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DUMBRO DESTROYED.
SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 27, 2.30 a. m.—A general alarm was sent in shortly before 2 o'clock this morning for a fire at Dumbro, H. M. Whitney's summer residence on King's Road. It had made considerable headway before discovered and before the firemen reached the scene. The fire is supposed to have originated in the kitchen, working its way into the front part, where it was burning when the brigade reached the house. Several streams were immediately got to play upon it, but such was the avidity of the flames that the whole interior was one mass of flames within half an hour. Volumes of smoke poured out of every window, among which the firemen fought bravely.
2.35 a. m.—The house is still burning, and there are little hopes of saving any of Dumbro, which was occupied by David Baker, superintendent of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., since Mr. Whitney went away. The only furniture saved was a little taken from the front rooms. The house was purchased by Mr. Whitney last year for \$15,000, and this year he effected improvements to the amount of \$4,000. The building and furniture are insured.
3 a. m.—Whitney's house is completely gutted. Only the walls, which are of brick, remain standing.

HIS FAITH SHAKEN.
Husband—What do you call this stuff?
Wife—Why, that's angel food.
Husband—Well, if that's what angels are compelled to live on I'm going to resign as deacon in our church—Chicago News.

Gurney division, S. of T. last evening elected the following officers for the present quarter: Wm. Smith, W. P. Kerr, A. W. P. G. Wetmore, R. S. A. Belyea, A. R. Belyea, chaplain; Dr. H. E. Belyea, Cond.; Miss B. Hastings, A. Cond.; Dr. McLean, I. Sent.; B. Bridges, O. Sent.; Geo. Wetmore, S. Y. P. W.

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CZOLGOSZ BREAKS DOWN.
Utter Collapse of the Assassin in the Auburn Jail.
BUFFALO, Sept. 27.—As stated, the assassin Czolgosz was sentenced yesterday at Buffalo to be put to death in the electric chair during the week beginning Oct. 28. Asked if he had any statement to make, Czolgosz replied that he alone was guilty and that no other person aided or abetted him in the act. He heard the death sentence with apparent calmness. Last night he was removed to the Auburn state prison. Such very careful precautions were taken that none except the officers, railway officials and newspaper men knew of the removal. He was accompanied by seven men.

AUBURN, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Czolgosz reached the Auburn state prison at 3 o'clock this morning. On entering the prison he collapsed completely.

AUBURN, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Czolgosz, President McKinley's murderer, in the custody of Sheriff Caldwell, of Erie County, and 21 regular and special deputies arrived in Auburn at 3.15 a. m. The prison is just across the road from the depot, the distance which the party had to walk after alighting from the car being less than fifty yards. As the arrival of the murderer was a crowd of only about 200 people, but either from fear of the crowd, which was not very demonstrative, and which made no attempt to harm the man, or from light of the prison, Czolgosz's legs gave out and two burly deputy sheriffs were compelled to practically carry the man into the prison. Inside the gate his condition became worse, and he was dragged up the stairs and into the main hall. He was placed in a sitting posture on the bench, while the handcuffs were being removed, but he fell over and moaned and groaned, evidencing the most abject terror. As soon as the cuffs were unlocked, the man was dragged into the principal keeper's office. As in the case of all prisoners, the officers immediately proceeded to strip him and put on a new suit of clothes. During this operation Czolgosz cried and yelled, making the prison corridors echo and re-echo with evidence of his terror. The prison physician, Dr. John Gerin, was summoned and on his arrival he examined the man and ordered his removal to the cell on the condemned row which he will occupy until he is taken to the electric chair.

The doctor declared that the man was suffering from fright and terror, but declared that he was shamming to some extent. The collapse of the murderer was a surprise to every one. En route from Buffalo he showed no indication of breaking down. He talked some and expressed his regret for his crime. He said:

"I am especially sorry for Mrs. McKinley."

He reiterated his former statement that he had no accomplices and declared that he never heard of the man under arrest in St. Louis who claimed to have tied the handkerchief. He said the handkerchief was not tied. He went behind the temple of music, arranged the handkerchief so as to hold the weapon and then took his place in the crowd.

KING EDWARD
Again Expresses His Deep Sympathy With the American People.
LONDON, Sept. 27.—King Edward received M. S. Ambassador Choate in audience at Marlborough house this morning and personally renewed to him his expressions of deep sympathy and condolence with Mrs. McKinley and the American people, already expressed in his telegram, at the time of President McKinley's assassination.

Mr. Choate left with King Edward a letter as follows: "I desire to express in person my sincere appreciation of your majesty's constant sympathy with Mrs. McKinley and the American people in their distress and bereavement, and the profound thanks of my countrymen for this unflinching interest."

The audience was strictly private. No one else was present in the India room, where it was held.

A representative of the Associated Press, who was present, said that the King was most cordial in his remarks, expressing warm regard for America and the Americans.

HORSES STAMPEDED.
Half a Dozen Teams Took to Their Heels This Morning.
One of the most exciting runaways which have occurred for some time, took place this morning. A few minutes before nine o'clock Robert McConnell's horse, which, with an express wagon attached, was standing on North Market street, became frightened and started off at a rapid pace. In an instant it collided with a similar rig belonging to George Damery and the two teams rushed from North Market street to Germain. Here one of McConnell's delivery teams was standing and when it was struck by one of the others, the horse, doubtless, felt his bounden duty to follow the crowd. Down Germain street they went, one of the wagons being left behind, and the three galloping horses, one of them without a load, running between two wagons, drew the attention of many people. At the Union Club a carriage belonging to W. L. Bradshaw was standing and when it was bumped a fourth horse was added to the party. Previous to the Bradshaw collision, teams belonging to Hutchinson and Lord's were approached, but were caught before they got a fair start. The four frantic animals continued down Germain. Damery's was caught before going very far, but the others continued in their devilish course until they finally separated at Britain street. Bradshaw's went to the American steamer, where it was caught, the wagon being considerably damaged, but still in the list. Manchester's had an engagement with a telegraph post and left its express on Britain street, while the horse went down to the Ballast wharf. It was caught there with several cuts on its legs. McConnell's continued along Britain street and turned up Charlotte on return, but fell into good hands near Queen Square. This horse had left the wagon behind and was flying along in a free and easy manner, dragging some remnants of the harness. Officer Lee and Sgt. Baxter, who were in Lower Cove at the time of the runaway, assisted in catching the horses. In the original stampede at the market building John Ferri's horse and that of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. were in the mix-up, but they were stopped. H. McBeath and John Henderson distinguished themselves by stopping some of the horses. On Britain street several dump carts joined in the parade, but were soon stopped.

PERSONALS.
Miss Ella G. Rowe, from the Metropolitan Hospital Training School for Nurses, New York, is spending her vacation with her parents, No. 40 Pad dock street.

Dr. Inch left England for New Brunswick in the Tunisian on the 19th inst. Dr. Stewart and wife followed on the 24th in the Lake Superior. Mr. Board, of Charlottetown, is to take passage in the same boat.

Walter Dixon, of St. John, accompanied by Mrs. Dixon, is visiting Halifax.

J. N. Golding, sr., and Miss Olive Golding left by this morning's train on a visit to friends in Houlton, Me.

J. J. McCaffrey, of the Dufferin Hotel, returned this morning from Sydney.

Rev. R. W. Weddall will preach at Cornwall, P. E. I., next Sunday morning and in Charlottetown in the evening.

Mrs. Blair, wife of the minister of railways, is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism at her home at Ottawa. Mrs. Blair went to Quebec to attend the royal reception, but was compelled to return home, and has been confined to her room ever since.

Misses Laura and Annie Snowball of Chatham passed through the city yesterday on their way to St. John—Herald.

J. E. Kavanagh, superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.; B. G. Geely, J. McDiarmid, assistant superintendents; Harrison Kinneer; J. McLean, J. B. Pascoe, T. S. Hill, W. B. Mills, R. A. McLaughlin, B. H. Dean and N. P. McLeod will leave this afternoon for Quebec, to attend the yearly convention of the Canadian agencies.

RETURNED TO LONDON.
LONDON, Sept. 26.—The arrival of the King and Queen of England yesterday in London from the continent was accompanied by ceremonies and precautions hitherto unknown here and which emphasized the fact that King Edward intends to surround his position with all the pomp possible.

PRINCIPAL GRANT'S CONDITION.
KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 27.—Principal Grant is feeling stronger this morning. His kidneys and liver are acting satisfactorily. No new symptoms have developed since yesterday.

MACLAUGHLIN ARRIVES.
Jesse MacLaughlin will arrive in Halifax tomorrow, having sailed on Farness line steamer Evangeline, which is due some time in the forenoon. The great Scotch singer, before returning to Scotland, will make a concert tour of the world, the dates for which are even now almost entirely booked. It will probably be her last visit to St. John, and she should miss the splendid opportunity of hearing her, which is afforded the evenings of Oct. 7th, 8th and 9th. The first night's programme will include The Hundred Pipers, Callie Herrin, Rule Britannia, Comin' Through the Rye, and others. The plan opens at nine o'clock next Wednesday morning. The last night's concert will be an English and Irish programme.

WEDDED AT KERWICK.
The nuptials of Bertha, eldest daughter of Adam McWhirter, and William Kennedy of Woodstock, were celebrated at Mouth of Keswick yesterday afternoon. Rev. George How and performed the ceremony. The bridegroom is an employee of the C. P. R., and served in South Africa with "E" battery, second contingent.

SHAMROCK AND COLUMBIA.
Betting Two to One on the Latter—English Opinions.
LONDON, Sept. 27.—The Pall Mall Gazette is practically alone in thinking that the American "experts" are easily satisfied if they are already convinced that the Columbia is the better boat. The paper's comment is probably based on the conclusion of its own correspondent's long account of the race, which commences: "The Columbia did much to shatter the Lipton hope yesterday." And concludes: "The day's sailing did nothing to suggest that the Shamrock will not win in a good breeze. I think she will."

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Odds on the Columbia advanced to 2 to 1 after the race was declared off yesterday, and at the Waldorf-Astoria and other uptown places a number of small bets were recorded at those figures.

The cup defender Columbia and the challenger Shamrock II. are lying quietly at their moorings in the bay at Sandy Hook this morning. A light breeze from the northeast of ten miles an hour straightened out the flags on the Erin, the Porto Rico, the tender Park City and the Columbia. The latter flew the Stars and Stripes, but the Shamrock had no flag at either her masthead or at the foremast. Morgan of the Columbia, after some inquiry about the prospects for a breeze for tomorrow's race, was asked if the Columbia would go out for a spin today. He said:

"No, I think not. It is not likely we shall leave our moorings."

Captain Barr of the Columbia had his crew at work soon after breakfast, overhauling some of the light sails. At 8.15 they began unbanding the foot of the main sail. After the cover was off for about 30 feet the clew of the sail was unshackled and taken on deck and some sail makers were put to work on it making alterations. Capt. Barr says he thinks the Columbia is going as fast as she ever did, and when a breeze comes she will give a good account of herself.

Everything was very quiet on board the Shamrock. The crew were out early, but nothing was done beyond washing decks up to 8 o'clock, when they all went to breakfast on board the tender Porto Rico.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Sir Thomas Lipton cables to his friends here: "Am very hopeful." But the feeling is not reflected by public opinion, which foresees defeat for the Shamrock II. in her races with the Columbia for the America's cup. The afternoon newspapers similarly derive scant comfort from the stories of yesterday's contest. As the St. James Gazette points out, in spite of all suggestions that the conditions prevent accurate judgment of the comparative merits of the two yachts, "the main fact stands out that under a condition of weather that was the same to both, the American got a good bit nearer the winning line than our own."

CLEVER RASCAL CAPTURED.
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Detectives Maguire and MacDonald, made an important arrest last night in the capture of a man giving the name of Robert C. Edwards of New York. The Syracuse authorities had word that a man had stolen \$100 worth of dental goods from a dentist's office in that city, and to look out for him.

The thief was captured in a pawn shop here in the act of disposing of the dental goods. On the way to the police station he was caught in the act of trying to swallow a newspaper clipping which describes the digging out of the jail in Malden, Mass., of Bert O. Taylor, arrested there for larceny Sept. 15. Edwards, alias Taylor, admitted that he is the man who dug out of the jail.

PECULIAR FATAL ACCIDENT.
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Rappello Diana, a Central railroad section hand, aged 51, met a peculiar death near the Village of Fairport. A passenger train approaching the section men stepped to the next track to allow it to pass. As the engine passed Diana a huge boulder of coal slipped from the tender, struck Diana on the head, breaking his neck.

THE WEATHER.
TORONTO, Sept. 27.—Light to moderate southwest to south winds; fine today and on Saturday, stationary or a little higher temperature.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Eastern states and northern New York—Fair, warmer tonight; Saturday, partly cloudy, light, variable winds, mostly east.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.
NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Mrs. Gulse R. Nostr, 60 years old, of Astoria, L. I., killed herself and her grandson, Willie Collette, six years old, some time during Wednesday night, and their bodies were found last night. She had stuffed the keyholes and other apertures in the room with paper and turned on the gas. Four years ago her husband committed suicide, and this may have affected her mind. Mrs. Nostr was quite wealthy.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.
NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—J. P. Morgan and one hundred guests started for San Francisco last evening in a special train. They are delegates to the Episcopal convention.

John Driscoll of Fredericton claims that he had \$140 stolen from him while with a number of drunken companions in Wednesday last.

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