

### Dining with Royalty

The Queen Invites Actors to Supper at Balmoral.

An American Beauty to Wed the Earl of Essex.

The Duchess of Fife's Great Fitting—Lord Tennyson's Life to be Written by His Son—Edmund Yates' London Gossip.

New York, Nov. 7.—Edmund Yates cables the New York Tribune from London as follows:

Theatricals at Balmoral.

Concerning the recent theatricals at Balmoral, which were reported in the daily papers, though the versions have not always been strictly accurate, I was amused at reading in one contemporary who gave a graphic account of the performance of "A Scrap Paper" by members of the royal family and household, in which Miss Beatrice was highly lauded for her interpretation of the leading character, Susan Hartley, which role, in point of fact, was played by Miss Hughes, one of the maids of honor. The Princess continued herself with the secondary part of the wife of the monosyllabic gentleman, effectively impersonated by Col. Biggs. The Queen is described as always leading the applause by thumping her ebony crutch stick upon the floor. After the performance the Queen received the guests in the drawing-room. In Mr. Haro's absence Mr. Bancroft performed the ceremony of presenting the members of the company at the castle individually to her Majesty, and she afterwards had the unprecedented honor of being invited to join the rest of the Queen's guests at supper. On the occasion of the performance of "Diplomacy" by Mr. Haro's company, this significant compliment was again presented to them, and the pleasure the visits afforded to her Majesty is amply testified by the exceptional nature of her gifts to the principal performers. The Empress Eugenie shared in the unanimous approval, and was as gracious as the Queen. In her long conversation with the leading members of the company she playfully reminded them that 23 years had passed since she last witnessed a play.

Will Marry an Earl.

Miss Adela Grant, the famous American beauty, and daughter of the late Beach Grant, of New York, has announced to the members of her family her engagement to the Earl of Essex, and the marriage will be celebrated at the earliest date possible after the necessary legal papers can be drawn up, certainly before Christmas. The Earl of Essex is a widower, 36 years old. He succeeded to the title in September of last year on the death of his grandfather, the sixth earl. He married on July 12, 1882, the daughter of a commoner in Gloucestershire, but who died three years afterwards, leaving one child, a son, then two years old and still living, who will, of course, succeed to the title. Friends of the prospective bride say it is a pure love match, since, though connected with one of the oldest families in New York, she by no means is rich either now or in expectation.

A Royal Angler.

During the autumn season now closing the Duchess of Fife captured with her own rod 40 salmon on the banks of Loch Lomond.

The Master of Ceremonies.

The office of master of ceremonies, which is the gift of the Queen and is worth about £700 a year, was founded by James I. The master of ceremonies is in attendance upon the Queen whenever she officially receives any members of the diplomatic corps and is on duty at the drawing-rooms, levees, state balls, concerts and any other functions at which the ambassadors or foreign ministers are present. The vacancy is said to be filled by one of the household, as it would be contrary to precedent to appoint an outsider. Sir Christopher Teesdale had been for 37 years master of ceremonies, when he was succeeded by Sir Francis Seymour, who had been groom-in-waiting to the Prince Consort, and then the Queen for 36 years, when he was selected to replace Sir Ed. Edwards.

Lord Roberts' Prospects.

I am glad to hear that since the return to England Lord Roberts has been much improved in health. Before he left India he felt the need of continuing work to some extent and his eyes were slightly affected, but he is now quite himself again, and it is by no means improbable that he will be induced to return to employment. It is pretty certain that he will get the first offer of the governorship of Malta, but not equally certain that he will accept it, as he is in a position which has been filled by another distinguished Indian commander, Field Marshal Lord Roberts, while the late Field Marshal Lord Roberts, held for five years the governorship of India. Both appointments are worth £5,000 a year.

Lord Tennyson's Son.

I understand that Lord Tennyson is busy at the present time at his residence in Farnham, Freshwater, in writing a life of his father. This is a naturally a somewhat difficult and delicate task, seeing how large a number of prominent public men who are still living were among the great poet's intimate friends. I should say that Lord Tennyson, in writing the life, will decline to avail himself of the scraps which some newspapers and reviews have been filled during the last twelve months, emanating from the fertile imaginations of those who have striven to show themselves Boscawells without Bosworth's accuracy and literary skill.

The World's Fair.

The Chicago exhibition is now a thing of the past. In some quarters it has been almost over-praised, while there has been a decided determination to deny it others. As an American show it has undoubtedly been a huge success. English visitors do not accuse their hosts of exaggeration with regard to their share in it.

Jasper Revel's Story.

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### Both Went Down!

Two Propellers Collide and Sink in the Lake.

The Captains and Their Crews Take to the Boats.

One of the Frail Craft Cap-sizes and 25 Men Lose Their Lives.

SAND BEACH, Mich., Nov. 7.—The propeller Albany, of the Western Transit Company, loaded with grain, and the propeller Philadelphia, loaded with coal and general merchandise, two of the largest freight boats on the lake, collided off Point Aux Barques in the dense fog last night, and both sank shortly after 200 feet of water. The Philadelphia struck the Albany. All hands got on board the Philadelphia, and the latter sank. The half an hour, when the latter sank, the Philadelphia went down 30 minutes later. Both crews got away in two small boats. One of them, with both captains and twenty men, reached shore at Point Aux Barques at 8 this morning, but the other has not yet been heard from.

Twenty-five Drowned.

SAND BEACH, Mich., Nov. 7.—The yawl carrying 25 men of the crews of the Albany and Philadelphia capsized, and all were lost. Eleven bodies have been found by the life saving crew at Point Aux Barques.

The Albany left Chicago last Sunday night for Buffalo, and had on board 235 barrels of flour, 17,000 bushels of corn and 75,000 bushels of oats.

It is believed that the Philadelphia is insured for nearly her full value. The grain on the Albany was insured by Chicago companies, and the loss will wipe out the profits on the November business.

The Philadelphia was bound from Buffalo to Duluth and was loaded with coal and a miscellaneous cargo.

TWO COSSY VESSELS.

The Albany was one of the first steel steamers built in Wyandotte. She was of 1,917 tons burden, was valued at \$165,000, and belonged to the Western Transportation Company. The Albany was nine years old and a little out of date, but was nevertheless a good representative of the fine fleet owned by this company. It is not absolutely known here whether or not the cargoes are insured.

The Philadelphia was one of the old-time iron steamers, and up to the advent of the big steel freighters was a first-class money-maker. She was of 1,403 tons, built in 1867, and was valued at \$80,000 and rated A. She was the property of the Anchor Line.

The Philadelphia was bound to Duluth with some coal and miscellaneous freight. The Albany was bound from Chicago to Buffalo.

THE DEAD.

EAST TAWAS, Mich., Nov. 7.—The Albany and the Philadelphia sank in 200 feet of water. The bodies of the crew, who were all drowned, were found by the life saving crew at Point Aux Barques.

From the Albany—S. B. Muerhead, Jas. Mulloy, Thos. Pearce, Job Price, S. B. Murrin, William Sturrah, Frank Keitcheu and Albert Holm.

From the Philadelphia—C. M. Leggett, Jerry Moran, J. Hunt, A. Hanna, W. Gibbs, C. Linquist, C. Rowen, R. Renshaw, C. Williams, S. Colles, John Paint, C. Labello, George Reidmaster, George Wise, A. Comers and one unknown man.

WITHOUT WARNING.

The two boats were running in a heavy fog about seven miles off Point aux Barques. They had been going slowly and the watch felt fairly safe, when at 2 o'clock this morning both vessels came together without a second's warning. Almost at once the Albany began to sink and all hands were transferred to the Philadelphia.

The deserted boat went down in the collision, for she presently began to sink. The two crews then jumped into the water and dropped over the side into the water. Not half an hour after the collision the Philadelphia, too, was at the bottom of the lake. The two boats sank in 200 feet of water.

The first boat which contained 23 persons, including the captains of both vessels, reached shore after a pull of about five hours.

THE FATED BOAT.

The second boat contained 24 members of the crews of both vessels, and was lost sight of in the fog. As the morning wore on and the second boat failed to make its appearance the life-saving crew at Point Aux Barques went out in search of her. The life-savers found the boat about eight miles from shore bottom up. Eleven bodies wearing life preservers were found floating in the vicinity, and these were picked up and sent to East Tawas on the City of Concord.

NOT A SURVIVOR COULD BE FOUND, and it is supposed that the other occupants of the boat were no life preservers and went to the bottom at once when it capsized.

Nearly all the dead and missing men were shipped from Buffalo.

Sensational Developments Promised.

TORONTO, Nov. 7.—The detective department say that every person whose name figures on correspondence seized in "Don Andrews' house and who is available will be summoned as a witness when the case comes to trial. When this comes about the developments, they say, will be most sensational.

### Agitated Africa.

A British Mission Attacked by Natives.

English Inspectors Say Canadian Cattle Have Pleuro-Pneumonia.

A Thousand Victims of the Spanish Explosion.

Production of an Improved Artificial Sky for the Theater.

Nellie Bass' Father Said to Have Broken Her Plebeian Engagement—She Is Rich Enough to Buy a Duke.

Death of Julius Froebel.

ZURICH, Nov. 7.—Julius Froebel, the well-known writer and statesman, died here to-day. He was a nephew of Dr. Froebel, the founder of the kindergarten system.

A Big Bridge.

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—Wednesday the longest iron railroad bridge in Germany will be opened. It spans the Vistula between Forde, in Prussian Poland, and Culmsee. It is 1,450 yards long, and cost 18,000,000 marks.

A Steamer Disabled.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The British steamer Heraclea, from New Orleans for Liverpool, before reported, towing the Norwegian steamer Henry Dumois from Norfolk for Liverpool, is taking the Henry Dumois to Liverpool. The latter's shaft is broken.

He Confides in Capivi.

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—The Kaiser Journal says that the Emperor, sent with his portrait, to Chancellor Von Capivi an autograph letter, saying: "I consider it my duty to give this to you as a renewed proof of my confidence in the face of the unjust attacks in which you recently have been a victim."

Prussian Parliamentary Elections.

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—Complete returns from Prussian Parliamentary elections give these totals: Conservatives and Free Conservatives, 210; National Liberals, 37; Clericals, 95; Radicals, 20; Poles, 19; Danes, 2. Berlin returned nine members of the Radical People's party among the Eugene Richter.

Many Socialist Women Arrested.

WARSAW, Nov. 7.—Twenty-six more arrests have been made here in connection with the Socialist agitation. Most of the prisoners are educated women. General Gourko, Governor of Warsaw, who has been ill for some time past, it is said from the effects of poison administered to him, is improving daily, and expects to soon entirely recover.

The Apple Trade.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—Reports show that the prospects of the apple trade are fairly good. The English crop, though very large, is now getting exhausted. Small arrivals of good quality from Canada fetched good prices. Sound stock is likely to find a satisfactory market between now and Christmas.

At Deptford yesterday no Canadian animals were offered. Trade is firm and steady for United States beasts at an advance of 24 per eight rounds.

Socialist Sentiment Suppressed.

BERLIN, Nov. 6.—The whole issue of the Der Sozialist was seized to-day because an article entitled "The right to live" was intended to incite to theft.

The police have confiscated a book called the "Court of Berlin" because the author, M. Sinoe, of Paris, has written disrespectfully of the Emperor.

The editor of the Schleswig-Holsteinische Volkszeitung, a socialist paper, was sentenced to-day by a Kiel court to two months imprisonment for having printed seditionary articles.

Nellie Bass Can Buy a Duke.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—London society has been deeply stirred by the news that the engagement of Nellie Bass, whose father, Lord Barton, got his fortune and title by brewing ale, to Keith Fraser has been broken. The young woman is an only daughter. Her father settled upon her £2,000,000 as a marriage portion, and she will inherit probably 40,000,000 more after his death.

It is reported Lord Barton broke the engagement because he thought this fortune sufficient to warrant his getting a duke for a son-in-law.

Costly Gifts for a Wealthy Couple.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The marriage of Miss Lillias, only daughter of Sir Algeron Postwick, to the Earl of Bathurst, which will take place in this city on Nov. 15, is exciting much interest in London society. The Queen has sent to the bride-elect a handsome silver tea service. Ex-Empress Eugenie has given a gold-plated tea service. Among other presents are a heart-shaped casket studded with jewels from the Duke and Duchess of York, and an Arab horse from her father. Most of the members of the royal family have sent her costly gifts.

New Theater Effects.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—Everyone who has been in a theater has seen a waving flag, which sometimes hangs from the back of the part of the stage, and does duty for a sky. It hangs from side to side like a flat transparent board, but as unlike a sky as possible. It wants the curve of the vault, the arching sweep of the horizon, and above all, it presents the appearance of a perfectly flat, perpendicular horizon, with corners, flat, perpendicular there is to be at the Galaxy Theater a sky with a real vaulted roof. The result in question is blue, but it may be of any color to suit the momentary idiosyncrasy of nature or the requirements of the play. The gauze is freeprop, translucent for purposes of lime-light effects, and frepoid at the proscenium, but gradually drops fold by fold as it stretches into the distance. To the audience the gauze is quite invisible. One sees the white or gray clouds moving across the heavens and the lime-light does its best to imitate the effects of the sun or the moon.

Attacked by African Natives.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A dispatch from Lisbon says that an attack has been made by natives upon Milang, a British mission station in East Africa.

In regard to this incident the officials at Chiridono, a Portuguese station on the Shire River, have telegraphed that an officer and two Sikhs were fatally stabbed. The mission station is under control of the Free Church of Scotland. The staff there includes three missionaries, Messrs. Curry, Robertson and Herd. It was the attempt made to murder Capt. Robertson at Milang in July last that led to the dispatch of a British expedition from Zomba to punish Nyazema, a well-known chief of slaves in that district.

An Unfortunate Discovery.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A fresh case of disease was discovered among the Canadian cattle on the steamship Haroon, which were slaughtered last week. The lungs were at once forwarded to the Board of Agriculture for examination. The board's experts declare the disease is precisely similar to that detected in previous cases considered by them to be contagious pleuropneumonia. The Canadian authorities, on the other hand, deny that the present case, any more than the previous ones, is contagious pleuropneumonia. The discovery, coming towards the close of the season, however, is especially unfortunate, as it is certain to diminish any chances before existing of regarding free entry for Canadian live stock.

Fatality During the Emperor's Trip.

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—One incident occurred on the Emperor's trip to Tubingen that caused much excitement among the Imperial party and the train hands. The train stopped at Munsfeld, and Herr Schroeder, an official of the Foreign Office, hurried out of the Emperor's dining-car, to hand a telegram to the station master. As he stepped upon the foot-board his foot slipped and he fell to the track. A passing engine ran over and killed him before a hand could be raised to assist him. The body was carried into the station, and his Majesty, who was an eyewitness of the accident, caused his train to be delayed until he sent a telegraphic message of condolence to Herr Schroeder's wife. The Empress, when informed of the accident, sent a lady-in-waiting to express her sympathy to Frau Schroeder.

In the House.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Thomas Gibson Bowles (Con.) asked the Government to inform him as to the truth of the report that the British warships Pallas, Swift and Pigmy had been moved outside the blockade limits established by the French in Siam.

As a matter of fact, the limits by Rear Admiral Hamann, commanding the French fleet.

Sir Edward Grey, Parliamentary Secretary of the Foreign Office, said in reply that the British vessels had left of their own accord after the French admiral had notified them that the blockade had been established. They might, he added, have remained inside the blockade limits as far as any notice from the French commander was concerned. As a matter of fact, the British warship Linnet has stayed inside the blockade limits.

A Thousand Victims.

MADRID, Nov. 7.—Late details concerning the disaster at Santander on Friday show that the number dead, missing and wounded is fully 1,000. People have not recovered from the effects of the catastrophe. The day may be said to be a day of mourning. The streets are filled with the awful calamity that has befallen the city. Other hovers near the huge masses of debris that fill the streets, waiting to recover the bodies of those known to be under the ruins. There is no doubt many of the dead will never be identified. The divers, who were employed to recover bodies in the bay, have been so appalled by the number and gruesome appearance of the corpses that they have refused to continue work, and have prayed the officials not to insist on their carrying out their engagements. The authorities granted their position, and now men with grappling hooks in boats are employed in searching for bodies. Some of the bodies, upon a cursory examination, show that death was caused by drowning, and not by the shock of the explosion.

Many of the dead were buried yesterday. Among the bodies interred was the headless and mutilated remains of Marquis de Pomba. The services were attended by large crowds of people. Many fragments of bodies found in the vicinity of the quay were buried in a common grave.

NEWFOUNDLAND ELECTIONS.

The Government Evidently Sustained—Returns Still Incomplete.

St. Johns, Nfld., 7.—Elections took place yesterday and the balance of the day devoted to-day. Duff (Government) is elected for Carboneau by a majority of 80. Briggs returned one of two Opposition members, Dalve, by 60. In this district Clift (Whiteway candidate) polled less than one-third of the votes.

In St. Johns East, so far as counted, the Opposition is 80 ahead.

Indications are that St. Georges, Briggs and Fortune Bay, with one member each, will elect Opposition candidates.

Lab returns show that the Whiteway Government has got six seats and the Opposition three. Prospects are less favorable for the Opposition than anticipated, though they hope to make up lost ground. It is probable the final results will stand: Government 20, Opposition 16.

About \$50,000,000,000 represents the wealth of Great Britain.

Six new cases of yellow fever were reported on Tuesday at Bannewick, Ga.

The prayer carpets or rugs sold in our stores are the product of the leisure moments of Syrian and Indian women. Every house there is a loom, and when the women is not otherwise busy she sits down at it and does a few moments work. Of course, she works by snatches, which explains the story that some of these rugs were on the loom for twelve or eighteen months, but they would but they would be a rug done she sells it at once to the travelling merchant, who hies it over to the city merchant, and in time it finds its way, at a constantly increasing price, to Europe or America.

Should you suffer from toothache try Gibson's Toothache Gum.

### Democratic Defeat.

Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey and Ohio.

Once More Ranged on the Republican Side.

McKinley Elected by a Large Majority—The Southern States Stand Firm, but Show Popular Gains—Election Occurs at Several Points.

BUFALO, Nov. 7.—Present prospects are that the Democrats have lost every Northern State contested in to-day's elections. New York State is probably gone Republican by from 75,000 on Maynard for judge of the Court of Appeals, to 20,000 on the State ticket generally. Massachusetts elects Greenhalge governor by a good majority. Iowa is yet uncertain. McKinley is elected in Ohio by a majority of nearly 30,000.

The Southern States have not at this writing apparently changed their political complexion, except that here and there a Popular gain.

A FLOOD OVER.

BUFALO, Nov. 7.—At this hour it is merely a question of majorities. Massachusetts, New York, Ohio and New Jersey have gone over to the Republican column. Iowa returns are too meager to state safely any result, but it is surely Republican.

The Southern States have not drifted from their old-time bearings, and Virginia reports Democratic gains.

It is apparent that disaster has overtaken the Democracy in the north and west.

MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 7.—9:40 p.m.—The returns so far received show clearly that Mr. Greenhalge (Rep.) has been elected governor by more than 35,000 plurality.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

YANKTON, S. D., Nov. 7.—The Republican candidates for judicial positions have been elected by the usual majority. The result has been about one-half of that polled at the last general election of about 40,000, and of these the Republican candidates have about 75 per cent, electing their entire judicial tickets.

NEW YORK.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Tonight, when asked for his opinion as to the results of to-day's election, Gov. Flower said: "The Democrats seem to have elected their State ticket. The Legislature is in doubt. The result has been about one-half of that polled at the last general election of about 40,000, and of these the Republican candidates have about 75 per cent, electing their entire judicial tickets."

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Republicans look upon Grant's election as a repudiation of Gov. Altgeld's pardon of the anarchists.

NOTING IN NEW JERSEY.

CAMDEN, N. J., Nov. 7.—The election in this city has resulted in small-sized riots in several of the precincts. The Democratic policemen and ward workers took possession of many of the polls and Republicans appealed to Sheriff West to place the military at the polls. So far many deputy sheriffs have been shot and beaten, none seriously. The following have been admitted to the Cooper Hospital: Samuel Fulman, 812 Chestnut street, shot in the head; George Banks, 1,125 Kaighn avenue, shot in the leg; Frank Severin, eighth ward, shot in head and back; Ed. Ward, shot in head and back; Nathan Van Dyke, seventh ward, throat cut. Julia Chambers, 706 Chestnut street, while standing near the polling place, the first precinct of the seventh ward, had her throat badly cut with a razor. Michael Kelly, a Democratic worker, stabbed in the neck.

About twenty deputy sheriffs are under arrest. Detachments from the various precincts are being sent to the city, N. J. G., which are located in this city, are on guard at the armory.

AT PITTSBURGH, PA.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 7.—The bitter feeling growing out of the factional fights here resulted in a number of rows at various polling places. In the second district of the fourteenth ward the Republicans claimed that the Democrats refused to give up the polls. A dispute arose, and a riot broke out. A number of citizens followed and attempted to rescue the boxes. A policeman shot Joseph F. West, a prominent citizen, in the head. Great excitement exists.

HERE'S ANOTHER.

The Frank Craze Extends Into Canada—A Lunatic Chasing Up Air Oliver Mewat.

TORONTO, Nov. 7.—A well-dressed man walked into the downtown law office of Mowat, Dunne & Langton this afternoon and asked for Sir Oliver Mowat, the Attorney General, and said he wanted to have an order on Queen Victoria for \$2,000 cashed.

A police officer was called, and the visitor who was evidently insane, was given into custody. On his person was found an order drawn on the Alliance Bank of England to Sir Henry Ponsonby, signed Albert Edward Phillips and reading, "Three days' sight I promise to pay \$100,000, and a certificate permitting one John Stokes to practice law in New York State. The lunatic is supposed to be the latter party."

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Late Canadian News.

A Popular Ottawa Pastor Going to Brooklyn.

Probable Loss of Two Fishing Schooners With Their Crews of Ten Men Each.

The Selkirk House at Donald, B. C., has been destroyed by fire.

Postmaster Meacham, of Belleville, is 88 years old and has been 46 years in office. Steinitz, the chess champion, will visit Montreal next week and stay for some time.

There are 34 doctors practicing in Kingston, which has a population of about 20,000.

The leak in the Welland Canal near Thorold was repaired and locking resumed on Tuesday evening.

The Presbytery of Ottawa has sustained the call of Knox Church to Rev. Mr. Johnston, of Lindsay.

Subscriptions have been started in Ottawa for Mr. Ellis, of the St. John Globe, now in Fredericton jail.

Quebec is likely to have a carnival this winter. Mr. Van Horne's personal subscription for this object is \$250.

The Beauty Line of steamers will make their last trip from Seattle in connection with the Great Northern Railway on Nov. 20.

The Rev. A. A. Cameron, formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church, Ottawa, has accepted a call to Calvary Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Grand Trunk Railway Company's earnings for the week ending Nov. 4, 1893, \$409,474; same week, 1892, \$427,006; increase, \$18,532,432.

The Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville Electric Railway Company commenced active operations on the road on Tuesday morning just east of Hamilton.

The earnings of the Toronto Street Railway during October were \$72,270, the city's share being \$5,781. For October last year the city's share was \$5,219.

The Montreal Temple Company was organized on Tuesday night at Montreal with a capital of \$25,000. The company has been organized for the purpose of building the Masonic Temple.

The Mitchell Recorder states that it is the almost universal feeling in South Perth that the Hon. Thomas Balfour should be nominated at next Liberal election to contest that riding for the House of Commons.

On Tuesday next the case of the Crown vs. Nicholas K. Connolly and Thomas McGreevy, who are charged with conspiracy to defraud the Dominion Government, will come up again before Justice Rose at the Ottawa Assizes.

To force the city of Quebec to settle its share of the cost of the court house, \$88,000, the Provincial Government put the bill into the city treasurer's office. He was subsequently withdrawn, the city agreeing to arrange a settlement at once.

Mrs. Green, wife of Mr. De Witt Green, M. C. R. engineer, St. Thomas, received a telegram Tuesday morning announcing the death of her brother, Mr. Samuel Beamish, at Rochester, N. Y. Mr. Beamish had been for many years the head of the fire department in that city.

Vessels arriving at Bay of Fundy ports to-day report a terrible storm in the bay Monday night. The fishing fleet had a rough time. It is feared the schooner Constitution and Walter J. Clark, each with a crew of ten, have been lost, as no tidings has been heard of them.

Must Not Fight There.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 7.—Governor Foster declared yesterday that he would prevent the Mitchell-Corbett fight from taking place in Louisiana at all hazards.

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## Births, Marriages and Deaths

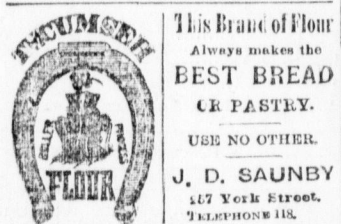
## MARRIED.

ALLAN-OATES—On Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1903,  
by the Rev. Dr. Antill, Hugh Allan, to  
Birdie May Oates, only daughter of Mrs. Ed-  
ward Pratt, 655 William street, both of Lon-  
don.

## DIED.

MARA—On Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1903, Thomas A.  
Mara, aged 49 years.  
Funeral will leave his late residence, No.  
484 Waterloo street, on Thursday, Nov. 9, at  
3:30 p.m.; services 3 p.m.SMITH—At the family residence, St. Thomas,  
on Nov. 6, 1903, James H. Smith.  
Funeral on Wednesday, Nov. 8, from M. C.  
H. depot on arrival of noon train.JOLLY—On Nov. 7, at 18 John street, London  
West, Mary Ann, wife of T. V. Jolly, aged  
49 years.  
Funeral on Nov. 9, at 3 o'clock (private).M'LELLAN—On Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1903, John  
M'Leellan, aged 79 years.  
Funeral will leave the residence of his son-  
in-law, Mr. Wm. Hooper, 176 Horton street,  
on Thursday, Nov. 9, at 2:30 p.m.; services at  
2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will  
kindly accept this intimation.

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Toronto, Nov. 7—11 p.m.—The pressure  
is highest over the New England States  
and Maritime Provinces and lowest over  
the Northwest Territories. The weather  
is fine and mild throughout the Dominion.Minimum and maximum temperatures:  
Esquimaux, 41°-48°; Edmonton, 22°-38°;  
Calgary, 10°-46°; Prince Albert, 28°-  
32°; Qu'Appelle, 29°-48°; Winnipeg, 32°-  
38°; Toronto, 24°-52°; Montreal, 28°-44°;  
Quebec, 22°-38°; Halifax, 34°-40°.TO DAY'S PROBABILITIES.  
Toronto, Nov. 8—1 a.m.—Probabilities  
for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes  
region (covering the peninsula and as  
far east as Belleville) are: Moderate  
winds; fine, mild weather.THE  
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## LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

"You've given up your bean," they said:  
"I have, indeed," said she:  
"He always put my arm instead  
of offering his to me."James B. Smith, of St. Thomas, baker,  
who was in business here for many years,  
died Monday.Harry H. Young and Fred W. Leonard,  
of this city, left on Monday evening, via  
C. P. R., for California on a six months  
trip.Court Forest City, A. O. F., will cele-  
brate their 21st anniversary by a supper in  
Foresters' Hall, East London, to-morrow  
night.All are cordially invited to hear the  
Bishop of Huron's account of his travels in  
the Northwest Territories, when a  
treat may be expected.Mrs. Ed. Dibbs has returned from Strath-  
roy, where she went to attend the funeral  
of her brother, Mr. John Brown, a victim  
of the Battle Creek accident.Mr. James Bridgman, who lives with  
his parents on Huron street, was recently  
married in Newbury. He has just re-  
turned to the city with his bride.Mr. J. A. Tane is now connected with  
the boot and shoe business of J. A. Brown,  
in the same premises in which he spent  
seven years in the employ of Mr. D. Regan.Rev. E. D. Silcox has tendered his  
resignation of the Embo Congregational  
Church, to take effect March, 1904. Mr.  
Silcox has been pastor of the church for  
nearly thirteen years.Mr. G. H. Gustin, of Cleveland, a  
former Londoner, arrived last week with  
the remains of his wife, which were interred  
in the family plot in Arva. Mr. Gustin has  
returned to Cleveland.Hugh Allan and Birdie M. Oates, of this  
city, were married yesterday afternoon at  
the residence of the Rev. Dr. Antill. Both  
are well known in this city. They left for  
Niagara Falls and the east on their wedding  
tour.To-morrow the Canadian ticket agents  
held their seventh annual meeting here,  
followed by a banquet in the evening.  
Representatives of connecting roads will  
honor them with their presence. A limited  
number of tickets will be reserved for rail-  
way men and friends. Mr. De la Hooke is  
the secretary.

Mother Goose.

Who among us has never wished to meet  
in person those characters whose stories  
were the delight of his early years? The  
opportunity of gratifying this wish will be  
given at a Friday evening entertainment  
when Old Mother Hubbard will tell the  
real truth about her cupboard, and merry  
Old King Cole, Jack and Jill, and all  
the heroes and heroines of the nursery  
will be brought to life and tell their own  
stories in their own way. The performers  
are the young folks of the First Presby-  
terian Church, and the object is for the  
benefit of their South Mission.

Piebiscite Work at Dorchester.

A very successful temperance meeting  
was held on Monday evening in the large  
Methodist Church at Dorchester. There  
was a large and respectable audience and  
Mr. McCann presided. Rev. Dr. McKay,  
of Woodstock, was the principal speaker,  
and made a most eloquent and effective  
address. A large vote for prohibition in Janu-  
ary. Mr. T. W. Casey, of London, spoke in  
regard to the revenue question, and Rev. Mr.  
Cook, Presbyterian, and Rev. Mr. Quance,  
the pastor of the church, both urged all  
present to do well their duty regarding the  
piebiscite. At the conclusion of the meet-  
ing a deputation was appointed to attend  
the township convention for organization  
purposes at Gladstone on Wednesday after-  
noon.

"Ole Olson" To-Night.

In the days of bad burlesque, broad farce  
comedies and the general blud and bluster  
of the stage, it is a relief to turn to some-  
thing novel, especially if the novelty is  
funny. For after all, the vast majority of  
theatre goers are there to be amused, to laugh,  
and for the time being to forget the cares of  
this work-a-day world. In the Scandi-  
navian comedy, "Ole Olson," there is pre-  
sented a delightful character which was new  
to the stage only a season ago. Ole, the  
Swede, who "had bone in dees knotty wene  
vare, fent mount and sex waxe," is a deli-  
ciously modest hero, who is not  
like the Irish comedian, overblowing the  
front of his love for his native  
land, whose mistakes are genuinely laugh-  
able, and not an imitation of that outrage-  
ous libel, the well-known German stage-  
clown. This wonderfully successful  
comedy will be presented at the Grand to-  
night by a company of clever comedians,  
Death of an Old Resident.Mr. John McLeellan died yesterday at  
the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Wm.  
Hooper, from an attack of a gripe. De-  
ceased was a native of Scotland, and came  
to this country 40 years ago, settling in  
what was then but the small hamlet of  
London. Here he resided ever since, and  
saw the growth from the three backwoods  
settlement to the now prosperous city of  
40,000 inhabitants. A miller by trade, Mr.  
McLeellan worked for 24 years for the late  
John Hunt. Deceased was of a quiet dis-  
position, and was highly respected by all  
who knew him. There are left to mourn  
the loss of a loving father two sons and six  
daughters—John, formerly conductor on  
the Grand Trunk, but now in that position  
on the Canadian Central; A. D., fore-  
man of the construction men of the Bell  
Telephone Company, Brantford; Mrs. L.  
W. Smith, Detroit; Mrs. W. Daniels,  
Chatham; Mrs. N. McLean, Wallaceburg;  
Mrs. E. B. Whiting, wife of Mr. E. B.Lily White Water White Oil is a re-  
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EMPIRE OIL COMPANY.Whiting, of the Bell Telephone Company,  
city; Mrs. W. J. Hooper, 176 Horton  
street, and an unmarried daughter, Mary,  
residing in the city. Deceased had been  
for many years an active member of St.  
James' Presbyterian Church. The funeral  
will take place on Thursday afternoon,  
from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr.  
W. J. Hooper, 176 Horton street.

## Women as Homemakers.

Another large audience greeted Mrs. and  
Major Scott in the East End Hall last  
night. Prof. William Bowman, Rev. Joseph  
Philip, Rev. Joseph Ward and others were  
on the platform, and the chair was occu-  
pied by Squire Jarvis. A choir rendered  
special music. Mr. Jarvis, in his intro-  
ductory remarks, said that when he was  
one of the license commissioners for East  
Middlesex 72 licenses were issued. Last  
year there were only 40 licenses granted.  
Again, in the year 1879, out of 212 cases be-  
fore him in his judicial capacity 75 per cent.  
were proved to have been the direct outcome  
of intoxicants. Mrs. Scott spoke first, and  
was received with applause. "I wish to  
tell you," she said, "twice women want  
prohibition. We believe we are an im-  
portant factor in this great question, and  
I believe that we have something to say  
about it. The women of the nation are,  
in the first place, the homemakers of the  
land, and all that is sweet and holy and  
pure in the world is to be found in the true  
home. That is where brains are molded,  
fortunes are built and bodies nurtured.  
The homemakers ask for prohibition.  
Everything that is brought into those  
homes—the pretty carpet on the floor, the  
bric-a-brac on the wall, the furniture—all  
go to make those homes the brightest and  
prettiest and safest places for all who  
dwell there. No man on this earth can  
build that precious thing called home. We  
are the homemakers of the land, and in  
these homes our children are reared and  
the characters formed. Let a liquor  
dealer go to a home where there are  
children and say to the mother:  
'Madam, the liquor traffic or drink  
traffic demands one of your children. Every  
one boy in ten is coming up to manhood  
becomes a drunkard, and we cannot run our  
saloons without boys any more than a  
miller can run a mill without wheat. We  
want your boy.' 'You can't have mine,'  
she replies. 'I don't blame you, madam,'  
he answers, 'but some other mother must  
give me two.' Yes; we are asking for pro-  
hibition for the sake of the home and for  
the sake of the children."Major Scott followed with a stirring ad-  
dress dealing principally with the enorm-  
ous sweep of temperance throughout the  
land during the past few years.

## Walker Has It.

The L. and P. S. Lease in Course  
of PreparationTo be Ratified by the Council on  
Friday Night.A Majority of One—Another Meeting  
Required to Finally Dispose  
of the Matter.The Port Stanley Board met last night  
and closed the deal with the Walkerville  
people so far as lay in their power to do so.  
The meeting was held at 11 o'clock, and  
as the mayor or stepped out of his office a  
reporter asked him if he had anything to say  
for publication."Simply that the lease is in the hands of  
the solicitors to prepare," answered the  
mayor. "Everything has been agreed to  
between the two parties, and it remains  
for the council to ratify the proceedings."The motion to accept the offer was passed  
by a vote of 5 against 4—Ald. James Fitz-  
gerald being absent. The year was  
Mayor Essery, Ald. Cor. ex-Ald. Judd, E.  
Leonard, Ald. Shaw. The yeas: Ald.  
Chas. Taylor, Ald. Carrothers, Ald.  
Dreaney and Mr. E. A. Fitzgerald.The lease will be drawn up by the coun-  
cil of both corporations and submitted to  
the council at a meeting on Friday night.  
Then the board will meet a week from to-  
night, and if nothing intervenes the last  
act in the letting of the London and Port  
Stanley road will take place, and the cur-  
tain will drop on a subject that has taken  
21 meetings already this year to settle.

## THE OPEN FORUM.

Lettices.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:  
Please answer in your valuable paper  
this question: Is it legal to have a shoot-  
ing match and rifle on Thanksgiving Day  
or any other day? and oblige,  
Nov. 6. C. HOWEY.[It is illegal. All such lotteries or dis-  
posals of property by chance are unlaw-  
ful.—EDITOR ADVERTISER.]

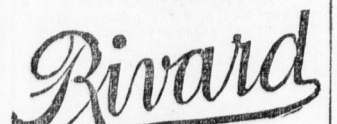
## All Three Victims Dead.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 7.—All the victims  
in this morning's triple tragedy are now  
dead. Richard Savage, the murderer and  
suicide, died at 7 o'clock this evening with-  
out regaining consciousness. Mrs. Savage  
died just after being conveyed to the  
hospital, the bullet having lodged in her  
brain. The little boy expired instantly.

## Death of Mrs. Fraser.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Mrs. Frances Marie  
Fraser, wife of John A. Fraser, died on  
Sunday at her residence, 1,521 Belmont  
avenue, of pneumonia. About two weeks  
ago Mrs. Fraser was caught between the  
swinging doors of a downtown store and  
received severe injuries. She contracted a  
heavy cold riding home in an open car.  
Mrs. Fraser was a niece of Bishop Baldwin,  
of the diocese of Huron. She came with  
her husband from Toronto in 1887. She  
held a prominent place in Toronto society,  
and achieved considerable reputation in  
that city as an artist and clever literary  
critic.You would smile more than you do if  
your stomach was right. Take Dancombe's  
Dark Pills, No. 2.Mr. E. Masson, from Paris, professor of  
French in the Conservatory of Music (Tor-  
onto), and lately appointed by Hon. Mr.  
Ross to teach a conversational course in  
the model school in that city, is forming  
classes in French and German in London,  
where he will spend two days a week. For  
particulars send your address to E. Masson,  
Tucumseh House, and the professor will  
call on you at his next coming to town.  
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## California and Mexico.

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that passes through six States of the Union,  
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RICHMOND, Canadian passenger agent,  
north-east corner King and Yonge streets,  
Toronto. 1041 x1 551tOur readers will remember how critical and  
peculiar, aye, even hopeless, was Mr. Weir's  
condition. He was given up by the best physi-  
cian from surrounding towns, who held out  
no hope for his recovery.Mr. Hodgins, a gentleman much Mr. Weir's  
senior, came to this city from that locality ex-  
pressly to get two more bottles of "Williams'  
Royal Crown Remedy."Mr. Hodgins had himself been afflicted with  
inflammatory rheumatism and confined to his  
bed for six months, which left his heart very  
weak. He got one bottle of "Williams' Royal  
Crown Remedy," and has already derived  
more benefit from this marvelous liquid than  
from anything he has ever used. He says he  
has known Mr. Weir since he was 2 years old;  
read the narrative in the London papers; every  
word it contained was 100 per cent. true for he  
was well acquainted with all the facts of the  
case. We now send only say to our readers that  
when the ADVERTISER publishes the history  
of a case like the Birr marvel, where it means  
life or death, and written up by our own cor-  
respondent, we are always very particular to  
have the truth, the whole truth, and nothing  
but the truth. In fact, we would be very  
foolish as well as dishonest if we did not take  
this precaution. And, again, Mr. Weir is too  
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we are

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