on a French steamer to New York, en route to Chicago.

TENNISON'S SUCCESSOR. The announcement of Tennison's successor as the wearer of the laurel may be expected soon. The honorary post will be continued because, as Wordsworth put it, when accepting the laureateship once decided, "the distinction expressed, upon authority entitled to the highest respect, a sense of the national importance of poetic literature." Swinburne's name is by far most prominent in the consideration of competent judges. It is urged against the criticism of his non-admirers that he is no longer a poet of passion. As the Times puts it, he is less luscious and rank, with more of common humanity, and now decidedly "on the side of angels." William Morris would have many and strong supporters had he not placed himself under a ban by allying himself with socialism.

MYSTERIOUS SUICIDE. Early in the present week a beautiful and handsomely dressed woman of about 30 took rooms at the Charing Cross Hotel, London, registering as Mrs. Gordon. She was apparently a person of wealth and refinement. A gentleman, whose name is unknown, frequently visited her. Thursday evening the occupants of adjoining rooms heard the couple quarrelling and exchanging recriminations. Nothing was heard of Mrs. Gordon the next morning, and when a chambermaid finally obtained entrance to her room about noon she found the lady lying on the floor in a hall corner. She was dressed in a tea gown, as she had been on the previous evening. The bed had not been occupied. The lady was removed to the Charing Cross Hospital, where the physicians decided that she was suffering from narcotic poisoning. Antidotes were administered without effect, and the patient sank gradually until she died at 4.45 o'clock Saturday afternoon. A letter was found in her room addressed to the coroner, declaring her intention to commit suicide, but giving no reason for the deed. The police say that papers were found in a trunk which contain matters of a sensational nature. They are making a vigorous search for the man in the case.

INCREASING LUNACY IN GREAT BRITAIN. The increase of lunacy in this country, or, to speak more correctly, the increase in the number of persons certified as insane, is said to be causing a good deal of worry to local authorities, who have to shelter the unfortunate. Statistics show that the percentage of insane to the general population has steadily risen during the past ten years from 28.83 to 29.88 per 10,000.

A DOG STORY. One of the best dog stories on record came out in the Kensington Police Court this week. A lady was walking along Kensington Park road, when a good-sized dog ran up beside her, snatched her umbrella from her hand, and bounded off with it. The animal followed a posting cart in which there were a man and a woman. A gentleman in a carriage saw the incident and pursued the cart. The occupants, when the dog was seen, declared they knew nothing about the dog, which still kept beyond reach. Later in the day the gentleman saw the same cart and dog in Waltham road. The man and woman had been arrested for assaulting a policeman. The cart was examined and found to contain six ladies' umbrellas. The only case pressed against the prisoners was the one for assault. The dog is incorrigible. The umbrellas await owners.

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A few showers have occurred in Quebec

and in Western Ontario, otherwise the

weather has been fine everywhere. Fresh

to strong northwesterly winds have pre-

valled on the lakes and in the Maritime

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Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Victoria, 46°—52°; Calgary, 24°—32°; Ed-

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Toronto, 35°—47°; Montreal, 36°—48°;

Quebec, 36°—48°; Halifax, 42°—52°.

20-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Oct. 25—1 a.m.—Probabil-

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must be handed in on the day previous to

that on which their appearance is desired.

—The Bishop of Huron inducted the

Rev. W. Craig, B.D., to the rectory of the

Christ Church at Petrolia on Sunday.

—John G. Watson, of Montreal, formerly

of London, is in the city. He attended the

funeral of his father-in-law, the late Wm.

Walker, of Westminster.

—Do you want an estimate as to how

much an advertisement will cost you?

Send inquiry on a postal card and you will

be answered by return mail.

—There was a fair audience in the First

Congregational Church last evening to

hear an address on "Science and Scripture,"

Friends or Enemies" by Rev. Dr. Saxton.

—One swallow does not make a summer,

and a single advertisement will not make a

fortune, but no sensible man will minimize

the importance of keeping what he has for

sale before the reading public.

—Brantford Courier: Rev. Canon Smith,

Mrs. Smith and Miss Flo Smith, of Christ

Church, London, will spend the greater

part of the present week in this city. The

Rev. Canon has a pleasant duty to perform

on Wednesday next.

—A Toronto item says: "Detective Bur-

rows, of No. 1 division, and Detective

Wasson, representing the College of

Physicians and Surgeons, returned last

(Sunday) night from London, Ont., where

they had been attending the funeral of De-

tective Harry Phair. While in the Forest

City, Detective Wasson was taken ill. The

exact nature of his ailment is not known

yet.

—Miss Wintemute, returned missionary

from Japan, addressed a fair audience in

Queen's Avenue Methodist Church last

evening. She is a remarkably pleasant

and at the same time fluent speaker. The

habits and customs of the Japanese people

were described, and some of the difficulties

to be overcome by the missionaries were

mentioned. From beginning to end the

address interested the audience.

—This is a good rule for preparing an

advertisement: Write it out, no matter at

what length, putting in everything worth

saying; next, examine it critically, with

the purpose of ascertaining how many

words can be stricken out without injuring

the sense. Nothing need be said for orna-

ment, nothing but what is strictly true, and

be sure to claim all that is true. Consult taste

rather than space in the use of display.

—At the Grand Opera House will be

seen next Friday and Saturday a strong

play, "Hand of Fate." The blizzard

scene in "Hand of Fate," is described

as being a striking example of the realistic

effects produced by the scenic artists and

the stage mechanic of today. Imagine a

gray winter scene in one of the Western

States. Every object in the landscape

looked bleak and drear. The morning wind

and the scattering flakes forebode the

"THE FAST MAIL."

A Great Performance at the Grand.

In many respects the performance of

Lincoln J. Carter's great play, "The Fast

Mail," at the Grand last evening was the

best melo-dramatic production ever staged

in London. The scenic and mechanical

effects are simply perfect. The play is a

strong one, and attracts and holds one's in-

terest from the first to the last curtain.

The company employed is an improvement

over the one seen here in the same play

last April. Of the scenic features, all are

so thorough that it is hard to particularize

any special one. The scene in a boiler

room of a Mississippi River steamboat,

with the lurid light flashing from the

furnace doors as they open and shut, the

passing shore seen through the open sides

of the boat is a very pleasing one. When

the great locomotive rolled on the stage, came

to a full stop, and the engineer alighted

from his cab and went through the familiar

process of inspecting and oiling up, and

then started his iron steed on its journey,

pulling after him a train of fourteen

freight cars with every detail perfect, even

to the lettering and numbers on each car,

the clanking brake chains, the creaking of

the ties as the train rolls over them, the

jar of the switch light as each car passes,

etc., the audience were amazed and delighted.

But even this is eclipsed by "The Fast

Mail" itself. The mail bag hangs in full

sight on its upright; the rattle of the

coming train is distinctly heard; the glare