

BOERS BLOW UP ANOTHER TRAIN

Carrying Telegraphers From the Town of Mafeking.

Desperate One-Sided Fight Lasting Four Hours.

Unconfirmed Report of a British Victory.

Gen. White Fails to Draw the Boers Into a Battle.

Fighting Has Taken Place at Kraaipan—Enemy Occupy Spitzkop, Near Newcastle.

Kimberley, Oct. 14.—Official confirmation has been received of the report that fighting has taken place at Kraaipan.

Glencoe, Natal, Oct. 13.—The Boers have occupied Spitzkop, near Newcastle.

ANOTHER TRAIN BLOWN UP.
London, Oct. 14.—The Exchange Telegraph Company has received a dispatch from Cape Town dated this morning, saying that the Boers have blown up another armored train, carrying telegraph operators from Mafeking.

Durban, Oct. 13.—Authentic news has reached here that 3,000 Boers encamped on the Ingogo battlefield last evening.

LETTER FROM KIPLING.

London, Oct. 14.—At Brighton last evening a public meeting was held under the auspices of the South African Association in support of the government. The hall was crowded, over 3,000 persons being present. In consequence of the report that Rudyard Kipling would speak, the audience, before the addresses began, sang patriotic songs. The chairman, Lord Talbot, at the outset read the following letter from Mr. Kipling:

"I see the papers have generally credited me with the intention of speaking at your meeting, but as I pointed out when the association did me the honor to invite me, public speaking is not my kind of way. I need not say that I am entirely in sympathy with the object of the meeting and realize our country's obligation at this crisis to support her majesty's government unreservedly. Their demand, I take it to be, is for equal rights for all white men from the Cape to the Zambesi; their aim the establishment of a republic instead of an oligarchy, and their vindication a new and regenerate Transvaal, governed under equal laws formed in open council by free men, neither corrupted nor coerced, representing every interest in the land. These things are good and desirable, and I recognize that it is the duty of each one of us according to his abilities to work toward their attainment."

The audience greeted the reading of the letter with hearty cheers.

Stirring News.

FIGHTING ALL ALONG THE LINE.

London, Oct. 14.—Those who have been anxious for more stirring news from the seat of war are getting it to the full this morning, as, according to the dispatches, shooting must have been nearly continuous along the entire borders of the Boer republics, while pitched battles have occurred or are occurring at various points in Natal and British Bechuanaland. Most of these reports, however, remained unconfirmed. As Mafeking is cut off telegraphically, the stories from that point are generally of Kafir origin, and must be regarded with suspicion.

While there is every probability that Gen. Cronje's big command has begun the assault upon Mafeking, reliable details must still be awaited.

THE KRAAIPAN DISASTER.

Further details are at hand regarding the destruction of the armored train at Kraaipan. These show that Capt. Nesbit, who was in command of the train, was warned at Mariborg that the Boers held the line. He replied that he was bound to proceed. On nearing Kraaipan, the train dashed into a culvert that had been blown up by the Boers, who were lying in wait for the train. The Boer artillery immediately opened fire and a desperate one-sided fight appears to have ensued, lasting for hours. The precise details are uncertain. It seems, however, that a police patrol, attracted by the firing, approached within about 2,000 yards of Kraaipan, saw the train dived, with

the Boer artillery still pounding at it, but noticed no response. The Boers seemed afraid to approach until the wreckage was complete, and the police patrol feared, as there was no sign of life near the train, that the entire force had perished in a desperate attempt to get the train back to Mafeking, where they knew it was anxiously awaited with its load of guns and ammunition. It is reported that the Boers lost heavily, but there is no means of verifying this. Two miles of rails were torn up.

RUMORS OF AN IMPORTANT BRITISH VICTORY.

There is no authoritative confirmation of the report that a battle has been fought in Natal between Gen. Sir Geo. Stewart White and the Orange Free State troops, although there is no question that the Boers have crossed the frontier at several points. They are said to have eighteen guns; but if, as is reported, the engagement began before the Boers had formed a laager and thrown up earthworks, the British cavalry and artillery are liable to have had the better of the fighting.

It is even reported that the British have gained a great victory, that 2,000 Boers were killed, and that the British loss was very slight; but this may be without foundation, as another report has been published to the effect that Lord Roberts was in receipt of news of a great British victory, but when the Associated Press representative questioned him regarding the alleged dispatch, he replied: "I am sorry that I have not received anything of the sort. The probability seems to be that there has not been any fighting as yet in Natal."

MAFEEKING'S WATER SUPPLY IN DANGER.

In connection with the rumored attack upon Mafeking, a disquieting report comes from Pretoria to the effect that the Kaibabing and Marico commandos have crossed the border and entered the Roodgrond territory, between Lichtenburg and Mafeking, blowing up the bridge over the Marico River, and destroying a trainload of dynamite and the track. As Mafeking depends upon Roodgrond for its water supply, the significance of this move is evident.

CUTTING RAILWAY CONNECTIONS.

London, Oct. 14.—According to dispatches from the front the Boers have made several attacks upon Mafeking, all of which have been repulsed. The Boers, it is reported, have seized the railway station north of Fourteen Streams, between Vryburg and Kimberley, after fighting which is still continuing in the neighborhood.

FAILED TO DRAW THE BOERS.

London, Oct. 14.—The following dispatch from Ladysmith has been received by the war office: "General Sir Geo. Stewart White went in the direction of Van Reenen's Pass at 3 a.m. yesterday (Friday) but failed to draw the Boers to the pass. He returned to Ladysmith, where he now is. No engagement occurred."

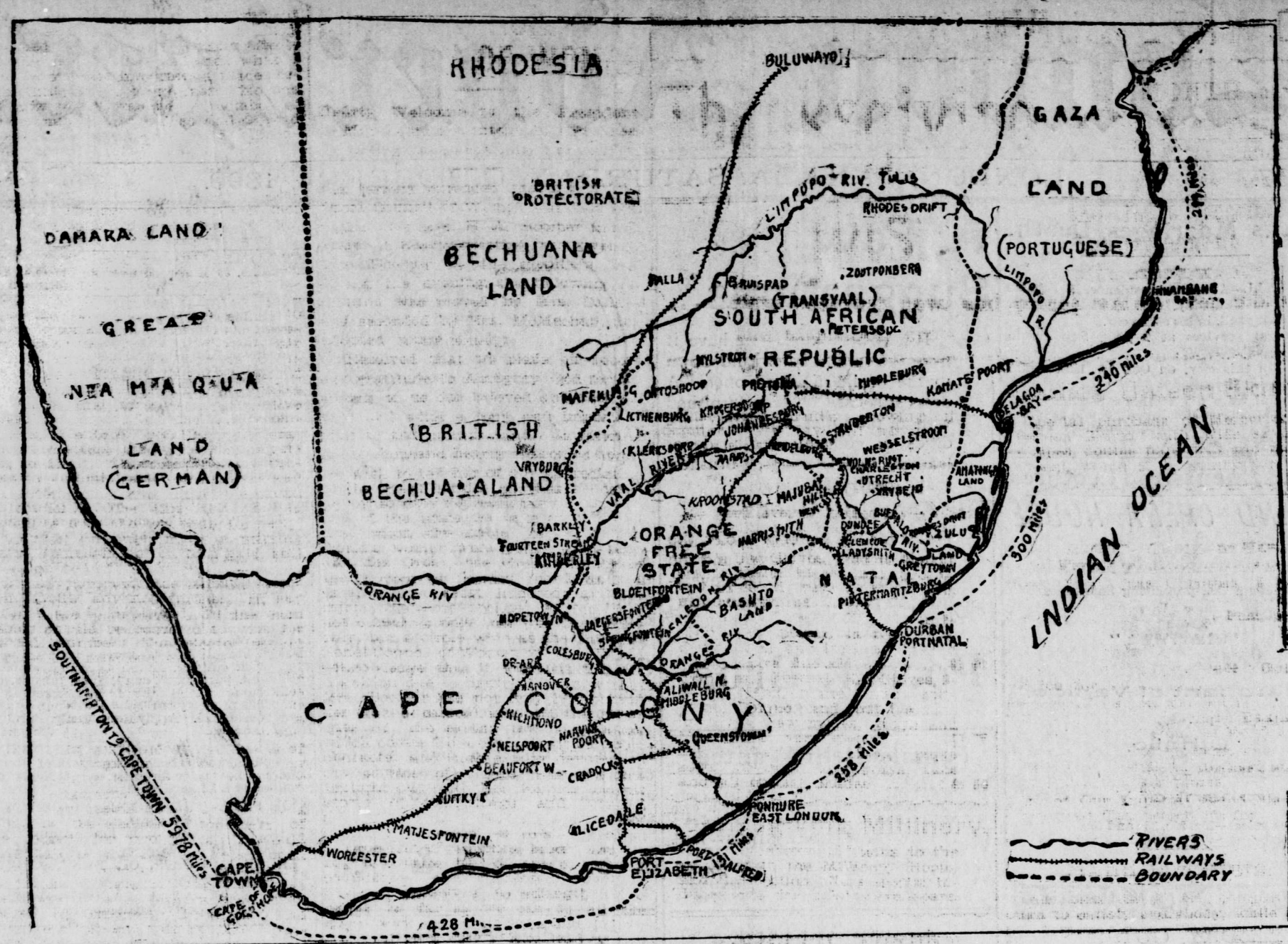
DEPARTURE OF GEN. BULLER.

London, Oct. 14.—General Sir Redvers Buller, who will have the chief command in South Africa, accompanied by his staff, left Waterloo station, London, this afternoon for Southampton to go on board the Dunottar Castle.

PUTTING UP THE SHUTTERS.

Madrid, Oct. 14.—The merchants threaten to close their shops as a protest against excessive taxation. If the threat is carried out, martial law will be proclaimed, as serious disturbances would ensue.

MR. ED RYDER, ACTON, ONT., SAYS: "I had a severe cold and pains in all my bones when I used Dr. Chase's Syrup of Limes and Turpentine, and was entirely cured."



MAP OF SOUTH AFRICA.
SHOWING ALL THE RAILWAY ROUTES FROM SEAPORTS TO BLOEMFONTEIN AND PRETORIA—THE LINE OF MARCH OF THE BRITISH TROOPS—DISTANCES ALONG ALL THE CHIEF RAILWAYS—CUT OUT AND KEEP FOR REFERENCE.

CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Will Take Part in the Transvaal Campaign.

A Volunteer Force of 1,000 Men Called For.

Comprising Units of 125 Men Each—Only Those in the Best Physical Condition Will Be Accepted.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—The government gives out the following:

"The greater part of the statements published in the press during the past few days respecting the action of the government in relation to the proposed contingent for service in the Transvaal has been inaccurate. The press, in the absence of any official statement, has indulged in speculation, some of which, perhaps, has misled its readers. In matters of this kind there are reasons for official reticence which only men accustomed to the responsibilities of government can fully understand. It was only within the last few days that the matter assumed such a shape as admitted of governmental action, and it was necessary that a full council meeting be held to consider a question of so great importance. At no time was there any question as to the desirability of Canada co-operating with the home authorities in any movement necessary for the promotion of imperial interests."

"The only question that caused a momentary delay was whether parliamentary authority was not required. The sending of a contingent to the Transvaal involved not only the expenditure of considerable money, but the taking of an important step that had not been contemplated by parliament, and which might possibly be regarded as a precedent, when in a matter of so much consequence a precedent was not to be hastily established. Hence the first view that prevailed was that parliament should be summoned to confirm the action which was proposed."

LIMITATIONS ON COLONIAL ARRANGEMENTS.

"Subsequently it was learned that the imperial authorities had placed certain limitations on all colonial arrangements, which, in reducing the initial cost, and in solving a somewhat serious constitutional question respecting the power of enlistment, obviated the necessity of a meeting of parliament in order to clothe the government with authority to take action."

"In view of this fact and of the urgent reasons for prompt action, the ministers decided this afternoon to carry out an arrangement which had been arrived at, through communication with the imperial authorities. The home government agreed to receive into the army in Africa a contingent comprising a number of units of 125 men each, and certain officers, the highest to be a major, so that the units may on arrival be consolidated with the imperial forces under imperial officers. The movement is to be entirely a volunteer one. The number of officers and men determined on is 1,000, which

is a much larger number than that supplied by any other colony of the empire."

RESTRICTIONS.

"The militia department, which has all its plans in shape, will immediately provide arms and equipment for the necessary forces. The commanding officers of the various corps throughout Canada will be asked to obtain the names of volunteers, to be forwarded to the minister of militia. Only men in the very best physical condition will be accepted, and preference will be given to good marksmen. It is expected, for obvious reasons, that chiefly unmarried men will form the contingent."

Arrangements will be made by the Canadian Government for the equipment of the contingent as above stated, and for the transportation of the force to a point of embarkation in South Africa, the contingent will be received into the imperial army and will come under the imperial army regulations."

AN OBJECTION.

The arrangement respecting the supplying of units with no officer of higher grade than a major is not satisfactory to the Canadian Government, who would have preferred to send a complete regiment, under the command of a Canadian officer. But it appears that the unit arrangement is a part of the general scheme prepared by the war office, applying to the various contingents furnished by the colonies, without any exception. Inasmuch as the whole campaign must, of necessity, be under the control of the war office, the Canadian Government have not felt at liberty to dissent from the proposed arrangement, though, as already stated, they would have preferred another."

The contingent will commence at once. Every part of the arrangement will be pressed forward with all possible speed, and it is expected that in accordance with the understanding with the imperial government, the contingent will sail from Canada for South Africa before the 30th inst.

SOLDIERS OF THE QUEEN

Canadian Militia Department Rushing Preparations

For the South African Contingent—Message From British War Office.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—As has been repeatedly stated in this correspondence, the Government of Canada will send over a military contingent to the Transvaal. The cabinet spent some time Thursday and yesterday in discussing certain minor details necessary to the proper rounding off of the plans of the government, but the principle that the contingent should be sent was never a matter of debate.

PREPARATIONS UNDER WAY.

Hon. F. W. Borden, minister of militia, says his staff are hard at work finishing the comparatively little that remains to be done towards the immediate mobilization that will take place. Major-General Hutton, who is in Calgary, was telegraphed to return to Ottawa immediately, and Lieut.-Col. Otter, of whose ability the department has a high idea, was ordered by wire to report in Ottawa at once. The contractors for the uniforms, the W. E. Sanford Company, of Hamilton, will speedily complete the manufacture of 2,000 tunics and 2,000 pairs of trousers for the force. The commissariat department will not need to be a very extensive one, as the units will be attached to British regiments. This work will be looked after by the imperial authorities. The Allan Lines Siberian has been chartered by the Canadian authorities.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES.

The department of agriculture has received a cable message from the high commissioner for Canada intimating that the war office ask for tenders, required immediately, for 850,000 pounds of compressed corned beef and mutton, chiefly in six-pound tins, but two-pound and other sizes may be offered; it must be of exceptional quality guaranteed, the date of canning stated. Prices should be quoted for delivery at Woolwich and Cape Town, stating earliest date for supply in each case.

WHERE IS IT?

The published telegram which Sir Charles Tupper says he addressed to the prime minister on Oct. 5, pledging his support to any measure for sending a Canadian contingent to South

Africa, caused some surprise on Parliament Hill, as it was the first Sir Wilfrid Laurier had seen of it. The message does not seem to have been received, either, at the local telegraph offices.

EIGHT LIVES WERE LOST

By the Burning of a Steamer on Long Island Sound.

Some of the Passengers Hurt and Others May Have Perished.

New York, Oct. 14.—The Bridgeport Steamboat Company's steamer Nutmeg State, which left Bridgeport at 3 o'clock this morning, caught fire three hours later off Execution light, and was totally destroyed.

At 11 o'clock it was known that eight persons had perished, as follows: Samuel Jayne, baggage-master of steamer; Barney Hendry, officer; unknown woman; Patrick Coffey, first mate; Terence Brady, of New York, cabin boy; Charles Anderson, seaman; Thomas Murphy, seaman; John Connors, seaman.

It is feared that some women and children were lost by the swamping of lifeboats. Several passengers were injured. The fire broke out about five minutes after six in the morning, and in a few minutes was in full possession of the boat and ships, said Mr. Hubert. Lifeboats and rafts were thrown overboard as quickly as possible, and the passengers were put on them. Some of the lifeboats were so overloaded that they capsized, but the passengers, many of whom had life-preservers, clung on to the side ropes until the yacht Kismet arrived and helped them.

When Captain Brooks found that the fire could not be extinguished, he ran the steamer ashore near Sands Point, where she grounded. There were between 30 and 40 passengers on the Nutmeg State, Captain Brooks said. He said that he was afraid that some of them were lost. Everything possible that could be done for the passengers was done, but some of them got hurt, if not burned to death, the captain said, and these were all taken on board the City of St. Lawrence, a Sound steamer, which was coming down to the city. She saw the fire, and she at once steamed over toward the burning vessel. Boats were put out from her and by her help the passengers of the Nutmeg State were taken aboard the vessel, together with the remaining members of the crew.

The Nutmeg State was a thousand-ton steamer, owned by the Bridgeport Company, and was valued at \$100,000, and the cargo at \$5,000. Both are total losses.

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ONEIDA INDIANS HOLD THEIR FAIR

Big Crowd of White People Took It In—Result of the Races.

The Oneida Indian braves had ideal Indian weather for their show yesterday, which was quite a surprise for they have run in extremely hard luck for several years, seeming to strike a wet streak when picking out days on which to hold the show. As a consequence the finances have not been in as flourishing condition as was desirable, though the officers by close management have weathered the storm, and the receipts of the past two days will enable them to breathe more freely.

The outing was enjoyed by hundreds of palefaces, who take a deep interest in the welfare of the show on the Oneida reserve, where they seem to enjoy fraternizing with the dusky braves. The display of cooking in the main building was hardly of the sort to tempt the pampered appetite of the average white man, but it was said by Indians to be splendid, and the palefaces took their word for it, without venturing to test. The various articles shown were very creditable specimens of workmanship. The grain was quite a large exhibit, while all the other classes filled very well considering the season.

The races form an important part of the fair, and usually develop exciting finishes, for the prizes being quite liberal, good horses are generally entered. The officers were W. D. Kollins, shedder; W. S. Weld, Delaware; S. Sutherland, Delaware; Dr. Guest, Shedden; Thomas Johnstone, Delaware. When it came to the ladies' driving competition, the set of judges felt unable to shoulder the responsibilities of the office, and prevailed upon Rev. J. Henderson, Shedden; Rev. R. McIntyre, Tempo; Rev. W. W. Shepherd, Muncie; Rev. Peter Moyer, Delaware, and Rev. Mr. Millson, of Lambeth, to do the work. Dr. Tom Ninham, chief constable, protected the reverend gentlemen from being jostled by the crowd. Thursday's races resulted as follows:

Three-minute class:

Billy K. 1 1 1
Dolphy W. 2 2 2
Iron Duke 3 3 4
Sandy 4 4 3
Maud Sprague 5 5 5

Indian race:

Mohawk Chief 4 1 1
Iron Duke 2 2 2
Indian Frank 3 3 3
Bay Billy 1 4 4

2:30 class:

Alice 1 1 1
Mohawk Chief 2 2 2
Hannah P. 3 3 3
Bicycle race—Mann, Delaware, 1; Axtelander, Delaware, 2; Dooxlatier, Oneida, 3; Shapland, Lambeth, 4.

FRIDAY'S RACES.

Three-minute class:

Mohawk Chief 1 1 1
Indian Frank 2 2 2
Bay Billy 3 3 3
Free-for-all:
Bonnie Pacer 1 1 1
Chicago Belle 2 2 2
Billy Medium 3 3 3
Team race:
Billy K. and mate 1 1 1
Mohawk Chief and mate 2 2 2
Iron Duke and mate 3 3 3

Those who successfully managed the show are: John Danford, president; Chief John Ninham, vice-president; Levi T. Dooxlatier, secretary; Joshua Thomas, treasurer.

Dave Williams has built a swell brick house, which he threw open to the public and served meals, thoroughly enjoyable to hungry people. He did a land office business yesterday.

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W. T. Strong & Co., Chemists, 184 Dundas street, London, Ont.

E. W. Boyle, Druggist, 552 Dundas street, London, Ont.

J. G. Shuff, Chemist, 540 Dundas street, London, Ont.

H. J. Childs, Druggist, London, Ont.

C. McCallum, Druggist, London, Ont.

N. W. Emerson, Druggist, 120 Dundas street, London, Ont.

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times I could not turn over in bed, and

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VERY SIMPLE

"Abdul the Damned," Drowns a

Few of His Wives.

Disaster on the River Senegal—Forty

Persons Perished—Madrid Mer-

chants Threaten to Shut Up Shop.

London, Oct. 14.—A special from Bu-

charest says that the Sultan has caused

to be drowned in the Bosphorus

several ladies of the harem accused

of complicity with members of the

young Turkish party.

PORTS WERE DROWNED.

St. Louis, Senegal, Oct. 14.—A native

craft, while attempting to cross the

bar at mouth of the River Senegal,

was wrecked, and 40 persons were

CHAPMAN'S

PHONE 791.

Saturday Night Sale

We preface our list of offerings for tonight with the remark that never (perhaps) since the inception of the business, have so many people visited this store, in the same space of time, as did last Saturday evening. But self-praise being no recommendation, we modestly refrain from giving the reasons, preferring to leave it to an ever appreciative public to be the judge.

Art Table Covers, one dozen only, 1 1/2 yards square, regular price \$1 50, tonight \$1.
Table Linen, 54 inches wide, Damask pattern, regular price 25c, for 18c.
Bleached Table Napkins, all Linen, good size, price \$1 35, tonight \$1 12 1/2.
Men's Plain All-Wool Underwear, regular price \$1 50 suit, tonight \$1 25.
Men's Heavy Colored Shirts, in all the new shades, price \$1 25, for 98c.
Four pieces Ladies' All-Wool Tweed Suits, heater effects, price 40c, tonight 25c.
One piece of Pongee Silk, cream, 20 inches wide, regular price 25c, tonight 5c yard.
Felt Walking Hats, worth \$1, your choice tonight for 65c.
Felt Sailor Hats, good value at \$1, tonight for 88c.
Felt Hats, Tam crowns, the best \$2 50 value, selling tonight for \$1 50.
Children's Velvet Tams, regular price \$1 25, tonight for 98c.
No. 1247—Four Fawn Jackets, sizes 38, 39 and 40, high neck and storm collar, \$10 garments, for \$8.
No. 1248—One only, navy Jacket, size 34, high neck, storm collar, fly front, a \$10 garment, for \$8.
No. 1166—One only Navy Jacket, size 38, fly front, reverse, velvet collar, silk lined, a \$10 garment for \$8.
No. 1396—Only one Heather-Mixed Jacket, size 40, raised seams, velvet collar, a \$4 25 garment for \$2 75.
Men's Beaver Overcoat, double breasted, worth \$8, for \$5.
Men's Tweed Suits, single and double breasted, worth \$8 98, for \$5.
50 pairs of Men's Odd Pants, worth as high as \$1 50, your choice for 99c.
20 Men's English Worsted Suits, French Facings, for \$8 89.
Children's Reefers, blue nap, brass buttons, worth \$1 35, for \$1.
Women's Fleece Combination Suits, ankle lengths, worth 85c, tonight for 60c suit.
Black Silk Vellings, chenille dot, worth 15c and 20c, tonight for 12 1/2c per yard.
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INTERNATIONAL CRICKET MATCH

Englishmen Win the Contest at Toronto.

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CRICKET.

ENGLISHMEN WON.

Toronto, Oct. 14.—The Canadian eleven came very near making a technical draw of the match with the Englishmen at the Rosedale grounds yesterday. The Englishmen elected, shortly after play was resumed, to close their batting with only eight wickets down. The score was then: Canada, first inning, 87; England, first inning, 287. Canada went to bat in the second inning, and played excellent cricket. For the first wicket, that of Saunders, 18 runs were secured. Then McGivern and Logan got together, and by steady hitting put the score up to 62. Counsell joined Logan, with the result that the figures reached 127 for four wickets. Had this sort of thing lasted the Englishmen would have been played to a standstill, but the fast few wickets went down very quickly, and at 4:45 the inning ended with a score of 174. This made Canada's total for two innings 261, or just six less than required for a draw. The playing of Logan, Counsell and McGivern was quite up to the form of the Englishmen. Jesson, the best bowler in England, tried to break down the Canadian defense, but got only two wickets for 41 runs. Stoddard had better luck, securing three wickets for seven runs. The match was the last of the series played in America by the Englishmen. They remain here till Monday, when they go to New York and start for home. Prince Ranjitsinhji was not present, but may join the team here before Monday.

CURLING.

The annual meeting of the Wood-Graham street rink last night, when Graham street rink last night, when officers for the season were elected. Patrons are: The Hon. James Sutherland, M.P., and Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P.; honorary patrons, Judge Finkle and Sheriff Brady; president, G. de C. O'Grady; vice-president, Jas. Wallace; secretary-treasurer, J. M. Cole; committee of management, Messrs. Gardner, Waud, Ure, Edmonson and Millman.

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THE INTERNATIONAL MATCH.
Following is the full score of the inter-provincial ladies' golf match, Ontario vs. Quebec, with the Toronto, Rosedale and London clubs against Montreal, Quebec and Ottawa, which was played at Montreal. Quebec was the winner by five holes up.

QUEBEC.		ONTARIO.	
Miss Green.....	4	Mrs. Brown.....	6
Miss H. Sewell.....	1	Miss Davidson.....	6
Miss Young.....	1	Miss C. Bethune.....	6
Mrs. Sidney Smith.....	0	Mrs. Helmut.....	6
Miss Sweetland.....	6	Miss V. Bethune.....	6
Miss H. Scott.....	4	Mrs. Kay.....	6
Miss Towne.....	6	Miss Cromie.....	6
Miss J. Scott.....	4	Miss Howard.....	6
Miss Thompson.....	4	Miss Wilkie.....	6
Miss Bond.....	0	Mrs. Warren.....	6
Miss Linton.....	0	Mrs. Dick.....	6
Mrs. Meredith.....	1	Mrs. Smith.....	2
Mrs. F. Lewis.....	1	Mrs. G. Gromble.....	0
Miss Mary Scott.....	1	Mrs. Campbell.....	0
Miss Turner.....	1	Mrs. G. Gromble.....	0
Miss E. Wainline.....	0	Mrs. Gibson.....	0
Miss E. Wainline.....	0	Mrs. Gordon.....	0
Miss Smith.....	0	Miss Small.....	0
Miss Sparks.....	10	Miss Yarker.....	0
Miss Fleming.....	1	Miss Bristol.....	0
Miss Sewell.....	10	Miss Nesbitt.....	0
Miss Sparks.....	0	Miss Street.....	0
Total.....	75	Total.....	28

NOTES OF SPORT

Ike McLaughlin, the Canadian lightweight, knocked out "Kid" Nicholson in two rounds at Portland, Mich., on Wednesday night.
Many of the horses running at Windsor will ship to Cincinnati, thence to New Orleans for the winter.

BASBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—FRIDAY.
At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Pittsburgh..... 2 4 3
Louisville..... 2 4 3
Lever and Bawerman; Flaherty and Latimer.
At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
Brooklyn..... 2 3 3
Baltimore..... 2 11 1
Dunn and Farrell; Kitson and Smith.
At Washington—R. H. E.
Washington..... 6 6 1
New York..... 4 6 2
Magee and Kirtledge; Seymour and Wilson.
At Boston—R. H. E.
Boston..... 1 4 0
Philadelphia..... 0 3 3
Nichols and Bergen; Platt and McFarland.

COLLEGIATE FIELD DAY

Glorious Weather and Keenly Contested Sports.

Character of the Sports Deserved Much Better Patronage From the General Public—The Winners.

Yesterday was the annual field day for the Collegiate Institute. It is safe to say that no holiday is more eagerly looked forward to, or more thoroughly enjoyed than this one. Coming, as it does at a season when holidays are scarce; the season when the nuts are ripening; when the red and gold and green are blending in the woods; when it is with an irksome uneasiness that the boys resist the temptation to be out roaming about in the balmy, blimp air of these glorious autumn days; it is a holiday when the boys can divest themselves of their staid behavior, and without restraint from the teachers, can relieve their pent-up animal energy in a good, old-fashioned "holer." And it is good for such days to be. The boys were away from school, which, to the boy, is the best part of schooling. The adult friends of the boys were the good spirit in the race, the day, the excitement, the sense of being free—why, as the boy recalls these things in the days that are to be, he will then know that school days were the joy of his life.

From an outsider's point of view there was but one thing lacking in the general success. It is not likely that the boys cared, for with them sport is sport anyway, but why were there not more of the older friends over at the park? It is true that there were numbers of girls there, with an unconcealed admiration of the victors, and generally speaking, they were from the school. But the adult friends of the boys were scarcely represented at all. Manly contests of skill, muscle, pluck and endurance, conducted in the true sportsmanlike spirit which was characteristic of the games yesterday, should not get the cold shoulder of the older friends of the school.

If it could be said that interest was shown in any one event more than another, it was in the bicycle racing. Every race was a clear determined effort on the part of those entered to win, and there was no "jockeying" for positions.

THE EVENTS.

The following is the list of events, with the winners:
Running broad jump, junior—1 W. Willis, 15 feet 10 inches; 2 P. Williams, 14 feet 9 inches; 3 W. Holt, 14 feet 3 inches.
Running high jump, senior—1 Gus Schaefer, 4 feet 6 inches; 2 P. McCullough, 4 feet 6 inches; 3 E. Brown, 4 feet 2 inches.
One mile bicycle race, junior—1 W. Bradford, 2 C. Carmichael, 3 S. Pavey, Time, 2:21.
100 yards dash, senior—1 A. McMahon, 2 Gus Schaefer, 3 E. Brown, Time, 11 1/2 seconds.
Running high, step and jump, junior—1 W. Holt, 34 feet 6 inches; 2 L. Skinner, 33 feet; 3 P. Williams, 32 feet.
One mile bicycle race, open to city

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schools only—1 A. Simon, 2 —, McGuire, Time, 2:59.

Pole vault—1 L. Skinner, 2 Gus Schaefer, 3 W. Holt. Height, 6 feet 8 inches.

One mile bicycle race, school championship—1 A. McMahon, Time, 2:56.
100 yards dash, ex-pupils—1 Frank Chittick, 2 W. Leggett, 3 Fred Screaton. Time, 11 1/2 seconds.
220 yards hurdle race—1 E. Brown, 2 W. Holt, 3 Fred McCullough. Time, 34 seconds.

Running broad jump, open to other schools—1 A. Ellis, Ingersoll; 2 J. J. Hefermann, Walkerton. Distance, 15 feet 6 inches.

Half-mile bicycle race, junior—1 W. Bradford, 2 C. Carmichael, 3 Bert Macgregor. Time, 1:18 1/2.

Quarter-mile run, senior—1 Gordon Ingram, 2 A. McMahon, 3 Malcolm Omond. Time, 49 1/2 seconds.
100 yards dash, open to other high schools—1 A. Ellis, Ingersoll; 2 J. J. Hefermann, Walkerton; 3 —, Doyle. Time, 12 seconds.

Two miles bicycle race, senior—1 Archie McMahon, Time, 6:01.
100 yards dash, junior—1 —, Wells, 2 W. Willis, 3 P. Williams. Time, 12 1/2 seconds.

Half-mile run, senior—1 Gus Schaefer, 2 Malcolm Omond. Time, 2:22 1/2.

Two-mile bicycle race, open to high schools—1 J. J. Hefermann, 2 Duncan Graham, 3 A. Simon. Time, 5:49 1/2.
Three-mile bicycle race, handicap—1 Duncan Graham, 2 W. Bradford, 3 A. Simon.

The game of football between the L. C. I. and Model School, which closed the afternoon sports, was won by the Collegiate boys, more on account of the Model School not understanding the technicalities of the game than because of superior playing on the part of the Collegiate boys. The score was 1 to 0. The positions were as follows:

L. C. I.
Goal: Ayers
Backs: Gunn, Jackson, Mark, Robert, George, Sumerville, McCullough, Blackwell, McLennan, Stewart, Ashland, Wickert, Travers, Armstrong.
Center: Murray
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Canadians to the Front.

The Canadian Government in cabinet council yesterday decided unanimously to enroll a volunteer force of 1,000 men for service in South Africa. The Military Department has been preparing for this contingency for some time, and plans are so well advanced that it will be possible to mobilize, equip and embark the contingent before Oct. 31. At the request of the British War Office, the Canadian force will comprise eight units of 125 men each, the highest officer to be a major. These units on arrival in South Africa are to be consolidated with the imperial forces, under imperial officers. The Canadian Government intimates that they would have preferred to send a complete Canadian regiment, under the command of a Canadian officer. This is forbidden by the general scheme of the British War Office, which, of course, controls the campaign arrangements.

From a strictly military standpoint, colonial troops will be superfluous in South Africa, and perhaps confusing to the War Office plans. But they have been accepted by the British Government as an object lesson in imperial sentiment and unity, and Canada is confident that if her own troops reach the firing line, they will reflect honor on their country, and on the Empire. The enthusiasm with which the call to arms has been responded to shows that the only difficulty will be, not in raising the desired contingent, but in choosing among so many applicants. It is needless to say that London, as a military center, will do its share.

The Boers and Their Fighting.

It is little wonder the Boers are buoyed up by a delusive belief in their own prowess. At Laing's Nek the English loss was 190, the Boer, 24; at Ingogo the British loss was 142, the Boer, 18; at Majuba Hill, which the Boers assaulted, the British loss was 280, the Boer, 5; at Bronkhorst Spruit the British loss was 120, the Boer, 1; while in the Jameson raid 100 Englishmen were killed and 5 Boers. In these five battles the English loss has been 622 and the Boers have lost only 62. In all of these engagements the Boers won by the same tactics. They fought guerilla like, under cover of rocks and trees, and were almost invisible to the enemy. The British were drawn up in serrated ranks in the open to be shot at like stationary targets. The Boers were all admirably mounted, and as expert with their rifles as with their horses. They could evade pursuit by scattering swiftly in all directions. They made no pretense at artillery—it could not be accommodated to their style of warfare.

In the present war, however, the conditions have changed in favor of the British. The Boers have gone in heavily for artillery, but they cannot employ it and fight in the old red Indian fashion. The field guns must be protected by bodies of troops, and this involves a stand-up fight such as the British and the Boers have never had. The artillery wing of the British army, according to all reports, is exceedingly strong, and the new types of ordnance will prevent a repetition of the methods pursued by the Boers in the past. It is probable the war will develop an artillery duel on a scale the world has never before witnessed, because of the pattern and caliber of weapons brought into play for the first time. German experts have been employed to formulate plans for defense and European artists to teach the use of modern artillery to the Boer soldiers. Pretoria is defended by strong fortifications. The city lies in the center of a square tract, or plateau, at each corner of which is a hill surrounded by a modern fort. Each of these forts are said to contain four heavy guns, four more French guns of fifteen miles range, and 30 heavy galling guns. Besides, the city has 50 light galling guns, which can be drawn by mules to any point on the surrounding hills. Pretoria also contains three large warehouses filled with ammunition, while an armory is packed "to the eaves" with modern rifles. Two great refrigerators, with a capacity of 2,000 oxen each, are for the provision of food against a siege. In addition, it is said, the mountain passes have been fortified with French and German ordnance.

Belleville's Municipal Experience.

Belleville voted last year to abolish the ward system and reduce the number of aldermen from 21 to 7, elective by general vote. This new system has been on trial eight months, and Mayor Johnson pronounces it such a success that he has no hesitation in recommending other municipalities to go and do likewise. His worship thus describes Belleville's experience under the new regime:

"This is the first year in which the main thoroughfares have been put in order on a comprehensive, intelligent and permanent plan. The purchase of a steam road roller was effected early in the year. Previous efforts to get one were always defeated in council, although recommended by the public works committee. Seeing daily the good work being done on the streets, no one now cavils at the council's action."

"We have made every member of the council, including the mayor, a member

of every committee. This arrangement enables each one to know and be fully informed of every transaction affecting the city's interests, and, what I think is of great importance, places responsibility upon every man. No one can now say 'I was not a member of the committee that did so and so, and consequently cannot be held responsible for the action taken.'"

"We used to spend the Thursday evening and the Friday evening before council meeting working on committees. The general committees met on Thursday evening and the executive committee on Friday evening to receive their reports. Now we spend only Friday evening in council. All the members of the council are supposed to be present. We always have a quorum. It was often impossible to secure quorums under the old system. Each chairman takes the chair in turn, and does the business of the committee. Finally the chairman of the executive (finance) committee takes the chair, and after the executive committee has reported the other committees, it enters upon the consideration of matters that specially appertain to itself. The discussion of subjects in committee is exhaustive, and the recommendations usually prevail in council. The time occupied in council is now shorter, than formerly, as a rule, although many a stirring breeze, increasing often to a gale, still blows on council night."

"In my judgment the legislative reform should advance further. If say ten men are to be elected, I think each elector should be required to vote for the full number. The elector should exercise his privilege, and assume with it the responsibility of voting for some man for every chair to be filled. A shareholder of a company at the annual meeting must, when electing a board of directors, vote a full ticket, or his ballot is spoiled. The forming of cliques or rings, or caballing among any section, or in any way, would by this arrangement be prevented."

"Another desirable reform would, I think, be the election of members of the council for two years. I would have half of the number retire each year. New blood could, if necessary, be infused, while making sure that there would be at least a good sized leaven of experience retained. The short term of one year renders it impossible to have the permanence, continuity and foresight which are so desirable in the management of business of any kind."

"We have no cliques in the council now; no 'fixing' of the dull fellows of the tail by the astute chaps at the head. We are fortunate in Belleville in having no politics in the council. We fight as hard there as in any other place politically when the proper time comes; but when the fight for the Dominion or Provincial seat is over we drop the matter. It is never seen in council. Officers and contracts are bestowed for merit alone."

It would take a chemical analysis to separate some people's patriotism from their politics.

The president of the St. Thomas Street Railway Company talks and acts as if he were a Cleveland millionaire.

The American propensity to blow is sometimes offensive, but Sir Thomas Lipton would like to see a little of it off New York.

The chances are that the Transvaal will be subdued long before the Philippines. General Otis, of Manila, should keep his eye on South Africa.

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LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN

Hearty Welcome to the President.
Mrs. Boomer—Statement of Progress—Delegates to the National Council.

A largely attended meeting of the Local Council of Women was held last night, with Mrs. H. A. Boomer in the chair. A hearty greeting was given to Mrs. Boomer by the members, and during the evening the following resolution was moved by Mrs. Callard and seconded by Mrs. McMechan, and adopted unanimously:

"Resolved that we place on record our gratitude to Almighty God for restoring to us our beloved and honored president after a long and important visit to the mother land. In offering her a thousand hearty welcomes home, we wish to tell her of our appreciation of the great service she has rendered us by so ably representing us abroad, and of the pride we take in the fact that when the noble types of the world's women were gathered in London the Great, the chosen leader of the women of London the League was among those most honored; and we rejoice the more because we feel that not ourselves only, nor yet Canadians only, but a circle wide as the international Council of Women of the World acknowledge that it was but the recognition due to merit. We know that Mrs. Boomer has not only left behind her, to be carried into all the countries of the earth, the inspiration and character and high ability devoted to the service of others, but she has brought out with her for our benefit stores of knowledge and wisdom gathered from the experiences of others, at the cost of much personal fatigue and anxiety, and we beg to assure her of our unbounded confidence and increased affection, pledging ourselves to strengthen her hands in all the work which she can in all the good work into which she has led us, and may long continue to lead us, for we pray that many years of useful life may be before she shall go on that still longer journey to the grander meeting of those who work for God's children."

Mrs. Boomer replied feelingly in acknowledgment.

A statement of the progress made by the Local Council was given. Success had attended the building of the Children's Pavilion to Victoria Hospital. Of the \$5,000 required, \$1,000 is still needed, and help for its furnishing. The council joined in the petition for increased hospital accommodation in Ontario, and has also met and encouraged the early closing movement, and expressed a desire to further the interests of the Froebel Society. Efforts had been made to encourage the co-operation of mothers in school life. An effort was made to obtain a second woman on the school board. Reference is made to the effort to introduce domestic science in the schools. London housewives contributed 25 receipts to the new book on cooking to be dedicated to the Canadian National Council. Two members of the local council are placed on committees, in whose charge is placed the preparation of the hand-book of statistics of Canadian women's work in connection with the Paris Exposition, which work is entrusted to them by the Dominion Government.

Delegates to the National Council were elected as follows: Mesdames E. M. Graham, J. H. Marshall, Mrs. Leonard, E. N. English and Miss Hamilton, with Mesdames McMechan, Radcliffe, B. Mitchell, Frank Glass and A. B. Green to act as substitutes.

An encouraging letter was read from the Countess of Aberdeen, stating that she will attend the National Council at Hamilton this month, and a large photograph of the countess was also received, signed by her ladyship "for Auld Lang Syne."

A resolution, moved by Mrs. Graham, seconded by Mrs. Callard, was adopted, empowering delegates to the National Council to follow their own judgment in matters where a majority of them on further information from the instruction of the local council.

Mrs. J. H. Marshall moved, seconded by Mrs. B. A. Mitchell, that the board of education be asked to invite school children to contribute towards the furnishing of the children's wing at Victoria Hospital.

SIR WILFRID'S MEETINGS.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier will begin his Ontario meetings at Bowmanville on Monday, Oct. 16. On that occasion he will be accompanied by Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. William Mulock, postmaster-general, besides several members of the House of Commons, together with Hon. John Dryden, minister of agriculture for the Province of Ontario, and Hon. E. J. Davies, provincial secretary. The G. T. R. will

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A MONTH earlier than usual, in bright October when every man, woman and child will want to look their best. We're prepared to supply every holiday need in the most satisfactory way at the least possible expense. This Thanksgiving Announcement contains suggestions right in line with every want. The several stocks are at their very best just now, and prices were never more popular. Shop early and avoid the afternoon crowds.

Hosiery.

This department's growing more popular every day and winning new friends all the time.

New Gloves.

We keep every worthy style, and a good selection to choose from. These items show how prices run:
Ferrin's Kid Gloves, 2-dome fasteners, in white, black, tan, green, and oiled; very elastic glove, fine quality, at 75c
Ferrin's and Fowles' Kid Gloves, 2-dome fasteners, in navy, gray and tan, white and black; extra fine kid \$1.00
Ferrin's and Fowles' Kid Gloves, 2-dome fasteners, in navy, gray and tan, white and black; very elastic, and self-cleaning, pique and round seams, in navy, new modes, grays and blue grays; very special \$1.25
Ferrin's Belfast, 2-clasp, pique seam, in blue, gray, tan, and all special shades \$1.50

Thanksgiving Millinery.

Every day shows additions to the novelties in Millinery, and this section offers special inducements for holiday shoppers.

Special for Thanksgiving.

1 Table Trimmed Hats, each \$3.50
A Lot of Elegant Wings, worth 75c and 1.00, each 25c

Mantle Values.

If you wish to buy from the best assorted, up-to-date collection of Coats, come right here. Such elegance and value won't be found anywhere else. Very special. Fawn, blue and black coats, silk lined, worth \$10, for \$5.50
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Black Coat Coats, 4 pearl buttons, extra value \$4.95

Thanksgiving Linens, Table Damasks and Fancy Linens.

Our stock was never fuller nor finer. Everything in Table Linens, bleached and unbleached; every price and width. Table Napkins, every size and price. Tray Cloths and 5 O'Clocks, hemstitched and fringed, new goods, just opened. Fringed Doilies, square, oval and round. Hemstitched Linen Drapes, applique squares, drapes and oblongs. Swiss and Hemstitched Shams, etc., etc.

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MGR. FALCONIO AT THE CAPITAL

Welcomed in His Own Language at the Basilica.
Ottawa, Oct. 14.—A reception was tendered in the Basilica to Archbishop Falconio, the papal delegate to Canada, on his arrival here. The delegate was driven immediately to Archbishop Duhamel's residence. At 7:30 p.m. the clergy of the city marched in procession from the archbishop's residence on St. Patrick street, around on to Sussex street to the central door of the Basilica. On the delegate's entry the choir chanted a Te Deum, and Archbishop Falconio was met by Vicar-General Routher, director of the Basilica, who presented him with holy water and incense. The procession of clergy moved to the sanctuary, where Archbishop Duhamel was in waiting. The delegate took a seat on a throne, specially constructed for him on the epistle side of the altar. Archbishop Duhamel addressed the delegate in Italian, welcoming him to Ottawa, and asked him to address the congregation, which he did.

DID NOT KNOW.

Plight of a London, Ont. Man.
Had Bright's Disease and Didn't Know It—Had Existed for Three Years Before He Found What It Was—And Cured It by Dods' Kidney Pills.

London, Oct. 13.—Mr. G. E. Brady, 229 Talbot street, this city, feels that he is a lucky man. For three years he has been slowly sinking into a quicksand, deeper and deeper all the time and he not aware of his danger. Mr. Brady had Bright's Disease. Bright's Disease is generally considered incurable—in fact there is only one known cure. It is a Kidney Disease, those organs decaying and neglecting to filter the blood. Well, Mr. Brady never found out what was the matter with him until the disease had run three years and eaten right into his kidneys. He was sunk hopelessly in the quicksand. There was only one thing to save him.

Mr. Brady found out what was the matter with him by chance. He read a list of the symptoms of Bright's Disease in a paper and at once recognized his own case. Then came the cure. Again he was lucky. After trying several medicines in vain he struck the right one—the only one that is a part of the cure in Bright's Disease—Dods' Kidney Pills which have never failed yet.

Says Mr. Brady himself: "I have been troubled for three years with Bright's Disease and I did not know it until I read the symptoms in one of your papers. I tried several remedies, but none could touch the spot. I purchased three boxes of your Dods' Kidney Pills and after I had used one box I felt the disease leaving me. I am now completely cured. I am a contractor here in London, and my friends will vouch for what I say. Dods' Kidney Pills saved my life."

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hamilton and family, who have been visiting friends in town for some time past, left this morning for London, where they will in future reside. Their address will be 23 Marley Place, South London—Woodstock Express.

Another change has taken place in the Noxon Company at Ingersoll. Mr. Wm. Watterworth has retired from the firm, Messrs. R. H. Carter and C. W. Riley having purchased his interests.

Mr. John Wright, a young farmer, residing about four miles west of St. Marys, met with a painful accident last Tuesday afternoon. While assisting at a felling some of the timbers fell on his leg, breaking it.

On Saturday night, at Dutton, Fred Marr, while under the influence of liquor tried to kill his wife and child.

Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 17-18.
Moravian Agricultural Society, Moravian Town, Oct. 17-20.
Erin, Erin, Oct. 18-20.

Vegetable pepsin is the most valuable constituent in the pineapple. Barring the digestive juices of the human system, no other article or product has the power to digest all kinds of food, except vegetable pepsin. One's general health would be amazingly improved if he could eat a pineapple a day, but hardly one person in a thousand could do so because of the trouble and expense of getting them when out of season.

Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets have all the virtues of the ripe fruit—they are largely made up of the precious pineapple acid. They cure dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Box of 60 Tablets, 35 cents. Sold by C. MacCallum & Co.

Fall Exhibitions.

THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks.
Toronto, Oct. 13.—Following are today's closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial exchange:

Stock	Askd.	Bid.
Foley	75	74
Deer Park	23	22
Golden Star	28 1/2	28 1/4
Oliver	21	20 1/2
Sawmill	18	17 1/2
Superior G. and C. Co.	20	19 1/2
Carlton	12 1/2	12
Minnehaha	17	16 1/2
Waterloo	13 1/2	13
Carlton Hydraulic	13 1/2	13
Winchester	6 1/2	6 1/4
Old Ironides	11 1/2	11
Knob Hill	9 1/2	9
Golden Cache	30	29 1/2
Kelly Creek	16	15 1/2
Alhambra	12	11 1/2
Dundee	13	12 1/2
Dardanelles	12 1/2	12
Noble Five	108	107 1/2
Payne	108	107 1/2
Rambler-Carlton Con.	47 1/2	47
Wonderful Group	12 1/2	12
Alice A.	4	3 1/2
Empress	4	3 1/2
Bartholomew	4 1/2	4
Brandon & Golden	20	19 1/2
Morrison	15	14 1/2
Winnipeg	30	29 1/2
Deer Park	6 1/2	6 1/4
Evening Star	8 1/2	8
Homestead	7 1/2	7
Iron Mask	70	69 1/2
Montreal Gold Fields	13	12 1/2
Monte Cristo Con.	5 1/2	5
Norville	40	39 1/2
St. Paul	1 1/2	1 1/4
Silver Bell Con.	1	3/4
St. Elmo	1	3/4
Virginia	9	8 1/2
Victory-Triumph	5 1/2	5
War Eagle Con.	20 1/2	20
White Bear	3 1/2	3 1/4
B. C. Gold Fields	4 1/2	4 1/4
Can. G. F. S. Con.	4 1/2	4 1/4
Crow's Nest Pass Con.	44	43 1/2
Republie	118	117 1/2
Deer Trail	9	8 1/2
Bonanza	14	13 1/2
Van Andia	8	7 1/2
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AFTERNOON SALES.—Golden Star, 230 at 10 1/2; Dardanelles, 1,000 at 11 1/2; Evening Star, 1,000 at 8 1/2; White Bear, 1,000 at 3 1/2; Norville, 300 at 5; Gold Quartz, 1,000 at 5 1/2; Winnipeg, 2,000 at 30; 500 at 20 1/2; 2,000, 1,000, 1,000, 1,000, 1,000 w.d. at 20 1/2. Total sales, 18,450 shares.

MORNING SALES.—Waterloo, 1,000, 1,000 at 10 1/2; Dardanelles, 1,000 at 11 1/2; Evening Star, 1,000 at 8 1/2; White Bear, 1,000 at 3 1/2; Norville, 300 at 5; Gold Quartz, 1,000 at 5 1/2; Winnipeg, 2,000 at 30; 500 at 20 1/2; 2,000, 1,000, 1,000, 1,000, 1,000 w.d. at 20 1/2. Total sales, 18,450 shares.

English Markets.
Liverpool, Oct. 13.—Closing.
Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 1 Cal., 5 1/2; No. 2, 5 1/4; No. 3, 5 1/4; No. 4, 5 1/4; No. 5, 5 1/4; No. 6, 5 1/4; No. 7, 5 1/4; No. 8, 5 1/4; No. 9, 5 1/4; No. 10, 5 1/4; No. 11, 5 1/4; No. 12, 5 1/4; No. 13, 5 1/4; No. 14, 5 1/4; No. 15, 5 1/4; No. 16, 5 1/4; No. 17, 5 1/4; No. 18, 5 1/4; No. 19, 5 1/4; No. 20, 5 1/4; No. 21, 5 1/4; No. 22, 5 1/4; No. 23, 5 1/4; No. 24, 5 1/4; No. 25, 5 1/4; No. 26, 5 1/4; No. 27, 5 1/4; No. 28, 5 1/4; No. 29, 5 1/4; No. 30, 5 1/4; No. 31, 5 1/4; No. 32, 5 1/4; No. 33, 5 1/4; No. 34, 5 1/4; No. 35, 5 1/4; No. 36, 5 1/4; No. 37, 5 1/4; No. 38, 5 1/4; No. 39, 5 1/4; No. 40, 5 1/4; No. 41, 5 1/4; No. 42, 5 1/4; No. 43, 5 1/4; No. 44, 5 1/4; No. 45, 5 1/4; No. 46, 5 1/4; No. 47, 5 1/4; No. 48, 5 1/4; No. 49, 5 1/4; No. 50, 5 1/4; No. 51, 5 1/4; No. 52, 5 1/4; No. 53, 5 1/4; No. 54, 5 1/4; No. 55, 5 1/4; No. 56, 5 1/4; No. 57, 5 1/4; No. 58, 5 1/4; No. 59, 5 1/4; No. 60, 5 1/4; No. 61, 5 1/4; No. 62, 5 1/4; No. 63, 5 1/4; No. 64, 5 1/4; No. 65, 5 1/4; No. 66, 5 1/4; 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The Strange

Metamorphosis.

All at once—and this is one of the circumstances that make the German lesson an important stage in this story—an idea suggested itself to him quite dazzling by its daring and brilliancy. Some may wonder, when they hear what it was, why he never thought of it before, and it is somewhat surprising, but by no means without precedent. Mark Twain has told us somewhere of a ferocious beast who was confined for sixteen years in solitary captivity, before the notion of escape ever occurred to him. When it did, he simply opened the window and got out.

Perhaps a similar passiveness on Mr. Bultitude's part was due to a very natural and proper desire to do everything without scandal, and in a legitimate manner, to march out, as it were, with the honors of war. Perhaps it was simple dullness. The fact remains that it was not till then that he saw a way of recovering his lost position, without the disagreeable necessity of disclosing his position to anyone at Crichton House.

He had still, thank heaven, the five shillings he had given to Dick. He had not thrown them away with the other articles in his mad passion. Five shillings was not much, but it was more than enough to pay for a third-class fare to town. He had only to watch his opportunity, slip away to the station, and be at home again, defying the usurper before anyone at Crichton House had discovered his absence.

He might go that very day, and the delight of this thought—the complete reaction from blank despair to hope—was so intense that he could not help rubbing his hands stealthily under the table and chuckling with glee at his own readiness of resource.

When we are most elated, however, there is always a counteracting agent at hand to bring us down again to our proper level, or below it. The Roman general in the triumph here really needed the slave in the chariot to dash his spirits—he had his friends there already; the guests at an Egyptian dinner must have brought their own skeletons.

There was a small, flaxen-haired little boy sitting next to Mr. Bultitude, seeming a quiet, inoffensive being, who at this stage served to sober him by furnishing another example of defeat.

"Oh, I say, Bultitude," he piped, shrilly, in Paul's ear, "I forgot all about it. Where's my rabbit?"

The unreasonable absurdity of such a question annoyed him excessively. "Is this a time," he said reprovingly, "to talk of rabbits? Look at your book, sir."

"Oh, I dare say," grumbled little Porter, the boy in question; "it's all very well, but I want my rabbit."

"Hang it, sir," said Paul angrily, "do you suppose I'm sitting on it?"

"You promised to bring me back a rabbit," persisted Porter doggedly; "you know you did, and it's a beastly shame. I mean to have that rabbit or know the reason why."

At the other end of the table Biddicombe again dexterously alluded to the rabbit, and the conversation of conversation; this time upon the question (apparently desultory) of street performances. "I will tell you a curious performance," he was saying, "what happened to me the other day. I was walking down St. Strand. I saw a leetle, comee, dirty boy, with a tall round hat on him, and he stand in a side street right out in ze road, and he take off his tall round hat, and he put on ze ground, and he stand still and look at it. So I stop too, to see wat he would do next. And presently he take out a large sheet of paper and tear it in four pieces very carefully, and stick zem round ze tall hat, and put it on his head again; and zen he set it down on ze ground and look at it once more, and all ze time he never speak one word. And I look and look and wonder wat he would do next. And a great crowd of peoples come, and zey look and wonder too. And zen all at once ze leetle dirty boy he take out all ze paper and put on ze hat, and he walk away, laughing altogether foolishly at zomzing I did not understand at all. I haf been thinking efer since wat in de world he do all dat nonsense for. And dere is von ozer curious ting I see in your London streets zat very same day. Zere was a poor house cat vat had been by a cab overruin as I passed by, and one man with a varn, kind heart walk up and stamp it on ze head for to end its pain. And another man with another heart, he come up directly and had not seen ze cat overruin, but he see ze first man stamping, and knock him down for ill-treating animals; it was quite curious to see, till ze policeman arrest zem both for fighting Gozard, doggie 'Katze,' and give me perfect and bast banticle of 'kampefen,' to fight." This last relapse into duty was caused by the sudden entrance of the doctor, who stood at the door looking on for some time, with an air of being intimately acquainted with Schiller as an author, before suggesting graciously that it was time to dismiss the class.

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Wednesday was a half-holiday at Crichton House, and so, soon after dinner, Paul found himself marshaled, with the rest, in a procession bound for the football field. They marched two and two, and three of the other elder boys leading with the ball and four goal posts ornamented with colored ornamental calico flags, and Mr. Blinkhorn and Mr. Tinkler bringing up the rear.

Mr. Bultitude was paired with Tom Grimstone, who, after eyeing him askance for some time, could control his curiosity no longer.

"I say, Dick," he began, "what's the matter with you this term?"

"My name is not Dick," said Paul, stiffly.

"Oh, if you're so particular, then," said Tom, "but, without humbug, what is the matter?"

"You see a change, then," said Paul, "you do see a difference, eh?"

"Rather," said Tom, expressively. "You've come back what I call a beastly sneak, you know, this term. The other fellows don't like it; they'll send you to Coventry, unless you take care."

"I wish they would," said Paul.

"You don't talk like the same fellow, either," continued Tom; "you use such fine language, and you're always in a bait, and yet you don't stick up for yourself as you used to. Look here, tell me (we were always chums), is it one of your larks?"

"Larks," said Paul, "I'm in a fine mood for larks. No, it's not one of my larks."

"Perhaps your old governor has been making a cad of himself, then, and you're out of sorts about it."

"I'll thank you not to speak about him in that way," said Paul, "in my presence."

[To be Continued.]

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

Fully 35,000 people welcomed Dewey to his home in Montpelier, Vt.

A heavy storm of snow and sleet is reported in the Northwest Territories.

Cottonseed products are now selling for twice the price they brought last year.

St. Joseph, Mich., experienced an earthquake about 7 o'clock Tuesday night.

It is reported that the Poor Man mine, near Nelson, has been sold to an English company for \$215,000.

Over \$100,000 have been pledged towards perpetuating the Dewey triumphal arch in New York in marble.

A large steamer is reported on fire near Execution Light, two miles above David's Island, on Long Island Sound.

The Havana Traction Company, in which several Canadian capitalists are interested, was organized at Jersey City.

The body of Edward Mane, who has been missing from Belleville for a week, was found floating in the harbor there.

A Kingston public school committee will co-operate with the police to suppress cigarette smoking among school pupils.

Dan McNevin, a miner at Nanaimo, B. C., was killed by a wooden support falling on him after the explosion of a shot.

Many Canadian volunteers are sending in their names for enrollment in the corps that is likely to be sent to the Transvaal.

Prairie fires prevail in the Dauphin district of Manitoba. It is said about 100 square miles have been devastated, many houses, barns and grain stacks being burned.

Ald Thomas Cowan, of Winnipeg City, died at Phoenix, Ariz., Thursday afternoon, of rapid consumption. Mr. Cowan went to Winnipeg from Ottawa seventeen years ago.

Wm. J. Bryan was paid \$600 for speaking at Canton, Ill., the day he met McKinley there and it is said he received \$250 in one week for his speeches at Illinois fairs.

An electric railway from Hamilton to Guelph is proposed. On behalf of the Cataract Power Company, John Patterson will shortly make application to the Hamilton city council for right of way.

At the meeting of the Presbytery of Toronto it was announced that the congregations within its bounds are expected to contribute \$150,000 towards the centennial arrangements. Resolutions were made to begin collections.

The directors of the Sir Thomas Lipton Company have decided that all reservists on the company's pay rolls shall be given half pay during their absence, and be reinstated in the company's employ after hostilities have ended.

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The safe in the office of Mr. C. P. Geary, old dealer, Talbot street east, St. Thomas, was blown to smithereens by burglars Thursday night. The burglar carried away a small drawer containing papers, but there was no money in the safe.

FAGGED OUT.—None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

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[Special Cable Letter to The Advertiser.]

London, Oct. 14.—All Europe is watching Great Britain at this crucial moment in her military affairs. Foreign statesmen and military experts regard the result of the war with the Boers as a foregone conclusion. What they scan with such anxious interest is her tremendous preparedness for the contest. By the result of these efforts will her strength be gauged. In assembling an army twice as large as that which she sent to the Crimea and considerably greater than Wellington's force at Waterloo, England is offering an illustration, for the first time, in many decades of her ability to fight on the land.

THE MILITARY ARM.

Although her naval strength has often been demonstrated to advantage, it has still been a matter of doubt whether her military arm would compare favorably with that of continental nations; and in the throes of such a test she has been engaged this week day and night. Gangs of men are working incessantly at the ports that dot England's shores, transferring liners into troopships. Largely augmented forces are ceaselessly turning out ammunition and ordnance stores. Some idea of the activity in this branch can be gained from the fact that 3,000,000 rounds of small arm ammunition left Woolwich last week.

"MARK 5."

Although the manufacture of the favorite new bullet "Mark 5" has been retarded by an outbreak of lead poisoning among the employees, this department is working day and night. Tons of scrap zinc are being shipped to make gas for the war balloons, which are being taken out on a more extensive scale, and with a more complete equipment than ever before. Meanwhile, the men for whom these implements of war are being made, are pouring out of barracks to the ports, standing by to embark, drilling, maneuvering and practicing at targets every spare hour. The reserves are

SWARMING INTO ALDERSHOT in batches, and shouldering their rifles as if the transformation from civil to military life were merely an everyday occurrence.

The huge mobilization at Aldershot is now in charge of Maj.-Gen. Thomas Kelly-Kenny, inspector-general of auxiliary forces and recruiting, who has succeeded Gen. Sir Redvers Buller. All the work is new. It is the first time that anything of the kind has been attempted since the short-service system was introduced. A visit to Aldershot produces the impression that everything is going like clockwork, but it is too early yet to express a definite opinion regarding the British mobilization.

THE RESERVES.

For the reserves themselves, who are obliged to leave their wives and families on a pitiful distance from the government, much public sympathy has been aroused, exemplifying the truth of Rudyard Kipling's poem, "A speech of train for Atkins when the band begins to play." A number of reserves who were not called out have asked to be allowed to serve in South Africa; and a similar spirit of spontaneous practical patriotism is seen on all sides.

Sir Redvers Buller's force includes the flower of the English nobility. The excellent Boer marksmanship, combined with the fact that it is an unwritten rule that British officers must always stand under fire even though the men are lying down, makes mourning probable in many a noble British house.

THE ADMIRALTY ON TRIAL.

The admiralty is perhaps more on trial than the army, especially as it is well known that General Lord Garnet Wolseley, the commander-in-chief, does not approve a system which gives the navy such far-reaching power in transferring troops. In 1912 Great Britain dispatched fifteen thousand troops in three weeks to Alexandria, Egypt, a feat that elicited the intense admiration of Count Von Moltke; but the task of shipping more than 52,000 men has no parallel in the history of England. Already the two branches of the service are beginning to blame each other for various delays; but it is scarcely apparent that there has yet been any serious lack of co-operation. The fact that officers have undoubtedly worked something like a corner on the admiralty, as they did during the Hispano-American war; and the recent breakdown of two transports, still the cause of considerable abuse of the admiralty.

TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS.

The most remarkable point in connection with the transport arrangements is that about 80 ships can be taken into the government service without materially disturbing the shipping trade.

The weakest joint in the whole mobilization seems to be the army service corps, corresponding to the United States commissary. The various stations have been gutted to obtain the necessary officers and men, yet many officers assure the associated press that the arrangements are gravely inadequate for such a corps.

In this connection the Naval and Military Record says: "It is quite clear that if England had to provide a second or third army corps for foreign service, these, or either of them, would have to go without a full equipment. That this unpleasant discovery will form the subject of inquiry in parliament goes without saying."

THE NEW BATTLESHIP.

The new battleship Bulwark will be launched on Oct. 18. She will have been under construction less than seven months. This will create a launching time record and, a weight record for time under construction, her displacement being 15,000 tons.

The admiralty is experimenting with a new wireless telegraphy invention, the contrivance of Mr. W. Sullivan, which includes a device for determining distance between ships. There is considerable speculation as to whether Signor Marconi will be able to induce the United States navy to adopt his system.

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COLLEGE FUN COSTS.
Toronto, Oct. 14.—The juniors and seniors of the Dental College "hustled" the freshmen a few days ago by locking them in the side entrance and turning the college hose on them. The result at the time was said to have been excessively funny. The fun, however, came high, for 44 students were fined \$3 each on Thursday by the president, Dr. Clark, for taking part in the "hustle." The students, as a whole, will make up the amount required.

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DIED FROM PERITONITIS

Circumstances Surrounding the Death of Colin More Will Be Investigated.

Colin More, an upholsterer at the G. T. R. car shops, died last evening at the residence of his brother, Mr. John More, 527 Simcoe street. Mr. More was 32 years of age and unmarried. The circumstances attending his death are very strange. Reports are current that it was due to a kick received from a colored man last Sunday on the platform of the G. T. R. station. Members of the family state, however, that the cause of death was peritonitis. Mrs. James Murphy, of 445 Simcoe street, to whose house More was first taken after the alleged row at the depot, said this morning that deceased complained of having been kicked. Dr. Drake stated that the cause of death was peritonitis. The man was suffering from a rupture which, the doctor said, was due to a kick, and was in a measure responsible for More's death. An important feature of the case is that on Wednesday More escaped from the General Hospital, to which he had been removed early in the day. Complaint has been made to Chairman Lewis, of the hospital trust, and an investigation will result.

Deceased was the son of Mr. Colin More, of Thamesford. Crown Attorney Magee has instructed Coroner Ferguson to hold an inquest.

A Pleasant Surprise
For those who have thought that Catarrh is incurable, and to whom constant use of snuffs and ointments has been almost unbearable, is to learn of Catarrhazone, the new medicated air treatment for Catarrh, Bronchitis and Asthma. Catarrhazone is a guaranteed cure for these diseases and never fails to cure them. It cures by inhalation of medicated air and always reaches the right spot. This is no theory, but the result of actual experience, and thousands of testimonials back up all we say for our medicine. Price \$1 at all druggists, or direct by mail on receipt of price. Send 10c in stamps for sample outfit to N. C. POLSON & CO., Kingston, Ont.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Oct. 13.—8 p.m.—The storm which was in the Northwest States yesterday has almost disappeared, but the remains of it are moving eastward across the lake region. A fairly heavy snowfall has been pretty general in the Northwest Territories, while in the Dominion, from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, the weather has been fine and warm. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 36-54; Kamloops, 36-44; Edmonton, 20-28; Qu'Appelle, 23-32; Winnipeg, 34-40; Port Arthur, 42-66; Parry Sound, 56-76; Toronto, 54-72; Ottawa, 54-62; Montreal, 52-60; Quebec, 42-54; Halifax, 52-63.

Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Friday, Oct. 13, were: Highest, 74.5°; lowest, 52.5°.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mr. and Mrs. Horton, of this city, are visiting friends in Springfield.

—Mrs. Pringle, of Waterloo street, has returned home, having spent seven months at the seaside.

—The headquarters of the striking job printers have been removed to room 11, Oddfellows' block, Dundas street.

—An agreement has been entered into by insurance men in the city to close their offices at 1 p.m. every Saturday.

—Mr. P. C. Larkin, head of the "Salada" Tea Company, was the guest of Sir Thomas Lipton on the Erin yesterday.

—Mr. Adam Murray, ex-treasurer of Middlesex county, and his granddaughter, Miss May Murray, have left for Chicago.

—St. Thomas Times: Jerry McDonald, London, is negotiating for the purchase of the Balmoral Hotel from Harry Branton.

—Mr. Hetherington, of the railway mail service, Ottawa, is examining railway mail clerks for proficiency in this city at present.

—Manager Carr, of the street railway company, leaves next week for Chicago, to attend the annual convention of the street railway companies of America.

—Rev. Dr. Johnston and Mrs. Johnston returned home yesterday from a trip to Washington, where Dr. Johnston attended the Pan-Presbyterian Council.

—Bishop McEvoy, of this city, will pay his first visit to Amherstburg on Sunday, when an address will be presented to him by the Catholics of the parish.

—A West London street car was disabled about 7 o'clock this morning, and had to be towed to the burns. The controller became grounded and the motor was burned out.

—Messrs. Irwin & Calcott, brass founders of this city, again appeared before the St. Thomas council Thursday.

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night, regarding their removal to that city, but no agreement was reached.

—Miss Roblin has secured engagements for St. Mary's, Oct. 16, Godefrich, Nov. 2, and Owen Sound, Nov. 20. The large number of engagements secured by this talented singer attests to her popularity.

—On Thanksgiving Day a recital will be given in the Auditorium by Miss Susie A. Brinley, assisted by Lena E. McMurray, soprano, and Charles Percy, pianist. The programme is a well-selected one. The recital will commence at 8:15 p.m. sharp.

—A runaway accident occurred on King street yesterday afternoon. Mr. L. V. Ludwig, of West London, was driving between Richmond and Clarence streets, when the harness broke and caused the horse to break away. Mr. Ludwig was thrown to the pavement and was painfully injured.

—"The Redemption," Gounod's great oratorio, will be given by a large chorus and noted soloists on Tuesday evening, Nov. 21. This masterpiece is dedicated by the composer to her Majesty the Queen by her permission. Mr. J. H. McKinley, of New York, will be the tenor soloist on this occasion.

CHARGED WITH HORSE STEALING

Four Residents, of Elgin County, before Squire Lacey—A Muncetown Indian the Complainant—Case Adjourned.

Wm. L. Walker, sen., Wm. Walker, jun., D. McArthur, and R. Allison, of West Lorne, the four men arrested yesterday, charged with stealing two horses from Henry French, of Muncetown, appeared before Squire Lacey yesterday afternoon. They pleaded not guilty. The evidence of the complainant was taken and the case adjourned for a week. The Walkers own a farm near West Lorne and McArthur and Allison live with them, the former being employed as a farm laborer and Allison being a son-in-law of the elder Walker. On Oct. 3, 1898, the Walkers had a sale, at which French bought two horses for \$117, giving a note payable in twelve months for the amount. The note fell due on Oct. 6, three days' grace being allowed, and on the 4th, it is alleged, the accused went to French's place and took possession of the horses. The animals were subsequently found at Walkers' and they are now being kept by the crown, pending the result of the prosecution. A judgment against Walker for \$83, which was bought by French from a man named Millar, also figures in the case.

Obituary.

THE LATE WM. LOUGHREY.

The funeral of the late Wm. Loughrey, the C. P. R. brakeman, killed at Guelph Junction, took place at St. Thomas yesterday from the residence of deceased's father-in-law, Mr. George Walker, Washburn engineer. Rev. Mr. Hindes conducted the services, and employees of the C. P. R. in this city officiated as pall-bearers. The floral offerings were numerous.

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Brain workers must have different food than day laborers, because brain work uses up parts of the brain and nerve centers, while physical labor uses up other parts of the body. A food for brain workers has been prepared by scientific food makers and called Grape-Nuts. It is a pure, natural food made from selected parts of field grains known to contain the natural phosphate of potash and other elements used by the system in rebuilding and repairing the brain and nerve centers. This food is skillfully cooked at the factory and is ready to be served instantly either cold with cream, or as a hot breakfast dish with hot milk or cream poured over it. All first-class grocers sell Grape-Nuts, and the Postum Company, at Batavia, Creek, Mich., manufacture the food.

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feelings were numerous and very beautiful. Mr. Loughrey, who was 28 years of age, was one of the best-liked men on the western division of the C. P. R.

He was highly esteemed by the officials and popular with fellow-employees. His wife, with her two children, four months old, his step-parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hines, of this city; his brothers, James, of Toronto, George and Sam, of this city, and his sister, Mrs. M. Maitland, of South London, will have the sympathy of all in their bereavement. Deceased met his death at night. Just how the accident occurred will never be known. He had been detailed to take two cars from the siding at Galt, and it is supposed that he slipped and fell while in the act of coupling the cars, and fell in front of the moving wheels. His body was found wound around the axle in such a manner that the car had to be jacked up before it could be removed.

MANY TRIBUTES

To the Worth of the Late Dr. James B. Campbell.

Suitable Resolutions by the Board of Education and the Medical Association.

A special meeting of the board of education was held last evening and, the following resolution, moved by Trustee MacRobert, was adopted by a unanimous standing vote:

"That the board of education has learned with deep regret of the death of Dr. James B. Campbell at the time of his death and for many years previously an honored member of the board, and for the period of one year its chairman."

"The deceased gentleman's scholarly attainments and unobtrusive manner caused him to be a much esteemed and valued member of the board, and his active personal interest in the welfare of the schools and in all educational matters cause his death to be a serious loss to the board and to the community in general."

"It is further resolved, that the members of the board attend the funeral in a body; and further, that the board express to his widow and members of his family its profound sympathy in their affliction."

A beautiful floral offering will be sent by the board. The trustees will meet at the city hall at 1:45 p.m. tomorrow, proceed to the family residence in carriages, and march to the York street bridge.

THE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

At a largely-attended special meeting of the London Medical Association, convened last night, the following resolution was moved by Dr. Niven, seconded by Dr. MacArthur, and unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death the late Dr. J. B. Campbell;

"Resolved, that the London Medical Association records its deep sense of the loss sustained by the association in the death of one who had always taken such a deep interest in the work of the society and had done so much to promote its success."

"As secretary and president he proved himself a faithful and efficient officer, and as a member he was ever active in furthering the usefulness and welfare of the association."

"In professional life he was genial, honorable and progressive, and his moderate and mature counsel will be much missed in medical circles."

"The association further desires to convey to his afflicted widow and family its heartfelt sympathy in the hour of their bereavement, and commends them to the sustaining care of a loving and all-wise Providence."

"W. M. ENGLISH, Secretary.
"R. FERGUSON, President."

MEDICAL SCHOOL STUDENTS.

The students of the London Medical School, with which the late Dr. J. B. Campbell was identified as a professor, met yesterday, and also decided to attend the funeral in a body. The school was closed today.

"The Teachers' Association of the city, on motion of Mr. Kirk, seconded by Mr. W. D. Eckert, passed the following resolution, Miss M. Skelton, vice-president, in the chair:

"That the members of the London Teachers' Association desire to give expression to the great grief with which they have heard of the death of the late Dr. J. B. Campbell, member of the London Board of Education, and to place on record their sincere appreciation of his eminent qualities as an educationist and of his honor and sincerity as a citizen."

"That the association is deeply conscious of the loss which the city has sustained in the removal of one whose devotion to the interests of education, and whose high character as a devoted husband and affectionate father endeared him to all who knew him."

"That the association extend its heartfelt sympathy and condolence to the bereaved widow and family, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to them."

McKELLAR'S DEATH

Was Accidental and Due to a Violation of the Company's Rules—Result of the Inquest.

The death of Conductor Wm. McKellar, of the London street railway, who was killed by falling from his car, was purely accidental, and due to a violation by deceased of the company's rules. This was the verdict given by the coroner's jury last night. It was after midnight when the jury returned this finding. They strongly urged the company to have their rules more rigorously enforced. Coroner Piper presided, and Mr. Key, appeared for the street railway company.

Dr. H. A. Kingsmill testified that the

chest had been crushed in, and the

arms, collarbone and right wrist broken, besides bruises and flesh wounds.

Mr. Wm. Friendship, an eye-witness, described the breaking of the rope, and how the deceased fell.

Motorman O'Brien stated that conductors generally reversed the trolley pole. There was plenty of time to have reversed the pole.

Superintendent Potter read the company's rule, which requires that the trolley pole invariably follow the car.

He could give no reason for McKellar not doing so, as he was not a lazy man.

Motorman Rogers, Conductor George S. Weir, and Assistant Superintendent Reynolds testified that they had at different times warned the deceased against the practice of not reversing his pole, but that he seemed to have great confidence in his ability to do it. The jury then rendered their verdict.

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First Blood For the Boers

Two Guns and the Crew of a Train Captured.

Rumors of Fighting at Mafeking and Lady- smith.

A Raiding Force of 10,000 Men From the Free State.

Advance Movement by the British Force Toward Holmes-Heavy Storms in the Transvaal.

London, Oct. 14.—If today's (Saturday) reports are correct, fighting has now begun in earnest on both Natal and the western frontiers.

London, Oct. 14.—The war office has received the following dispatch from the general commanding the Cape forces:

"Cape Town, Oct. 13—4:10 p.m.—An armored train from Mafeking, escorting two 7,000 pound guns, sent from here to Mafeking, was attacked last night at Kraxpan. Apparently a rail had been removed. The train left the track and the Boers fired into it with artillery for a half hour and captured it. The guns referred to belonged to the colony. They are light and of old pattern. We have no details as to casualties." Telegraphic communication with Mafeking is interrupted at Kraxpan. The women and children have been sent to Cape Town.

Cape Town, Oct. 13—4:05 p.m.—The entire crew of the armored train, with the exception of the engine driver, were made prisoners by the Boers.

FIGHTING AT MAFEKING.

The Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent, telegraphing Friday evening says: "I learn on good authority that the Boers are attacking Mafeking. They are reported to have suffered repulses. It is generally admitted that Mafeking cannot stand a strong Boer attack."

London, Saturday, Oct. 14.—The Daily Mail's correspondent of Dundee, Natal, says: "Reports are circulated here that the Boers have reached Newcastle, but no confirmation of either this or the reports of fighting at Mafeking and Ladysmith are yet arriving."

The Ladysmith correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs his paper under date of Thursday that it is anticipated that the enemy will attack Ladysmith simultaneously. Glencoe and Ladysmith. The defending force, he says, includes the Natal infantry and carabineers, all remarkably smart and well equipped. The main Boer force of 11,000 men is at Sandfontein. The correspondent adds: "Much discontent exists here owing to the presence of suspected Boer sympathizers. The troops are kept under arms, and the volunteers are ordered to sleep booted and spurred, ready for instant call."

TEN THOUSAND RAIDERS.

The Ladysmith correspondent of the London Times, telegraphing on Thursday, says: "A subsequent reconnaissance shows that the raiding force from the Free State number approximately 12,000 men. The Times explains this dispatch as evidently referring to a previous telegram which has not yet reached them."

The news this morning is rather of approaching, battles than of actual fighting.

The correspondent of the London Daily Mail forer says that the Free State forces have completed all preparations for the destruction of the Bothu bridge when that action becomes necessary.

A BRITISH ADVANCE.

An Edinburgh paper, the Scotsman, this morning asserts that a battle had been engaged in between Gen. Sir Geo. Stewart White, commanding the forces in Natal, and the Boers who entered Natal by way of Van Reenan's Pass. Gen. White, the Scotsman says, is very sanguine of the success of the British movement. The foregoing report is considered to be correct, as late last night the war office had news of a British advance from Ladysmith, and was hourly expecting further intelligence.

A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from its correspondent at Ladysmith, dated at noon on Friday, says: "A strong force, under Gen. Sir Stewart White, accompanied by Gen. Sir Archibald Hunter, proceeded before day-lighting this morning toward Action Homes for the purpose of reconnoitering. Gen. White's object was to observe what was going on and also to test the mobility and efficiency of his forces. All the men are well and the weather is now fine."

COLD LEAD OR HOT COFFEE?

A dispatch from Cotesburg, just south of the Orange River, announces that the town was warned to be in readiness for an attack today. The attack did not occur. The inhabitants, according to the dispatch, are wavering and uncertain whether to greet the Boers with cold lead or hot coffee.

LOYAL.

A dispatch from Cape Town says



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morning.

that no doubt is felt as to the loyalty of Lerhodi and other native chiefs, and the Basutos are still well in hand, but the resident commissioner has decided to patrol the border to prevent the Boer raids.

According to the London Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent, Mr. Schreiner, premier of the Cape Colony, will unreservedly support the imperial government. His previous reserve was dictated by desire not to drive the extreme Dutch residents to excesses. According to the same authority, the railway department had easily information of the intention of the Boers to destroy railway bridges over fourteen streams, and sent adequate forces to protect these points. The result was that the Boers postponed their attempt.

GOLD FOR THE BOERS.

Advices from Johannesburg report the commandeering by the Transvaal government of another 25,000 ounces of gold.

The German foreign office states that Germany will gladly co-operate in a vigorous campaign against the Boers, request to the Transvaal government to permit the creation of an international police force to protect the mines.

HEAVY STORMS.

According to dispatches received from Ladysmith by the Standard and the Daily Telegraph, dated Thursday, heavy storms have begun and forage is scarce on the veldt. Therefore, nothing is expected to happen for a few days, unless the Boers, who were reported to be advancing, should threaten the British line of defense, drawn from Glencoe Junction to Ladysmith. In this case, according to the dispatches, no apprehension is felt as to the results. Gen. White has 12 guns and the Boers 11.

The Pall Mall Gazette publishes the following dispatch from Mafeking, dated Wednesday: "It is reported that the younger Boers are dissatisfied with Commandant Cronje for not attacking the British position yesterday, and have sent him to the rear and appointed another to command."

RHODES NEARLY CAPTURED.

According to the Kimberley correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph, Cecil Rhodes had a narrow escape from capture. His train was delayed, and passed the Modder River three hours after the expiration of the ultimatum, when the Boers were only five miles distant, and some of their spies were actually on the platform. Mr. Rhodes laid low, and was not recognized. Had he been, his capture would have been easy. He believes the strength of the enemy is greatly exaggerated, and that they will not attack the entrenchments.

THE BOERS' ARTILLERY.

Hiram Stevens, Maxim, chief engineer and director of the Maxim-Nordenfildt Guns and Ammunition Company (Limited), in the course of an interview, said: "So far as I am aware the Boers possess thirty guns, but the British need not fear the Boer artillery, which has always proved a source of weakness rather than strength to the burghers."

NOTABLE SPEECH.

Cape Town, Oct. 14.—The premier, Mr. W. P. Schreiner, in moving an adjournment of the Cape House of Assembly, made a notable speech, in the course of which he alluded to the position in which the Cape Government was placed. He said he was aware of the duty imposed upon him without fear or favor. The duty of all was to save the colony, so far as possible, from being involved in the vortex of war. In his circulars to the military commanders he had already given his reason for hoping that the people would remain quiet; and now he would appeal to the members of the legislature to possess their souls in patience, however dark the days might be, and to await events with quietness and confidence. To the press, representing both sides, he would appeal for pity, sympathy, generosity and charity; and he wished to make a similar appeal to the church and to the natives of the colony. The time had not yet arrived for him to say what part he had played in trying to establish peace in South Africa. That would come later. "Let this color my speech," he concluded, "be a kind of haven during the storm which has burst upon South Africa, and let us all pray for the re-establishment of an honorable peace throughout our beloved country."

THE NAVAL BRIGADE.

Simon's Town, Cape Colony, Oct. 12 (clayed in transmission).—The commander in chief issued a general signal for the fleet last evening. The naval brigade is in readiness to disembark, and is now busy with preparations for landing. A board of officers is waiting all night for the brigade. Admiral Harris has notified the inhabitants that shore boats approaching the warships at night are liable to be fired upon.

BULLER'S DEPARTURE.

The Prince of Wales has promised to see Gen. Sir Redvers Buller and his staff off from the Waterloo station today. A big demonstration is expected. It is an interesting fact that Lord Edgmont Cecil, son of the Marquis of Salisbury, is with Col. Baden-Powell at Mafeking.

LETTER FROM LORD LORNE.

Lord Lorne was unable to attend the meeting held at Glasgow, but he wrote in response to the invitation, a letter, in which he said: "Never had any people more to deliberate before action. Patience has marked our case, and ignorance and injustice those of the Boers. They are the same as when Livingstone described them as cruel, narrow and tyrannous. In battle our losses may be grievous, but those who die will give their life for the life of our empire, for equal laws and civil liberty. Foreign states acknowledge the justice of our cause, and we know it to be good, and we mean to make it strong."

THE TIMES ON THE SITUATION.

The Times this morning, discussing the situation, says: "It is idle to ignore the fact that if the Boers make a determined advance on a large scale into Natal, as seems to be the case, a sustained condition of masterly inactivity might become hopelessly out of the question. We have no means of estimating exactly the number of

troops at Ladysmith, Glencoe and Dundee, and if we had it would not be expedient to discuss the point. But if 12,000 Free State troops are to be reckoned with in addition to Commandant Gen. Joubert's contingent, the situation is certainly graver than it seemed yesterday, and further details will be awaited with anxiety. A point in favor of defense is that Free State and Transvaal Boers are not accustomed to working in unison, and any attempt on their part to apply the principle of converging columns to an attack on Ladysmith would not be likely to meet with complete success. The armored train incident is regrettable, but is scarcely disastrous, except that it tends to cut Mafeking off from touch with Plumber's force in Rhodesia."

ST. THOMAS COMES NEXT

Street Railway Men Claim to Have Grievances.

President Still Threatened to Dis- charge Every Union Man on the Road.

St. Thomas, Oct. 14.—The probabilities are that before 24 hours the street railway employees will be on strike. The St. Thomas Journal says: "A committee representing the employees waited upon resident J. H. Still this morning and state that they were very discourteously received. The committee consisted of Messrs. S. Lee, of Detroit, chairman of the International board of arbitration of the Association of Street Railway Employees of America; W. Sayles, president St. Thomas Trades and Labor Council; F. Mitchell, a member of the Trades and Labor Council; J. Fitzsimmons, secretary Street Railway Union, and H. E. Brinker, a member of the union.

"The differences between the company and the employees are that men who were members of the union were discharged when the line cars were taken off, and that the runs are not equalized.

"Members of the deputation who waited upon Mr. Still this afternoon, state that Mr. Still refused to listen to them, stated that he would fire every member of the union if they did not quit, and called the members of the deputation everything he could lay his tongue to.

"Members of a deputation told The Journal that Mr. Still asked who the strangers were and upon being told ordered the committee out of his office. They said he had nothing to do with them, wanted to know what they had to do with his business, and said that if they did not get out he would call his men and have them put out.

"A meeting of the Street Railway Employees' Union and the Trades and Labor Council will be held tonight, when it is likely a strike will be ordered.

BALANCE ON THE RIGHT SIDE

Important Meeting of Leading Method- ist Ministers.

Quebec, Oct. 14.—At the annual session of the Methodist General Missionary Board, in the Young Men's Christian Association building, about 40 members, under the presidency of Rev. Dr. Sutherland, D.D., general superintendent of Canada, met. Rev. Dr. Sutherland, D.D., were in attendance. After the opening services the president delivered his address, outlining the important work before the board. Rev. Dr. Williams, of Montreal, was chosen secretary for the ensuing year. The missionary report was then read by Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D., Toronto, general superintendent, and he gave the financial statement. The total income was \$265,979.40, and the total expenditure was \$257,972.67, leaving a balance of \$8,006.73, which had been applied to the reduction of a debt of \$16,000.

In the evening a missionary rally took place in the Methodist Church, at which addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Sutherland, D.D., of Canada; Rev. G. Kaburagi, Japanese missionary in Vancouver, B.C., and Rev. W. H. Pierce, Indian missionary from the Upper Skeena, B. C. A large audience was present.

Tonight the church jubilee to commemorate the opening of the Methodist Church in the city, Oct. 7, 1849, will be held. The programme consists of a service of welcome by the mayor, Rev. Dr. Griffith, and addresses by Rev. Dr. Carman, Dr. Briggs, of Toronto; Rev. Joseph Edge, London, Ont.; Mr. J. A. M. Atkins, Q.C., of Winnipeg; Rev. H. Cairns, Rev. Dr. Williams and Rev. T. J. Mansell, of Montreal.

THE FOX BAY METHODISTS.

Quebec, Oct. 14.—A committee to consult on the position and needs of the Fox Bay Methodists in Anticosti and report to the board of the Fox Bay Methodists, by the general missionary board of the Methodist Church, as follows: J. Wakefield, D.D., Paris, Ont.; J. J. McLaren, Q.C., Toronto; W. J. McLean, Q.C., Montreal; W. J. Wood, Brandon, Man.; Alex. Mills, Toronto; Wm. Johnston, Belleville, and Rev. P. F. Huestis, Halifax.

MAN WHO CAN'T SLEEP.

"I see by the paper," said Saunders, "that there's a man in New York that can't sleep a wink for six weeks."

"How's that?" asked Jakes. "He can't," said Saunders. "Inconvenient, I should say," remarked Jakes. "What's he going to do about it?" inquired Jakes. "He's in the hospital," said Saunders. "But I doubt if that'll fix him."

"Well, I used to be troubled that way on a smaller scale," said Saunders. "I calculate I got three hours and sixteen minutes' sleep in two years. I haven't had a wink since, but that's near enough."

"Must have been nice," said Jakes. "It was the very deuce," said Saunders. "What did you do about it?" asked Jakes.

"Everything you could think of. Doctored my nerves and my brain until I was as nervous as a woman and as stupid as a goat."

"What cured you?"

"Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets," repeated Jakes. "Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets," repeated Saunders. "Sleeplessness comes from nervousness. Nervousness comes from Dyspepsia."

"How much are they?"

"Fifty cents a box," said Saunders, "at all druggists."

CANADIAN TRADE IN GOOD SHAPE

Bradstreet's Weekly Reviews of the Business Situation.

New York, Oct. 14.—Bradstreet's weekly review says: Favorable conditions still govern Canadian trade. The chartering of numerous vessels by the British government has caused a flurry in shipping circles at Montreal. A satisfactory business is doing, especially in dry goods, and collections are reported good. Cotton manufacturers are discussing a possible advance in their product, and an upward tendency is visible in iron and steel, particularly merchant bars and all classes of nails. White lead has also been advanced. Alaskan navigation has closed at British Columbia ports. Vancouver reports orders from the mainland as good, and collections are easier. Half-yearly weather conditions have favored harvesting. Collections are fair. Toronto reports active trade in all lines, and wheat shipments interfered with by the requisitioning of many ships for war purposes.

ON THE OTHER SIDE.

Bradstreet's says: Trade activity is abroad, all measures of volume and value testify to prevailing prosperous conditions. Railway earnings, bank clearings returns and quotations of staple prices are all encouraging, pointing as they do to a maximum volume of business for this period of the year. Corn returns for October bear out earlier impressions of shortened yields of most leading agricultural products. Expectations of more moderate yields of leading cereals, however, are not confined to this country. The world's wheat crop will admittedly be smaller, and the rye, barley and oat yields are not expected to be so large as a year ago. The higher range of prices of all staples, and particularly of agricultural products, will furnish a profitable advance to producers. The advance in the price of cotton has been a notable one. Foreign buyers of wheat have shown a disposition to take hold at slight recessions, and the demand for corn, particularly for export, has been so heavy as to create nervousness among those who had sold short in view of a continued heavy production this year. The liberality of foreign demand is perhaps best shown in the September report of exports of leading products. Shipments of breadstuffs were as large to those of August, and there was a heavy gain in cotton exports. Totals of leading exports show an increase of 23 per cent a year ago over September, 1898, but a decrease of 8.5 per cent from September, 1897, which witnessed very heavy shipments of breadstuffs.

Business failures in the United States numbered 164, as compared with 148 last week, 233 in this week a year ago, 196 in 1897, 279 in 1896, and 269 in 1895.

Bank clearings at the principal United States cities for the week ended Oct. 13 showed total clearings, \$1,829,769,586, an increase of 3.1 per cent as compared with the corresponding week last year. Outside of New York city the clearances were \$689,374,164—increased 2.2 per cent. For the Dominion of Canada the clearances were: Montreal, \$14,449,604—increased 10.8 per cent; Toronto, \$11,550,351—increased 27.9 per cent; Winnipeg, \$3,015,204—increased 51.7 per cent; Hamilton, \$1,670,501—increased 30.4 per cent; St. John, N. B., \$676,916—increased 18.4 per cent; Vancouver, B. C., \$743,680.

PITCHING INTO THE FILIPINOS

Insurgents Driven From Their Posi- tions—U. S. Troops Have a Hard March.

Manila, Oct. 14.—Major Cheatham, with a scouting party, while marching along the west shore of the lake, encountered a force of rebels strongly entrenched at Marikina. Major Cheatham reports that he drove the rebels from their position, and that in the engagements three Americans were killed and two wounded.

Rumors are in circulation in Manila that Major Cheatham discovered three American prisoners who had been bound, gagged and shot by the insurgents. These rumors, however, are not confirmed.

Reports having reached the provost marshal that arms were concealed at the headquarters of the Dominican Friars, a large building adjoining the palace, a detachment of soldiers made a search of the building. They found a small stock of Mausers, revolvers and ammunition, which was confiscated, despite the protestations of the friars that the arms were not intended for use.

Gen. Schwan, with the infantry, has reached Bacoor. The troops are greatly exhausted. From Malaban to Perez Marines they marched through the rice fields.

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

The City of Boston Gives a Royal Welcome—Historical Spots and Incidents of Interest—Interesting Letter From Mr. Edmund L. Yeigh, Chairman-Elect, of Canada Congressional Union

In passing a note must be made of the beautiful new state house, public library and magnificent churches. The two first mentioned are models of architectural beauty and convenience, and indicate that the city and state are

character for unkenotatious kindness which endeared him to all.

His death occasion was an organ recital and supper at Shawmut Congregational Church, at which the members of the church extended such hearty hospitality as to make the evening a red letter one, even among others that seemed unsurpassed.

Last, but by no means least, the banquet given by the Congregational Club, at the Hotel de Ville, Music Hall, demands mention. That the delegates and invited guests were treated with true American hospitality can be attested by all who were present. It was a feast of good things, including vocal and instrumental music. Addresses were given on behalf of the Ukrainian, Presbyterian and Methodist churches, and were delivered by Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts, successor to Philips Brooks, the one that capped the climax for both church and laymen, lightened by subtle and charming humor.

And now, after this imperfect and rambling sketch, may we not gather up the threads of the memory that will retain a place in the memory as it holds sway? In doing this I cannot do better than quote a passage from the following article in the Boston Herald to the effect:

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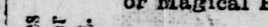
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