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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1899.

What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—Pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 2:45 p.m. ASKIN ST. METHODIST CHURCH-

The pastor will preach at both services. Morning, "Iniquity—Its Results"; evening, "Beginning of Home." CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH -Rev. W. J. Ford, pastor. Morning, "What Hath God Wrought?" Evening, Rev. L. W. Wickett. Monday, Oct. 16-

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN Tuesday, Oct. 17-Church—Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible Class and Sabbath School, 3 p.m. Visitors welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, CORNER OF Dundas and Elizabeth streets-Rev. C. Sinclair, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church — Rev. George Jackson, pastor. Morning subject, "The Noble Officer of Rome"; evening, "How the Gospel Came to Antioch." Good Music by the choir. Strangers made

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church-The pastor, Rev. Dr. Saunders, will preach. Morning subject, Sabbath-Its Sanctity and "The Sabbath-Its Sanctity and Claims"; evening, continuation of the ceries of sermons on "Christ and Modern Problems"; subject, "The Emancipation." Morning—Anthem, "Oh, Give Thanks" (Elvey); solo, "The Penitent" (Van der Water). Evening—Anthem, "I Am Alpha and Omega!" (Stainer); duet, "Thou Art Our Shepherd" (Watson); anthem, "I Will Lay Me Down in Peace" (Gads-Will Lay Me Down in Peace" (Gads-

THE DUNDAS, CENTER SUNDAY School extends a cordial welcome to visitors, and young and old residents not attending other schools. Ser-

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-10 a.m., classes. Morning, Rev. W. H. Cooper; evening, pastor.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST and Princess and Park avenues (formerly St. James' Presbyterian Church—Sunday services, '11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Subject, "Probation After Death." Wednesday evening (testimonia) meeting, at 8 o'clock. Sunday School immediately following morning service. D. S. Robb. C.S. R. C.T. MATCHERME. (Scientist); corner Richmond street morning service. D. S. Robb, C.S.B.,
First Reader; Mrs. Edna S. Robb,
C.S., Second Reader. Residence, 293
Princess avenue. Christian Science

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL - REV W. E. Todd, of Brookfield, Mo., will occupy the pulpit at both services

TIRST METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. J. V. Smith, D. D., pastor. Rev. Dr. James Hannon, a former

pastor, at both services.

Morning—Anthem. 'O Saviour of the
World" (Goss); duet, "Looking to Jesus" (Tillman). Evening—Anthem, "Blessea Are the

Merciful" (Hiles); quartet, "Lead, Kindly Light" (Buck). T. Woloott, organist and choir-

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship, 11 tem. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. At morning service the pastoral letter of the moderator of the General Assembly will be presented. At evening service the Century Fund of the Presbyterian Church will be presented and ex-plained. A full attendance of members and adherents is expected at both services. Sabbath School and Society for Bible Study, 3 p.m.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Rev. J. G. Fallis, pastor, will preach at both services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School at 3 o'clock. Seats free. All welcome.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Charch-Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor, Morning, "The Century Fund." Even-ing, beginning a new course of ser-mons; subject. "Special Sermon to Young Men."

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, South London—Rev. J. G. Stuart, B. A., pastor. Subjects—Morning, pastoral address of the moderator of the General Assembly; evening, "Century

MEMORIAL CHURCH-HOLY COM-MUNION at 8 a.m. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Strangers and visitors welcome. All seats free.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. Services in the Y. M. C. A. Audi-

The pastor will preach at both ser Meetings during the week as usual in the lecture room of the church.

SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL-Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

T. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. A. J. McGillivray, M.A., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORN-ING—"Venite" (Macfarren), "Te Deum" (West), "Benediotus" (Goss).

Preacher, the Dean. Evening—"Cantate Domino" (Trimnell); "Deus" (Trimnell); anthem, "The Strain Upraise" (Stainer). Preacher, Rev. Provost Watkins. Holy Communion at 8:20 a.m..

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH -Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.D., paster. Service at 11 a.m., "The Friend of God"; 7 p.m. "The Whis-perings of the Leaves." Sunday School and Class for Bible Study at

DIST CHURCH—Rev. Joseph Edge, pastor. Rev. J. L. Stewart will preach at both services. Morning subject, "The Hour of Prayer" WELLINGTON STREET METHO subject, "The Hour of Prayer"; even-ing subject, "Humanity's Homage."

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Funeral services at 2 p.m., Sunday, to Woodland Cemetery. 75u

MORE-In this city, on Oct. 13, 1899, Colin

More, aged 31 years.

Funeral from his brother's residence, 527
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A Annual tea meeting, under auspices of Ladies' Aid, Tuesday, Oct. 17. Splendid pro-gramme. H. R. McDonald and good local tal-ent. Everybody welcome. Tea served from 6 to 8 p.m.

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Thursday evening next, 8 o'clock. Pococke &
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Mrs. J. H. Glass. 881 Dundas street. 74c

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Situations Wanted

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, in the matter of the estate of Francis Hynes, late of the township of London, in the county of Middlesex, and Province of Ontario, gardener, deceased. And in the matter of partition between Mary Hodgins, plaintiff, and Catherine Ann Andrewa, James Hynes, John Hynes, Ellen Clark and Harry P. Hynes, defendants. Take note that the plaintiff, as one of the heirs of the said Francis Hynes, deceased, and one of the devisees under his last will and testament, dated the 20th day of May, 1869, hereby gives you and each of you notice that she will present her petition, herein dated the 27th day of July, A.D. 1899, praying for the partition of sale of lots Nos. 43 and 44, on the west side of Richmond street (formerly Burlington street), in the city of London, county of Middlesex, and Province of Ontario, being all the real estate belonging to the said Francis Hynes, deceased, in his lifetime, now undisposed of, and for a declaration of the rights of the parties entitled therein, to the presiding iudge in chambers of this court, at the weekly sittings thereof, at the Court House, in the city of London, in the said county of Middlesex, on Thursday, the 25th day of Ootober, A.D. 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forencon, or so soon thereafter as the case can be heard.

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calm. The Shamrock, under sail, barely moves. Columbia stays in tow. NO RACE. Sandy Hook, 12:09 p.m.-Race declar-

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Unconfirmed Report of a British Victory.

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

Fighting Has Taken Place at Kraaipan -Enemy Occupy Spitzkop Near Newcastle

Kimberley, Oct. 14.-Official confirm-Ation has been received of the report that fighting has taken place at Kraai-

Glencoe, Natal, Oct. 13-10 a.m.-The Boers have occupied Spitzkop, near Newcastle.

ANOTHER TRAIN BLOWN UP. London, Oct. 14 .- The Exchange Telegraph Company have 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 conse-quence of the report that Rudyard Kipling would speak. The audience, before the addresses began, sang patri-otic songs. The chairman, Lord Tal-bot, at the outset read the following

letter from Mr. Kipling:
"I see the papers have generally cred-ted 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 en-tirely out of my 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 fore equal rights for all white men from the Cape to the Zambesi; their alm the establishment of a republic instead of an oligarchy, and their vindication a new and regenerate equal laws formed in open council by free men, neither corrupted nor coerced, representing every interest in the land. These are good and desirable, 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 Kaffir origin, and must be regarded with suspicion. While there is every probability that Gen, Cronje's big commando 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 armorel train at Kraaipan. These show that Capt. Nesbit, who was in command of the train, was warned at Maribogo 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 sait for the train. The Boer artillery

immediately opened fire and A DESPERATE ONE-SIDED FIGHT appears to have ensued, lasting for 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 ditched, with

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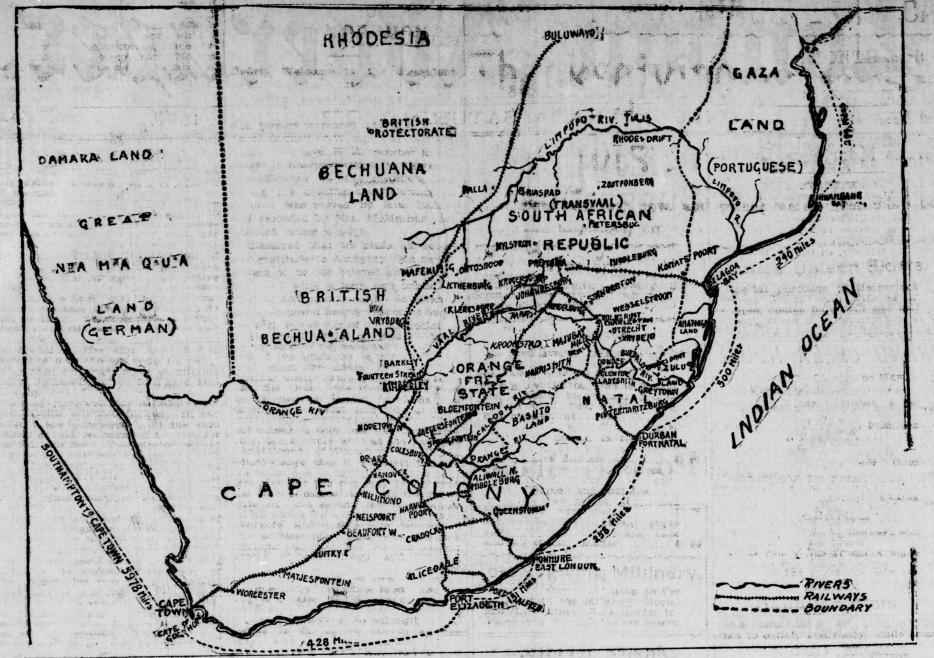
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MAP OF SOUTH AFRICA.

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.

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 signs 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 BRIT-ISH 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 Lerd Rothschild 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 sort." The probability seems to be that there has not been any fighting as yet in Natal. MAFEKING'S WATER SUPPLY IN

DANGER. In connection with the rumored attack upon Mafeking, a disquieting report comes from Pretoria to the effect that the Rustenburg and Marico commandoes have crossed the border and entered the Rooigrond territory, be-tween Lichtenburg and Mafeking, blowing up the bridge over the Maloppo River, and destroying a craim-of dynamite and the track. As Mafe-king depends upon Rooigrond 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. Stevert White went in the direction of Van Reenans 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.

DIVORCE MADE **VERY SIMPLE**

'Abdul the Dammed," Drowns 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 Bucharest 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.

FORTY WERE DROWNED. St. Louis, Senegal, Oct. 14.-A native craft, while attempting to cross the bar at mouth of the River Seneral, was wrecked, and 40 persons were drowned.

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.

Will Take Part in the Transvaal Campaign.

A Volunteer Force of 1,000 Men Called For.

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

Ottawa, Oat. 14.-The government

"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 govern mental action, and it was necessary that a full council meeting be held 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 neces-sary for the promotion of imperial

"The only question that caused a moment's 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 precedents ought not hastily to be established. Hence the first view that prevailed was that parliament should be summoned to confirm the action white was proposed.

LIMITATIONS ON COLONIAL AR-RANGEMENTS.

"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 some-what 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

"In view of this fact and the urgent reasons for prompt ac-tion, the ministers decided this afternoon to carry out an arrangement whuch had been arrived at, through thorities. 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

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RESTRICTIONS.

militia department, which has all tts 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 equip-ment of the contingent as above stated, and for the transportation of the force to a point of debarkation 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 satis-factory to the Canadian Government, who would have preferred to send a complete regiment, under the com-mand 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. asmuch as the whole campaigs must, of necessity, be under the control of the war office, the Canadian Govern-ment have not felt at liberty to dissent from the proposed arrangement, though, as already stated, they would

have preferred another.

The enrollment will commence at once. Every part of the arrangement once. 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 Catiada for South Africa before the 30th inst.

Canadian Militia Department Rushing Preparations

For the South African Contingent-

Message From British War Office.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.-As has been receatedly 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 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, and his staff are hard at work finishing the comparatively little that remains to be done towards the immediate mobilization that will take place. Major-Gen. 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 tunios and 2,000 pairs of trousers for the force. The commissariat de-partment 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 Liner 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 \$50,000 pounds of compressed corned beef and mutton, chiefly in six-pound tins, but two-pound and other sizes may be offered; it must be unexceptional, 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.

is a much larger number than that Africa, caused some surprise on Parsupplied by any other colony of the liament Hill, as it was the first Sir liament 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

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 penished, as follows: Samuel Jayne, baggagemaster of steamer; Barney Hendry, other; unknown wo-man; Patrick Coffey, first mate; Ter-rence Brady, of New York, cabin boy; Charles Anderson, seaman; Thomas Murphy; seaman; John Connors, sea-

man. It is feared that some women and children were lost by the swamping of lifeboats. Several passengers were in-

C. J. Hulbert, of Bridgeport, a passenger, was asleep when the fire was discovered. He said the fire was first seen by Baggagemaster Jayne, who, af-ter arousing all the passengers he could, jumped overboard, and died from injuries which he received from striking a portion of the vessel.

The fire broke out about five minutes after six in the morning, and in a few minutes was in full possession of the boat amidships, said Mr. Hulbert. 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 vacht Kismet arrived and helped

When Captain Brooks found that the fire could not be extinguished, he ran the steamer ashore near Sands Point, where she grounded. There were tween 30 and 40 passengers on Nutmeg State, Captain Brooke said. He said that he was afreid 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 heroic work the passengers of the Nutmeg States were taken aboard the vessel. together with the remaining members of the crew.

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

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WHERE IS IT.

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ONEIDA INDIANS HOLD THEIR FAIR

Big Crowd of White Feople 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 pale-frees took their word for it without faces 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. Kellins, Shedden; W. S. Weld, Delaware; S. Sutherland, Delaware; Dr. Guest, Shedden; Thomas Johnstone, Delaware. When it came to the ladies driving competition, this set of judges felt unable to shoulder the responsifelt unable to shoulder the responsi-bilities of the office, and prevailed upon Rev. J. Henderson, Shedden; Rev. R. McIntyre, Tempo; Rev. W. W. Shep-herd, Muncey; 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

Three-minute class: Billy K. Dolphy W. Iron Duke 3 Indian race:
Mohawk Chief4 Iron Duke3 Indian Frank2 Bay Billy 1

Ackland, Delaware, 2; Doxtater, One-ida, 3; Shapland, Lambeth, 4. FRIDAY'S RACES. Three-minute class: Mohawk Chief 1 Indian Frank 2 Bay Billy 3 3 3 Free-for-all: Billy Medium 2 3 3 Team race: Billy K. and mate1 Mohawk Chief and mate2 Iron Duke and mate 3 3 3

Those who successfully managed the show are: John Danford, president; Chief John Ninham, vice-president; Levi T. Doxtator, secretary; Joshua Thomas, treasurer. Dave Williams has built a swell brick house, which he threw open to the pub-

lic and served meals, thoroughly enjoyable to hungry people. He did a land office business yesterday.

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ORIOKET. ENGLISHMEN WON.

Toronto, Oct. 14.-The Canadian nical draw of the match with the Gentlemen of England 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, 267. Canada went to bat in the second inning, and played exthat of Saunders. 18 runs were secured. Then McGiverin 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 last 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 McGiverin was quite up to the form of the Englishmen. Jessop, the best bowler in England, tried to break down the Canadian defense, but got only two wickets for 41 runs. Stoddart had botter luck, se-curing 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 ring 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; com-mittee of management, Messrs. Gard-Waud, Ure, Edmonson and Mill-

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TWIN CITY CLUB. At the annual meeting of the Twin City Curling Club, held at the Zimmerman House, Waterloo, on Thursday evening, the following officers were elected: Patron and patroness, Mr. J. E. and Mrs. Seagram; honorary president, Mr. George Moore; president, J. B. Snider; vice-president, W. R. Travers; chaplain, Rev. C. S. Smith; representative to O. C. A. meeting, J. Fennell, J. Hespeler; secretary-treasurer, J. C. Haight; committee of man-

agement, H. J. Sims, A. W. Roberts and W. Hogg. PISTIC AFFAIRS. SPIKE WON.

New York Oct. 14.—At the Hercules Athletic Club Thursday night, Spike Sullivan, of Ireland, knocked out Jimmy Murray, of Cincinnati, in the sixth round of what was to have been a 25-round bout at 133 pounds. Sullivan at no time was in danger.

TURF. WINDSOR RACES.

Windsor Race Track, Ont., Oct. 14 .-The meeting closes today. Following are yesterday's results: First race, 6 furlongs, maidens. year-olds and upwards, selling—Wer-them 1, Top Roller 2, De Haven 3. Time, 1:16.

Second race, 5 furlongs, maidens, 2year-olds—Hendricks 1, Hibiscus Woodleca 3. Time, 1:03.

Third race, 1 mile, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Branch 1, Earl Fonso 2, Red Pirate 3. Time, 1:43.
Fourth race, 6 furlongs, 2-year-olds, selling—Tickfull 1, Sinnemahone 2, Carlboo 3. Time, 1:15%.
Fifth race, 614 furlongs, 2-year-olds, Fifth race, 614 furlongs, 2-year-olds, and 1:15%.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Nicholas 1, Looram 2, By George 3. Time, 1:21½. AT LEXINGTON.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 14.-The sensation of yesterday turned up in the 2:10 trot, when Charley Herr, the favorite, was distanced in the third heat. He has been worn out. Summary: The West stake, 2:29 class, trotting; Palue \$2.500:

Valpa, b. m. 1 Dainty Daffo 1 1 Time—2:16¾, 2:15¾, 2:16. Seller 2:10 trotting; purse \$2,000: May Fern, ch. m. 5 2 5 1 1 1 Hallie Rocket 1 4 4 4 3 2 D. D. Leek 6 6 3 3 2 ro Time—2:14½, 2:13½, 2:13½, 2:12½, 2:14½, 2:19½.

Stock Farm purse, pacing, for foals of 1897; value \$1,000:

 Audubon Bay, ch. m.
 1

 Nut Lawn
 8

 Maiden Russell
 2

Time—2:24¼, 2:24. RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, Oct. 14.—Yesterday was the last day of the Newmarket second October meeting. Over Norton won the Stand Nursery plate. Monte and Star of Hanover were second and third re-

An all-aged selling plate was won by Earl King. Grain Cup was second and Quick Change finished third, in a field of nine. WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS.

At Hawthorne, Chicago—Nellie Fonso, Diggs, Basseda, Friar John Jimp and Tulla Fonso.

At Latonia, Cincinnati—Mound City, Ice Drop, Hill Bally, Lord Zeni and Brooch.

FOOTBALL. A THANKSGIVING DAY GAME.

Owing to the default of the Petrolia Juniors of the game that was to have been played at Tecumseh Park today with the London Juniors, the Lendons tried to arrange an exhibition game for today with the St.
Thomas team, but that also fell able tissue builder. An effort is now being made to ar-range a game for Thanksgiving Day

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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.

ONTARIO. QUEBEC. ONTARIO.

Mrs. Brown.

Miss Davidson.

Miss G. Bethune.

Mrs. Hellmuth.

Mrs. Kay.

Miss Crombie.

Miss Howard.

Miss Wilkie.

Mrs. Warren.

Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Bartlett.

Miss Campbell.

Mrs. G. Orombie.

Miss Gibbons.

Mrs. Gordon.

Miss Small.

Miss Small.

Miss Syarker.

Mrs. Bristol. Young.... Sidney Smith... Sweetland.... M. Scott..... Phompson..... Bond..... Miss Bond 0 Mrs. Warren
Miss Linton 0 Mrs. Dick
Mrs. Merodith 1 Mrs. Smith
Mrs. F. Brown 6 Mrs. Bastlett
Miss Mary Scott 6 Miss Campbell.
Miss Turner 1 Mrs. G. Crombie
Miss Lemoine 0 Miss Gibbons
Miss Ewan 6 Mrs. Gordon
Miss Smith 0 Miss Small
Miss Sporks 4 Miss Yarker
Miss Fleming 11 Mrs. Bristol
Miss Sewell 10 Miss Nesbitt
Miss Sparks 0 Miss Street

Total......75 Total..... NOTES OF SPORT Ike McLachlin, the Canadian light-weight, knocked out "Kid" Nicholson weight, knocked out kind Mich., on Wednesday night.
Many of the horses running at Windsor will ship to Cincinnati, thence to New Orleans for the winter.

BASEBALL. NATIONAL LEAGUE-FRIDAY. R. H. E. At Pittsburg-Leever and Bowerman; Flaherty and

Brooklyn 2 8 Baltimore 2 11 1 Dunn and Farrell: Kitson and Smith. New York 4 6 Magee and Kittridge; Seymour and

At Boston-Nichols and Bergen; Platt and Mc-

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 Edith McDonough and Mr. A. B. Patgreen are blending in the woods; when the boys resist the temptation to be out roaming about in the balmy, limpid 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 "holler." 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 well-contested race, the long jump, the good spirit in the race, the day, the excitement, the sense of being freewhy, as the boy recalls these things in the days that are to be, he will then know that school days were the joiliest of all days.

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, as they did. If it could be said that interest was shown in any one event more than an-other, 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 posi-

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 Running high jump, sendor—1 Gus Schaef, 4 feet 6 inches; 2 F.McCullough, 4 feet 4 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. McMa-hon, 2 Gus Schaef, 3 E. Brown. Time,

11½ seconds.
Running hop, step and jump, junior-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 Schaef, 3 W. Holt. Height, 6 feet 8 Inches.

One mile bicycle race, school cham-pionship—1 A. McMahon. Time, 2:56. 100 yards' dash, ex-pupils—1 Frank Chittick, 2 W. Leggatt, 3 Fred Screa-ton. Time, 11½ seconds. 220 yards, hurdle race—1 E. Brown, 2 — Wells, 3 Fred McCullough. Time, 34

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

Heaf-mile bicycle race, jumfor—1 W. Bradford, 2 C. Carmichael, 3 Bert Macgregor. Time, 1:18%.

Quarter-mile run, senior-1 Gordon Ingram, 2 A. McMahon, 3 Malcolm Omond. Time, 491/s seconds.

100 yards' dash, open to other high schools—1 A. Ellis, Ingersoli; 2 J. J. Hefermann, Walkerton; 3 —. Doyle.

Time, 12 seconds.

220 yards' dash, jumor—1 —. Wells,
2 W. Willis, 3 P. Williams. Two-mile bicycle race, senior — 1
Archie McMahon, Time, 6:01.

100 yards' dash, junior—1 —. Wells, 2
W. Willis, 3 P. Williams. Time, 12%

Half-mile run, senior-1 Gus Schaef, 2 Malcolm Omond. Time, 2:22%.
Two-mile bicycle race, open to high schools—1 J. J. Hefermann, 2 Duncan Graham, 3 A. Simon. Time, 5:41%.
Three-mile bicycle race, handicap—
1 Duncan Graham, 2 W. Bradford, 3 A.

Simon. The game of football between the I 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. MODEL SCHOOL, BuckGoal..... Ayers Mara..... Half-Backs. Roberts..... Sumerville.... McCullough... Right Wing. { Blackwell McLennan.... } Right Wing. { Stewart Ashplant..... Wickett..... } Left Wing. {

Black Armstrong......Center......Murray Principal Radcliffe and all of the institute teachers were on hand, with many of the school trustees, and assisted in making the field day the great success it proved to be. The officials were: Referee, Dr. Teasdall; starters, Fred Screaton and J. W. Hobbs; judges, James M. Logan, Principal S. J. Rad-cliffe and John Maopherson; timers, T. Gillean and R. A. Bayly; clerks of the course, F. Hobbs and W. Somerville; measurers, Jared Vining, A. C. Murray, F. E. Perrin and A. Blackwell; announcer, Claude Brown; committee, S. B. McCready, C. B. Edwards, S. Silcox, W. A. McCrimmon; secretary, W. E. Armstrong.

All that you have really to do is to keep your back as straight as you can, and not to think about what is upon it-above all, not to boast of what is upon it-Ruskin.

Visitors from various cities came up to London for the wedding of Miss terson on Wednesday afternoon. Patterson, of Hamilton, brother of the groom; Mrs. Worthington, of Toronto, who has been the guest of Lady Carling; Mr. and Mrs. Frere, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Nicholson (nee Carling), of

Miss Cumberland, of England, is the guest of Mrs. Hunt, of Ridout street

There are to be quite a number of pretty debutantes this year, a fact which promises a gay winter.

Miss Lucy Niven, who returned to Canada on the Lake Superior from Irehand, where she has resided with her grandmother for the last few years, is at present visiting her parents in

Miss Amy Marsh, who was a guest in this city during the summer, re-turned to England by the African company's steamer Montfort!

Mrs. Hellmuth, Mrs. E. Brown-Smith and Miss Gibbons are in Montreal playing in a golf match.

A London contingent of blacks ladies and gentlemen leave this week to play in a golf tournament in Detroit. They will stay at the comfortabe club house in that city. Among those who will go are Mrs. Gates, Mrs. Hellmuth, Mrs. C. B. Smith, Miss Gibbons, Miss Beddome, Mr. Inglis, Mr. Hume Cronyn, Mr. George Macbeth and others.

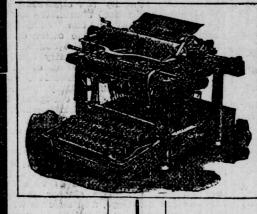
While in England this year I saw the much-talked-of play, "The Degenerates," in which Mrs. Langury, as usual, dazzles the public with her wonder-gowns from Worth's. Though beautiful in material and design, they lack individuality. One pretty idea, however, was a string of artificial flowers arranged to fall from the shoulder to waistline at the back, on one of her evening gowns. Miss Lily Grundy, daughter of the author of the play, has made quite a hit in her part of the little unsophisticated school girl.

Miss Enice Southwick, of St. Thomas, is the guest of Miss Parke, of Ridout

Just now, when Transvaal matters absorb so much of our attention, a few word about Holland, whence the Boers come, and where I have been traveling this summer, may interest you. In this quaint land of dykes and windmills they have a saying, "God made the sea, but we made the land," and the force of it is apparent when at high tide one stands on one side of those wonderful dykes, and hears the waves breaking on the other side above one's heads. As our train steamed slowly—everything goes slowly in Holland—in and out among the beautifully cultivated fields, winding canals and old-fashioned gardens, we were vastly interested in the round-eyed bables with their short full skirts, close-fitting Dutch bonnets and wooden shoes, who stared at us without the faintest gleam of surprise on their stolid faces. Everyone wore wooden shoes, even the porters at the station, and instead of a bell the station master used a horn, which he wore siung around his shoulders. The Dutch are not half so stupid as the papers would make out. These same Boers are descended from the hardy race who fought for and finally won their independence from Spain when Spain was anything but the weak think she is anything but the weak thank she is now. There are clever men among the Boers—doctors, lawyers and clergymen of high standing. But then, you should all read Olive Schriener's (you all know she is a sister of the premier of Cape Colony) "View of the Situation," a little book which has won well-deserved praise in London, England.

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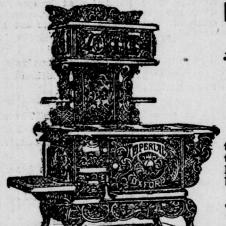
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Work on the Normal School is progressing rapidly. The brickwork is nearly complete, less than 50,000 bricks being required to finish it. The cut stone work will be through in ten days. The stone carving is progressing rapidly. The artist, Mr. Dodds, displays good taste in his work. Rafters and roofing are going on the west wing and central buildings. The east wing is well up towards the gables. The plasterers. Martin & Bros., are now engaged constructing scaffolding in the assembly hall. The ceiling here is 31 feet high, and will be beautifully finished in staff. Burnett & Son, who have the sub-contract for the masonry, brickwork, etc., will be through in a week or ten days, and have given excellent satisfaction throughout. The galvanized iron work, which has been done by Stevely & Son, is well on. The main cornices are a very nice design, and reflect credit on the constructors. The work of extending the drain around the building may be put in at once, and the grounds will be graded and put in shape for opening at New Year's. The residents of South London are well pleased with the location and design of the building, and express themselves as more than satisfied with both. The contractor, Mr. John Purdom, has left no stone unturned to push this work through, and has given the utmost satisfaction. Mr. B. O'Byrne, inspector of the works, has an office on the grounds,

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WEST HURON ELECTION. Toronto, Oct. 14.-The decision in the West Huron election case, which was to have been given yesterday, will be given on the 18th of next month. The court will then decide whather a fifth adjournment of the further hearing of evidence in the case will be granted, owing to the continued absence of the witness Linklater.

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London, Saturday, Oct. 14. Canadians to the Front.

The Canadian Government in cabine souncii yesterday decided unanimously to enroll a volunteer force of 1,000 men for service in South Africa. The Miltia Department has been preparing for this contingency for some time, and plans are so well advanced that fit 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 offier to be a major. These units on arrival in South Africa are to be consoldated with the imperial forces, under mperial officers. The Canadian Govmment intimate that they would have preferred to send a complete Camadian Canadian officer. This is forbidden by the general scheme of the British War Office, which, of course, controls the mpeign 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 en elecepted by the British Governan object lesson in imperial ntiment 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. stasm with which the call to 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 Dinglish 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 Brankhorst Spruit the British loss was 120, the Boer, 1; while in the Jameson read 100 Englishmen were lilled and 5 Boers. In these five battles the English loss has been 332 and the Boers have lost only 52. 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 serried ranks in the open to be shot et like stationary targets. The Boers were all admirably mounted, and as expert with their rifles as with their horses. They could elude pursuit by scattering swiftly in all directions. They made no pretense at artilleryit could not be accomodated to their

style of wantare.

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, eccording 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 time. German experts have been em- sponsibility. ployed to formulate plans for defense and European artillerists 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 surfounded 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 gatling guns. Besides, the city has 50 light gatling 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 nifles. Two great refrigerators, with a capacity of 2,000 exen 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 ord-

Belleville's Municipal Experi-

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 desombes Belleville's experience under the

This is the first year in which the min thoroughfares have been put in rder 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 fere always defeated in council, although recommended by the public works committee. Seeing daily the good work being done on the streets, no one now cavits at the council's ac-

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

of every committee. This arrangement LOCAL COUNCIL informed of every transaction affectthink 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 Fuday evening before council meeting working on committees. The ceneral committees met on Thursday evening and the execu-tive committee on Friday evening to receive their reports. Now we spend only Friday evening in committees. 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 passes the report of the other committees, it enters upon the consideration of matters that creately appear to the consideration of the consideration tion of matters that specially apper-tain 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 ward, 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 im-

ness of any kind. "We have no chiques in the council now; no 'fixing' of the dull fellows of the tail by the astute chaps at the 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. Offices and contracts are bestowed for merit alone."

possible to have the permanence, continuity and foresight which are so

desirable in the management of busi-

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 off New York.

The chances are that the Transvaal tion, which work is intrusted to them will be subdued long before the Philippines. General Otis, of Manila, should keep his eye on South Africa.

The decision of the Government to raise a Canadian corps for South Africa will not be pleasing to the Montreal Star, the Toronto Mail and other newspapers of that stripe. It robs them of party capital and leaves them poor

Mayor Prefontaine, M.P., of Montreal, spoke in favor of sending a Canadian contingent to South Africa, whereupon the Toronto Mail declares that one French-Canadian Liberal is loyal. This is a sample of the dastardly methods being employed to divide Canada on race lines. The attempt will fail as ignominiously as the Mail's past attempts to divide Ontario on religious lines.

What Others Say.

[Ottawa Journal.]

Those who on any side stand in the way of conciliation or arbitration in weapons brought into play for the first labor disputes take a tremendous re-

> The Boar Ultimatum. [Toronto Sun.]

Boer ultimatum-"This government desires to be wiped up on or after Wednesday, at 5 p.m." British reply-"Certainly."

Mr. Sutherland in Brief.

He was born in Canada in 1849. He has been councilor and mayor of

Woodstock. He has also held the chief municipa offices in Oxford county. Always has taken great interest in educational affairs. Was major in the 21st (Oxford) Bat-

Entered parliament in 1880. In 1891 he became chief Liberal whip. He is of Highland Scotch parentage. His religion is Presbyterian. Has been successful in business. In the present parliament, he bas been chairman of the railway committee of the commons.

. The New O.C.'s.

[Woodstock Sentinel-Review.] Conceding that the recognition of some of the new Q. C.'s is due as much to their prominence in politics as at the bar, what then? Could not the same thing be said of the Canadian judi-ciary, of the men who sit on the bench in our superior and local courts. We venture to think that the law-yers whom Mr. Hardy has made Queen's counsel will compare very favorably with the occupants of the bench in this province. There are a good many men on the bench today who held very inferior positions at the bar, and whose knowledge of law is neither deep nor wide, and it can be truly said of some of these that they owe their judicial preforment not to their standing at the bar but to political work and then party subscriptions.

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OF WOMEN

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

A largely attended meeting of the Incal 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 Lon-don the Great, the chosen leader of the women of London the Less was among those most honored; and we rejoice the more because we feel that 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 which comes from contact with a noble which comes from contact with a noble 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 unremitting labor; and we beg to assure her of our unbounded confidence and increased affection, pledging ourselves to strengthen her hands as far as we 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 ness may pass before she shall go on that still longer journey to a still grander meeting of those who work for God's children." Mrs. Boomer replied feelingly in

acknowledgment. A statement of the progress made by the Lendon Council was given. Success had attended the building of the Children's Pavilion to Victoria Hospital. Of the \$5,000 required about \$1,000 is still needed, and help for its furnishing. The council joined in the petition for increased hospital accommodation in Ontario's insane asylums. It had 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 the Lipton would like to see a little of it committees, in whose charge is placed the preparation of the hand-book of Canadian (women's work in connection with the Paris Exposiby the Dominion Government.

Delegates to the National Council were elected as follows: Mesdames R. M. Graham, J. H. Marshall, Chas. Leonard, E. N. English and Miss Hamilton, with Mesdames McMechan, Radcliffe, B. A. Mitchell, Frank Glass and A. B. Greer 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. Gahan, seconded by Mrs. Callard, was adopted, empowering delegates to the National Council to follow their own. judgment on matters where a majority of them on further information, differ from the instruction of the local coun-

Mrs. J. H. Marshall moved, seconded by Mrs. B. A. Mitchell, that the board of education be asked to invite children to contribute towards the fur-nishing 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, post-master-general, besides several members of the House of Commons, to-gether with Hon. John Dryden, minis-ter of agriculture for the Province of Ontario, and Hon. E. J. Davies, pro-vincial secretary. The G. T. R. will

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the afternoon crowds.

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

New Gloves. .

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

Special for hanksgiving.

Table Trimmed Hats, each\$3 50 A Lot of Elegant Wings, worth 75c and \$1 for, each 25c

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25 lbs. of Plewes', Hunt's or Hawkin's Flour for 480 New, Clean Case Currants, 2 lbs for 15c New Orange and Lemon Peel, per lbs. New Nuts for 15c 2 oz. Mixed Pastry Pure Gold

Spice for Essence of Lemon, per bottle 5c 1 lb. of Our Cook's Delight Baking Powder, equal to any at 25c, for .. 15c Butter, Lard, Bacon, Eggs, and all Farmers' Produce of the best, and at closest market prices.

lb. of Our Imperial Blend Black or Mixed Tea, worth 40c for 25e

Handkerchiefs.

Our assortments are complete enough to satisfy everybody, while prices are sure to please. These are some of the good values we are offering: Fine Embroidered and Lake-Trimmed Handkerchiefs, very special, each, 25c and 35c 50 dozen Children's Fine Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 5c each, special, 2 for

Frillings and Ties.

Fancy Silk Frillings and Ruchings, in all shades, the newest for dress trimmings; special Sat-

New Ribbons.

When new goods can be bought at bargain prices, there's sure to be a good demand. This particular line for the holiday: 100 pieces Plain and Fancy Pure Silk Ribbons, 4 to 6 inches wide, just the thing for ties or belts, worth 40c to 60c a yard, selling

Shoes.

A pair of new Boots will form part of the holiday outfit, and you'll want the best. Here's a few special lines: best. Here's a few special lines:
Made from specially selected vici
kid, on new American lasts, by the
most skilled workmen; our Women's Lace and Button Boots,
turn and welt soles, many shapes, are the correct thing for present wear\$2 75, \$3 00 and \$3 50 Women's Button Boots, dongola, sewed, extension soles dressy, stylish, comfortable, regular value, \$2, bought special; while they last, they sell at \$1 50 Men's Fine Laced and Elastic-Side Boots, heavy soles, comfortable fit and wear, shapes just right, at \$1 50 to\$3 50

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We've been doing a successful fall trade in Clothing, Hats and Furnish-ings. Our present prices are a sur-We can give you a nobby Suit, Hat or The for less money than you think. For instance: Men's Tweed and Serge Suits, size 36 only, regular price \$6 to \$8, hands and puffs, regular 50c, for 250

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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Bowmanville from any point 50 miles east or west of Bowmanville, at a fare and a third, good to return the follow-ing day. The other meetings up to the present arranged to be addressed by Sir Wilfrid are: Paisley, Wednesday, Oct. 18; Wingham, Friday, Oct. 20; Kincardine, Saturday, Oct. 21: Sarnia, Tuesday, Oct. 24: Fergus, Thursday, Oct. 26; Smith's Falls, Saturday, Oct 28.

RESIGNATION OF REV. L. H.

JORDAN. Toronto, Oct. 14.—Rev. Louis H. Jordan, pastor of the St. James Square Presbyterian Church since 1894, has resigned his pastorate, the resignation to take effect in April next, and will go to Germany to continue his studies in "comparative religions," and to publish a book. Mr. Jordan expects to remain in Germany for four years. Dr. Jordan is a brother-in-law of Sir Hibhert Tupper, having married a daughter of the Hon. James McDonald, chief justice of Nova Scotia.

DID NOT KNOW.

Plight of a London, Ont., Man.

Had Bright's Disease and Didn't Know It-Had Existed for Three Years Bafore He Found What It Was- And Cured It by Dodds 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 cure. Again he was lucky. After trying several medicines in vain he struck the right one, the only one that is a particle of use in Bright's Disease—Dodd's 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 Dodd's 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. Dodd's 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.

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 Routhier, 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 con-structed 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.

WESTERN ONTARIO

Mrs. Adam Henderson died at Strathallan Wednesday. Mr. John Chipman, one of the oldest residents of Drumbo, died Thursday

The village of Dutton has decided to install an electric light service for the use of stores and residences. Rev. H. A. Drumm, Presbyterian pastor of Port Elgin, has resigned to enter the insurance business in Paris. John Thorpe, a colored race follower, pulled a gun on Harry Stoddard at Windsor, Wednesday afternoon. He was arrested.

The Woodstock police have been notified to watch for a woman named Louisa Campbell, and a baby, who have disappeared from Sarnia.

The Standard Oil Company shot another well at Dutton on Wednesday. This makes four wells now for that company, and they are all good ones. Beans reached as high a figure in Ridgetown's market Monday as \$1 20 for marrowfats, \$1 10 for peas, more than the last quotation for medi-

William H. Carscallen, aged 54, a commercial traveler employed by W. Paterson & Son, Brantford, died at Belleville from typhoid fever Wednesday afternion.

Reeve F. S. Thomas, of Sarnia, has resigned on account of the neglect of the council to carry out an order, which neglect he considers unfair personal

Another change has taken place in

the Noxon Company at Ingersoll, Mr. Wm. Watterworth has retired from the firm, Messrs. R. H. Cotter 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 raising some of the timbers fell on his leg, breaking it.

On Saturday night, at Dutton, Fred Moravian Agricultural Marr, while under the influence of avian Town, Oct. 17-liquor tried to kill his wife and child- Erin, Erin, Oct. 19-20.

ren with a large knife. Constable Mac-Rae was sent to arrest him, but the accused had made his escape.

At a recent meeting of the share-holders of the Elginfield Oil Company, a bylaw changing the head office of the company from Dutton to St. Thomas was ratified.

The station of T. L. E. and P. Railway was broken into some time dur-ing Monday night and the contents of a trunk belonging to Mrs. Smith, of South Dakota, a sister of Mr. Becker, on her way to visit her daughter at Port Burwell, was rifled. Valuable dresses to the value of about \$50 were appropriated. The burglars are still The only business before the Chat-

ham Presbytery on Wednesday was the resignation of Rev. Mr. Mustard. of Kent Bridge and McKay's Corners, on account of the ill-health of his wife. The resignation was accepted with regret. Rev. John McInnes, Thamesville, was appointed moderator of the session. Rev. and Mrs. Mustard left the same day for Colorado. Mr. Justice Macmahon has handed down judgment in the sult of Mc-Gregor vs. McGregor, judgment in action tried without a jury at Toronto.
Action for alimony and to have it declared that plaintiff is entitled to certain land which she alleges was purchased with her money and conveyed to defendant, her husband, and for mesne profits. Held that plaintiff had falled to establish her right to the land in question. Held, also, that there is no jurisdiction in this court to decree alimony where, as in this case, both husband and wife were domiciled in a foreign country, where the alleged case for which alimony is sought, arose, and in which country they are both residents. Held, also, that on the merits the plaintiff was not entitled to allmony. Shaunessy (Petrolla) for allmony. Shaunessy (Petrolia) for plaintiff; Kittermaster (Sarnia) for de-

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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 ex-pense of getting them when out of

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

Fall Exhibitions.

Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 17-19. Moravian Agricultural Society, Moravian Town, Oct. 17-20.

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Golden Star	. 291/4	2834		
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Superior G. and C. Co	20			
Cariboo	120	15		
Waterloo	:: 11%	10%		
Cariboo Hydraulic	139	36		
Old Ironsides	115 1	53%		
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Knob Hill Golden Cache. Kelley Creek.	. 16	75 12		
Athabasca. Dundee.	40	35		
Dardanelles	15	12		
Noble Five.	25	22		
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Morrison Winnipeg	30	291/		
Deer Park	41/2	314		
Evening Star	81/4	81/4		
Homestake Iron Mask. Montreal Gold Fields	76	70		
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Local Market.

London, Saturday, Oct. 13. There was no deanth of offerings on the market today. Especially in small vegetables, in poultry and eggs the supply was good. On the whole, prices were firm, the only change being a sight lowering in the price of butter. The present weather was exceptionally favorable to the fruit men, and their one desire is that it remain as at pres-

Quinces were the same at 50c to 60c per 12-quart baskets. Peaches were 50c to 75c per basket. Pears were 50c to 75c per basket. Tomatoes were 250 per basket. Chestnuts dropped to \$2 75 and \$4 per

The first barrels of snow apples for the season were selling at from \$2 to \$3 50 per barrel. Other varieties could be procured at prices ranging from 30c to 70c per bag.

Grapes were stationary, Concords celling at 20c to 25c, Niagaras 25c to 30c, and Rogers at 35c to 40c.

London, Saturday, Oct. 14.
Wheat, white, per bu671/4c to 69c
Wheat, red, per bu674c to 69c
Wheat, spring, per bu 671/4c to 690
Oats, per bu
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu
Barley, per bu36c to 39c
Rye, per bu500 to 600

Wheat sales ranged from \$1 12 to \$1 14; supply light; demand steady; oats were scarcer, and prices ruled higher, at 82c to 87c; demand good.

Barley brought 78c to 80c; only a few grades offered; peas scarce; sales at 90c to \$1 05, according to quality.

Hay sold at \$9 to \$9 50; sales were a little slow. Dressed and live hogs were both easier. Quotations:

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Beans, per bu. PROVISIONS. Eggs. fresh, basket, dozen.... 16 @
Butter, ib, large solls or crocks 18 @
Butter, pound rolls, retail... 20 @
Lard, per ib..... 8 @
WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES. Butter, crock...

VEGETABLES. Potatoes, new, per bag.
Turnips, new, per bag.
Vegetable Marrow, per des.
Cabbage, per doz.
Cauliflowers, per doz.
Celery, per dozen
Beets, per bag.
Onions, per bag.
1 Carrots
Parsnips.
LIVE STOCK.
Beef, per ib. Wild Ducks. 40
Spring ducks, per pair. 40
Chickens, spring, per pair. 40
Hens, per pair. 40
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Hay, per ton. 9 00
Straw, per load. 2 00
Straw, per load. 6 00

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MEAT, HIDES, ETC.

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English Markets.

Liverpool, Oct. 14—Closing.
Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 1 Cal.. 6s 3½d to 6s
4d; No. 2 red western, winter, steady, 6s 1d; No.
1 red northern spring, steady, 6s 3½d; spot, No.
1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 5s 10d.
Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed new,
3s 10½d; do, old, firm, 3s 10½d; futures, quiet,
Oct., 3s 10½d; Nov., quiet, 3s 10d; Dec., quiet 3s
10d

10d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s.
Peas—Western, 5s 10½d. Canadian, 5s 10½d.
Beef—Prime mess, strong, 67s 6d; extra India
mess, strong, 72s 6d.
Pork—Strong; prime mess, fine western, 52s
6d; do, medium, western, 42s 6d.
Lard—American refined, in pails, steady, 30s
3d; prime western in tierces, steady, 28s 6d.
middlings, light.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., dull, 48s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., dull,
37s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs., dull, 36s;
long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs. steady,
34s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 los,
steady, 33s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 15 lbs.
dull, 32s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady,
38s 6d.

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Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 29s 6d.
Butter—Finest American, 98e; good, 73s.
Cheose—American finest white, easy, 54s 6d; colored, 5asy, 56s; do, old, firm, 54s 6d; ordinary, new, \$2s 6d.
Tailow—Prime city, firm, 25s 6d; Australian, London, steady, 27s 6d.
Hops—At London (Pacific ceast), nominal, £4 to £4 lbs. to 24 lbs.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, Nev. and April,
firm, 17s 3d. irm, 17s 3d.
Turpentine spirits—Firm 39s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.
Petroleum—Refined, 7½ d.
Linseed oil—23s 3d.

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Oil Markets. PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 14.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 50.

PETROLIA. Oct. 14.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 45.
OIL CITY, Oct. 13.—Credit balances, \$1 50; certificates, no bids or offers.

St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Oct. 18 .-- Wheat, old, per bu, 68c; wheat, new, 68c; oats, 25c to 27c; peas, 50c to 60c; barley, 35c to 40c; rye, 60c; corn, 45c to 50c; flaxseed, \$2 45 to \$2 50; timothy seed, \$1 50 to \$1 75; clover seed, per lb, 51/4c to 51/2c.

American Markets

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—In the rapid accumulation of stocks, together with a poor export demand, encouraged liquidation in wheat today, and December closed with a loss of %c. Corn lost an early advance on profit-taking, and closed practically unchanged. Oats de-clined %c to %c. Provisions were dull, and closed a shade lower. Chicago re-ceived 194 cars, 3 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth received, including two days' arrivals at the for-mer place, 1,164 cars, against 1,244 for-one day at both places a year ago. Total primary receipts were 1,390,000 bushels, compared with 1,495,000 bushels last year. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour equaled 673,000 bushels. Argentine shipments for this week were heavy, amounting to 1,176,00 bushels, making 52,000,000 so far since Jan. 1 of last season's crop, and the visible supply in that country was reported to amount to 5,828,000 bushels, against 560,000 bushels the same time last year. Minneapolis and Duluth stocks were estimated to have increased 1,700,000 bushels during the week, and Chicago stocks over 500,000 bushels.

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The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat —Oct., 70% c; Dec., 72% c; May, 75% c. Corn—Oct., 31% c: Dec., 31% c: May, 32% c. Oats—Dec., 321% c. Dec., 31% c: May, 32% c. Oats—Dec., 326; May, 24% c. Pork—Dec., \$3 12%; Jan., \$9 57%. Lard—Dec., \$4 87%; Jan., \$5, Cash quotations—Flour, steady: No. 3 spring wheat. 67% c to 68c; No. 2 red, 73% c; No. 2 corn, 32% c; No. 2 voltowers, 32% c. No. 2 oats, 22c; No. 2 white, 26% c; No. 3 white, 24% c. No. 2 rye, 55% c. No. 2 barley, 33% c to 45c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 24% to \$1 25. Northwest, \$1 24% to \$1 25. Prime timothy seed. \$2 45. Cloverseed, contract grade, \$7 50. Mess pork, \$8 to \$3 50. Lard, \$6 30 to \$5 35. Short rib sides, \$4 85 to \$5 25. Dry salted shoulders, 60 to 6% c. Short clear sides, \$5 50 to \$5 60. Sugar, cut loaf, \$5 70; granulated, \$5 81. Eggs, steady, fresh, 16% c. Flour, 21,000 bushels; wheat, 150,000 bushels; corn, 628,000 bushels; barley, 149,000 bushels; rye, 15,000 bushels; wheat

bushels: SHIPMENTS—Flour, 11,000 burnels; wheat, 163,000 bushels; corn, 628,000 bushels; oats, 259, 000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; barley, 14,000

The Dairy Markets.

SHELBURNE, Ont., Oct. 13 .- At the cheese board held here today five fac-tories boarded 1,185 boxes, last half of September and October make: 11%c offered, salesmen holding for 11%c; no sales. Adjourned for the season. WINCHESTER, Ont., Oct. 13 .- At a meeting of the cheese board today 565 boxes were registered, 60 white and 505 colored; for both 11%c was offered,

with no sales. BRIGHTON, Ont., Oct. 13.-Eleven factories boarded 1,011 white and 60 colored cheese today; 425 white sold to Whitton at 11%c, and a small lot at 11%c to McGrath.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 13.—Cheese easy; American finest white, 54s 54; do, col-ored, 56s. Butter—Finest U. S., 26s; good U. S., 73s.

PERTH. Ont., Oct. 13.—There were cure 1,400 boxes of cheese offered on the a be cheese market today, all white and ing

September make; all were sold at from 11%c to 11%c; Fowler bought 600 boxes, Webster 400, Derbyshire 330 and Scott

NEW YORK, Oct. 13 .- Butter steady; western creamery, 17c to 24c; western factory, 14c to 16c; June creamery, 19c to 22c; imitation creamery, 13c to 12c; imitation creamery, 15c to 19c; state dairy, 15c to 22c; state creamery, 17c to 24c. Cheese firm; large white, 11%c; small white, 12%c to 12%c; large colored, 12c; small colored, 12½c to 12%c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Butter firm; creameries, 15c to 23c; dairies, 13½c to 19c. Cheese strong; creameries, 11¾c to 121/4c.

SOUTH FINCH, Ont., Oct. 14.—At the regular meeting of the South Finch cheese board the number of cheese boarded was 914, 343 colored, balance white; 11%c for white and 11½c for colored; none sold, factorymen looking for higher prices.

IROQUOIS, Ont., Oct. 13.—Seven hundred and thirty-seven cheese offered 50 being white; 11½c offered for both white and colored; only one lot of 70 was sold on the board. After the close the salesmen decided to accept that price, and all were disposed of; Logan secured 400 the belong being divided secured 400, the balance being divided between Ault and Smith.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 13.—President Joseph Kavanagh brought the Ottawa cheese board to a sudden stop today, when, a few minutes from the time it when, a few minutes from the time it opened, he declared the sales off for the day. Mr. Kavanagh got a tip that the buyers had come to an understanding that they would keep the price down to 11½c for white and 11½c for colored cheese. Two of the most prominent seliers of the board moved a resolution indorsing the president in his action, and it carried without dissent. About 2,000 cheese were boarded, representing 25 factories. The sales will be held next Friday.

KEMPTVILLE Out Oct 13.—Eleven

KEMPTVILLE, Ont., Oct. 13.—Eleven hundred cheese offered; only 60 sold on the board; but nearly all the balance changed hands on the street; price paid, 114c; Grant bought 350, Bissell 300, Webster 200, and Scott 100.

Live Stock Markets. TORONTO, Oct. 13.—Today's receipts at the western cattle market were 42 carloads, comprising 400 cattle, 1,000 sheep and lambs and 1,000 hogs. market was brisker than it has been, and better prices were realized in some lines. Export cattle—Arrivals rather light, with prices a little better, ranging from \$4 50 to \$5 12 for choice, and \$4 to \$4 50 for light. Butchers' tattle—A, scarcity of good animals, with prices strong, at \$2 75 to \$4 50. Milch cows—A large supply, with prices easier at \$25 to \$45. ier, at \$25 to \$45. Stockers and feeders
—Supply large, but mostly inferior
quality; stockers are worth \$2 50 to \$3 50, and heavy feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 25. Sheep and lambs moderate, with everything sold; export are worth \$3 25 to \$3 50; lambs, \$3 75 to \$4 per cwt. Veal still very scarce, calves being worth from \$4 to \$10. Hogs—Market strong, with prices unchanged at yesterday's quotations.

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—The offerings of cattie today were mostly made up of natives and feeders from western ranges, which sold slowly at easy prices; the demand for the medium grades of dressed beef has fallen off, and all grades except strictly choice beeves fully 10c to 15c lower than this time last week; today's prices for good to famey grades were \$5 80 to \$6 95; common to medium steers, \$4 50 to \$5 75; cows and bulls, \$4 to \$4 65; stockers and feeders, \$4 25 to \$4 75; Texans, \$3 50 to \$4 10; calves, \$4 to \$7. Hogs-Good demand; prices ruled steady at recent decline; fair to prime lots, \$4 27\footnote{12} to \$4 70; heavy packers, \$3 95 to \$4 25; mixed lots, \$4 25 to \$4 80; butchers, \$4 30 to \$4 65; common to choice light weights at \$4 25 to \$4 30; pigs, \$4 to \$4 50. Sheep and lambs—Good demand for sheep at uncharged prices; proper to the steady of the sheep at uncharged prices. for sheep at unchanged prices; poor to choice sheep, \$5 10 to \$6; prime yearlings brought the top prices; feeders, \$3 25 to \$3 70; western rangers, \$3 25 to \$3 55; common to choice lambs, \$3 25 to

EAST BUFFALO, Oct. 13.-Cattle-There were 2 loads on sale, with a moderate demand for about steady prices for the good butcher kind and choice stockers; calves were in light supply, fair demand, and firm; choice to extra were quotable at \$7 25 to \$7 50; good to choice, \$6 75 to \$7 25. Sheep and lambs—The market was in good position, with moderate supply-about 35 loads, and with an active demand prices ruled a quarter higher than on Monday. Choice to extra were quotable at \$5 15 to \$5 25; good to choice, \$5 to \$5 15; common to fair, \$4 to \$4 50; \$5 to \$5 15; common to fair, \$4 to \$4 50; Canadas were quotable at \$5 25 to \$5 40; the close was easy with liberal receipts of Canadas. Hogs—The offerings were quite liberal—10 loads, and the market opened 5c lower; heavy were quotable at \$4 60 to \$4 65; mixed lots, \$4 65 to \$4 70; Yorkers, \$4 65 to \$4 70; pigs, \$4 65 to \$4 70; grassers, \$4 50 to \$4 60; roughs, \$3 90 to \$4; stags, \$3 35 to \$3 60. After the orders were pretty well filled the market became heavy, and at the close there were several loads over unseld.

several loads over unsold. NEW YORK, Oct. 13.-Beeves-Receipts, 2,486; good steers firm; others dull, and common grades, 10c to 15c lower; bulls and cows lower; steers, \$4 30 to \$5 75; oxen and stags, \$3 05 to \$5 20; bulls, \$2 50 to \$4 30; cows, \$1 60 to \$4 10. Exports tomorrow, 610 cattle, to \$4 10. Exports tomorrow, 610 cattle, 48 sheep and 4,596 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 133; slow; veals weak; 100 grassers unsold; veals, \$4 50 to \$7 50; grasers, \$2 50 to \$4 12½. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,449; sheep steady; lambs, 15c to 25c higher; half a car unsold; sheep, \$2 50 to \$4 25; a few export sheep, \$5; lambs, \$4 25 to \$5 70; Canada lambs, \$5 40. Hogs—Receipts, 1,930; lower, at \$5; choice state pigs, \$5 10.

state pigs, \$5 10. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Oct. 12.—Prices here and at Liverpool for Canadian and American cattle are unchanged today at 11%c to 12½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c per lb.

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149, 151 and 153 Dundas Street. STRIKE IS ON

Street Railway Employes Quit Work This Morning.

The expected strike of the St. Thomas street railway employes went into effect this morning. Only three cars are being operated in St. Thomas today, and 18 of the 22 employes are out. The Trades and Labor Council of St. Thomas met last night, and passed a resolution indorsing the action of the strikers and assuring them of their support. One of the strikers, speaking to The Advertiser today, said the strike had been forced on the men by President Still, who is also the manager and the controlling wock-

holder of the road. "When a committee of the men waited on Mr. Still yesterday morn-ing," said The Advertiser's informant, "he not only refused to hear a word from them, but attacked them with a fierce tirade of abuse, and ordered them to leave his presence at once, telling them that he would discharge every man who belonged to the union." The men complain that since the union was formed, about two months ago, President Still has laid off or ago, President Still has laid off or discharged four union men on one pretext or another, and has given the best runs to lately-employed non-union men over the heads of union men who have been much longer on the road. According to the men it is simply a determination on the road. simply a determination on the part of Mr. Still to stamp out the union. The men say, however, that since the city of St. Thomas gave the road a bonus of \$50,000, and since the workingmen and their families make up a large majority of the population of the city, it is likely the citizens will have something to say as to whether or not Mr. Still shall deny the men the simple right of organization. St. Thomas is essentially a railroad city, and the steam railroad employes are said to be solidly in sympathy with the strikers. The opinion is expressed in St. Thomas that the result of the strike may be the taking over of the road by the city.

ALL BOYS.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 14.-Mrs. Robert Blaess, who lives four miles south of the city, has given birth to triplets. They are all boys. One weighed at birth six pounds, and the other three tipped the scales at four pounds each. The latest reports say that all are doing well. Mrs. Blaess is the wife of a well-known young farmer.

DEWEY'S NEW WATCH. Boston, Oct. 14.—The watch Boston is to present to Dewey on Saturday has a monogram "D.G." with 21 diamond and ruby jewels and two pairs of diamond caps. On the dial is a pic-ture of an American eagle holding in

tts talons the Stars and Stripes and a scroll with the historic order, "Gridley, you may fire when ready!"

IN ST. THOMAS MASKED ROBBERS CAPTURE A TRAIN

> About Fifty Miles West of Chicago-\$25,000 Taken From the Express Train.

Chicago, Oct. 14.-Masked robbers held up the fast transcontinental mail train of the Northwestern Railroad shortly before midnight, between Maple Park and Dekalb, shot at Dan White, the engineer, ran away with the engine and blew open the express car and the safe. When the robbers had rifled the car they disappeared. It is estimated that the robbers secured \$25,000 in cash alone. The run is made from Chicago to Council Bluffs on a schedule exceeding a mile a minute. The train left the Northwestern depot at 10 o'clock.

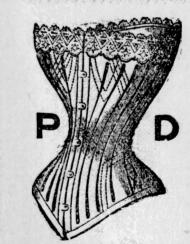
At Maple Park, 50 miles from Chicago, it was discovered that tower W at Elburn was not giving the right signal. Engineer Dan White closed the throttle quickly, and brought the train to a standstill. Two masked men jumped on the steps and pointed guns at him and the fireman. "Throw up your hands," they shouted. The rail-road men did so. Two robbers detached the engine from the rest of the train, and White was told to pull out. The robbers ordered him to take his engine two miles up the track. Then he attempted to make a fight and re-capture his engine. In the meantime four other men had attacked the con-ductor and the brakeman. Numerous shots were fired. The conductor was unable to make any resistance, as he was told he would be killed. One of

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the brakemen escaped in the darkness, and raced to Elburn, where he sent the alarm to the train dispatchers in Chicago. The robbers, after overpow-ering the conductor, compelled Express Messenger Frank Hobson to give up the keys to the local safe. They then blew open the door of the through safe with dynamite, the explosion wrecking the car. The robbers grabbed all the money and express packages they could find and fled. It is estimated that there was \$25,000 in the safe. The telegraph operator at tower W had been bound and gagged by the robbers, who had changed the signals and stopped

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Toronto Stock Market

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	Ask.	Off
Montreal	264	258
Ontario	1301/2	1301/
Toronto		240
Merchants		1643/
Commerce		150
mperial		215
Dominion		267 1/2
Standard		191
Hamilton		195
British America		1231/
Western Assurance	166	164
Consumers' Gas		
Montreal Gas		189
Dominion Tolograph		129
Dominion Telegraph Northwest Land Compa	ny nuct 65	
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock	ny, prez. 00	911/
		180
Commercial Cable Comp		102
		102
Com. Registered Bonds.		202
Bell Telephone Compan	y	1115
Richelicu and Ontario		1117
Montreal Street Railwa		1095
Toronto Street Railway	10	103%
London Street Railway.		
London Electric	118	75
Dominion Savings and I	nvest 77 1/2	112
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London and Canada L. 2	nd A 75	675
London Loan		
London and Ontario	100	86
Ontario Loan and Deber	nture	1215

at 67c for red and white west; goose Hannon is an eloquent preacher, and wheat is quoted at 70c west; Manitoba was very popular when in this city wheat, \$2c for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit, and 80½c to 81c, Toronto and west. Flour, quiet; cars of straight roller in barrels are quoted at \$3 10 west. Millfeed is steady at \$14 50 for shorts, and \$11 50 for bran at mills west. Corn is steady at 411/2c for No. 3 American yellow, and 42c for No. 2 American yellow on the track here. Barley is steady at 43c west. Buck-wheat is nominally unchanged at 48c west. Rye—The market is firmer at 54c Oats are steady at 26c to 261/2c Peas are steady at 60c, middle freights west, and 590 north and west. Eggs steady at 18c for firesh-gathered. Butter steady at 17c to 17c for choice dairy tubs, 12c to 15c for medium; creamery steady at 22c for tubs, 221/20 to 23c for prints. Dressed hogs steady at \$5 60 to \$6.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicage oard of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter oker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

	Open	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat-Dec	72%	723/8	72	72
Мау		751/2	75	751/8
Corn-Oct		317/2	313/4	313/
Dec		311/4	31	31
Мау		321/4	321/8	321/8
Oats - Oct	221/2	221/2	221/2	221/
Dec		23	221/8	227
May		241/2	211/4	241/4
Pork-Oct 7		7 95	7 95	7 95
Dec 8		8 10	8 07	8 07
Jan 9		9 55	9 50	9 50
Lard-Oct 5		8 27	6 27	6 27
Dec 8		5 32	5 30	5 30
Jan 5		5 47	5 42	5 45
Ribs-Oct 4		4 90	4 90	4 90
Dec 4		4 87	4 87	4 87
Jan 4		5 00	4 97	4 97
Puts. 714.	Calls	. 72%.		

American Markets CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Opening—Wheat, Dec., 721/4c to 521/4c; May, 753/4c to 751/4c. Corn, May, 821/4c to 321/4c; Dec., 311/4c to 311/4c; Jan., 301/4c. Oats, May, 241/4c; Dec., 23c. Pork, Jan., 39 55; Dec., 38 10. Lard, Jan., \$5 421/4. Ribs, Jan.,

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Closing.—Wheat, Dec. CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Closing.—Wheat, Dec., 72½c; May, 35½c. Corn, Oct., 31½c; Dec., 23½c; May, 32½c; to 32½c; Jan., 30½c. Oats, Oct., 22½c; Dec., 22½c; May, 24½c. Pork, Oct., \$7 95; Dec., \$807½; Jan., \$8 50 to \$5 32½; Jan., \$3 45. Ribs, Oct., \$4 90; Dec., \$4 87½; Jan., \$4 97½.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.-Flour-Receipts, 24,192 barrels; sales, 3,400 packages; state and western had a narrow trade but a steady undertone. Rye flour-Firm; good to fair, \$3 30 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 45 to \$3 70. Wheat-Receipts, 179,975; sales, 420,000 bu; options opened steady on foreign buying and cables, but subsequently eased off on prospects of bearish statistics on Monday; May, 80%c to 80%c; Dec., 76%c to 77c. Rye—Dull; state, 63c; No. 2 western, 66½c f.o.b., afloat, spot. Corn—Receipts, 220,725 bu; sales, 25,000 bu; options steady on cable news and light offerings of futures; May, 38%c; Dec., 39%c. Oats-Re-187,800 bu; options quiet and steady; track, white state, 301/2c to 35c; track, white, western, 30½c to 35c. Butter-Receipts, 2,464 packages; all steady. Cheese-Receipts, 4,831 packages; firm. Eggs-Receipts, 5,571 packages; steady. Sugar-Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 13-16c; refined, quiet and steady. Coffee—Steady; No. 7, 5%c. Hops—Steady. Lead—Dull; bullion price, \$4 40; exchange price, \$4 60

BUFFALO, Oct. 14.-Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, new, 761/2c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 73c; No. 1 white, 73c. Corn-No. 2 yellow, 38%c; No. 3 yellow, 38%c; No. 3 corn, 37%c asked. Oats-No. 2 white, 29c to 291/c: No. 3 white, 38%c.

DETROIT, Oct.14.-Wheat, No.1 white, cash, 70%c; No. 2 red, cash, 72c; Dec., 74%c; May, 76%c.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Oct. 14.—Wheat—Cash, 714c; Dec., 73%c; May, 78c. Corn -Dec., 311/2c; May, 251/2c. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 14.-Wheat

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Hogs—Market weak; mixed and butchers, \$4 25 to \$4 60; good heavy, \$4 25 to \$4 55; rough heavy, \$3 95 to \$4 15; light, \$4 25 to \$4 55. Cattle—Receipts, 200; market steady. steady.

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Oct. 14-10 a.m.-Probabili-ties for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Winds shifting to nontherly; fair, with a few local showers. Sunday-North and northwest winds;

fair and cooler.

-Miss Perle Ashwell, city, is visiting the Misses Edwards, Hamilton. -Moses Cutcut, an Indian, was remanded until Oct. 17 by Squire Smyth this morning on a charge of insanity. -Mr. C. H. McNeil, Cartwright street, secured 9 first and 5 second

prizes, out of 19 entries of chickens, at the Galt fair, held recently. —It was resolved at a special meeting of the City Teachers' Association that the male teachers of the city should attend the funeral of Dr. J. B.

Campbell tomorrow afternoon. -The fourth rehearsal of the "Messiah" chorus at the city hall, Thursday evening, was very largely attend-The application list has been closed, and no more voices are required. -Messrs. Dayton & McCormick opened their Palace Dancing Academy this week with the largest classes ever registered for the first week in the

history of the school. The three classes for beginners alone were attended by over 100 pupils. -Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hamilton have returned from Winnipeg. Mr. Hamilton having accepted the position of dis-trict manager for the Peter Hamilton

Manufacturing Company, of Peterboro,

and will reside in London. Hr. Ham-ilton is a nephew of Mr. Peter Hamil--The First Methodist Church will have the pleasure of listening to one of Toronto Produce Market. its former pastors tomorrow in the person of Rev. James Hannon, D.D. Dr. Many of his old friends will be glad to

hear him again. -A runaway horse crashed through the large plate glass window of Taylor's tea store on Dundas street last night about 8 o'clock. A number of glass articles in the window were also demolished. The horse was cut about the head and forelegs. The young man driving the rig was not injured.

-The following course of Sabbath evening subjects will be preached upon in King Street Presbyterian Church by the pastor, Rev. Thomas Wilson, on following dates: Oct. 15, special sermon to young men; Oct. 22, special sermon to young women; Oct. 29, "Does Being a Christian Mean Anything? If So, What?" Nov.5, "Is Christianity Hindered by Christians?" Nov. 12, "Persecution Helpful to Christianity"; Nov. 19. "Should Christians Take Any Part in Politics?" Nov. 26, "Do London Politics Need To Be Improved?" Dec. 3, "The Kind of Men Needed to Govern a City.' PRACTICAL PATRIOTISM.

At a meeting of the directors of the Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company at Waterloo, on motion of B. M. Britton, Q.C., M.P., seconded by Alfred Hoskin, Q.C., the following resolution was adopted: "That this company grant permission to any of his policyholders to go to South Africa with the Canadian contingent, and that engaging in her majesty's service in the war against the Boers shall not vitiate the policy of any policyholder of this com-

BAKER'S DOZEN ON STRIKE. About a dozen bakers employed by

the McCormick Manufacturing Company went out on strike at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. They are asking for

BENEFIT BAND CONCERT. A grand band concert has been arranged for Tuesday night in the Jubilee Rink, for the benefit of the street

railway strikers. An excellent probe no admission charged, but a collection will be taken. AT THE HOTELS.

Seebacher and James Sherwood, of sent his father, and later it was learn-New York; E. Telberg, of Bordeaux, France, and Robert F. Harg, of Ro-

At the Grigg House were Wesley J. Eilber, Mrs. C. B. Eilber and Miss Anna Eilber, of Columbus, O.; H. Strong, Rochester, N. Y., and H. E. Van Zile, of the Lyceum company. THEY HAD A GOOD TIME.

About 90 members of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association, returning from the convention at Winnipeg, arrived in the city this morning at 10:55 by special train over the G. T. R. One car was struck off at London, the others going through to Toronto. With the party was Mr. E. de la Hooke, secretary of the association. Mr. de la Hooke says they were entertained with princely hospitality at Winnipeg. The delegates went by the Canadian route and returned over the Northern Pacific, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, and the Grand Trunk. They were en-tertained by the local associations at Minneapolis and Chicago. At Minneapolis they were provided with seats on the reviewing stand when President McKinley reviewed the Thirteenth Minnesota, just returned from Manila

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In Connection With the Death of Colin More.

Conflicting Stories as to the Cause of More's Death.

Said to Have Been Fatally Kicked During a Row at the Grand Trunk Station.

Colin More, aged 32 years, died last evening at the residence of his brother. John More, 527 Simcoe street. Mr. More had been ill since Sunday, and the circumstances attending his illness and demise were of such a chararter that the crown attorney has ordered an inquest. Dr. Drake, who attended him, stated this morning that death was due to peritonitis, but that the man was suffering from a rupture. said to have been caused in some manner during a scuffle at the G. T. R. depot Sunday evening. Such injury may have precipitated Mr. More's death. Another extraordinary feature of the case is that on Wednesday night Mr. More escaped from the General Hospital, to which he had been taken early in the day. He was clad in his night clothes, and, it is said, wandered the streets, for an hour and a half before gaining admission to the house of an acquaintance on Colborne street south.

On Sunday last deceased and his brother John More were out walking, and met James Murphy, of 445 Simco street, and Chas. Warren, of Marshall street. When the rain came on the four went to the G. T. R. depot for shelter. Some colored men were there also. "One of the colored men, I don't know who he was, came at us with a stick," Mr. Murphy said this morning. "I grabbed him, and a scuffle followed. The trouble didn't last more than a minute. Colin More was behind me, and I don't think he was hit. I saw him slip on the wet platform, but he could not have received any serious injury that way. When we (the four men) left the station there was apparently nothing wrong with Colin. He said nothing about being injured. We walked along York street, and when opposte the G. T. R. freight sheds, he collapsed. The attack was instantaneous.He complained of a pain in his abdomen, and we carried him over to the freight sheds and waited for a few minutes for him to get better. Then we car-ried him to my house." Henry Martin, whom Mr. Murphy

said was one of the crowd of colored men, was seen by an Advertiser reporter this afternoon. He was apparently surprised at being connected with the affair, but afterwards gave his version of it. He said that he and Geo. Gray, Austin Gray, Thomas Prior, Elmer Park and Gilbert Logan went down to the station to meet the 6:15 train. While there, he was in the walting-room, and was spoken to by Constable Logan, of the G. T. R. The latter told him that there had been trouble between some white and colored men some few minutes previously. It started to rain soo afterwards, and Martin and George Gray went to the former's house near by, to get an umbrella, leaving Austin Gray and Gilbert Logan on the station. When they came back they heard some men talking in a threater ing manner to young Gray, who did not know of the other fracas, and replied tauntingly. Martin begged them to go away, but they followed them along the station, and one said with an oath that they were after "coons anyway. One of them grabbed Martin, struck him, and the fight started. One of the Grays knocked a man down, but as far as Martin knew, did not kick him, nor did he. It would be impossible, though, for him to say just what occurred in a melee of such a kind. Martin claims that the other party had been drinking, and that Austin Gray's head was cut about four inches, either by being struck by a revolver, or by a knife. Martin says he

expects to be arrested. Mrs. Murphy was seen, and said the sick man had told her he had been kicked.

It was elsewhere reported that Mr. More had been kicked by a member of Jones' stranded troupe of colored minstrels. This the police deny. A number of the colored minstrels had been staying with people named yesterday for St. Marys. Regarding Mr. More's escape from

the hospital, Superintendent Balfour and Dr. Clark, the house surgeon, were seen this morning. The patient, it was said, was brought to the hos pital on Wednesday, and his condition was serious. At midnight the nurse left him for a few moments, placing a male nurse, Mr. Roadhouse, in charge. When the regular nurse returned she found that Mr. More had left the bed. When Roadhouse attempted to stop him a struggle is said to have ensued, Roadhouse being overpowered. He succeeded, however, in forcing his patient into another room and slamming the door. When this room was entered it was found that More had jumped through an open window to the ground, a distance of six or seven feet. Two members of the house staff and three nurses started out with lanterns to search for Among those registered at the Te-cumseh House this morning were J. Ira unable to find the patient word was ed that More had gone to a house on Colborne street. He refused to re-turn to the hospital, and was removed

to his brother's residence. "The man was delirious. No blame could be attached to the hospital staff," said Dr. Balfour, but Mr. More's relatives are indignant that the patient should have been allowed to escape. They say that he was very weak and could hardly have been delirious, as he was conscious of all he had done. Complaint was made to Mayor Wilson and Chairman Lewis, of the hospital trust. this morning, and a report will be call-

Mr. Colin More was an upholsterer at the G. T. R. car shops, and was well known and popular among his asso-

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clates. His relatives did all that could possibly be done for him under the circumstances. Four physicians were call-

ed in.

Deceased lived with his only sister, Mrs. Thomas Smith. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin More, of Thamesford, and five brothers, John, George and Charles, of this city, and James and Fred, of Thamesford, also survive, and will have the sympathy of a wide circle of acquaintances in their bereavement. William, another brother, died some time ago of peritonitis, and Mr. More, sen., stated this morning the symptoms shown by Colin were very similar to those that characterized William's illness.

The inquest, to be presided over by

The inquest, to be presided over by Coroner Ferguson, will commence this

TWO MONTHS FOR STONE-THROWING

John Martin Pleaded Guilty and Was Sent Down-Three Drunks Discharged.

John Martin, a 16-year-old youth, was up before Magistrate Parke this morning charged with having thrown a stone through a street car window He pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to two months in the common jail at hard labor. P. C. Monaghan was on the Hamilton road, near Adelaide street, last night, when he saw Martin pick up a stone and throw it deliber-John Brown, John Glover and Robert Neil, three drunks, were allowed to go.

MAY INVOLVE MANY UNIONS

A dispatch from Winnipeg says that Mr. Stewart Reid, chief organizer of the Machinists' Union, who is there, conducting the strike, says the machin-ists, bollermakers and blacksmiths between Fort William and Montreal will be called out if the C. P. R. continues to refuse to discuss the proposed new schedule with the delegates representing the organized union. Mr. Reid has gone east to discuss the situation with

chinists' Union is recognized. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, takes strong ground against anti-trust legislation, because he is convinced the government is not capable of preventing their organization, and that all propositions to do so would react with greater injury upon the working people than the trusts.

ST. ANDREW'S BROTHERHOOD

Annual Convention Held at Woodstock -Election of Officers. Woodstock, Oct. 14.-The convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew of the Diocese of London, which was held here Thursday afternoon and evening was attended by about 40 delegates. The reports presented were of a very encouraging nature. Rev. Canon Dann, of London, and others gave addresses. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, A. W. Crysler, Delhi; vice-president, H. A. Genet, Brantford; council, D. R. Wilkinson, Windsor; W. J. Kenny, Chatham; Rev. H. Sutton, Alvinston; Wm. Geary, London; C. A. Kinnear, London; A. W. Crysler, Delhi; H. A. Genet, Brantford; A. B. Banks, Galt; R. R. Nield, Stratford; Dr. G. F. Belden, Seaforth; Dr. Mc-Namara, Kincardine; Rev. J. R. New-ell, Markdale. In the evening Rev. R. Hicks, of Simcoe, presided, and spoke upon the objects of the Brotherhood. Other addresses along the same lines were delivered by Robt. C. C. Owen, of London, Rev. C. W. Hedley, of Brantford, and Rev. J. C. Farthing, of Woodstock.

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RAILWAYS DOING WELL. The traffic returns of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the week ended October 7, 1899, amounted to \$695,000, as compared with \$634,000 for the correaponding week of last year.

Following are the official returns of traffic on the Grand Trunk Railway

for the week ended Oct. 7, 1899, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year: 1899, \$554,736; 1898, \$527,603; increase, \$27,133. KING'S DAUGHTERS.

Toronto, Oct. 14 .- The delegates to the seventh annual convention of the International Order of the King's Daughters and Sons assembled Thursday morning in Guild Hall. A letter was read by Mrs. McNish from Miss Kirby, of Tuscarora, setting forth the need of the work among the Indians, and asking for assistance from other circles to carry on the work. R. Austin read a paper on "How to Obtain Money for Christian Works." Kingston has been selected as the next place of meeting in 1900. Rev. Elmore Harris gave a short address on "Abundant Life."

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MUSIC AND THE DRAMA

"A GUILTY MOTHER" FOR

THANKSGIVING DAY. "A Guilty Mother" will be the offering at the Grand, matinee and night, Thanksgiving. There are many new and exceedingly novel sensations promately at a passing car, breaking a pane of glass. The officer, who was in plain clothes, pursued Martin, and soon had destroys a noted castle owned by one him in custody. Martin lives on Lovett street, East London. Mr. Martin is away in British Columbia, and intended moving his family there in a few mense mirror, before which a murder is committed; the mirror finally becomes the prosecuting incident of the discovery of the culprit. There are some 20 characters in the play, which are portrayed by an excellent company. Among the players are Miss Jewell Varney, who last year was one of the leading support of the Kelcy-Shannon Company; Miss May Anderson, who is remembered as a successful player with Julia Marlowe's com-C. P. R. Machinists Firm in Their pany; Fanny Barry Sprague, a daughter of Mr. Thomas Barry; Agnes Carlton; Mr. Robert Wayne, Harold Linson, George R. Sprague, Thomas Eg-gleson, Chas. Powers. William Richardson and others.

"THE BRIDE-ELECT."

"The Bride-Elect" will be presented at the Grand next Friday. The management will bring the original company, and the same magnificent equipment which characterized its long run the men on the eastern section. He at the Knickerbocker Theater, New says the strike will be continued for a York. Mr. Sousa's fame as composer year if necessary, and the pressure in- of characteristically popular and spircreased by calling on additional ited music has been so rapidly in the branches of the service until the Masition of his attracts remarkable at-tention. "The Bride-Elect" is so brimfull of good things in the musical linein flowing airs, impressive chorals and swaying march movements, that to particularize more would be to give the whole programme of the opera. There is no doubt that a rich treat is in store for music lovers in the hearing of Sousa's superb music.

> THE LYCEUM COMPANY. Mr. C. J. Whitney has booked the Lyceum Company over his circuit of London, Hamilton, St. Catharines, etc. as the big event in the line of romantic drama, to be presented to the appreciative public of Canada this season. The company is 15 strong, made up of actors, who have won their reputations with the leading American artistes of the day, and will appear at the Grand three nights and Wednesday matinee, commencing Monday. Prominent among them is Miss Hortense Van Zile, the talented daughter of Judge Van Zile, of Michigan, who has in the past ten years of stage experiences, acted as leading woman for Walker Whiteside, Robert Downing, "For Fair Virginia" Company; Miss Effie Hext, who for the past three seasons has been gleaning theatrical experiences with American companies, is also of the company. Miss Mamie Lorimer will essay the juvenile parts again this year. Among the men, it is hard to discriminate. Mr. Edouard D'Oize, of New Orleans, the leading man of the company, has played important roles for the past eleven years with such men as Alexander Salvini, Frederick Ward, Louis James, Edwin Ferry, James Young and others. William Bokee hails from the time of the elder Booth, Wallack and Charlotte Cushman. He has played with these people year after year, and is better known to the "old-timers" than most of the aged actors living to-

actors fill up the cast, to such an extent that no cutting or doubling is ne-Of the long list of theatrical attrac tions en tour this season, is is safe to say none are more welcome or superbly presented than Lewis Morrison's "Faust," which will be seen here

day. Elmer Buffham is a native of San

Francisco, and has held leading posi-

tions for some years with the best le-

gitimate companies. William Colvin, first comedian, William Clifford, ju-

venile actor, and Joseph Selman, in ro-

mantic parts, strengthen the company,

while Miss Della Merle and four other

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

An advance of 15 per cent on fleeced underwear prices is to be made by the New York combination. Pearl Hart, Arizona's woman stage

robber, cut a hole through the jail wall at Tuscan and escaped. A Pennsylvania Railroad train killed Frederick George and his three lit-tle girls at Riverside, N. J. Reports from the southwestern bord-

ers of Manitoba say that deer are plentiful this year. The deer-shooting season opens on Monday next. Directors of a Detroit suburban railway are considering the advisability of using compressed air instead of electricity for motive power.

Madge Davenport, 21 years old, and Mamie White, 22 years old, drank car-bolic acid in New York. The first is dead and the other will die. They had quarreled with lovers. Because he admitted articles favor-

ing the "higher criticism," Rev. Dr. J. H. Garrison has been compelled to resign the editorship of the Christian Evangelist in St. Louis, Mo. Emperor William will not visit Eng land this year. He had made Queen Victoria conditional promise to do so,

but the altered political situation has compelled him to abandon his intention. Gen. Otis reports that Schwan's column, which has been scouring the country, drove the insurgents south and The 'Pinos lost 200 killed, 400 wounded, and stored supplies destroy-American loss, 3 killed, 2 wound-

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The Strange Metamorphosis.

All at once-and this is one of the dircumstances 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 bandit who was confined for sixteen years in solitary captivity, before the notion of escape ever occur-red 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 every thing 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 po-sition, without the disagreeable necessity of disclosing his position to any-

one 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 ab-

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 stealthiy under the table acd 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 never really needed the slave in the charlot to dash his spirits—he had his friends there already; the guests at an Egyptian dinner must have brought their own skel-

There was a small, flaxen-haired little boy sitting next to Mr. Buithtude, seeming a quiet, inoffensive being, who at this stage served to sober him by fur-

mening another complication.

"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, 'Oh, I daresay," grumbled little Por-

ter, the boy in question; "it's all very well, but I want my rabbit."
"Hang it, str," said Paul angrily,

"do you suppose I'm sitting on it? "You promised to bring me back a rabbit," persister Porter deggedly; "you knew you did, and it's a beastly shame. I mean to have that rabbit or know

the reason why. dlecomb had again dexterously allured Herr Stohwasser into the meshes of conversation; this time upon the ques tion (apropos des bottes) of street per-formances, "I vill tell you a gurious thing," he was saying, "vat happened to me ze ozer day, ven I was walking town ze Strandt. I saw a leetle, gommon, dirty boy, with a tail 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 it on ze groundt, and he stand still and look so at it. So I stop too, to see wat he would do next. And presently he take out a large shest of paper and tear it in four pleces very garefully, and stick zem round ze tall hat, and put it on his head again, and zen he set it down on ze grount and look at it once more, and all ze time he never speak one vort. And I look and look and vonder vat he vould do next. And a great growd of peoples gome, and zey look and vonder too. And zen all at once ze leedle dirty boy he take out all ze paper and put on ze hat and he valk avay, laughing altogether foolishly at zomzing I did not understandt at all. I haf been thinking efer since vat in de vorlat he do all dat nonsense for. And dere is von ozer gurious ting I see in your London streets zat very same day. Zere was a poor house cat vat had been by a cab overrun as I passed by, and one man vith a varm, kind heart valk up and stamp it on ze head for to end its pain. And anozer man with anozer heart, he gome up directly and had not seen ze cat overrun, but he see ze first man stamping, and knock him down for ill-treating animals; it vas quite gurious to see; till ze policemanarrest zem both for fighting Goggs, degline 'Katze,' and give me berfect and bast barticiple of 'kampfen,' 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 be ing intimately acquainted with Schil-

ler as an author, thefore 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 marsheled, with the rest, in a precession bound for the football field. They marched two and two, Chawner and three of the other elder boys leading with the ball and four goal posts ornamented with colored ornamental calico flags, and Mr. Rlinkhorn and Mr. Tinkler bringing up Blinkhorn and Mr. Tinkler bringing up

Mr. Buititude was paired with Tom Grimstone, who, after eyeing him ask-ance 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 beast-

ly 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

"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

[To be Continued.]

SPARKS FROM

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

St. Joseph, Mich., experienced an earthquake about 7 o'clock Tuesday It is reported that the Poor Man

an English company for \$215,000. Over \$100,000 have been pledged to-wards 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

mine, near Nelson, has been sold to

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

Dan McNevin, a miner at Nanaimo, B. C., was killed by a wooden support falling on him after the explosion of Many Canadian volunteers are send-

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 \$2,500 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

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 century fund, and arrangements

were made to begin collections. The directors of the Sir Thomas Lipton Company have decided that all re-servists 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

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

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vertiser.1 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 Wel-lington'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 ordance 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 employes, 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 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 ing in their names for enrollment in the corps that is likely to be sent to the 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 went into effect. A visit to Aldershot thing is going like clockwork, but it is too early yet to express a definite opinion regarding the British mobiliza-

THE RESERVES

For the reserves themselves, who are obliged to leave their wives and the United States navy to adopt his families on a pitiful pittance from the government, much public sympathy has been aroused, exemplifying the truth of Mr. Rudyard Kipling's jeer, "A special 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 in the British army that officers must always stand under fire even though the men are lying down, makes mourning probable in many a noble

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 transporting troops. In 1882 Great Britain dispatched fifteen thousand troops in three weeks to Alexandria, Egypt, 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 ap-parent that there has yet been any ser-ious lack of facilities. The stock brokers have undoubtedly worked someerican war; and the recent breakdown of two transports is 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." ond 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 par-liament goes without saying."

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ing distance between ships. There is DIED FROM considerable speculation as to whether Signor Marconi will be able to induce

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the freshies a few days ago by locking ant, sure and effectual. If your drug-them in the side entrance and turning gist has none in stock, get him to prothe college hose on them. The result cure it for you. 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.

A SUDDEN CHILL often means ber 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 determinsudden illness. Pain-Killer is all that is needed to ward it off. Unequaled

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 Simloe 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 Sun-

day 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 in-

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Toronto, Oct. 14.—The juniors and eniors of the Dental College "hustled" defreshes a few days are by high the freshes a f marine cable is 2,700 miles.

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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 Do-minion, from Ontanio 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, 28-32; Winnipeg, 34-40; Port Arthur, 42-66; Parry Sound, 56-76; Toronto, 54-72; Ottawa, 54-62; Montreal, 52-60; Quebec, 42-54; Halifax, 52-68.

Local temperatures: The highest and owest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Friday, Oct. 13, were: Highest, 74.5°; lowest, 52.5°. Today sun rises 6:30; sets 5:37. Moon rises 3:04 p.m.; sets 1:14 a.m.

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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 Lapton on the Erin yesterday.
—Mr. Adam Murray, ex-treasurer of

Middlesex county, and his grand-daughter, Miss May Murray, have left for Chicago. -St. Thomas Times: Jerry Mc-

Donald, 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. John ston returned home yesterday from a trip to Washington, where Dr. John-ston attended the Pan-Presbyterian

-Bishop McEvay, 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 dis abled about 7 o'clock this morning, and had to be towed to the barns. The had to be towed to the barns. controller became grounded and the

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

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night, regarding their removal to that city, but no agreement was reached. —Mitss Roblyn has secured engage-ments for St. Marys, Oct. 16, Goderich, Nov. 2, and Owen Sound, Nov. 20. The large number of engagements secured by this talented singer attests to her

-On Thanksgiving Day a recital will be given in the Auditorium by Miss Susie A. Brinley, assisted by Lena E. McMurchy, 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 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 masterplece 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, Be fore Squire Lacey-A Munceytown Indian the Complainant-Case Ad-

Wm. L. Walker, sen., Wm. Walker, jun., D. McAnthur, and R. Allison, of terday, charged with stealing two horses from Henry French, of Muncey, appeared before Squire Lacey yesterday afternoon. They pleaded not guilty. The evidence of the complainant was taken and the case adjourned for week. The Walkers own a farm near West Lorne, and McArthur and Alli- York street bridge. son live with them, the former being employed as a farm laborer and Allisom being a son-in-law of the elder Walker. On Oct. 3, 1898, the Walkers had a sale, at whice 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

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, Wabash engineer. Rev. Mr. Hindes conducted the services, and employes of the C. P. R. in this city officlated as pall-bearers. The floral of-

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ferings 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-employes. His widow, with her babe, 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 slding 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

that the car had to be jacked up be-fore it could be removed.

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

Suitable Resolutions by the Board of Education and the Medical

A special meeting of the board of education was held last evening and, the following resolution, moved by Trustee Macpherson and seconded 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 unbanity of man-ner caused him to be a much esteemed and valued member of the board, and his active personal interest in the wel-fare 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

dence in carriages, and march to the THE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. At a largely-attended special meeting of the London Medical Association, convened last night, the follow-

meet at the city hall at 1:45 p.m. to-

morrow, proceed to the family resi-

ing 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 appre-

clation 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 private Me 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 trans-mitted 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. Ivey, appeared for the

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*YXXXXXXXXXX*EOOOXXXXXXXXXXXX chest had been crushed in, and the arms, collarbone and night wrist bro-ken, besides bruises and flesh wounds.

Arms, collarbone and fugation wounds.

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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 troiley ductors generally reversed the troiley had a to have great confidence in his ability to do it. The jury then rendered their verdict.

reversed the pole.

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

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

He could give no reason for McKellar

First Blood 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 convenging columns to an attack on Ladysmith would not be likely to meet with complete success. For the Boers

Two Guns and the Crew of a Train Captured.

Rumors of Fighting at that no doubt is felt as to the loyalty of Lerothodi and other native chiefs, and the Basutos are still well in hand, Mafeking and Ladysmith.

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.

Advices from Johannesburg report the commandeering by the Transvaal government of another 25,000 ounces of gold. London, Oct. 14.-The war office has received the following dispatch from the general commanding the Cape

"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 days, unless the Boers, who were reartillery for a half hour and captured it. The guns referred to belonged to the British line of defense, drawn from Glencoe Junction to Ladysmith. the colony. They are light and of old pattern. We have no details as to patches, no apprehension is felt as to casualties." Telegraphic communica- the results. Gen. White has 12 guns tion 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 even-ing says: "I learn on good authority that the Boers are attacking Mafeking. They are reported to have suf-fered repulses. It is generally admitted that Vryburg cannot stand a strong Boer atack.

London, Saturday, Oct. 14.—The Daily Mail's correspondent of Dundee, Natal, says: "Reports are circulated here

The Ladysmith correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs his paper under date of Thursday that it is anticipated that the enemy will attack simultaneously Dundee, Glencoe and Ladysmith. The defending force, he says, includes the Natal infantry and carbineers, all remarkably smart and workmanlike. The main Boer force of 11,000 men is at Sandsprait. The correspondent adds: "Much discontent exists here owing to the presence of suspected Boer sympathizers. troops are kept under arms, and the volunteer's 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 reconnoissance shows that the raiding force from the Free State number approximately 12,-000 men. The Times explains this dispatch as evidently referring to a pretelegram which has not yet

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

son for hoping that the people would remain quiet; and now he would ap-The correspondent of the London peal to the members of the legisla-Daily Mail further says that the Free dure to possess their souls in patience, State forces have completed all pre-parations for the destruction of the Bothluc bridge when that action bethe to await events with quietness and comes necessary.

A BRITISH ADVANCE. An Edinburgh perper, 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 re-port is considered to be correct, as late last night the war office had news of a British advance from Ladysmith, peace throughout our beloved country." 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-break this morning toward Acton 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 Colesburg, just south of the Orange River, announces that the town was warmed 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 at Mafeking.

Boers with cold lead or hot coffee.

LOYAL. A dispatch from Cape Town says



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table, but is scarcely disastrous, except that it tends to cut Mafeking off from touch with Plumber's force in ST. THOMAS

but the resident commissioner has de-dided to patrol the border to prevent

GOLD FOR THE BOERS.

Germany will gladly co-operate in a

.HEAVY STORMS.

According to dispatches received from Ladysmith by the Standard and the Daily Telegraph, dated Thursday,

is scarce on the veldt. Therefore, noth-.

ing is expected to happen for a few

and the Boers 11.

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this case, according to the dis-

The Pall Mall Gazette publishes the

RHODES NEARLY CAPTURED.

cape from capture. His train was de-

layed, and passed the Modder River

ultimatum, when the Boers were only five miles distant, and some of their

spies were actually on the platform.

THE BOERS' ARTILLERY.

Hiram Stevens Maxim, chief engineer

A NOTABLE SPEECH.

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 would do the

or favor. The duty of all was to save

the colony, so far as possible, from being involved in the vontex of war.

In his circulars to the military com-

manders he had already given his rea-

however dark the days might be, 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

the colony. The time had not yet ar-

rived for him to say what part he had

played in trying to establish peace in

South Africa. That would come later.

"Let this colony," said the premier, in conclusion, "be a kind of haven dur-

ing the storm which has burst upon

the re-establishment of an honorable

THE NAVAL BRIGADE.

(delayed in transmission).-The com-

mander 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 baggage train was kept waiting all night for the brigade. Ad-

miral Harris has notified the inhabit-

ants that shore boats approaching the

warships at night are liable to be

BULLER'S DEPARTURE.

staff off from the Waterloo station to-

day. A big demonstration is expected.

It is an interesting fact that Lord Edward Cecil, son of the Marquis of Salisbury, is with Col. Baden-Powell

LETTER FROM LORD LORNE.

Lord Lorne was unable to attend the

meeting held at Glasgow, but he wrote

ple moretime to deliberate before act-

the Boers. They are the same as when Livingstone described them as

cruel, narrow and tyrannous. In battle

THE TIMES ON THE SITUATION.

strong.

Simon's Town, Cape Colony, Oct. 12

the church and to the natives of

W. P. Schreiner, in moving the

the Boer raids.

Street Railway Men Claim to the Boer raids.

'According to the London Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent, Mr. Schriener, 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 appearant of the corresponding to the correspondent to t Have Grievances.

likely to meet with complete success. The armored train incident is regret-

President Still Threatened . Discharge Every Union Man on the Road.

St. Thomas, Oct. 14.—The probabilities are that before 24 hours the street railway employes will be on strike. The St. Thomas Journal says:

cording to the same authority, the rail-way department had early 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. "A committee representing the employes waited upon President 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 internationboard of arbitration of the Associa-The German foreign office states that tion of Street Railway Employes of America; W. Sayles, president St. Thomas Trades and Labor Council; F. courteously though urgently, worded request to the Transvaal government to permit the creation of an international police force to protect the Mitchell, a member of the Trades and Labor Council; J. Fitzsimmons, secre-tary Street Railway Union, and H. E. Brinker, a member of the union.

'The differences between the company and the employes are that men who were members of the union were discharged when the belt line cars were taken off, and that the runs are heavy storms have begun and forage

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 following dispatch from Mafeking dat-ed Wednesday: "It is reported that the younger Boers are dissatisfied with strangers were and upon being told ordered the committee out of his of-fice, said he would have 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 Commandant Cronje for not attacking the British position yesterday, and have sent him to the rear and appointed ancall his men and have them put out.
"A meeting of the Street Railway Employes' Union and the Trades and According to the Kimberley correspondent of the London Daily Tele-Labor Council will be held tonight, when it is likely a strike will be orgraph, Cecil Rhodes had a narrow es-

three hours after the expiration of the BALANCE ON THE RIGHT SIDE

strength of the enemy is greatly exag-gerated, and that they will not attack

Quebec, Oct. 14.-At the annual session of the Methodist General Missionary Board, in the Young Men's Chrisand director of the Maxim-Nordenfeldt tian Association building, about Guns and Ammunition Company (Limmembers, under the presidency of Rev. A. Carman, D.D., general superintendent of the Methodist Church in Canited), in the course of an interview today, said: "So far as I am aware ada, were in attendance. After the the Boers possess thirty guns, but the opening services the president deliver-British need not fear the Boer artiled his address, outlining the improtant lery, which has always proved a source weakness rather than strength to work before the board. Rev. Dr. Williams, of Montreal, was unanimously

chosen secretary for the ensuing year. The missionary report was then Cape Town, Oct. 14.-The premier. by Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D., Toronto, general missionary secretary, and he gave the financial statement. income was \$265,979 40, and the total expenditure was \$257,972 07, leaving a balance of \$8,007 33, which had been applied to the reduction of a debt of duty imposed upon him without fear

\$16,000. In the evening a missionary rally took place in the Methodist Church, at which addresses were delivered by Rev. O. S. Kilborn, M.D., of China; Rev. Goro Kaburagi, Japanese missionin Vancouver, B.C., and Rev. W. H. Pierce, Indian missionary from the Upper Skeena, B. C. A large audience 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 an address of welcome by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Griffith, and addresses by Rev. Dr. Carman, Dr. Briggs, of Toronto; Rev. Joseph Edge, London, Ont.; Mr. J. A. M. Aikins, Q.C., of Winnipeg; Rev. H. Cairns, of Cornwall; Rev. Dr. Williams and Rev. T. J. Mansell, of Montreal.

THE FOX BAY METHODISTS. Quebec, Oct. 14.-A committee to con-South Africa, and let us all pray for sult on the position and needs of the Fox Bay Methodists in Anticosti and to report to the board has been appointed 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. Ferguson, Stratford; Rev. J. Woodsworth, Brandon, Man.; Alex. Mills, To-ronto; Wm. Johnston, Belleville, and Rev. P. F. Huestis, Halifax.

MAN WHO CAN'T SLEEP.

"I see by the paper," said Saunders, "that's there's a man in New York that hasn't slept a wink for six weeks." The Prince of Wales has promised "How's that?" asked Jakes. "He can't," said Saunders. to see Gen. Sir Redvers Buller and his

"Inconvenient, I should say,"

marked Jakes.
"Rather," said Saunders.
"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.' Why?" asked Jakes. "Well, I used to be troubled that way in response to the invitation, a letter, in which he said: "Never had any peoon a smaller scale," said Saunders. calculate I not three hours and sixteen minutes' sleep in two years. I Patience has marked our acts, ignorance and injustice those of be a few seconds out, but that is

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

near enough.

our losses may be grievous; but those who die will give their life for the life "Everything you could think of. of our empire, for equal laws and civil liberty. Foreign states acknowledge the justice of our cause, and we know Doctored my nerves and my brain until I was as nervous as a woman and it to be good, and we mean to make it What cured you?"

"Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets."
"Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets?" The Times this morning, discussing the situation, says: "It is idle to ignore that 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 the case, a sustained condition of masterly inactivity might become hopelessly out of the question. We have no means of the case, a sustained condition of masterly inactivity might become hopelessly out of the question. We have no means of the case, a sustained condition of masterly inactivity might become hopelessly out of the question. We have no means of the case, a sustained condition of masterly inactivity might become hopelessly out of the question.

Business Situation.

New York, Cat. 114. - 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 drygoods, 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 re-ports orders from the mainland as gold, and collections are easier. Halifax 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.

Business failures in the Dominion number 19, as compared with 24 last week, and 22 in this week a year ago. ON THE OTHER SIDE.

Bradstreet's says: Trade activity is abroad, all measures of volume and value testifying 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 short-ened yields of most leading agricul-tural products. Expectations of more moderate yields of leading cereals, however, is 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, par-ticularly for export, has been so heavy as to create nervousness among those who had sold short in view of a con-ceded 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 as 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, 1896, 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 146 last week, 233 in this week a year ago, 196 in 1897, 279 in 1896, and 289 in

Bank clearings at the principal United States cities for the week ended Oct. 13 showed total clearances, \$1,829,769,586 -an increase of 31.1 per cent as compared with the corresponding week last year. Outside of New York city the olearances were \$689,374,164 — increase that the Boers have reached New-castle, but no confirmation of either this or the reports of fighting at Mafeking and Ladysmith are yet gr-strength of the enemy is greatly exaging and Ladysmith are yet gr-strength of the enemy is greatly exaging the strength of the enemy is greatly exaging Winnipeg, \$3,015.204—Increase 51.7 cent; Halifax, \$1.670,501-increase 30.4 per cent: Hamilton, \$913,358 increase 32.8 per cent; St. John, N. B., \$676,916—incres 19.4 per cent; Vancouver, \$1,-71ctoria, \$743,680.

PITCHING INTO THE FILIPINOS

Insurgents Driven From Their Post 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 Muntiniuha. 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 Frians, 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 unlawful use.

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troops at Ladyemith, 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 reckened with in addition to Commandant Gen. Joubert's contingent, the situation is certainly graver than it seemed vesterday and further datails.

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First Blood For the Boers

Two Guns and the Crew of a cept that it tends to cut Mafeking off from touch with Plumber's force in Rhodesia." Train Captured.

Mafeking and Ladysmith.

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

"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 tion 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 Mafe-They are reported to have suffered repulses. It is generally admitted that Vryburg cannot stand a strong

London, Saturday, Oct. 14.—The Daily Mail's correspondent of Dundee, Natal, "Reports are circulated here that the Boers have reached New-

The Ladysmith correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs his paper under date of Thursday that it is anticipated that the enemy will attack simultaneously Dundee, Glencoe and Ladysmith. The defending force, he says,, includes the Natal infantry and carbineers, all remarkably smart and workmanlike. The main Boer force of 11,000 men is at Sandsprait. The correspondent adds: "Much discontent exists here owing to the presence of suspected Boer sympathizers. The troops are kept under arms, and the volunteer's 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 reconnoissance shows that the raiding force from the patch as evidently referring to a prereached them.

comes necessary.

A BRITISH ADVANCE. An Edinburgh perper, 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 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 daybreak this morning toward Acton Homes for the purpose of reconnoitering. Gen. White's object was to obwhat 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 Cofesburg, just outh of the Orange River, announces that the town was warmed to be in readiness for an attack today. 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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Rumors of Fighting at that no doubt is felt as to the loyalty of Lerothodi and other native chiefs, and the Basutos are still well in hand, but the resident commissioner has dedided to patrol the border to prevent

the Boer raids.
'According to the London Daily Mail's A Raiding Force of 10,000 Men

From the Free State.

Advance Movement by the British
Force Toward Holmes—Heavy

According to the London Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent, Mr. Schriener, 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 rail-way department had early information of the intention of the Boers to destroy railway bridges over fourteen streams. 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 courteously though urgently, worded request to the Transvaal government to permit the creation of an inter-national police force to protect the

. 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, noth-. ing 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. pattern. We have no details as to patches, no apprehension is felt as to casualties." Telegraphic communica- 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 de-layed, 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 recastle, but no confirmation of either this or the reports of fighting at would have been easy. He believes the strength of the enemy is greatly exagniving." gerated, and that they will not attack the entrenchments.

> THE BOERS' ARTILLERY. Hiram Stevens Maxim, chief enginee and director of the Maxim-Nordenfeldt Guns and Ammunition Company (Limited), in the course of an interview today, 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 weakness rather than strength to the burghers.'

A NOTABLE SPEECH.

Cape Town, Oct. 14.-The premier, W. P. Schreiner, in moving the 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 would do the Free State number approximately 12,000 men. The Times explains this disor ravor. The duty of all was to save
In the the colony, so far as possible, from telegram which has not yet being involved in the vontex of war. In his circulars to the military com-The news this morning is rather of manders he had already given his reaapproaching, battles than of actual son for hoping that the people would fighting. The correspondent of the London peal to the members of the legisla-Daily Mail further says that the Free dure to possess their souls in patience, State forces have completed all pre-however dark the days might be, and parations for the destruction of the to await events with quietness and Bothluc bridge when that action be- 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 colony," said the premier, in conclusion, "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 a British advance from Ladysmith, peace throughout our beloved country.'

THE NAVAL BRIGADE. Simon's Town, Cape Colony, Oct. 12 (delayed in transmission) .- The commander in chief issued a general signal for the freet last evening. The naval brigade is in readiness to disembark, and is now busy with preparations for landing. A baggage train was kept 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 to-A big demonstration is expected. It is an interesting fact that Lord Edward 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 moretime to deliberate before act-Patience has marked our acts, 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 Foreign states acknowledge the justice of our cause, and we know it to be good, and we mean to make it

THE TIMES ON THE SITUATION. The Times this morning, discussing the situation, says: "It is idle to ignore that fact that if the Boers make a determined advance on a large scale a determined advance on a large scale from nervousness. Nervousness comes into Natal, as seems to be the case, a from Dyspepsia."

sustained condition of masterly inactivity might become hopelessly out of the question. We have no means of "How much are they?"

"How much are they?"

"Fifty cents a tox," said Saunders, and standing exactly the number of "at all druggists."

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. ikely to meet with complete success. The armored train incident is regrettable, but is scarcely disastrous, ex-

ST. THOMAS

Street Railway Men Claim to Have Grievances.

President Still Threatened .. Discharge Every Union Man on the Road.

St. Thomas, Oct. 14.—The probabilities are that before 24 hours the street railway employes will be on strike. The St. Thomas Journal says:

"A committee representing the employes waited upon President 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 Employes 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 employes are that men who were members of the union were discharged when the belt 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 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 of-fice, said he would have 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

Employes' Union and the Trades and Labor Council will be held tonight, when it is likely a strike will be or-

BALANCE ON THE

ist Ministers.

Quebec, Oct. 14.-At the annual session of the Methodist General Missionary Board, in the Young Men's Christian Association building, about members, under the presidency of Rev. A. Carman, D.D., general superinten-dent of the Methodist Church in Canada, were in attendance. After the opening services the president delivered his address, outlining the improtant work before the board. Rev. Dr. Williams, of Montreal, was unanimously

chosen secretary for the ensuing year. The missionary report was then read by Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D., Toronto, general missionary secretary, and he gave the financial statement. The total income was \$265,979 40, and the total expenditure was \$257,972 07, leaving a balance of \$8,007 33, which had been applied to the reduction of a debt of

In the evening a missionary rally took place in the Methodist Church, at which addresses were delivered by Rev. O. S. Kilborn, M.D., of China; Rev. Goro Kaburagi, Japanese mission-ary in Vancouver, B.C., and Rev. W. H. Pierce, Indian missionary from the Upper Skeena, B. C. A large audience

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 an address of welcome by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Griffith, and addresses by Rev. Dr. Carman, Dr. Briggs, of Toronto; Rev. Joseph Edge, London, Ont.; Mr. J. A. M. Aikins, Q.C., of Winnipeg; Rev. H. Cairns, of Cornwall; Rev. Williams and Rev. T. J. Mansell, of Montreal,

THE FOX BAY METHODISTS. Quebec, Oct. 14.-A committee to conthe position and needs of the Fox Bay Methodists in Anticosti and to report to the board has been appointed by the general missionary board of the Methodist Church, as foi-Wakefield, D.D., Paris, Ont.; J. J. McLaren, Q.C., Toronto; W. J. Ferguson, Stratford; Rev. J. Woodsworth, 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's there's a man in New York that hasn't slept a wink for six weeks. "How's that?" asked Jakes.
"He can't," said Saunders. "Inconvenient, I should say,"

marked Jakes. "Rather," said Saunders.
"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." "Why?" asked Jakes.

"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 may be a few seconds out, but that is near enough." "Must have been nice," said Jakes.

"It was the very deuce," said Saun-

"What did you do about it?" asked "Everything you could think of. Doctored my nerves and my brain un-th I was as nervous as a woman and as stupid as a goat.'

'What cured you?"' "Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets." "Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets?" ex

claimed Jakes. "Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets," repeat ed Saunders. "Sleeplessness comes from nervousness. Nervousness comes

IN GOOD SHAPE

Bradstreet's Weekly Reviews of the

New York, Cot. 114. - Bradstreet's weekly review says: Favorable conditions still govern Canadian trade. The chartering of numerous vessels by the British Covernment has caused a flurry in shipping circles at Montreal. A satisfactory business is doing, especially in drygoods, 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 perts. Vancouver re-ports orders from the mainland as good, and collections are easier. Halifax weather conditions have favored harvesting. Collections are fair. Torento repoits active trade in all lines, and wheat shipments interfered with by the requisitioning of many ships for war purposes.

Business failures in the Dominion number 19, as compared with 24 last week, and 22 in this week a year ago. ON THE OTHER SIDE.

Bradstreet's says: Trade activity is abroad, all measures of volume and value testifying 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 shortaned yields of most leading agricul-tural products. Expectations of more moderate yields of leading cereals, however, is not confined to this coun-The world's wheat crop will adtry. mittedly 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 conceded 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 as 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, 1896, 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 146 last week, 233 in this week a year ago, 196 in 1897, 279 in 1896, and 289 in

Bank clearings at the principal United States cities for the week ended Oct 13 showed total clearances, \$1,829,769,586 -an increase of 31.1 per cent as compared with the corresponding week last year. Outside of New York city the olearances were \$689,374,164 — increase 24.2 per cent. For the Dominion of Canada the clearances were: Montreal Important Meeting of Leading Method. \$16,449.604—increase 10.8 per cent; Toronto, \$11,550.351—increase 27.9 per cent Winnipeg, \$3,015.204-increase 51.7 per cent; Halifax, \$1,670,501-increase 30.4 per cent: Hamilton, \$913,358-increase 32.8 per cent; St. John, N. B., \$676,916-increase 19.4 per cent: Vancouver, \$1,-042,628; Victoria, \$743,680.

PITCHING INTO THE FILIPINOS

Insurgents Driven From Their Post 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 Muntiniuha. 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 in-These rumors, however, ar 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 unlawful use. Gen. Schwan, with the infantry, has reached Balcoor. The troops are greatly exhausted. From Malabon to Pe-

rez Marines they marched through the rice fields. A DINNER PILL—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-

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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 Congregational Union.

Editor of The Advertiser,-I cheerfully respond to your request for some notes in reference to the second great council held by the Congregationalists of the world in the city of Boston, Mass., from Sept. 20 to 28 ult. You will readily understand, however, that any synopsis must necessarily be fragmentary, for a full report of the proceedings would fill hundreds of pages.

In order to arrange my matter with some degree of order, I will note briefly the place of meeting, the men who took part in the discussion and the subjects dealt with. Let it be remembered that delegates were present from every part of the United States, Great Britain, Canada, Australia, Japan, China, Mexico, etc., and the objects of the council were simply for mutual conference. There was no at-tempt at legislation or assumption of authority. Earnest appeals were made for loyalty to the great fundamental truths of the Bible, but the only tribunal established was that of conscience and Christian manhood.

Within one hour after the delegates,

to the number of five or six hundred, assembled in Tremont Temple, which had been secured for the occasion from our Baptist friends, every one felt that the right place had been chosen. The temple is a noble and beautiful edifice, and the drapings and decorations were so felicitous in character as to leave nothing to be desired. The salient feature of these was the equal prominence given to the American and British fags. These were so defly interwoven as to give a delightful artistic effect, and when our national anthem and "America" were sung by three thousand enthusiasts the scene and melody made an impression that time can never efface. To add to the inspiration all the historic points in Boston and vicinity were made accessible to the foreign delegates by a carefully arranged series of excur-tions by tally-ho, luxurious private street cars, steam cars, steamboats, etc., and these were so planned as to interfere as little as possible with the platform programme. The ground floor of the temple, Lorimer Hall, was fitted up as offices to meet every exigency. A branch postoffice, telegraph and telephone, stenographers, every convenience for correspondence, bureaus of information, excursion and entertainment committees, are but samples of the completeness of every And the infinite tact and patience with which every lady and gentleman performed his or her arduous duties can only be appreciated by those who taxed these to the utmost tension. And what can be said of the unbounded hospitality with which all were welcomed? Here one trenches on privacy, but really those Bostonians gave to all who were their guests the impression that the recipients were the ones who were conferring the pleasure. Bevan, of Australia, voiced the feeling of all when he said: nodesty of the friends who arranged this council is only exceeded by their

hospitality." Will the reader kindly try to realize the pleasure of a first visit to this lovely old city. Here one finds the true historic and literary atmosphere; but if the writer ever hears it charged with hauteur and exclusiveness there will be a vigorous disclaimer.

While one is anxious to arrive at point in this sketch in which the council proper may be dealt with, yet temptation is irresistible to note a few of those spots where one feels that he is treading on sacred ground. Let us take our first jaunt to Plymouth, not "a stern and rockbound coast," as Mrs. Hemans says, but a sunny, fertile bit of New England. Local guides met the modern pilgrims with a welcome strongly in contrast to that which those of 1621 experienced. Today (the very one on which show fell in your city of London) the sun shines brightly and the peaceful ocean is as calm as a sleeping child. Yonder lies Clark's Island, where the first Sabbath was spent by the tempesttossed passengers of the Mayflower. We rested on the Sabbath day" is their quaint record, and on Monday morning, nearly three hundred years ago, an advance guard rowed across harbor to the mainland.

One can easily imagine those old heroes seeking a place where liberty of conscience and worship could be enjoyed, but doomed to sorrows and trials indescribable. It was November. and the hastily erected houses afforded but poor protection, and during that winter one-half of the brave hundred died. But how changed now is the scene! The "Faith" monument, the scene! ted by the national government. and that to the memory of Miles Standish, prove that, a republic is not siways ungrateful. But we cannot linger over the loves of John Alden and Priscilla, nor sentimentalize over Miles Standish's sword, or the May-hower wicker cradle. Ours is the more ern duty and pleasure of a walk ever Plymouth Rock and partaking of sumptuous repast prepared by Plymouth friends. We cannot spare space ard, Salem and its quaint and awful.

story of witchcraft. In passing a note must be made of eautiful new state house, public ithrary and magnificent churches. The two first mentioned are models of arch-

wealthy and liberal. Among the many points of interest mention only can be made of the late Philip Brooks' church, the old South Congregational Church, in which the British troopers stabled their horses during the revolution, the old elm tree beneath which Washington took command of the American forces; Longfellow's home, and the graves of these in Mount Auburn Hero graves of those in Mount Auburn. Here the monuments are simple indeed, but men rest in this God's acre whose voice and pen have thrilled the world.

And now we will take a look into the council chamber. On the platform or among the audience we see Rev. S. B. Capen, chairman of the committee of arrangements; Dr. Lyman Abbott, Washington Gladden, Dr. James B. Angell, of Ann Arbor, Mich.; Dr. Harris, Amherst, Mass.; Dr. Mackennal, Bouden, Eng.; Dr. J. D. Jones, England; Dr. Andrew M. Fairbun, Oxford, Eng.; Prof. Graham Taylor, Dr. John Massie, England; Rev. J. H. Hollicell, the well-known educationalist; Dr. Noble, Chicago; Dr. Beran, Melbourne; Dr. Tucker, New Hampshire; Dr. Eliot, Harvard; Dr. Hyde, Boudoin College; Dr. Slocum, Colorado; Dr. Henry Hopkins, Kansas
City; Dr. Selbie, London, England; Dr. George, Montreal; Dr. Thomas, Brookline, Boston; Rev. Jos. Robinson, Australia; Grace Kimball, M.D. New York; Dr. Jefferson, New York; London, England; Rev. Burford Hooke, England; Dr. Bruce, England; Dr. Wm. Walker, Connecticut; Dr. Stark, Scotland, Dr. A. J. Lyman, New York; Dr. John Brown, Bedford, England; Rev. Henry A. Thomas, chairman of Congregational Union of England and Wales; Dr. N. Boynton, Detroit; Dr. Caree, England, and the venerable and beloved Dr. Richard S. Storrs, Brooklyn, N. Y. These names are mentioned simply to show how rich a bill of fare was presented day by day, and evening after evening. Tremont Temple was crowded to its utmost capacity at every session, and overflow meetings were held frequently in Park Church, nearly op-posite. No stronger evidence could be given of the high standard of intellectual atmosphere in Boston than to watch the deeply interested masses as they sat in absorbed attention or broke into enthusiastic applause, which several times compelled the speakers to return and acknowledge the ovation. Tremont Temple has often echoed with

the singing of "All peoples that on earth do dwell Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.' The governor was followed by Mayor Quincy, who was introduced by Chairman Angell as "one who bears a name that for three generations has stood for high intelligence, noble char-

the ringing eloquence of Sumner, Gar-

rison and Henry Ward Beecher, but it

could never have held a more enthusi-

astic audience than that which listen-

greeting to the council by his excel-

lency, Governor Wolcott, preceded by

ed to the warm-hearted and eloquer

acter and great civic virtues." President Angell's address was a noble and eloquent setting forth of the history, principles and ideals of Congregationalists. It represented the genius of the denomination in looking forward rather than backward. plea for the largest liberty in Biblical study was especially timely and evok-ed prolonged applause. If Advertiser readers are interested in the subject dealt with by Dr. Angell they will do well to write to the Boston Congregationalist for the issue of Sept. 28.

In order to convey some idea of the nature of the mental bill of fare presented the following list of the subjects discussed is given. Of course it is impracticable to attempt to give even the briefest synopsis of the vitally interesting questions discussed, but it goes without saying that all the speakers were scholarly and logical in their methods. "Fundamental Principles in Theology," by Dr. Harris, Amherst, Theology," by Dr. Harris, Amherst, Mass., "Message of the Old Testament for Today," by Dr. Frank C. Porter, Connecticut; "The Historical Method in Theology," by Dr. George P. Fisher; "Theology and the Order of Nature," by Dr. Gosman, Australia; "The Evangelical Principle of Authority," Dr. Forsyth, Cambridge; sermon by Dr. Andrew Fairburn, on "Christ's Message to Peter," "And I also say unto thee that thou art Peter, and upon this thee, that thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it"; "International Relations and Responsibilities," by Dr. Lyman Abbott; "The Christian Attitude Towards War in the Light of Recent Events," Dr. Mackennal. And these are only about

are sufficient to show social and religious reform, education, etc., took a prominent place in the council. It demands an abrupt change of subject to make reference to a notable gathering at the Hotel Vendome, corner of Commomwealth avenue and Dartmouth street, on Friday evening of the first week. This social function was planned by the late Samuel Johnof Boston, who died in August last. His wishes were carried out to the letter, and over one thousand partook of the lavish hospitality of one who was loved and revered in the city of Boston, for he had established a

half the subjects discussed, but they

character for unostentatious kindness which endeared him to all. Another delightful occasion was an organ recital and supper at Shawmutt Congrgational Church, at which the members of the church extended such a hearty welcome 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, of Boston, in the great Music Hall, demands mention. That the delegates and invited guests were treated with true American hospitality can be readily believed. Over 1,200 sat down to a feast of good things, including fine vocal and instrumental music. Addresses were given on behalf of the Episcopalian, Unitarian, Presbyterian and Methodist Churches, and that de-livered by Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts, successor to Philips Brooks, was the one that capped the climax dwell on the beauties of Mount aburn Cemetery, Bunker Hill, Havd, Salem and its quaint and awful.

Mas the one that capped the chinal for broad Christian charity lightened by subtle and charming humor.

And now, after this imperfect and rambling sketch, may we not gather up a few echoes of a reunion that will

retain a place in the memory as long as it holds sway? In doing this I can-

not do better than quote a passage from a summing-up article in the Bos-

per, and the Globe, Journal and Congregationalist, a debt of grateful recognition is due that can never be re-

paid:

"As an intellectual revelation the council has been notable. The speakers were selected from the preaching, writing and teaching force of all the countries represented in the council, and hardly a number on the entire programme has failed to present thoughtful, earnest and eloquent words, worthy to be heard and cherished by all who have interest in the educational, social or religious development of the world, while a score of these papers have presented matter that must receive the attention of the leadmust receive the attention of the leaders of thought on all the lines indicated. A higher, broader and deeper sense of the work of the Christian church has been profoundly impressed upon the public mind by these meetings. It is but fair to say that the foreign speakers in score of still foreign speakers, in scope of virile thought, depth of conviction, earnestness and eloquence of expression, and power of impression and conviction, have fully equaled their American brethren, and while there was probably no thought of rively the convergence. ly no thought of rivalry in this direction, the audiences had a rare opportunity to compare the pulpit and plat-form methods of the various representatives.

"It would be a grievous misappre-hension of the scope of the work of the council to suppose that it was lim-ited to narrow, technical or denominational lines. For the most part the subjects discussed and the matter presented were on the broader lines of the welfare of mankind as a whole, and were inclusive of all that excites the interest and inspires the effort of all who are working for the uplifting and development of the better part of the

"And in and through all was the expression of the most full and emphatic purpose to work and pray for the education and development of humanity on all the broad lines of effort which invite Christian source and requifice the vite Christian service and sacrifice, in the name and to the honor of God as manifested in the historic, the revealed and the visible Christ. This was the keynote of the gathering, and its influ-ence can hardly fail to be strong and far-reaching in inspiration to grander effort, and in stimulation of zeal and purpose along the higher and spiritual lines upon which all successful Christian work so largely depends."

Permit me to add a paragraph to say that I met Rev. R. W. Wallace, many years ago pastor of the Congregational Churches at Burford and London, who is now one of Boston's popular preachers. It will interest Torontonians to learn that I also had the placeure of learn that I also had the pleasure of learn that I also had the pleasure of renewing acquaintance with Dr. Sims, predecessor of Rev. Morgan Wood at Bond Street Church. He is comfortably settled at Melrose, a suburb of Boston, and is evidently the right man in the right place. Yours faithfully, EDMUND L. YEIGH.

Toronto, Oct. 8, 1899.

THE "BLUES"

What Poets Have to Say of These Mel ancholy Moods

[Chicago Tribune.]

It has been said that much of the modern willingness to get rid of the mortal coil is due not so much to tangible woes as to that intangible state called ennui. There is no apt English equivalent for this French word, and that state of mind called the blues is much too active a condition to express the apathetic torpor whose tone is a prevailing gray. John Stuart Mill, in his remarkable

"Autobiography," confesses to having been subject to such attacks when the fountains of vanity and ambition were dried up and when "neither selfish nor unselfish pleasures were pleasures." Coleridge, says Mill, best expressed this condition in the lines in the "Ode to

A grief without a pang, void, dark and drear. A drowsy, stifled, impassioned grief, Which finds no natural outlet or relief In word, or sigh, or tear.

The philosopher believed that with him such a mental state was due to a premature habit of self-analysis, and no doubt analysis does tend to destroy feeling and capacity for enjoyment. A modern poet, Stephen Phillips, utters the same cry and protest:

My senses all like weapons rust And life disused in endless dust. I may not love, I may not hate; Slowly I feel my life abate.

Many people confess to having en-dured these visitations of the ennui microbes on a Sunday afternoon when, either because of unwonted feasting or lack of mental stimulus, they become mere clods. After all, both the blue and the gray states are but mother nature's way of getting even with the nerve-exhausted individual who has taxed her too heavily. The best remedy lies in physical activity and effort, though effort at such times is difficult to command. Yet, as Matthew Arnold says:

Tasks in hours of insight will'd be through hours of gloom fulfill'd.

A CREED. I have no faith: but this one fact I That love is growing lovelier every day: What we call sin is what it leaves behind.

What we call good attracts it on its I have no hope; with God's love in my heart. What is a selfish loss to care about?

If in the world I've played my little Let him who lit the candle put it out. I have no creed but love: is there a Where some poor tortured thing cries out in pain?

Then let me take his hand and wish him well. And wait until he finds his heaven

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What would the absent Frau Doctorin Haydn have said had she known of it? The composer also got mixed up in a little affair with the beautiful Mrs. Billington. Sir Joshua Reynolds was painting her portrait for him, and had represented her as St. Cecilia listening to celestial music. "What do you think of the charming Billington's picture?" said the artist to Haydn when the work was finished. "It is indeed a beautiful picture." replied Haydn. "It is just like her; but there is a strange mistake. You have painted her listening to the angels, when you ought to have painted the angels listening to her."

A Nova Scotia Farmer Tells How He Regained Health.

He Suffored for Years From Kidney Troubles, Sick Hendache and Rheumatism-Although Advanced in Life He Has Found a Cure.

[From the Enterprise, Bridgewater, N. S.

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pleased his heart and eve. For they had little money and the price was very high; No pictures worth the framing hung upon their parlor walls, But antique rugs, worn out and frayed, were scattered through the halls.

He went without a set of books that

Her husband's overcoat was old, his hat was out of style, And always with his threadbare suit le wore a bitter smile: She bought old plates and coffee-pots that folks once threw away, happy night and day.

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ever met. As a matter of fact, Haydn was always meeting the "most beautiful" woman ..

"The loveliest woman I ever saw," was at one time a Mrs. Hodges; while at another time the widow of a musisian named Schroeter so fascinated him that he kept her letters for many years, and declared that if it were not for the existence of Anna Maria he would have married her. Certainly Mrs. Schroeter's letters were pleasant enough. "Every moment of your company," she wrote from Buckingham Gate in 1792, "is more and more precious to me now your departure is so near. I feel for you the fondest and tenderst affection the human heart is capable of. I ever am, with the most inviolable attachment, my dearest and most beloved Haydn, most faithfully and most affectionately yours.'

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THE OPINION OF BALZAC.

"A woman's real physiognomy does not begin until she is 30." "Woman "Woman lives by sentiment where man lives by action." "A woman who is happy does action." "A woman who is happy does not go much into society." "Beauty is the spirit of all things. It is the seal which nature has placed on her most perfect creations. It is woman's dowry by divine right." "I have never seen a badly-dressed woman who was agree-able and good-humored." "The woman able and good-humored." "The woman who has laughed at her husband can no longer love him." "It takes an old woman to read an old woman's face." "Women of the world have a marvelous talent for diminishing their faults. They can efface anything with a smile, a question, or a feigned surprise." "In the life of every woman there is a moment when she understands her destiny, and in which her organization. hitherto dumb sneaks



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He Speaks of the Shadow on American Life.

The Secular Spirit Open and Unabash ed-Has Hope of Better Things.

[Literary Digest.]

Dr. John Watson again returns (in the Outlook) to the subject of the impressions made upon him by the secu-lar spirit in America during his recent visit to this country. After showing warm appreciation of the many good traits of a people whom he says he loves, he asks to be allowed one privilege of friendship—the right to speak in warning of the shadow that rests on America—namely, "the strength of the secular spirit, or the tendency to give an undue place to the value and influ-

ence of wealth."

He does not wish to be understood as depreciating the spirit of enterprise. "The secular spirit appears, not in a man's industry, nor in his payment, but in the attitude of his mind toward the money which he has earned and receive." There is no land where this secular and money-worshiping spirit does not appear as a menace, says Dr. Watson, but here it is virtual-

ly omnipresent:
"The friendly visitor to the United States, who is proud of her achievements and delighted by her brightness, stands aghast at the open and unabashed front of secularity. It seems to him as if not merely coarse and unlettered men, whose souls have never been touched either by religion or by culture, but that all men, with a few delightful exceptions, bow the knee to this golden calf, and do it homage. Nowhere is there such constant and straightforward talk about money, nowhere is such importance attached to the amount of money which a man has acquired or possesses, nowhere is it ta-ken so absolutely for granted that the object of a man's work is to obtain money, and that, if you offer him enough money, he will be willing to do any work which is not illegal; that, in short, the motive power with almost every man is his wages. One is struck, not so much by what is said in plain words (although dollar is a monotonous refrain in conversation) as by what is implied; and what is implied is thisthat, if you know the proper sum, any man can be induced to do what you want, even although his health and his rest and his family and his principles stand in the way."

After speaking of this worship of wealth in politics, he turns to its presence in the Christian Church, where, he says, its prevalence is surely one of the greatest ironies of history:

"If the church is anything, it ought to be unworldly, since it was founded as a spiritual society and to be a home for the soul. Of course, the church must have her organization, and her affairs ought to be managed with as much care as that of any other corporation. Her servants ought to receive a just support, and in most churches, Christ's ministers have never been overpaid. There is nothing dishonorable in the minister of religion receiving a although there is sometimes something very dishonorable in the poverty of the salary which is offered by the laymen; nor is there anything unworthy in a minister making provision for his family, so that when he dies they may not be left paupers; and there would be something sinful in his neglecting his own household. When one speaks as if a minister should be perfectly indiment to all worldly af-fairs, and hardly know what he possesses, then that person is talking cant and nonsense. At the same time, there is no place where the subordination of the material ought to be so strictly in force, and where domination is more scandalous. It is unchristian, and can do nothing but injury, that a minister should be tempted from one church to another solely by pecuniary consideration-the congregation which has no doubt that it can so buy him ought not to receive any minister at all; that the efficiency of a congregation should be estimated by the number of sittings let or the credit balance at the end of the year; that a minister's work should be judged, not by its spirituality, but by its smartness, and that the man who creates the greatest sensation should be judged a better minister of souls than who builds up character. And, above all, it comes little short of a religious disgrace that a rich man, because he is rich, and for no other reason, should be able to bully a minister, and practically give him notice to quit; and that, no because the minister has not preached the Gospel, or done his work as a pastor, but because the church under his care has not prospered in dollars. When the visitor the United States hapepns himself to be a minister, nothing makes him more indignant than to see how his brethren are alternately tempted and browbeaten by this secular spirit. which is not unknown in other lands but seems to have attained a perfect

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THE OLD ISSUE

Full Text of Kipling's New Pocin-Worthy of the Recessional.

Kipling's latest poem, "The Old Issue," is far more intelligible when read in the full text than in the cabled summary. The London Spectator calls it worthy of the author of the "Recessional." "The Old King" symbolizes the old reactionary spirit, the force that is always fighting and resisting freedom. Kipling makes Kruger the embodiment of this spirit, seeking to lay on the new land the evil of the old. The poem in full is:

THE OLD ISSUE.

All we have of freedom-all we use or This our fathers bought us, long and long ago.

Ancient Right unnoticed as the breath we draw-Leave to live by no man's leave, underneath the Law.

Lance and torch and tumult, steel and gray-goose wing, Wrenched it, inch and ell and all, slowly from the King.

our fathers 'stablished, after bloody years, How our King is one with us, first among his peers.

So they bought us freedom-not at little cost— Wherefore must we watch the King, lest our gain be lost;

Over all things certain, this is sure in-Suffer not the old King, for we know the breed.

Give no ear to bondsmen bidding us endure. Whining, "He is weak and far"; crying, "Time shall cure."

(Time himself is witness, till the battle joins Deeper strikes the rottenness in the

people's loins.) Give no heed to bondsmen masking war with peace. Suffer not the old King here or over-

They that beg us barter—wait his yielding mood—
Pledge the years. Pledge the years we hold in trust-

pawn our brother's blood. Howso' great their clamor, whatso'er their claim, Suffer not the old King under any

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Here is naught unproven-here is naught to learn.

It is written what shall fall, if the King return. shall mark our goings, question whence we came

Set his guards about us, all in Freedom's name He shall take his tribute, toll of all our

ware, He shall change our gold for arms arms we may not bear.

He shall break his Judges if they cross his word: He shall rule above the Law, calling on the Lord.

He shall heed our whispers, for the night shall bring Watchers 'neath our window lest we mock the King-Hate and all division; host of hurrying

spies; Money poured in secret, carrion breeding flies.

Strangers of his council, hirelings of his pay, These shall deal our Justice; selldeny, delay.

We shall drink dishonor, we shall eat abuse For the Land we look to-for the Tongue we use.

We shall take our station, dirt beneath While his hired captains jeer us in the street.

Cruel in the shadow, crafty in the sun. beyond his borders shall his teaching run

Sloven, sullen, savage, secret, uncontrolled-Laying on a new land evil of the old:

Long-forgotten bondage, dwarfing heart and brainour fathers died to loose he shall bind again.

Here is naught at venture, random nor untrue— Swings the wheel full-circle, brims the cup anew.

Here is naught unproven, here is nothing hid; Step for step and word for word-so the old Kings did!

Step by step and word by word; who is ruled may read, Suffer not the old Kings for we know the breed-

All the right they promise—all the wrong they bring. Stewards of the Judgment, suffer not this King!

MARK TWAIN ON CHRISTIAN SCI-ENCE.

Under the title of "Christian Science and the Book of Mrs. Eddy," Mark Twain contributes to the October Cos-mopolitan what is the most remarkable agazine article of the month, if not of the year. Twain discloses two phases of himself—the humorist and the keen, far-sighted philosopher. He handles the cult a bit severely, perhaps, but he has his reasons for so doing, and sets them forth most forcibly. His statement concerning Mrs. Eddy's book is char-

activatic. Of it he says: "It is the first three time the dawn of Creation that a Voice has gone crashing through space with such placed and complacent confidence and command."

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the pale of popular favor. For the dear old waltz, the premier of all ballroom dances, has faded from the dance programme and the dancing masters sadly admit that they see no immediate probability of its revival. In its place has come the two-step, which is simply the old gallop rejuvenated and set to march music. The professors do not approve of the newcomer. It is too simple; too easily learned. They call it a fad, and say that its very simplicity will kill it, and then the grand old rhythmical waltz will whirl itself back into favor. In the meantime, however, the composers are writing no more waltzes, there being

vocal way. Thus does the two-step slide-and-skip crowd out a dance which, since its first appearance on the Viennese stage in appearance on the vienness stage in 1788, has been the delight of millions in every civilized land. But Time's whirligig, whether it moves to the one-two of the two-step, or the one-two-three of the waltz, still brings on its mutations, and the old gives place to the new and sometimes the new to to the new, and sometimes the new to the old, but the dance never stops. — Cleveland Plaindealer.

little demand for them, except in a

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A SOFT SNAP

ABook-Keeper Wanted-A Young Man Applies for the Job.

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child who looked up to her lady bene-factor and asked: "Are you God's wife?" Even more affecting, not to say startling, in its simplicity, was the similar childrike question that surprised Mr. J. H. Hanan when last spring he saved nine souls adrift in the sink-

ing Caspian.

Mr. Hanan, a wealthy Englishman, with a party of American friends whom he had invited to join him in his yacht Sagamore, was returning from the West Indies, when, about half a day's sail north of Bermuda, his look-out sighted a floating wreck.

For his prompt rescue of the famished crew of the little ship he is to receive the Albert medal; but deeper than his sense of this distinguished honor, the lesson of innocent faith that he learned then touched him with its revelation and reward. The truth that every human helper of human suffering is a representative of Divine Providence was brought home to him in

way he will never forget. For nine days the disabled Caspian had been tossing on the pounding waves, carried no one knew whither, and despair had come to every soul on bard-except the captain's wife, Mrs. Gordon. As the crew afterward testified, this brave woman prayed, impressed her own resolute Christian trust upon her child, Helen Sylvia Gordon, a bright little girl of 4 years. Hour by hour she had promised to her: 'God will save us; he has not forgot-

ten us; he will not let us die."
When all had been safely transferred from the wreck to the deck of the Sagamore, Mrs. Gordon fell on her knees, weeping for joy, her face buried in her hands, while Mr. Hanan held her child in his arms. "God has answered my prayer!" was all she could say. The child nestled closely to Mr. Han-an, sobbing in sympathy. Tears rolled down the strong man's cheeks, and were in the eyes of everyone on board. Then little Helen looked up to her de-

liverer, and asked: "Mamma, is this God?" To a reporter of the New York World Mr. Hanan tried to intimate something of his feeling when the innocent eyes gazed into his with that unexpected

question. "Talk of medals and rewards!" he said. "As for the decoration by Queen Victoria, I shall welcome it, of course. Such a tribute is one of which any man may be proud. But beyond that, and greater than that, in my mind, is the memory of one thrilling moment-the vibration of gratitude thrown from thankful hearts into my own. It was the moment when little Helen nestled in my arms, asking in her childlike simplicity, 'Mamma, is this God?'"

A LIQUID IN WHICH CORK SINKS.

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"The Boy At Number Ten."

Teddy Mills and I became friendly the moment we discovered a common interest in the feats of her Majesty's I, smoking my morning cigar to catch his train. "Rather swagger, Common, and he, evading his too. I think you'll like her." on the Common, and he, evading his nurse at a moment when she was enmon afforded. Teddy was generally an admiral of a rather dogmatic kind, and I think that I was an underling—say a midshipman. The foreign foes which we together engaged in combat and routed entirely were past counting. His nurse called him a young Turk, and having done so seemed to disengage herself from all responsibility; he certainly was a little 5-year-old with spirit, but when he became too boisterous one could always make him respect the laws of order by a casual word about his mother.

"You don't know where she's gone, of course, do you?" he asked inquir-

Mills, the boy's father, had warned me on this point, and I was ready with my answer. "I don't know, Teddty," I said, "for

certain. We're not allowed to stay in this world for ever."

"She must be somewhere," said Teddy, acutely. "I 'spect the gipsies know." "I should think," I said, "that the

gipsles would know as little as we do. Perhaps less! They never go to "Don't mind me saying that you're

quite wrong, will you?" remarked the boy politely. "My mother used to say when I asked her questions, she said: There are things I can't tell you, my For only the gipsies know." "Oh," I said, "then I've made a mis-

"Yes," replied the boy. But you don't often do so. And look here! S'posin' you was a Spanish ship and I'd blowed you right into twenty thousand pieces with my torpedo, what would you think, and what-

Teddy's father conducted an orches tra in London and composed a little. Teddy's mother, a good country girl, her christian name. the daughter of a Kentish farmer, had "Don't ask me," s the daughter of a Kentish farmer, hat been the best of mother's to the little affected shiver. "My childhood was chap. When two months before the not happy." Being one of those who time of which I am writing she had foresee aspirates in a sentence as a given the world for a h rief space a lit- cautious hunter sees a difficult hedge tle baby, and had treiveled away into she took breath at each attack. "Three the next world taking her new baby lumps of sugar, please." with her, Mills had become frantic "Isn't three rather a large number?" with grie'i, pacing the house with his asked Teddy. The boy stood near to rather extravagant head of hair dis- me with an illustrated volume of sea heveled, calling upon her appealingly stories under his arm, to be explained to come back to life.

"Tor, strong to last," said my house-This, indeed, speedily appeared to be

the case. In a fortnight Mills had your late parent. position of funeral marches and desolate whines; his grand piano went edly, "rather heavy cannon, Miss weeks he took trouble with his hair and bought a new sikk hat; in little the said.

"It is best to start children we said."

"Didn't your mother think of that?" back to the familiar waltzes. In three Blanshard, for such a small contest. over a month he had quite a cheerful men's party at his house, at which 1 found myself unable to be present.

"Didn't your mother think of that?" asked the boy.

I carried him off quickly to the other He was genuinely fond of his boy, but his affection came cant by fits and that she was now genuinely out of starts, remaining quiescent when other temper, and that Mills seemed persubjects occupied his mind. I spoke turbed in watching the duel; the aunt cent after her hansom; the brown-to him one evening as he started for his did not count. We discussed the batmusical work in town, and he told me that the Crescent had taken exception

"The common sense view of the matter. That's my view of the matter. Besides, they must make some allowance for the artistic tempera-

He took off his hat and ran his hand through his thick hair. "What is the artistic temperament?" I asked.

'Oh, you know. It's just a phrase." "Is that all?"

'Come in and have a smoke some time," he said, evading the question.
"My little chap's always pleased to see "He misses his mother," I re-

"Yes," he said slowly. "Yes, I suppose he does. Daresay he tells you more than he tells me. He's a mysterious little chap sometimes, and I across the room and stood there with scarcely know hom—Wish you'd come his hands in his knickerbooker pockets, across Sunday evening," he said, breaking off rather confusedly. "A Miss Flanchard is coming down with her sunt-the Miss Blanchard you

When a man falls headlong from a roof, we think only of the hazardous character of his employment. It does not occur to us that thousands of men at sea or on land are hourly climbing to dizzy heights without a fear and without a fall, and that the real danger is not in the employment but in the weakening of the nerves and giving way of the muscles. That danger is just as great to the man on the sidewalk or in the office as to the man on the roof. When the stomach and the organs of digestion

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Madison
Co., Ohio.
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all 'run down,'
nerves and stomall 'run down,'
nerves and stomach were out of
order. Iwrote to Dr.
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Golden Medical Discovery, and, thanks to you for your ad-vice, I used six bottles; and since I stop-ped taking it about one year ago, I have not taken any medi-cine of any hind, and have been able to work

"The name is not familiar." "She's singing in a musical farce of mine," he said, preparing to turn off

I did not like Miss Blanchard, but gaged in a debate of which servants that fact has nothing to do with this never tire—"Mistresses and how to story. She was a dark, black-haired circumvent them," a question in woman of the aggressive style, which which she had really no concern, seems to say, "If you don't admire me since the small boy had lost his mother—we would stroll intuitively to the empty band-stand, the nearest thing to a man-of-war that the Combined for temporary use, complained thing to a man-of-war that the Combined for temporary use, complained to for the inconvenient situation of our suburh comparing it in this rebitterly of the inconvenient situation of our suburb, comparing it in this respect to Kennington road, to its great disadvantage. Miss Blanchard herself had clearly made up her mind to become the second Mrs. Mills, and she assumed an air of proprietorship about the place that annoyed me, but gratified Mills. After all, it was not my house, and I had no good reason to be indignant until my friend Teddy

> "Teddy boy," said his father rather anxiously," here is a lady who wants to know you, and who wants to be a very good friend to you.' "How do you do?" said the little chard at all.'

was brought in.

chap, politely.

"Oh, the dear sweet child," cried
Miss Blanchard, effusively, taking him
up and dancing him as though he were a baby. "I simply dote on children.

She had the mincing assumed accent of refinement that is easily detected. had struggled away from her, "I don't think that I like people who "We shall become such dear friends,

Neddie darling." "Teddie," corrected the small boy.
"His mother used to call him Teds,"
remarked Mills from the fireplace. "But I don't want you to," said the boy to her quickly; "I don't want any-body else ever to call me that."

There came an awkward pause, and I asked Miss Blanchard if she knew the neighborhood, a banality that can always be uttered without trouble. The maid brought coffee. "I used to know the road by the Common," she said, in a way hinting that

"I was always fond of outdoor life." "Did you live near here, Netta?" The small boy looked round sharply as his father in speaking to her, used

she did now condescend to know roads.

to me. "My mother only tookf'Fortunately," interrupted Miss Blanchard, annoyed, "my rules of life are not necessarily modeled on those of

"So I see," replied the boy, quickly. "Surely," I remarked, goodtemper-

end of the room, because I could see tle of Trafalgar, Teddy and I, the boy assuring me that he would have to his quick recovery of spirits.

"That," I said, "is a matter that he been in the great admiral's place.

"Exactly!" he exclaimed, with enwatch Miss Blanchard. She had recovered her self-possession quickly, and engaged in discussing a new part in a new production, she became excited and more brilliant-looking than before. She had a loud, high voice (which I hold to be an unnecessary trait in a woman), and as she became interested in her conversation with the admiring Mills, made little slips in her talk that seemed to betray her origin. The aunt slept and woke and slept again, sometimes re-opening one

eye only to save trouble.
"I certainly believe she is," said Teddy, who had been looking at her very hard.
"Your remarks, Teddy," I said, "are

not always lucid." "I've a good mind to ask her. I am going to ask her," he said. He strode waiting until there came an opening.

"Miss Blanchard," he said. "And I don't take it on." Miss Blan-chard was saying, "without I get a song in each act, and if you like, you can

tell him I said so." "Miss Blanchard," repeated the boy. "Unless anybody asserts herself," she went on strenuously," there's a jolly good chance of being stepped on, and I-well, what do you want, now?' "I want to ask you a question, Miss

Blanchard.

"Ask away." "Are you-are you a gipsy, please?" For answer she raised her right hand and boxed the little chap's head. She had a large hand, and the boy staggered from the effects. "My dear," said the aunt, awakening,

reely. "You should not have done that, Netta," said Mills sharply, as he helped his boy up. "You have no right to touch my son."

"He is not accustomed," I said, rather white. I am afraid, with annovance, "he is not accustomed to brutal-

"I'm awfully sorry," she said, with penitence. "I scarcely knew what I was up to." "You managed to let the boy know, Miss Blanchard.'

The little chap did not cry. I think he was as much astonished as hurt. He blinked at her, holding at his father's rock coat. "But I meant it as a compliment,"

he said. "I thought," she said, with confu-"I thought that it was impu-

"I only asked because gipsies know such a lot, and—"
"I know a lot, but I don't want to

be called a gipsy."
"Dou you mind," asked the boy, courteously, "If I go up to the nursery? My head's hummin' a bit.' "Let me take the dear little chappie upstairs," she said, endeavoring to amend the blunder: "I believe I can carry

"I can walk." Miss Blanchard." he said, in a dignified way.

Miss Blanchard called more than once afterwards at Number Ten, accompanied always by the impossible aunt, and I could see that her determined efforts to ingratiate herself into the good favor of the boy met with no success whatever. With his father, the task was less difficult, and I was

not surprised one evening when Mills strolled over to me with Teddy, for

whom he had that day ourchased a new cricketing set, and gave me news. Teddy was in exuberant good humor, talking of prospective feats with the bat in a way that would have been slightly over-confident on the part of a W. G. Grace. We sat out on my square billiard table of a lawn at the back, and Mills tolked nervously on a number of subjects; of the weather, of his dealings with a music publishing firm, of his newest ballads. "By the bye," he said, suddenly,

didn't tell you, did I?" He wasted for during recent years, and a comparison a reply to this vague question.
"Do you think," Teddy asked "that if I hit the ball very, very hard I could make a sixer?"

'Don't interrupt, Teddy." He turned again to me. "Did I tell you?"
"Of what?"

"Of my approaching marriage." The boy stopped in a desperate swipe at a visionary ball and looked round

grass, "I thought perhaps I had told you. I am going to marry Miss Blan-"Miss Blanchard, papa?" said the boy, very slowly.

"Oh," said Mills, pulling a sprig of

"Yes, Teddy, my lad. You'll have a new mother then.' "Nobody never wants more than one mother ' he said, deliberately. placed the bat on the ground and came to the iron chairs on which we were seated. I think Mills noticed that the boy came to me and not to him. "And

"The point is," said his father, lighting a cigarette, "that I do."

"I see," remarked Teddy. They went home. Twenty minutes ried less erect. An artist who has later Mills ran across to see whether studied the originals of the old masters the boy had returned to my house. Twenty minutes later still he hurried has not only suffered by the use of in to say that Teddy had certainly left unnatural collars, but that many of "I don't think," said Teddy, when he the house after their return together, "I and no trace could be found of him. I went out at once to the Common shouting his name; Mills, now genu- head is perfectly natural and graceful, inely stirred by fear, ran down to-wards the train-lines and hurried on to and flow in graceful curves. These the junction. Two hours later, when it lines contrast so sharply with those had become entirely dark, we were of modern pictures that the difference back at his house, without having found he says, must be patent to everybody, the least trace of the boy.

I found myself sorry for Mills during those days. An emotional man, with usually the gift of dispersing his grief rapidly, he became over the disappearance of his boy a serious, quiet, regretful man. He engaged a substitute to take his London work, and lost no moments whilst he pursued his search. Posters were issued, hand-bills were distributed, advertisements were placed in the daily papers. Mills did not weep publickly, as he had done on the death of Teddy's mother, but I am sure that his grief was none the less sincere, and I know that the Crescent sympathized the more because of his We all did something to who had frequently threatened to much of the bad sight of the present write to the Morning Post if the little day chap knocked any more tennis balls over on her lawn, took a four-wheeler one day, and drove three miles to a distant children's hospital, being possessed of the mistaken idea that Teddy was to be found there. Miss Blanchard and her imitation aunt came and wished also to join, but Mills, I was glad to see, begged her to refrain from interfering, and Miss Blanchard stalked away with a look in her eyes that promised no happiness for Mills. I heard afterwards that immediately after this they quarreled by letter. Eventually as she intimated, but ten minutes to stuck about with brushes in the manner of a porcupine, with windows curtained discreetly, came round the Cresspirited encounter of words with the

young driver of the cab. "I am not a mere foolish, simple-minded girl," said Miss Blanchard,her black eyes scintillating. Mills nodded assent. "And I can tell you this, that if you don't marry me after making a formal proposal, I shall most certainly take legal action."

Mills turner paler than usual, and rubbed his hands through his hair. Misfortunes were coming down upon him in a shower. ' he said, "I want you to

leave me alone, at any rate, until I have found my boy.' "I hope," she retorted angrily, "that there is no chance of the youngster's reappearance. I saw quite enough of

"The dislike was at any rate mutual.' "Personally, I should look upon it as good riddanice.' "This is a subject," said Mills,

"which I cannot discuss with steadily, you. Allow me to show you to the He went out and she found herself

obliged to follow him. As he opened the door the brown-faced woman of the van stood on the mat outside. "Any nice brushes, sir, any kind of

A small boy looked between the curtains of one of the windows of the van and instantly slipped down the wooden steps into the roadway. He ran across a rather torn, untidy little man, and hopped, skipped and jumped from the gate to the open door.
"Dads!" he cried, "I've come home,

and the gipsies couldn't tell me anything about my mother.' "It's my boy, sir," said the woman.

excusingly. "He's a—"
"On the contrary," said Mills, delightedly, "on the contrary, he's my Miss Blanchard came forward.

"Well," said the brown-faced woman, shifting her bundle of brushes from one arm to the other, "If I've lost one of me offspring, I've found another. How are you, Serphia, and when are you comin' back to Reuben?' "Never!" she cried.

"Don't forget, my dear," said the other woman, warningly, "don't forget, whatever you do, that yer cousing Reuben is your lorful married 'usband.' "The gipsies couldn't tell me where mums had gone to," said Teddy Mills again to his father. "I think dear mums must have made a mistake when she said they knew everything." "They know a good deal, my boy," replied his father.-British Weekly.

A PITIABLE CRIPPLE

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High Collars a Detriment.

The artist's ideal of feminine beauty seems to have altered considerably of paintings of women by old masters and by modern artists leads one to see that there is a surprising difference between them in important matters of detail.

The difference is most strongly marked in the pose of the head and the lines of the neck. Some artists explain that such pictures are mere imitations of life as found in the best models, and that it is the human figure itself which has changed in this way. The fact is now becoming more and more recognized among artists, and is generally attributed to the use of stiff and high collars. Wearing a stiff, high neckband will, as everyone knows, change the pose of the head to a marked de-gree, and this habit continued through generations, causes important changes in the muscles of the neck, which soon become permanent.

In the old paintings of women, whether Madonnas, angels of grace-the models were, of course, people who had I'm afraid that I don't like Miss Blan- never known anything of collars, and whose heads, therefore, rested on their bodies in a perfectly natural, easy way. The neck then were shorter generally than now, and heads were carfor years says that the human form the most beautiful lines have been lost through their influence. He points out that in old paintings the pose of the whether he be an artist or not. In modern studies of woman's figure the curves of the neck and shoulders

will be found to have almost disappeared. The perpendicular lines of the side of the neck meet the almost horizontal line of the shoulder, forming an angle of about 90°. The influence of the high collar is often to give the head a strained pose, and the effect is frequently hurtful from the health point of view. A very high band about the neck tends to strain the muscles and. incidentally, the cords of the neck and shoulders. If the collar be very high in front, it will impede the circulation. and in time result in headache and nervous strain. It is also thought that help him; a morose old lady next door, sponsible, by impeding circulation, for

The Ways of Royalty.

While is it claimed that the Princess of Wales is the most exacting member of the royal family regarding the fashioning of her clothing, she is by no means a fashionable dresser. A style she once favors it is with greatest difficulty she is induced to change. She ones had become established, and now she came down early one evening with, that tight sleeves are returning she steadily refuses to relinquish the more spare; that ten minutes she proposed roomy coverings. And this may be to utilize to the full by demanding of accepted as an index of her complete Mills an explanation. A yellow van wardrobe chapter. The princess had a practical rearing, and there are cal views, which are more or less followed, claim that they are due to the fact that in her girlhood she made her own gowns and trimmed her own hats. Twelve dressmakers are kept constantly busy supplying the wardrobe of the German empress. When the empress is preparing for a journey, or court festivities are progressing, the regular staff of twelve is increased to Her highness orders yearly 100 evening and state dresses. double as many visiting and carriage costumes, and upwards of 150 house and demitoilets. Each, and all of these, are made by hand; the sewing-machine is an unknown quantity in the royal work-rooms. The Empress of Russia is the most extravagant dresser in all Europe, and this not from choice. She is naturally simple in her tastes, and for the first year of two after her marriage wore only the plainest costumes. The ladies of the court took exception to this, and the grumbling reaching the queen's ears, she responded to the extent of buying the most costly materi-

the best dressed woman in Europe.

als and winning for herself the title of

Friendship Pillows. Experience teaches that to hoard letters is a mistake, while to destroy them is a heart trial, their cremation sorrowful in the extreme. The latest with very delicate sweet sentiment. Torn or cut into mere bits they are stored away until sufficient to fill a couch or bed pillow. The covers for these "love" or "friendship pillows" as they are called, are wrought with wash silks upon art linen and thus when soiled can be easily laundered again and again. A torch of love in-terwoven with roses or ornamental design surrounding monogram are favorite patterns for these cushions. Better a thousand times to feel that our heads are pillowed in sleep upon letters from our loved ones (in another form it is true), than to leave them to the curious eyes and irreverent touch of those to whom they can possess no value. It seems for the present at least, to solve the per- An' look an' listen in the glen plexing problem "what to do with old letters'

Snowball Pudding.

Beat the yolks of three eggs until light, then add gradually one cupful of granulated sugar, beating all the while. When very light add two tablespoonfuls of milk, one cupful of flour and beat again. Beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff dry froth, add quickly to the batter with one rounded teaspoonful of baking powder. Fill well buttered cups two-thirds full and steam for twenty minutes. Roll in powdered sugar and serve with FOAMY FRUIT SAUCE.

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So Many Ways.

Earth has so many ways of being fair. Its sweet young spring, its summer clothed in light. clothed in light, Its regal autumn trailing into sight

As summer wafts her last kiss on the Bold, virile winter with the windblown hair, And the broad beauty of a world

in white. Mysterious dawn, high noon and pensive night. And over all God's great world watching there.

The voices of the birds at break of The smell of young buds bursting on the tree. The soft, suggestive promises of

bliss. Utter by every subtle voice of May, And the strange wonder of the mighty sea, Lifting its cheek to take the full moon's kiss

Love has so many ways of being sweet. The timorous rose-hued dawning of its reign Before the senses waken; that dear pain Of mingled doubt and certainty; the

First moment when the clasped hands In wordless eloquence; the loss and gain When the strong billows from the deeper main Submerge the valleys of the incom-

restless passion rising into method of disposing of old letters is The growing beauty of two paths that blend Into one perfect way. The glorious That feels no fear of life's expiring

> And that majestic victory at the end When love, unconquered, triumphs over death.

Since Molly Went Away. Don't seem jest like it used to seem Since Molly went away; The dark has lost the rosy dream, The sunshine's left the day.

To hear the step of her It jest seems like for bird an' brook

The birds don't sing as sweet as when

There's never no more May, An' that when Molly went she took The world an' all away!

I jest set here when day's begun An' feel the lonely place, The sunflowers follerin' the sun An' dreamin' of her face.

An' wonder why in shrub an' tree The sweetest birds are dumb. While all the roses look at me An' whisper: "Will she come?

I didn't think it would seem strange-That any heart would break. But how this world o' God can change For jest one woman's sake!

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