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Hot Shot for Roosevelt! From Despoiled Colombia

Little Republic Hits Out and Calls Some Hard Names.

Appeals to American People to Resent Government's Treachery

Says the United States Has Violated Its Word and Compromised Honor of the Nation.

New York, Nov. 19. — In response to a request telegraphed to Bogota with a view to ascertaining the attitude of the press and people of Colombia concerning the isthmian situation, the following, delayed in transmission, has just been received: Bogota, Nov 16—The Colombian people protest and appeal to the American people against the conduct of the Government, presided over by Mr. Roosevelt. The United States is solemnly obliged by the treaty of 1846 to guarantee the rights of property and the sovereignty of Colombia in Panama.

Now the American Government has violated its word and hence has compromised the honor of the American people. Colombia has wished and wished that the United States shall open the canal through Colombian territory. The disapproval of the Hay-Herran treaty was due to constitutional obstructions, which can be legally removed by the Colombian people and which were made worse by the diplomatic courtesies of the department of state and its representatives here.

The American Government through Secretary Hay, contrary to the practices of right and international law, immediately recognized a so-called Government suddenly arisen in Panama from a coup d'etat, accomplished by acts of treason and by the bribing of the troops.

The American armed forces treacherously prevented the suppression of the rebel movement by the loyal Colombian army. The American Government is also aiding to despoil Colombia of another part of its valuable territory, besides that of Panama, and, forgetful of its immense power, is therefore inciting against us the covetousness of other nations. The American people must decide between the sacred rights of Colombia and the scandalously notorious interests of the Panama Canal Company. Civil wars will disappear in these countries, which are now open to American enterprises, and which will be their best markets by a wholesome expansion of the commerce and the capital of the United States, and not by bringing into them bad faith and dishonesty.

It is not the tradition of the United States which by gigantic efforts prevented the cessation of those southern states that wanted to dismember the union, to unjustly provoke and back and sustain the dismemberment of other sister republics.

It is inconceivable that what the American people can obtain by just and clean means the Government contrives to obtain by violating its good faith and honest traditions in order to subserve electoral ambitions. It is not conceivable that the great nation to whom the world owes so many conquests and liberal doctrines in the field of international law should forget them when dealing with a weak and friendly country that has no other means of defense than its solemn protest to the American people; that it should ignore the advice of its noble founder and the memory of the counsels of the grand Lincoln, which have made it great and respected—it is not conceivable that such a nation should adopt such a high-handed policy of vandalism.

It is not conceivable that the great and generous daughter of Washington, the most powerful country in existence, should want to humiliate and despoil the glorious daughter of Bolivar.

The Colombian people neither hope to receive nor wish to ask help from any other nation, but trust only in its indisputable rights, and expect that these will be upheld by the spirit of fair play and independence of the American people.

To the Associated Press of the United States, in behalf of the Associated Press of Colombia.

(Signed), EL NUEVO TIEMPO.

Dowie for Paris.

Paris, Nov. 19.—An invasion of this city by the Zion restoration host is not considered improbable. Mrs. Dowie, who is now here, said that Paris was an inviting field for Dowielte endeavor, and intimated that a great Zion stronghold would yet arise under the shadow of Notre Dame. Mrs. Dowie positively declared that the invasion of New York was a success, and that the Zion seed sown there would yet bear an abundant harvest. She strongly denied the rumors that she was carrying a large sum of money to Australia, and denounced as godless the reporters of the American press, who she said, had caused such reports to be spread in European centers.

A WORKINGMEN'S CLUB

Magnificent Edifice To Be Erected in New York.

New York, Nov. 19. — This city is to be the home of the most costly clubhouse for workingmen in the United States. The plans are already prepared for the structure, which is to be in East Eighty-fourth street, near Third avenue, and today they were filed with the bureau of buildings for approval. It is expected the building will be begun early in the spring. The clubhouse will be five stories high, occupy a lot 100 by 102 feet in area and cost $200,000.

The facilities for mental and physical culture are to be the best obtainable. The gymnasium will be 60 feet long, 40 feet wide, and 24 feet high, with a running track to occupy a portion of the first floor.

Class and lecture rooms and library are provided, the intention being to have regular courses of lectures, debates and studies for the members. A large ballroom, 66x62 feet in area, will be arranged, with a stage for theatrical entertainments and musicals. This room is to have a gallery which will provide seating capacity for 1,500 persons.

On the first floor will be a bar and cafe with reading and billiard rooms. The second floor will be devoted to the library and classrooms. The third floor will be divided into many small meeting rooms, and the fourth floor devoted largely to the use of women members. On this floor will be a large dining-hall and parlor. The ballroom will be on the fifth floor.

MRS. NATION WAS EJECTED

Was Refused Audience With Roosevelt and Got Noisy.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Carrie Nation was forcibly ejected from the executive offices this morning. She called there early and demanded to see the President. Secretary Loeb declined to allow her to see Mr. Roosevelt and she became so demonstrative that he called upon two officers to remove her. She continued to shout so loud that it was necessary to take her out of the grounds. As she left the building she shouted: "I am going to pray for a prohibitionist President. One who will represent the people and not the distillers and brewers."

THE CABLE SNAPPED

Two Young Ladies Drowned in Ferry Disaster.

Port Jervis, N. Y., Nov. 19. — Miss Emma Gebhard and Miss Lizzie Schumacker, were drowned late last night. The young women had attended a ball at Port Jervis and started for Mattamoras, Pa., across the river, accompanied by Frank Allman.

In the middle of the river the ferry cable snapped and the boat capsized. An attempt to rescue the young women was made, but the swift current swept the bodies out of reach.

The ferryman caught the broken cable of a ruined bridge, which extended into the river and was rescued in a boat. Allman was carried downstream for half a mile and then rescued.

THE NEWARKET HORROR

A Coroner's Jury Investigating the Disaster.

Newmarket, Ont., Nov. 19. — The coroner's jury, which was impaneled this morning at 10 o'clock to inquire into the death of John Agnew, one of the victims of the fatal disaster at the United Factories, yesterday, met before Coroner Greenwood in the council chamber, whence they proceeded to Undertaker Rodehouse's and viewed Agnew's remains. The jury then adjourned until Thursday evening, Nov. 26.

ANOTHER BARGAIN FOR UNCLE SAM

San Domingo Has Been Offered to the United States.

BUT WASHINGTON WON'T BUY

Offer Made by President Wos, Whs Realizes Desperate Position of His Country.

Washington, Nov. 19. — President Wos has offered to sell the Republic of San Domingo to the United States, but this country will not buy.

The proposition has not been formally laid before the state department, but there is no doubt that the first steps in this direction have been taken.

Gen. Giodani, confidential agent of the Dominican republic, has received directions from President Wos to endeavor to negotiate the sale. Giodani is now in New York.

It is believed that President Wos' action was determined by the desperate situation in which he finds himself at the hands of the rebels, who are reported to be about to take the capital city of San Domingo.

No reason is given why the United States will refuse to buy, but one high state department official remarked last night:

"Perhaps President Wos thinks we are in the business of buying republics that are on the bargain counter."

Washington, Nov. 18. — The state department today received a cablegram from Minister Powell, dated yesterday, in which he says:

"General attack on city of San Domingo last night. Baltimore landed marines for the protection of American interests."

In another cablegram, dated Nov. 16, also received today, Minister Powell says:

"Situation desperate and unchanged. City is constantly under fire of insurgents and shells are falling in the city. An assault is momentarily expected."

Several telegrams have been exchanged between Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, and Commander Briggs, commanding the protected cruiser Baltimore, which vessel has been cruising in Dominican waters safeguarding the interests of the United States. Commander Briggs' reports indicate that the bombardments of San Domingo by the insurrectionists have been "hot."

OUT INTO THE COLD

Cold Snaps Brings Fires and Misery to New York Poor.

New York, Nov. 19.—The first cold snap of the season brought with it the customary fires from overheated stoves, and as a result the tenants of two tenament houses in the thickly populated downtown districts were driven into the streets early today. Abdul Tanore and his wife were severely burned in rescuing their 19-months-old babe, whose cradle stood near a red hot stove. The first fire was in a five-story tenement on Washington street, in the rear of which stod a six-story warehouse, filled with baled cotton and highly inflammable stuffs.

From the Tanore flat on the second floor, where it started, the fire spread rapidly to the third floor. The warehouse was saved, but the tenement was damaged to the extent of $15,000.

The second fire was in a six-story double tenement at Monroe and Clinton streets. There are eight families living on each floor. The noise of the approaching fire apparatus roused the tenements, and there was a terrific rush and scramble down the stairs, and for a time the fire escapes were jammed.

The 48 families turned out into the streets in their night clothes suifered intensely in the cold. No one was seriously injured and the damage was slight.

Fire at Oshawa.

Oshawa, Ont., Nov. 19. — About one o'clock this morning fire was discovered in Syke's sawmill, and before the fire brigade arrived it had gained such headway that the mill, with its contents, was burned to the ground, along with several sheds, and outbuildings, including the Christian Church shed. Some Bell telephone and C. P. R. telegraph poles were also burned. Syke's loss will be about $6,000; damages to church property about $600; no insurance.

SECESSION FROM CANADIAN CLUB

Dissatisfied Members Nucleus of New Organization.

TO FOSTER EMPIRE SENTIMENT

Think U. S. Is After Us—New Institution To Be Object Lesson Against Annexation.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—Yesterday, dissatisfied members of the Canadian Club met and formed an entirely new organization. Those who composed the nucleus of the new club are men most prominent in military, social and business circles, and the gathering was held upstairs in Webb's.

Each speaker expressed the conviction that Canada should strive to foster closer unity with England and that the Canadian Club as a whole must lose its true significance if statements to the contrary attributed to officers of the club were to be passed by unrebuked.

The meeting that occurred yesterday, at which a special committee was named to fix on a name for the new club, will have, it is said, as many as 700 out of the 800 members of the Canadian Club. It developed, both during and after the meeting proper, that many prominent members have resigned since the last annual meeting, at which the remarks that gave offense were uttered. The most prominent of the group that met yesterday included Lieut.-Col. Mason, Lincoln Hunter, J. P. Murray, of the Toronto Carpet Manufacturing Company, Noel Marshall, of the Standard Oil Company; E. Wyly Grier, the artist; Col. Stimson, Robert Duncan, assistant manager of the Manufacturers' Life Association; F. B. Fetherstonhaugh, the barrister and patent solicitor; J. B. Miller, of the Polson Iron Works; E. Strachan Cox, J. F. Stewart and Mr. Junkin.

The meeting was in response to letlets sent individual members, which stated that the present Canadian Club had become unwieldly and that many thought another and simlar body might consequently well be formed. But that this was not the primary consideration was evidenced by all who spoke. Lieut.-Col. Mason occupied the chair. After luncheon he arose and addressed those assembled. In part he said:

"It has been considered advisabale for us to meet here to consider the expediency of forming a club, framed on lines somewhat similar to the Canadian Club, wherein members may have the opportunity of attending weekly meetings, at which addresses shall be delivered by men desirable to hear.

"There are various reasons for this. One is that the present Canadian Club already has awaiting a list of three hundred for admission; but a further reason exists caused by the attitude of officers of the present club towards the relations of Canada with the mother country. We feel that any talk of Canada's breaking loose from the mother country is deplorable, especially when we consider that such independence means ultimate absorption by the United States. (Hear, hear, and applause).

"The club we have in mind will have as its main feature the fostering and continuation of a closer connection with the empire in order to maintain our integral existence as a self-governing colony. If we seek a parallel as to what might be expected of the United States in case Canada stood alone, we have only to consider their recent action with regard to Panama." (Hear, hear.)

Lieut.-Col. Mason was followed by J. Castell Hopkins, Mr. Marshall, Lincoln Hunter, Mr. Duncan and F. B. Fetherstonhaugh.

Mr. Duncan stated that sentiment in the United States was all in favor of annexing Canada, and that all that was wanted was an opportunity to effect this project. Canada, he said, did not like the Yankee way of doing business. We wanted to trade under the British flag and would then be sure of proper treatment.

F. B. Fetherstonhaugh indorsed these views. Travel in the States and the views of clients from the United States had convinced him, he said, that the people of the United States looked upon Canada as destined to belong to that country.

J. P. Murray suggested that the name of the new club might be British Americaa. "In this club," he said, "we want to nail our colors to the mast. We want it distinctly understood that there are enough people in this country who intend to remain British for all time. I have associated with me people from the United States who tell me it is absolutely their conviction that the United States is going to take Canada, and we want everyone to understand that we are just as certain that they won't." (Applause.)

It was resolved finally to make of the proposed club a reality—and the following committee was appointed: Messrs. Mason, Hunter, Murray, Marshall, Ex.-Ald. Stewart, Wyly Grier and Fetherstonhaugh.

It was decided to hold a full meeting shortly for definite organization.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Tomorrow—Cold; Snow Flurries.

London, Thursday, Nov. 19.
Sun rises..7:16 a.m. Moon rises..7:24 a.m.
Sun sets...4:50 p.m. Moon sets...5:34 p.m.
Toronto, Nov. 18—8 p.m.

Cold weather prevails throughout Canada, except in the Maritime Provinces, where, however, it is turning colder. The winds are still very strong over the lakes, attended by light snowfalls and flurries.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 20 below—4; Edmonton, 14 below —6; Winnipeg, zero—12; Port Arthur, 6—16; Toronto, 20—30; Ottawa, 24—28; Montreal, 24—30; Quebec, 24—30; Halifax, 42—58.

Thursday, Nov. 19—8 a.m.

FORECASTS.

Westerly winds, decreasing tonight; fine and continued cold today and on Friday; a few local snow flurries.

Temperatures.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Winnipeg	— 4	— 4	Clear
Toronto	24	20	Fair
Ottawa	20	18	Fair
Montreal	20	20	Fair
Quebec	18	16	Clear
Father Point....	26	20	Cloudy

The sign — indicates "below zero."

WEATHER NOTES.

The cold wave shows signs of weakening over the western portion of the continent, but continued cold is still indicated for Ontario eastward. The winds on the lakes are likely to diminish.

Local temperatures: Wednesday—Highest, 28°; lowest, 15°.

GAME IN THE YUKON

So Plentiful That Beef Corner Has Been Crushed.

Dawson, Y. T., Nov. 19. — A great quantity of game is coming into the city. Caribou is especially very plentiful, and 400 were hunted up in a short time. The receipt of so much game will have the effect of crushing the beef corner caused by the early close of navigation. Civic politics are getting warm. D. A. McRae, a former resident of Wolfe Island, Ont., is spoken of for mayor. There is every promise of a hot campaign. James McDonald, of Inverness, N. S., has the best chance at present.

LYNCHEHAUN NOT FREE

Appeal Goes to the United States Supreme Court.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 19. — Joseph B. Kealing, United States district attorney, has received instructions from Washington to take an appeal to the United States supreme court from the decision of Circuit Judge Baker in upholding the habeas corpus proceedings brought by James Lynchehaun to obtain his release.

The appeal will be based on the decision in the habeas corpus proceedings, and not on the decision of Commissioner Moores in holding that Lynchehaun was a political prisoner.

Lynchehaun is the Irishman who was recently arrested and released in this city, where he had taken refuge to escape punishment for an assault, growing out of the land troubles in Ireland.

ARRESTED AT THE AMERICAN BORDER

Customs Officer Makes It Unpleasant for an Englishman.

WANTED TO PLACE HIM IN JAIL

Thought He Had Entered Canada by Way of a Canadian Port.

Toronto, Nov. 19. — D. Bernhard, a member of the firm of Ehrenback, Brumm & Co., manufacturers and export merchants, of Bradford and Manchester, England, who is in the city, relates an unpleasant experience of the harassing regulations which have been adopted with reference to foreigners entering the United States. Last Saturday he found it necessary to make a flying trip from Montreal to Detroit on business, and as the traing was crossing the boundary a uniformed official entered the Pullman car, and approaching Mr. Bernhard, inquired where he was going and whence he came. Mr. Bernhard made reply that he had come from Montreal, and was going to Detroit. "How long have you been in Canada?" was the next question. "Three weeks," was the reply, and the officer passed on. After interviewing three or four other persons who were in the car, the official returned, and in a pompous manner said: "You are my prisoner, sir. I arrest you." His victim, treating it as a joke, suggested that he thought he was not a prisoner, and inquired what offense he had committed. The officer replied that Bernhard would have to be identified, and that as it was too late to obtain identification that night, he would have to go to jail until 3 o'clock the next afternoon. Although his victim protested he had business connections in Detroit, by whom he could be identified, the officer was obdurate, but as a concession offered if the checks of his baggage were handed over the prisoner might go to a hotel for the night, at the same time exhibiting the checks which two other Englishmen had been forced to hand over as security under similar circumstances. As Mr. Bernhard had no baggage other than his grip he could not comply with the terms, and received the ultimatum that to jail he must go. In the meantime he had been doing some thinking, and as a last protest asked: "But if the law is as you say, why did not the authorities arrest me when I landed at New York three weeks ago before I went to Montreal?" The officer gasped with astonishment, and as soon as he gathered his wits, informed Mr. Bernhard that he was free to go where he pleased, adding that his authority only extended to foreigners landing at Canadian ports. Mr. Bernhard, who is justly indignant at the treatment he received, stated that when going to Russia, for instance, he knew that passports were needed, and provided himself with them. He had not, however, expected to be so treated in "the land of the free."

SISTERS DIE TOGETHER

It Is Believed They Deliberately Committed Suicide.

Rochester, Nov. 19. — The bodies of two women, at yet unidentified, were found in the Genesee River at Ballantine Bridge, three miles south of this city.

It is not improbable that the women were sisters, and that they had agreed to end their lives together. The bridge railing was marked with mud, as if from their shoes, and the indications are that they climbed over the railing and dropped into the river. They left no letter nor message. The two women were seen walking along the river bank early in the morning. They were about 35 years old. The name, "E. Miller," was on the underclothing of one. They were comfortably dressed and one had in her pocket $32 in bills, including a Canadian $2 bill, and some keys.

The Chicago Strike.

Chicago, Nov. 19. — Renewal of hostilities between the City Railway Company and the employes of the corporation began promptly today following the failure of attempts at arbitration. The first development in the warfare was a strike of all the teamsters in the employ of the company. In all sixty drivers quit work.

All London Turned Out to Welcome Italian Monarchs

Were Guests of the Lord Mayor and the City Corporation.

Military Pageant and Triumphal Arches for Victor and Helena.

An Anarchist Plot to Kill Tiny Italian Princess Unearthed at Rome.

London, Nov. 19.—The welcome of King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena of Italy, to London, as the guests of the lord mayor and corporation, today, was of a remarkable cordial character. From the moment of their arrival at Paddington station, the royal procession passed beneath one long canopy of bright colors and triumphal arches and masses of people gave their majesties a splendid reception. King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena were met at Paddington by Lord Grenfell and the headquarters staff. After a brief inspection of the guard of honor of Grenadiers, whose band welcomed the visitors with the Italian anthem, the King and Queen, attended by the Duke of Portland, entered King Edward's state landau. Five four-horsed state carriages contained the suites. A sovereign escort of the Life Guards attended their majesties and a military contingent brought up the rear of the royal cavalcade, which, as it left the station was received with rousing cheers.

Proceeding through Hyde Park, the King and Queen reached the Italian embassy, where was stationed a guard of honor of Garibaldian veterans. Entering the embassy, their majesties held a reception and received addresses from the Italian colony.

AN ANARCHIST PLOT.

Rome, Nov. 19.—The police believe that the anarchist who surrendered to the police at Lugano yesterday and who gives his name as Guiseppe Conti is a lunatic. Conti declared to the Swiss police that as the result of a plot of anarchists at Milan he had been sent to Berne to murder the president of the Swiss federation. He added that his three companions who were arrested at Milan should be selected to help him. The anarchists entered Switzerland in a carriage in order to escape observation by the police on the frontier.

The view of the police than Conti is insane appears to be correct, as Conti added that other groups of anarchists had decided to kill the Princess Mafalda, youngest daughter of the King of Italy, who will be one year old tomorrow. Conti insisted on the correctness of his statement, saying that the killing of the princess had been fixed for Nov. 26. The police, who promptly began a closer watch on the anarchists, have arrested two of them at St. Gothard, as they were entering Italy.

Turtle and Tongue.

Philadelphia, Nov. 19.—Until he has forgotten yesterday's experience, Jamie Craig will never again make faces at his pets. Jamie, whose years are 3, was playing with a pet turtle that is kept in a big bowl in the Craig house, 1311 Cambridge street. The turtle wanted to doze, and resented the youngster's playful jokes by snapping at his fingers. Jamie contemptuously put out his tongue. Click! the snapper closed his teeth on the tempting red morsel.

Vigorous howls brought Mrs. Craig, who found boy and turtle, half in the bowl, half on the floor, the former struggling furiously, and the latter hanging on with a relentless grip.

Mrs. Craig gathered up Jamie and the turtle and carried both to St. Joseph's Hospital, where a surgeon soon effected a separation.

THE VANCOUVER ELECTION

Premier McBride's Government Was Sustained.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 18.—The McBride Government rejoices tonight in a temporary reprieve, Attorney-General Wilson being re-elected by a majority of 971 over Captain J. Duff Stuart in the bye-election here. A total vote of 4,699 was polled, somewhat less than on the 3rd of October, of which Mr. Wilson secured 2,852 and Capt. Stuart 1,881. The victory is taken with becoming modesty, as to how it happened both parties are a trifle dazed. Undoubtedly the sanguine Liberals made a mistake in counting Labor as a natural ally, for the Labor vote proved Conservative, if anything more than an even break.

Again, as Mr. J. A. Macdonald, the Liberal leader, said in addressing a packed meeting of the vanquished, the Liberal organization had been imperfect, and in consequence the masses of the community who could not be induced to attend the public meetings did not comprehend the new and important issues of the hour.

Vancouver Liberals felt that they were right in standing for the principles at stake, and that their loss in a good cause will not prove vain, and they will begin reorganization tonight for an anticipated early general election.

THEY WANT SEPARATION

Chapel at Windsor Wishes To Be Independent.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 19.—There is a movement on foot among the members of the congregation of the Chapel of the Ascension to petition Bishop Baldwin, of the Diocese of Huron, to permit the chapel people to sever all connection with All Saints' Church, and to have a rector of their own.

There has been trouble between the two congregations for a number of years, and the recent appointment of Rev. Mr. Chadwick, as rector, has not had the expected result of satisfying the people who attend the chapel.

Dynamite Kills Three.

Kalaska, Mich., Nov. 19.—Three men were killed and one probably fatally injured early today by an explosion of dynamite in a store at Sharon, a village of 25 per sons, 16 miles from here.

COLLISION IN CHANNEL

Destroyer Runs Down Smack—All Hands Lost On Latter.

Devonport, Eng., Nov. 19.—The torpedo boat destroyer Falcon collided in the channel during the night with a fishing smack. The latter sunk and all hands aboard of her were drowned. The Falcon's bows were smashed and one of her crew was killed. She put into Devonport for repairs.

Scotch at Dawson.

Dawson, Y. T., Nov. 19. — Great preparations are being made for the celebration of St. Andrew's Day. A big ball will be given in the evening, and the attendance, it is thought, will be six hundred. The cost is estimated at $3,500.

Boer Party Defeated in Cape Colony Elections

British Progressives, Led By Dr. Jameson, Win a Bitter Contest.

Cape Town, Nov. 19. — A complete count of the votes cast in the election on Nov. 11 for members of the legislative council shows that instead of the Bond, or Dutch, element having gained a victory, as was expected, the Progressives, or British, have a majority of one in the council.

Cape Colony has been for some weeks past absorbed in a general election, in which Canadians, as in duty bound, took the keenest interest. The Africander Bond, under its various aliases, was working desperately for victory, which would mean the perpetuation of racial antagonism in Cape Colony, which is now the most serious political factor in the South African situation. Had fortune smiled on the bond, its leaders, Messrs. Merrimon and Sauer, would aspire to reproduce a situation similar to that existing before the war, but with Cape Colony in the position then occupied by the Transvaal, viz., as the center of Boer ambitions. With the Bond party routed, it will be many years before it will be able to regain control of the affairs of the colony.

The Progressives worked splendidly under the inspiring and single-minded leadership of Dr. Jameson, who revealed powers of organization and statesmanship unsuspected by his friends. The disfranchisement of the rebels increased their chances of success, but the Progressives were hampered by the wobbling attitude of the Moderates, or Mugwumps, who refused to declare themselves on either side, and who would probably have handed over the government to the Bond should they have secured the balance of power in the new House of Representatives.

The nominations for the legislative council closed with 29 candidates for 22 seats, and it was estimated that if the Progressives obtained the largest possible number of successes, they would number 15 members to 8 Bond members. The Bond, on the other hand, hoped to obtain 14 members to 9 Progressives.

A Workingman's Wit.

West Warren, Mass., Nov. 19.—While drilling through a stone wall today a piece of steel lodged deep in Napoleon Chicoine's eyeball. Charles Dufreene magnetized a knife which drew the steel splinter from Chicoine's eye. The attending physician declared Dufreene device better than surgery, which might have permanently injured the eyeball.

BLIZZARD-BOUND EMIGRANT PARTY

Several Families Snowed Up and Unable to Get Food in Montana.

Missoula, Montana, Nov. 19. — Word has been received from the Trout Creek district that there are several parties of emigrants along the Spokane road in the west end of Missoula county snowbound and on the verge of starvation. In one party near the Idaho border is a family of five, snowed up and without provisions or money. The family is living in an eight foot tent, with the snow up to the wagon bed, unable to get out or secure food for the stock.

Three other emigrant parties are reported along the trail snowed-up in the passes and all in a precarious condition. Efforts are being made to send out relief parties.

Garroted, They Live.

Manila, Nov. 19.—It has come to light that two of four murderers, who were garroted at Amalag, Province of Cagayan, Oct. 31, and who were declared to be dead, are alive. The condemned men were left in the garrot eight minutes, and afterwards their supposed lifeless bodies were placed in a church. Three of them later showed signs of life. Two were resuscitated, but the third died.

ARABIANS WHIP TURKISH TROOPS

Two Attempts of Ottoman Soldiers to Advance Were Foiled.

Constantinople, Nov. 19.—The revolt in the vilayet of Yemen, Arabia, is extending southward. The Ottoman troops advancing on Hodaida were determinedly opposed by the revolted tribes and were forced to retreat. Another attempt to advance from Mokha failed, the Turkish troops being defeated.

The Mussulmans in the district of Kirk Kilisse have burned five Bulgarian villages in revenge for an attack made by the Bulgarians on the Mussulman village of Zarasa.

Consumption Cured by Russian Mining Engineer

Remarkable Effect of New Tuberculosis Specific—Government Interested.

Moscow, Nov. 19.—Remarkable cures of consumption have recently been effected in Russia by Kisel Zagoranski, formerly a mining engineer and now specially licensed by the Russian medical department to practice medicine in cases of tuberculosis.

Hearing a rumor that John R. Rockefeller, of the United States, had offered an immense prize for the discovery of a consumption cure, he consulted United States Consul Smith, who, with his brother, began a systematic observation of the cases of several patients, especially that of an English lady, an acquaintance of the consul, who had been given up by the doctors and was about to leave for England to die. She, however, submitted to Zagoranski's treatment, which was given under professional medical observation. At the end of a week the proportion of tuberculosis bacilli in the saliva had been reduced 10 per cent, and at the end of six weeks the patient had gained 22 pounds, and there was no trace of bacilli observable. This occurred last spring and the cure appears to be permanent.

In conversation with the Associated Press correspondent, W. E. Smith, brother of the consul cited other equally remarkable cases. Zagoranski's treatment, according to Mr. Smith consists merely in the drinking of his specific in large quantities, together with life in the open air, and the observance of a careful dietary.

Prince Oldenburg, a philanthropist of St. Petersburg, who maintains several hospitals in Russia and a big sanitarium in the Caucasus at his own expense, has offered to place three beds at Zagoranski's disposal in a St. Petersburg hospital, where he could accurately observe the results of the treatment.

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Black and White Ospreys, regular 50c and 75c, special sale price, 25c and 39c
Black Ostrich Tips, worth 15c, for..... 5c
9-inch Black Tips, regular 25c, for 10c
Black Ostrich Tips, regular 25c, for 15c
Black Ostrich Tips, regular 35c, for 29c
Black Ostrich Tips, regular 50c, for 25c
Trimmed Felt Hats, for ladies; colors, brown, navy, castor and gray; regular $1 00, $1 25, and $1 59. To clear at, each, 59c, 69c and..... 75c
Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats, in assorted colors, worth regularly 75c, $1 25, $1 39 and $1 50. Special sale price, each, 49c, 59c, 69c and 75c
Children's Navy Velvet Tams, each, 39c and 49c
Girls' Camelshair Tweed Crocheted Tams, 12½c, 15c, 19c and 47c
Housemaids' Fancy Cuffs, regular 15c, line, each 10c

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Special at 5c each, of 6 for 25c
Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with embroidered initial, only each 8c
Fancy Hemstitched Handkerchief Centers. Regular 15c for..... 5c
Ladies' White Hemstitched Embroidered Handkerchiefs, very special at, 2 for 25c
Gents' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, each 10c
Gents' Cord-edge Handkerchiefs, extra value at 5c and 10c

RINGWOOD GLOVES.

Children's Ringwood Gloves, White, Black, Cardinal and fancy, per pair, 20c and 25c
Ladies' White Ringwood Gloves, in sizes 6½, 7, 7½. Special at 20c, 25c and 35c
Infants' and Children's Wool and Silk mittens, per pair, 20c and 25c

CORSETS AND WAISTS.

Ladies' Drab Corsets, in sizes 18, 19, 25, 26, were 25c, per pair..... 19c
Special line Corsets, regular $1 00 goods, in sizes 18, 19, 25, 26, to clear at 50c
Extra value Ladies' Drab Corsets, regular 75c and $1 00, for 59c and 75c
Children's Corset Waists, odd sizes, were 50c; reduced to each 25c
Misses' Hygiene Waists, odd sizes, regular 75c, to clear at each 30c

SMALLWARE SPECIALS.

Fancy Dress Buttons (2 dozen on card), were 10c and 15c, now only, per card, ... 5c
Black Bone Coat Buttons, large size, regular 25c. Clearance Sale Price, per dozen 15c
Lambswool Slipper Soles, in sizes 2, 3, 6, 7, were 20c, now 15c or 2 pairs for 25c
Vaseline, regular 5c bottles, 3 for..... 10c

FASTER ATLANTIC LINE

Government May Insist Upon an Improved Service.

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—The Atlantic mail contract held by the Allan Steamship Company expires in August next, and the likelihood is that if the company wish to secure a renewal they will be required to provide a speedier service. There is no gainsaying the fact that the existing service is far from satisfactory. The average rate of speed is far below what it should be, and Sir Richard Cartwright, according to reports, is firmly convinced that the time has come for an improvement. It is stated that the Allans are prepared to comply with the wishes of the Minister of Trade and Commerce, and next summer may therefore witness the inauguration of a faster Atlantic line.

TOO MANY BALLOTS

Sensation at a Chatham Church Election.

Chatham, Ont., Nov. 19. — The congregation of the First Presbyterian Church met Tuesday night to select a new pastor. The Rev. J. C. Tolmie, of Windsor, presided. The Rev. Mr. Anderson, of Shelbourne; Rev. Mr. Findlay, of Niagara Falls, and Rev. Mr. McGillivray, of Newmarket, had about an equal number of supporters each. Mr. McGillivray dropped out, and then the vote on Mr. Anderson and Mr. Findlay resulted in a tie.

At this juncture somebody discovered that there were more ballots than there were people allowed to vote, and a motion was passed to the effect that every member of the church should sign their names on their ballot and each voter should place his or her own ballot on the plate and not allow a second person to handle it. A ballot was then taken, and stood 77 for Mr. Anderson and 72 for Mr. Findlay.

Although Mr. Anderson was successful, an attempt was made to ballot him against Mr. McGillivray. This caused a large number of Mr. Anderson's following to leave the church, and the meeting was adjourned for a week. Quite a feeling has been aroused over the matter.

ABOUT THAT COAT

You wear a coat. Why? To keep the cold out? No; to keep the warmth in. What of the body that has no warmth—the thin, poor body that lacks the healthy flesh and fat it needs?

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We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Ont.

A Diamond Robbery.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 19.—While the steamer United Empire lay at the lock Sunday the stateroom of Mrs. A. McLennan, the stewardess, was entered and robbed of two diamond rings, valued at $175. When the boat arrived at Sarnia Mrs. McLennan reported the theft of her ring to the chief of police, who went aboard the vessel and arrested Frank McMann, a porter. The prisoner has since produced the rings from a hiding place on the steamer.

Nellie McHenry Burned.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 19. — Miss Nellie McHenry has been seriously burned about the lower limbs during a performance at Krug's Theater. Her turn was to rescue a school master from a burning school house. On dropping through the roof her skirts caught fire. Before the flames were extinguished she had been badly burned.

Tonight

Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

And you'll be all right in the morning.

THE COLOR LINE IN PARADISE

Remarkable Statement by Mormon Leader at Funeral of Negro.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 19.—Only one negro has ever entered heaven and the gates of heaven are closed against members of the black race. This is the latest doctrine promulgated by the Mormon Church.

The announcement was made last Sunday at the funeral services of Eugene Burns, one of the most prominent colored men in Utah. The Rev. D. A. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist Church, had just finished his sermon eulogizing the dead negro when Patriarch Miner, president of one of the quorums of the Seventies of the Mormon Church, walked up to the pulpit and, to the consternation of the mourners, began a highly sensational discourse.

He declared that the dead man could not enter heaven. He said that an Ethiopian could not reach the state of exaltation necessary to entrance into heaven. His soul was doomed before his birth.

Eugene Burns was a grandson of Abel Burns, the body servant of Joseph Smith, the Prophet of the Mormon Church. Abel, according to Patriarch Miner, is the only one of his race who ever succeeded in gaining entrance into heaven. The reason he was successful was his fidelity to Joseph Smith the Prophet.

"For the colored race," said Patriarch Miner, "there is an exalted state in the next world into which they may go. Provision has been made in the teachings of the Prophet Joseph so that the negro may step up into that preliminary state of exaltation, and when he gets there a chance is given him to accept redemption according to the teachings of Joseph Smith."

Mr. Brown immediately arose and declared that no such teachings existed in the Bible. In refutation of the assertions of the patriarch he read several selections from the Bible, citing instances where men with black skins had been saved.

Burns' widow fainted during Patriarch Miner's revelation.

MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE

To Consider Amendments to Assessment Act.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—The select municipal committee will meet on Wednesday, Nov. 25, at Toronto, in the private bills committee room of the Parliament buildings for the purpose of considering proposed amendments to the assessment act. Attorney-General Gibson will preside.

EXPLORERS IN PERIL

Far North Expeditions Are In Great Danger.

Dundee, Nov. 19.—Whalers just returned here report that weather of remarkable severity in the last summer rendered the passage north an extremely hazardous one. The whalers had planned to meet in June near Smith's Sound the Norwegian expedition under Professor Amundsen, but they report that they saw nothing of it. Judging by the perilous experiences of the whalers themselves, it is feared that disaster may have overtaken Amundsen unless he has kept to the west side of the strait.

The whalers found the Danish Ericksen expedition on Saunders Island in a pitiable state of destitution. Count Moltke, the artist of the expedition, was very ill. The explorers, in the company of the Eskimos, were living in a tattered tent and their food was almost exhausted, except a good supply of eggs from the island. They had only one gun, and had abandoned their boat and one sledge at the northern part of Melville Bay. The Danes were entirely dependent upon the Eskimos. The whalers left with them supplies and materials to build a new boat, but it is hoped they have not attempted to return, as in the terrible weather they would be almost certain to perish. The whalers were imprisoned in the ice for the following two months, but did not again see the members of the Ericksen expedition, who, it is hoped, elected to remain with the Eskimos.

ESQUIMALT DEFENSES

Dundonald May Take Them Over For the Dominion.

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—Lord Dundonald, accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Denny, director of intelligence; Capt. Newton, A. D. C., and Mr. McAllister, private secretary, left last evening for the west. The major-general will proceed as far as the Pacific coast, and en route will doubtless visit Winnipeg and Calgary to meet the officers commanding at these points and confer with them upon matters of reorganization. But the principal object of the tour is to take over the defenses at Esquimalt, which are at present maintained by the British war office, but may be taken over by the Canadian department of militia, thus constituting an additional contribution by the Dominion to the defense of the empire. The trip will also give Col. Denny an opportunity of making observations in connection with the intelligence branch.

GLORY WHALEN CASE

The Manchester Man's Name Is John Curry.

Toronto, Nov. 19. — The Attorney-General has received a cablegram from Manchester stating that the surname of the man who confessed to the murder of Glory Whalen in May last, is Curry, not Sparks. As at first cabled the name was given as William Joseph Curry Sparks. This cablegram is thought to mean that the name is Joseph Curry. Inquiries were made without result to find the record of any such man as Sparks in Canada. Another attempt will be made in view of the new name. No description of Curry has yet come from Manchester, and the detectives believe now that the man has been committed for trial on the Manchester charge, and that a description will come by mail.

NOTHING BUT PRAISE

A Scotch Merchant's Opinion of the Dominion.

London, Nov. 19.—At a meeting of the Edinburgh Chamber of Commerce Mr. Cormack, the chamber's delegate to the Montreal congress, said that there was not a stronger or grander child of the empire than Canada. He had traveled over a large portion of Canada, hunting for old Scottish Highland settlements, and had found the only Gaelic newspaper in the world published at Cape Breton. He hoped the chamber would use its influence to see Canada get the fast line as soon as possible. One point which struck him in Canada, was the beautiful adaptation of labor-saving machinery to all kinds of industry. The chamber voted an address of congratulation to the Montreal Chamber. The Scotsman says: "Judging from the large number of emigrants flocking to Canada, much of the wheat we use in the future will come from there, and will make us independent of foreign nations."

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TIED HIMSELF TO HORSE

The Animal Bolted and He Was Dragged to Death.

Battleford, N. W. T., Nov. 19.—Word has just been received of the accidental death of a Barr colonist named Norman Taylor, at Lloydminster, last Saturday. When taking a nervous horse to water he tied the end of the halter rope to his wrist with a slipknot, and was evidently dragged to death, as his body was found next morning frozen stiff and still tied to the animal. He was 24 years of age, and leaves two sisters at the colony.

CANADIAN SALT MEAT

French Deputies Want the Tariff On It Reduced.

Paris, Nov. 19.—A petition signed by a number of deputies was distributed in the Chamber of Deputies, proposing to allow salt meats from the United States and Canada to benefit by the minimum tariff. Twelve influential deputies signed the petition. It is pointed out that the application of the maximum tariff has resulted in the absolute prohibition of the importation of American pork, causing serious loss to the business of French houses, while France was menaced with reprisals on the part of the United States, which the Franco-American agreement provides for. The petition closes with an earnest appeal that the minimum tariff be made 30 francs on 100 kilos.

IS NEXT TO THE POPE

Merry Del Val Appointed Vatican Administrator.

Rome, Nov. 19.—The Pope yesterday morning appointed Cardinal Merry del Val, the Papal Secretary of State, to be Prefect of the Sacred College, a position which, under the late Pope Leo, had been made distinct from the Secretaryship of State, and had been informally intrusted to Cardinal Mocenni, who held it until now. It is a most important position, making Cardinal Merry del Val head of the administration of the Vatican, and thus centering in his hands the highest powers of the Papal government.

WRECK ON M. C. R.

Stock Train Backs Into Another, Derailing Several Cars.

Waterford, Ont., Nov. 19.—A wreck occurred in the Michigan Central yards here about 7 o'clock yesterday morning. An east-bound stock train, in charge of Conductor A. Robinson, of St. Thomas, backed into another east-bound train, wrecking three cars and delaying traffic for several hours. Robinson had orders to skip Waterford, and he attempted to take water from the scoop tank east of the yards here, but the scoop on the engine for some reasons refused to work. The train was then backed up to enable it to take water, and in doing this the rear end of the train ran into the engine of another east-bound train, damaging the pilot of the engine and wrecking three cars on Robinson's train. The way car on the stock train was smashed between the engine of the second train and an oil car on the stock train, which was derailed and thrown on the main track. A drover named Warren, who was in the way car, was slightly injured. The auxiliary came down from St. Thomas and cleared the line.

ELECTION APPEALS

The Four North Cases Before the Court.

Toronto, Nov. 19. — The validity of the order made by Mr. Justice Osler extending the time for hearing the election appeals in North Perth, North York, North Norfolk and North Grey, and fixing the 31st of January next for hearing the appeals, will be argued before the court of appeal next Friday.

The members whose seats are affected are: Hon. E. J. Davis, North York; John Brown, M. P. P., North Perth; A. G. Mackay, M. P. P., North Grey, and A. G. Little, M. P. P., North Norfolk.

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It is estimated by the treasury department that the exports of the United States for the current year will reach the great total of $1,500,000,00.

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The "housesmiths" are those ironworkers who put together the steel skeleton frames which are now used in the construction of all large buildings.

In 1901 the number of indictable offenses committed in Ireland was 9,000, but in 1902 they sank to 8,726.



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Cures COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, HOARSENESS and all THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. Miss Florence E. Mailman, New Germany, N.S., writes:—I had a cold which left me with a very bad cough. I was afraid I was going into consumption. I was advised to try DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP. I had little faith in it, but before I had taken one bottle I began to feel better, and after the second I felt as well as ever. My cough has completely disappeared.

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Three Wonderful Lots Priced Away Low

Lot 1-- First because it's the best of the three. Comprises a very large variety of patterns in the latest stripes and brocades. In this great lot are some 30 odd patterns, or 800 yards to choose from. Pinks, pale blues, cardinals, pearl grays, ambers, champagnes, black with helio, black with white, white with black, black with blue, pale blue with white, and all white stripe. The lace regular prices of these were $1.75, $1.50 and $1.25 per yard. Remember, no deception nor exaggeration. Your choice of this great lot suitable for Christmas gifts at only, per yard..... **79c**

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Lot 3-- Comprises such a beautiful lot of Silks that you will have to see them to believe the truthfulness of this statement. There are some 30 patterns and colors and about 600 yards, including our best quality and highest grade Plaid Silks, regularly sold by us at $1.50, $1.25, 85c, and a few regular 65c Plaid Silks. Your choice of this splendid lot at only..... **39c**

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SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

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THAT $5,000 EAR

Has Been Grafted On Head of Yankee Millionaire.

Philadelphia, Nov. 19.—Dr. Andrew L. Neldon, of New York, yesterday performed the operation of grafting an ear upon the head of a western millionaire, whose name the surgeon says he is under bond not to reveal. The operation was to have been performed in New York, but District Attorney Jerome is said to have interfered. Dr. Neldon said: "The operation promises to be successful. The operation took place at a private hospital here, where I was assisted by a Philadelphia physician and one from New York. I think they will be willing to have their names known later. The two men were placed in opposite directions upon an elongated bed. One-half of the volunteer's ear, the upper half, was cut off, together with about four inches of the skin behind the ear. This was twisted around and lifted to a freshly-prepared wound upon my patient's head. The half ear was held in place by bandages and the two men were bound so that they cannot move their heads. They must retain this position for at least twelve days, to allow the circulation to come through the flap of the skin that still remains a part of the volunteer's scalp. If this half ear starts to unite properly, the lower half of the ear will be grafted in the same manner."

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THE NEVER-FAILING medicine, Holloway's Corn Cure, removes all kinds of corns, warts, etc.; even the most difficult to remove cannot withstand this wonderful remedy.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

DEATHS.

TAYLOR—At sea, Oct. 15, 1903, en route from Manila, P. I., to San Francisco, Cal., James W. Taylor, brother of Wm. D. Taylor, 507 Princess avenue, city.

ELLIOTT—At the family residence, Bathurst street, John Elliott, in his 84th year.

Funeral on Saturday, at 3 p.m.; services, 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. 56u

TINDALE—At Ilderton, on Wednesday, Nov. 18, 1903, Richard Tindale, aged 74 years.

Funeral will leave his late residence on Friday, the 20th inst., at 1 o'clock. Interment at St. George's Cemetery.

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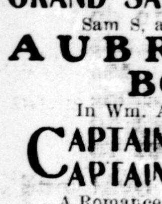
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Taxpayers will kindly take notice that the last installment of taxes for 1903 is due and payable before 30th November. All taxes unpaid after that date will be subject to distraint without further notice, with an additional percentage charge of five cents on each dollar.

Come at once and avoid the rush.

GEORGE W. HAYES,
54h-17,19,21,23,25,26,27,28 Collector.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT—THE EAST Middlesex License Commissioners will meet on Nov. 28, at 2 p.m., to consider a transfer of license from James McKee, of Denfield, London Township, to P. Quigley, of Elginfield. A. BAILEY, inspector, East Middlesex. 56u

SALE OF PROPERTY
In the Village of Melbourne.

Tenders for the purchase of the following properties will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1903:

Lot 18, and the west part of lot 19, south of Queen street; 53 feet frontage, upon which is situated a BRICK HOUSE and a FRAME STABLE.

The west part of lot 17, south of Queen street; 45 feet frontage, upon which is situated a frame building now used as a BLACKSMITH SHOP.

The east part of said lot 17; 24 feet frontage, upon which is situated a building now used as a HARNESS SHOP.

Vacant lots 40 and 41, on the east side of East street, in the said Village of Melbourne, all said lots being east of Union street.

The Canada Trust Company, London, Ont.,
Executors of the estate of the late Joseph Campbell. 56u-wt

Professor Albert Eulenberg, the well-known German neurologist, agrees with Dr. May, Schiller's physician, that actors are more nervous than women. He thinks that the plays of Ibsen, Hauptmann and Bjornson are particularly injurious to them, and mentions the case of one actor who was utterly wrecked by one of the modern realistic plays.

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Each ship steamed at a speed of 12 knots, and fired one gun at a time, at a target 20 feet long and 16 feet high. As published in the British press and verified by official reports, in 1901, the average of 48 British ships was nearly two hits per gun per minute. The best 15 of the 48 made from two to four hits per gun per minute, but the best individual record was a string of eight shots and eight hits in one minute.

In 1902, the English man-of-war Crescent, with her six-inch guns, scored 105 hits out of 135, averaging nearly five hits per minute. One of her gun captains fired nine shots and made nine hits in one minute. This is the world's record.

MEASURE OF EFFICIENCY.

The first question one usually asks in regard to a gun is, How far will it shoot? But with the artillerist range is not the measure of efficiency; the question rather should be, How much steel will the shot penetrate? As a matter of fact, the 12-inch gun will easily shoot a distance of nine miles. Standing behind the gun, it will require but little practice to follow with the eye the projectile in its flight. If the gun be elevated to 20 degrees, the projectile will be seen as a black speck to rise one mile above the earth before it begins to descend, and if the observer has a stop watch he will find that the shell takes just 42 seconds to travel the nine miles — a velocity sufficient to girdle the globe in less than 33 hours. It is more to the point, however, to know that with 385 pounds of smokeless powder, the new 12-inch gun will send an 850-pound armor-piercing shell hurtling through 19.5 inches of Harveyized nickel steel armor, at a distance of 3,000 yards.

MODERN EXPLOSIVES.

In the days of short guns—during the Dahlgren period—only black powder was used—a mechanical mixture that was practically the same as that used by Genghis Khan. When this powder burned it simply flashed and its pressure was developed instantly. As the introduction of long guns necessitated a change in powder, the Germans invented the brown or "cocoa" powder, the charcoal of which was made from carburized straw. This was made in hexagonal grains about an inch and a half in diameter and one inch in length, pierced with a longitudinal hole. It required three-quarters of a second for a grain to burn in open air, giving off large quantities of gas, producing a dense smoke cloud and leaving a large residue of carbonate of potash. The secret of brown powder was jealously guarded for a long time, but finally the great powder firm of the Duponts, after many trials, succeeded in turning out an article equal in every way to the German powder.

SMOKELESS POWDER.

But brown powder had a short life. Whereas the black powder had given velocities of 1,500 feet per second, and brown powder gave from 2,000 to 2,200, inventive genius sought for higher velocities and smokelessness. After years of trial, smokeless powder is now a commercial article, and for military purposes it is as easy to manufacture as the old black powder. It consists simply of gun cotton dissolved in a mixture of alcohol and ether, and is prepared for service in the shape of short perforated cylinders. It gives velocities as high as 3,000 feet per second. In the new 50-caliber six-inch gun it is expected to produce a velocity of 3,400 feet per second, which will be sufficient to send a hundred-pound projectile through two feet of wrought iron. As the pressure in the barrel is sustained and high, the walls of the gun must be strong, and it is a matter of congratulation that in sixteen years there has been but one gun ruptured in the United States service, and only a few cases of premature explosion of shells in guns.

LIFE OF A GUN.

The life of a gun is a matter of conjecture, for in the United States at least no high-powered gun has ever been tested for endurance. Some years ago it was published freely that Krupp guaranteed his heavy guns for only 75 rounds, but this probably meant the limit before it became necessary to reline the bore. A year or so ago a 13-inch shell exploded in one of the Kearsarge's guns while at target practice in the Gulf of Mexico, gouging out the bore and mutilating the rifling.

This gun was made as good as new by boring out the injured parts and inserting a new barrel. It is possible that a 12-inch gun may be fired 300 times without serious damage. The injury that results from firing is mainly a mechanical erosion caused by the rapid rush of the powder gases around the base of the projectile. It is possible that some chemical change also takes place, but if so it is not important. The English cordite, which is a smokeless nitro-glycerine powder, causes serious erosion owing to the great heat it involves, but it has the advantage of being 40 per cent. lighter than United States powder. Six-inch guns have been fired upwards of 2,000 times without injury. This shows a great difference between the old and the new guns. Dahlgren guns were pierced with two vents, and to each one were allowed 500 rounds, a thousand rounds being considered the life of the gun.

SHOOTING TRUE.

The secret of shooting true is to gunners what the philosopher's stone was to the alchemists and naval powers today are making every effort to solve the mystery. When it is remembered that a 12-inch gun costs $40,000, that the expense a round of firing it is nearly $750, and that the erosion caused by each round lessens the life of the gun by a large percentage from a financial consideration alone the importance of hitting the target is very great. It is still more important when the striking effect of shot is considered. Shots that from a 12-inch gun striking square on the side armor of a ship at a distance of 3,000 yards will do incalculable damage.

Let us suppose that the Louisiana is engaged by a ship of her own class, and that a 12-inch armor-piercing shell strikes squarely on her armor. What is the result? Her side is 11 inches thick; the 12-inch gun will perforate nineteen and five-tenths inches of Harveyized nickel steel armor. As the fuse in the shell is "delayed action" it will permit the shell to get through the armor, and will then explode it in the interior of the ship. What havoc! The power of 36 pounds of powder, cordite, melanite, or of whatever explosive the bursting charge of the shell may be, is suddenly released in an inclosed space. Steel bulkheads, decks, gun-mounts, stanchions, are blown out of shape and destroyed and living guns' crews reduced to mutilated and scattered fragments. Should four 12-inch shots strike simultaneously the effect may be imagined better than described. Lieut.-Commander Albert Cleaves, in the World's Work.

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40,000 WILL BE SHIPPED

Many Turkeys Go to the Old Country From London.

"Crop" Is None Too Plentiful Hence High Prices.

Representatives of firms who ship poultry to the old country for the Christmas trade, have been scouring the country for weeks for turkeys. In some places the supply is none too plentiful—in fact, there is a decided scarcity, while in others again the birds are found in good numbers.

There is no denying the fact, however, that the turkey "crop" is not as abundant as it was two years ago, and prices are going to be high in consequence. Birds that are at all suitable for the market across the sea bring from 9 to 10 cents a pound, live weight, while for dressed birds 11 and 12 cents has been paid this week. This is about 4 cents a pound in advance of what was paid a few years ago, and unless next spring is more favorable for the raising of young birds the market next year will be no better, from the buyers' standpoint, than it is this year.

The shipments to the old land will commence in earnest next week. The poultry is already commencing to come into the cold storage and it will continue from now on at a lively rate. A local man who is closely identified with the export trade, said today that he expected 40,000 turkeys would be shipped from London to the old country during the next few weeks. Large numbers would also be sent from Ingersoll, and other points would also furnish quantities of poultry.

HISSED AND CHEERED

A Mixed Reception for Ex-Minister at Montreal.

Montreal, Nov. 19.—An unpleasant incident connected with the annual dinner of the students of the law faculty of Laval University last night was the hissing of Hon. J. I. Tarte by a group of students while the ex-minister was speaking to the toast of "Our Parliaments." Mr. Tarte reviewed the history of Canada, and in the course of his remarks had occasion to refer to Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Considerable hissing was heard upon the mention of the Premier's name, and the inference was that a group of students desired to express their displeasure of the manner in which Mr. Tarte has conducted himself towards Sir Wilfrid since leaving the Cabinet. Mr. Tarte stopped speaking and took his seat, but upon the suggestion of the chairman he continued. He then received a warm reception, for which he extended his thanks.

CHEERS FOR THE PREMIER

Sir Wilfrid Receives an Ovation From Laval Students.

Montreal, Nov. 18. — Sir Wilfrid Laurier was tonight once more the guest of honor at the annual banquet given at the Place Viger Hotel by the students and faculty of the law department of Laval University. A feature worthy of note was the greatly more buoyant tone in the Premier's voice than on the same occasion a year ago, and his decidedly more healthful appearance. Even Sir Wilfrid himself did not fail to observe the difference.

When the Premier rose to speak he was greeted with round after round of cheers, and as he raised his hand repeatedly for silence the applause seemed to increase. For several minutes Sir Wilfrid stood, unable to get a chance to make a start, and with his first words the cheer was renewed.

When the president at last restored order, Sir Wilfrid began by saying that Canada was a subject so vast that justice could not be done to it, beginning at so late an hour. However, Canada did not need anyone to respond to her health. (Cheers.) She was in the hearts of all present, and that was sufficient. No credit could be claimed by the speaker that the students of Laval should again ask him to assist at their banquet. There were special reasons why he should be thankful this time. A year ago he had risen from a bed of sickness to be present, but tonight, thank God, he was able to sit down with a good stomach. (Hearty applause.)

Palmistry.

With joy I let Myrtilla hold
My hand in hers a minute,
Just long enough, as I was told,
To find a fortune in it.
And when she read the lines that Time
Had written—smooth and scarred ones—
It seemed to me that every rhyme
Of life was made of hard ones.

"You are to make a journey soon,
Your home will be a villa."
My thoughts were on a honeymoon
That moment with Myrtilla.
"You love a girl who loves you not,
But still you must pursue her."
That made me chilly, so I got
I trifle closer to her.

"Your wife"—and here she paused awhile
And took a breath, a long one;
"The line is faint" (I tried to smile),
"Perhaps it is the wrong one.
I can't see clearly, so I'll stop;
You'll marry soon or never."
With that she let my fingers drop—
Which I considered clever.

I seized the chance, her hand I seized;
My fortune should not fret me.
That snowy hand I tightly squeezed
As long as she would let me,
And when with blushes she arose
I put my arms around her,
And won, as the old saying goes,
My fortune when I found her!
—Felix Carmen, in Life.

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Organized Greed.

The Standard Oil Company's last quarterly dividend brings its profits for the year up to a trifle less than $43,000,000, or 40 per cent on its stock, which is largely watered at that. Yet this year the company has raised the price of oil. It is hard to reconcile the two facts with Mr. Rockefeller's piety. How can a monopoly making 40 per cent justify itself in adding to the people's taxes? The casuist may point to Mr. Rockefeller's donations to colleges and charity, but these account for only a fraction of his income. The Standard Oil Company is constantly seeking to invest the millions which it wrings from the public every year in excessive profits. It owns steamship lines and banks, and no doubt has a secret finger in many other enterprises. It is now said to be reaching out for the control of the steel trust and the Pennsylvania Railway. It is one of the dogmas of political economy that greed must over-reach itself and that labor is always revenged on capital. That is, if capital extorts unnatural profits by depressing labor or oppressing the public through monopoly prices, these profits must be reinvested, thus giving employment to more labor. The people of the United States are not even getting this satisfaction out of the Standard Oil Company. Its profits are not used in extending the production of oil, the output being carefully regulated, so as to maintain high prices. If the profits are used in buying up existing enterprises, such as steel works and railways, there is no fresh employment of labor. It is true those who sell out to the Standard Oil Company have their capital liberated for other purposes. But are great accumulations of capital a benefit when they are employed in adding to production in a market which periodically suffers from over-production? The great problem is to increase the consuming power of the people. Their producing power, in countries highly organized industrially, constantly tends to outrun their consuming power; hence the periodical hard times. There is no fear of the public ever suffering because it cannot get all it is able to pay for. Look out for consumption, and production will take care of itself. The agglomeration of inordinate profits in the hands of a few men means that this money is taken from the consuming power of the people. To be sure if it is reinvested in new industries it gives work in the erection of factories and the building of machinery. But when the factories are erected they enter into competition with other factories, they increase the volume of production and eventually add to the glut on the market. If these monopoly profits were distributed either in reduced prices or higher wages or by multiplying the number of shareholders in the trust or monopoly, the consuming capacity of the people would be proportionately increased. Fair profits are necessary to the manufacturer to allow for depreciation of plant and the natural growth of his business. But monopoly profits streaming into a few hands are a drain on the vitality of a country.

The Library Bogey.

"I am beginning to believe that our public libraries are becoming the greatest curses that exist. That which corrupts and paralyzes the mental faculties is read and the substantial food is left. And this will be so until Christian men get hold of these institutions. Young men are being drawn away by bad books, bad places, etc." So said a well-known clergyman in a lecture in this city the other night. A statement so sweeping should be supported by evidence. Is the reverend gentleman sure of his ground? Probably he reasons after this manner, as do most critics of the public library:

A great deal of fiction is bad for the mind;

A preponderating share of the literature circulated by public libraries is fiction;

Therefore, public libraries are bad.

Does this syllogism square with the facts? A great deal of fiction is trash and a great deal of it is wholesome and essential to culture. Has the reverend gentleman any positive information that public libraries whet the appetite for trashy fiction or cater to depraved literary tastes? It is free to any reputable citizen to explore the shelves of the library in this city, and we venture to say he will look in vain for fiction which he would be loth to put in the hands of his family. A comparatively small amount of the money available for new books is spent on novels, and these are judiciously selected by gentlemen who are reputed to be Christians and who occupy pews, if not the pulpit. If a quantity of the fiction circulated is not strong meat it is at least mild and innocuous, which is the most that may be said for the average Sunday school library. A careful appraisement of books is a duty resting on the managers of free libraries and if they are derelict the censors of public morals may easily find it out and demand a remedy. The reverend critic will surely not deny that many people use the public library with a serious purpose. An encouraging feature is the number of workingmen who take out works on mechanics and practical science. These are usually expensive books which they could not afford to buy. The public library, like other good things, may be abused, but it has become a fixture in modern educational machinery and the aim should be to make it fulfill the useful functions of which it is capable. Indiscriminate abuse will do no good. Discriminating criticism may.

Words vs. Deeds.

The Opposition purists need to be reminded of a few cold facts. In the last provincial elesction 427,463 votes were polled. There were recounts in 14 constituencies and 62,805 ballots were scrutinized. Only four of these—in North Grey—were objects of suspicion, but Mr. Justice Maclennan held there was no sign of willful wrongdoing. Contrast this with the orgy of ballot frauds in the Dominion election of 1896, the last under Conservative control—especially in the city of London. Then look at the records of the courts after the provincial election last year. After all the frantic accusations by the Opposition, after ascribing the Liberal victory to the work of the "machine," what happened? Six Conservative seats were protested, and only two Liberal seats. Four Conservatives were unseated and one Liberal. Six Conservative workers were reported for corrupt practices and one Libeal. Perhaps the result will be more impressive in tabular form:

Members unseated—			
Conservatives...	4	Liberals	1
Workers convicted or reported—			
Conservatives...	6	Liberals	1
Totals—			
Conservatives.	10	Liberals	2

The outcry against the Ross Government from the Whitneyites and Gameyites is mere Phariseeism. Liberals will do well to turn a deaf ear to such hypocritical mouthings. If they examine the records of both parties they will never think of voting out the Ross Government, and voting in men who have not kept their skirts clear of corruption and have shown no capacity for anything but abuse.

Has anyone heard of a man going to jail through an over-indulgence in a public library?

Colombia had the impertinence to ask Uncle Sam to put up, whereupon Uncle Sam put Colombia out.

The London Mail declares that "brain fag" is making ravages in the "upper stratum of society." The bridge whist craze must be something fearful.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier rejoiced last night that he could sit down to a banquet with a good stomach. This will upset the calculations of some of his political opponents.

The Home Market Club of New England is against reciprocity with Canada or any other country. If its views were acted on by every other country the United States would have nothing but its home market to live on.

Hon. George E. Foster has undergone a sea change. In England he is booming the Canadian preferential tariff, but in Canada he could say nothing too bad about it. It is likely he will suffer another sea change on his voyage home.

The correspondent of the London Daily Mail who is touring Canada, writes 'ome that Montreal is the worst and most depraved city in the world. Canadians never suspected this, but perhaps they weren't looking for it.

"Seven years of fatness under Laurier," says the Globe. In Pharoah's time seven lean years followed, but Canada had so many lean years before 1896, that she is entitled to more than seven of plenty, and is apparently going to have it.

The clever young criminal lawyer, T. C. Robinette, is spoken of as the next Liberal candidate in Center Toronto for the House of Commons. He is a young man of brains and magnetism and he has it in his power to become a considerable personage in this country some day.

The London Standard wants to know what the mother country is going to gain by a preference which gives British manufacturers no show against Canadian manufacturers. Mr. Foster and Sir Charles Tupper are on the spot. Why not ask them?

Her Modest Wish.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

"Sometimes," said the poet, "I almost get to thinking I would rather have been born rich than a genius."

"Oh, dear," his wife replied, "I don't go to such extravagant extremes. If you'd only been born with a longing to go out and get a job somewhere I'd be satisfied."

Circumstances Alter Cases.

[Chicago News.]

"Yes," said the tramp, who was explaining his graft, "I always tell de lady of de house dat I was injured on the field."

"What field?" asked the newcomer on the road.

"Well, if it's a young lady, I say football, an' if it's an old lady I say battlefield."

May a Wife Mend Union Trousers?

[New York World.]

The Central Labor Union of Philadelphia thinks it has discovered treason within the very sanctuary of unionism. There are men professing loyalty to organized labor who permit their wives to mend holes in their trousers instead of taking the garments to union tailors. When exposed these persons have even had the hardihood to defend their treason. One of them said right out in the meeting that he would not only let his wife mend his trousers, but would even hang wall paper in his own house if he felt like it.

These subversive sentiments were properly rebuked, and the meeting put itself on record in favor of the proposition that no union man should have anything done by home labor that he could hire another union man to do for him.

On reflection, however, there is something to be said for the theory that a wife may legitimately mend her husband's trousers. Is she not a member in good standing of the oldest union in the world? And did not Eve help to make the first garments ever constructed? Did she not elect Adam the first walking delegate when the first baby cut the first tooth in history?

It may not be so easy after all to brand a wife's work as "scab labor."

The Wooden Indian.

[W. F. Kirk, in Milwaukee Sentinel.]

Behold the wooden Indian,
Who stands outside the door,
And guards, with frown and hatchet,
The old tobacco store.
He never beat a grocery bill,
He never told a lie,
He never took a long look
At Bourbon, fizz or rye.

Behold the wooden Indian—
A mass of oak and paint;
He never made a crooked move,
In fact, he is a saint.
He never bought a stack of chips
And sat into a game;
He never rushed a chorus girl,
Or flirted with a dame.

Behold the wooden Indian,
Who, on the other hand,
Was never known to help the poor
That fill our glorious land;
Who never heard the piteous cry
Of him who starved alone—
Who never gave a hungry dog
So much as one small bone.

Behold the wooden Indian
(And clay is much like wood),
Who never did a bit of harm,
Nor yet a bit of good.
His family is not extinct—
In fact, one often meets
A lot of wooden Indians
A-walking on the streets!

A Rub at Chamberlain.

[New York Post.]

A new explanation of the singular purity of American political life is offered by that eminent student and publicist, Joseph Chamberlain. In a letter published yesterday he vigorously rebutted the suggestion that protection is a cause of corruption. American troubles of this kind, he remarked, are "chiefly caused by Irish political organizations; but so far as the Government is concerned, nothing of the kind has even been suggested to me, and the general purity of the administration has increased under the protective system." No one, we hope, will be so unkind as to poison Mr. Chamberlain's innocent mind with the idea that in this country the vast protected interests—the steel and the tinplate manufacturers, the sugar refiners, the wool growers—have ever formed a combination to dictate tariff schedules for the benefit of private pockets; that each of these industries has its representatives in the Senate and the House; and that Senator Quay and others of his kind have speculated on the stock market on their inside knowledge of future legislation. Such notions would be exceedingly painful to a man who now worships a protective tariff as a powerful purifying influence. Mr. Chamberlain evidently takes no stock in the theory that Parliament is relatively free from rumors of scandal because there is no bottomless pork barrel from which to feed a hungry and squabbling tariff lobby. We may infer from his words either that in English as well as in American political life the law of cause and effect has ceased to operate, or else that Bishop Burnet was right when he said: "Men engaged in parties are not easily put out of countenance."

London's Double.

[Toronto Star.]

It was all right in the Canadian backwoods 50 or 100 years ago to clear away the bush, throw up a few log shanties, and call the settlement London, or York, or Berlin, or Paris. This satisfied sentiment at that time, and expressed hope and ambition, but the times have changed, and the duplication of names in this age of rapid and world-wide communication is considerable of a nuisance. As London, England, and London, Ontario, and Paris France, and Paris, Ontario, begin to rival each other in importance, much confusion results, and some day London and Paris in this province may find it convenient to select names that will be all their own.

Knotty Problem.

[New York World.]

Emmanuel Nott, he was half shot,
The other half was not.
Now, if you take the half of Nott—
The half that was not shot—
And add to it the other half—
The punctured half of Nott—
Was not the Nott that was not shot
In half the Nott we knew?
The same old Nott—half shot—and not
The Nott not shot in two.

Grist To Joe's Mill.

[Toronto Star.]

In England opinion is divided as to whether Hicks-Beach has caught Balfour or Balfour caught Hicks-Beach. Mr. Chamberlain, from his position in the middle of the web, merely reflects that they will come in handy for supper.

Pointed Paragraphs.

[Chicago News.]

Women are seldom up to date in the matter of birthdays.

Borrowed trouble commands the highest rate of interest.

An absent-minded woman forgets everything—except herself.

Some theories are like gunpowder—most useful when exploded.

When the members of a woman's club quarrel they call it a debate.

Some self-made people seem to have got the material at a bargain counter.

No amateur play is satisfactory unless all the feminine parts are heroines.

The average girl believes the proper time to marry is the first time she's asked.

The dog is man's best friend. When a man has a cold the dog never tells him what to do for it.

It's as difficult to see how money makes the man as it is to see how some men make their money.

It's funny how a man will blow up his wife because the telephone won't work, when he doesn't dare ask the cook for hot water to shave.

Safety In Liberty.

[Hamilton Herald.]

Sixty-three years ago British politicians asserted that the extension of the privilege of self-government to Canada would weaken the imperial tie and would soon be followed by the separation of Canada from the empire. Canadian statesmen and the Canadian people falsified the prediction. They demonstrated that it was quite safe to intrust Canada with the privilege and responsibilities of self-government. The extension of Canadian liberties resulted in the strengthening of the imperial tie. British sovereigns now say that the extension of Canada's treaty-making powers would result in the separation of Canada from the empire. It will be for Canadian statesmen to demonstrate the falsity of this prediction. For an extension of her treaty-making powers Canada must have; there will be far less danger in granting it than in withholding it.

Statesmen and Bachelors, Too.

[The Onlooker.]

The number of unmarried men in the present Government is unusually large. The Prime Minister and the Chancellor of the Exchequer are both bachelors, and this alone is a very rare occurrence. Then the Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Earl Percy, is one of the greatest partis in the kingdom, and the Earl of Hardwicke, now parliamentary Secretary to the Indian Office, is one of our smartest single men.

Mr. Punch's Politics.

[Punch.]

It is said that a commercial scare has been created in Germany by Mr. Chamberlain's tarifying speeches.

Milk and Bread Tickets.

[Hamilton Times.]

Once or twice public attention has been drawn to the use of milk and bread tickets and the danger there is of disease being spread by means of them. London has a bylaw which declares that metal checks or coupon books must be used instead of cardboard or paper tickets, or that the latter be only used once. We imagine that metal checks would be about as dangerous as paper tickets. Paper tickets or coupon books can be had so cheaply these days that both bakers and milkmen should be able to provide their customers with them, destroying them as they are returned.

A Strong Staff.

[Forsyth, Mont., Times.]

The great city papers think they are smart in having a large staff, and although we have not published ours before, we shall do so to take some conceit out of the city brethren. The editorial staff of the Times is comprised of: Managing editor, Ira Cole; city editor, I. Cole; news editor, 'Ra Cole; editorial writer, Hon. Mr. Cole; exchange editor, Cole; pressman, the same Cole; foreman, more of the same Cole; fighting editor, Mrs. Cole.

Irving Hadn't Heard It.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

Sir Henry Irving didn't understand it at all at first; in fact, it put him in quite a rage, to find that any audience could possibly laugh at him in "The Bells." But when the matter was explained after the first performance he agreed that it was quite funny, undoubtedly, but wholly American. When Sir Henry made his appearance as Matthias in New York a few evenings ago his first lines were: "Peace be unto you." That was enough for the audience, and the memory of Dowie caused hearty laughter throughout the theater. Sir Henry paused in amazement, looked at his auditors with something very much akin to scorn, and went on with the play.

MONTREAL FOR MR. CHAMBERLAIN

Board of Trade Forwards a Resolution Favoring Preferential Trade.

Montreal, Nov. 19.—The question of preferential trade within the empire was discussed at a largely attended meeting of the Montreal Board of Trade held yesterday afternoon, under the presidency of Arthur J. Hodgson, and after a number of addresses in favor of Mr. Chamberlain's proposals had been made, the following resolution was adopted:

"That having followed with great interest the action of the Right Honorable Joseph Chamberlain in advising a system of tariff preference within the empire, the Montreal Board of Trade now reiterates its belief that the best interests of the empire would be served by adopting such changes in the fiscal policies of the several parts of the empire as would encourage preferential trade."

A. W. Grant moved an amendment in favor of free trade within the empire, but it found no seconder.

It was decided that a copy of the resolution adopted by the meeting should be forwarded to Mr. Chamberlain and Colonial Secretary Lyttleton.

It is considered that the resolution will strengthen Mr. Chamberlain's hands in the campaign which that statesman is now carrying on in England. Robert Meighen, president of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, is the prime mover in the matter.

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SHORTNESS OF BREATH.

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"Like Man, Like Horse."

I've always had a notion that the horse is like the man. In other words, that the horse is often what his owner makes him. Recently I came across the following bit of wisdom in a farm paper:

"The excitable horseman," he says, "will have horses just like he is himself. The man without horse sense will have a horse with the same poor sense. The man who is loud when driving will have a boisterous horse, and no one ought to blame the horse. The man who stops his team with a drawling 'w-h-o-a' will have a team that will stop in the same manner—that is, they will take two or three steps after they are told to stop."

I might quote more, but enough is enough. You get the idea. What's more, you all know living examples of the kind of horsemen referred to. You—of course—aren't built that way; but the "other fellow" often is. Too often. And usually, he blames the horse for his own shortcomings. Once in a while, probably, he licks old "Dobbin" or "Jim" for some fault that in reality is his own. It isn't fair! Train or drive or use a horse properly, and, nine out of ten times, that horse behaves himself and does all that is expected of an animal

Seems to me there ought to be a training school for the driver as well as for the driven. For instance, I know of several promising horses that have been practically spoiled by poor driving. I have in mind, in particular, two horses; one is driven by a man, the other by a woman. Both drivers have the habit of nagging and fussing—of saying "G-long," or "Git-up" every half-minute regularly, accompanying the words with a gentle tap of the whip. The result is that both horses pay no attention whatever to either command or whip, and it takes a "reg-lar earthquake" or a first-class thrashing to move 'em out of a slow jog-trot.

Another spoiled horse has been allowed to acquire the habit of "starting up" the moment he is unhitched. His owner will get a broken neck or limb some day, if I'm not mistaken, but—why I don't know—he makes no effort to conquer the fault. "Break him of it," I advised. "Well," he drawled, "it would be a lot of bother. I've kind of let him get into the habit, I guess, and as long as he's got it—what's the odds, anyhow? I don't mind it particularly. I'm spry about getting in."

"You may not mind," I retorted, "but some day somebody else may try to drive that horse. Then something will happen! Or, perhaps, some day you'll forget to be 'spry' as usual, and—say, how much accident insurance do you carry, neighbor?"

He laughed. "Not a cent's worth. Don't need any."

"No, but your heirs may."

Well, I didn't convince him, and he shows no signs of reforming; but I hope everybody else will not be so stubborn and short-sighted. I tell you, friends, there's a splendid field for an accident insurance agent in my part of the state. —Detroit Journal.

180,000,000 Bibles Issued

The British and Foreign Bible Society, which in a few months completes a century of work, has issued no fewer than 180,000,000 copies of the Scriptures, which are now printed in nearly 400 different languages. The actual revision of the text of the recently completed Malagasi Bible, apart from the printing, cost the society over £3,000. This is a trifle compared with the expense of translation work at the beginning of the last century. Grants by the society to Dr. Morrison and his assistants for producing the first Chinese Bible totaled £10,000, while to Dr. William Carey and his associates in the various Serampore versions the grants of money and material exceeded £30,000. On the other hand, the revision of the Lifu Bible for the Loyalty Islands, although it occupied three years and involved 52,310 corrections, entailed no more expense for the six natives who assisted the revisers than an annual grant of six suits of clothes. The diversity of tongues to be found in one country is often a matter of surprise. Last year the society's agents sold the Scriptures in 53 languages in the Russian Empire, in 28 languages in Burmah, in 20 in South Malaysia, and in 53 in the Egyptian agency.

The total issue of Bibles, complete or in parts, last year was nearly 6,000,000. Eight hundred and fifty colporteurs sold over 1,830,000, the grants for colportage amounting to £43,282. Notwithstanding all the society's achievements, there are still millions of the human race speaking languages into which not so much as a single Gospel has been translated. In order to meet the claims of China, India and other vast fields of labor for Bible women and colporteurs, an effort is being made to mark the completion of the society's first century by raising a centenary fund of 250,000 guineas,a fund to which his Majesty the King has contributed 100 guineas and his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales 30 guineas. The president of the society, the Marquis of Northampton, gives £1,000, while the members of the executive committee have collectively promised £10,000.—London Telegraph.

A MAGIC PILL.—Dyspepsia is a foe with which men are constantly grappling but cannot exterminate. Subdued, and to all appearance vanquished in one, it makes its appearance in another direction. In many the digestive apparatus is as delicate as the mechanism of a watch or scientific instrument, in which even a breath of air will make a variation. With such persons disorders of the stomach ensue from the most trivial causes, and cause much suffering. To these Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are recommended as mild and sure.

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NO commodity is more judiciously dealt in than Linens. It is so easy, even though wicked, to add a cotton thread or two and thus reduce the cost. The average customer is often none the wiser, until a few month's wear has afforded detection. We sell Linens that are Linens. Absolute security and pronounced satisfaction at all times buying Linens here, because there is never the disappointment that comes when the cotton baseness is revealed at the laundering time. The Linens we sell always improve with the washing.

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Bleached Table Damask, pure Irish flax, 70-inch, two patterns, special, at 63c
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Irish Linen Hand-Embroidered Five O'Clock Tea Cloths, at $1 10, $1 50, $1 95, up to $3 40
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Japanese Linen Drawn Work Hemstitched Sideboard Covers, at $1 75

Japanese Fine Lace Work Doilies and Centers, round, oval and square. Beautiful work and fine Linen, imported direct. They are works of art, for which the Japanese are particularly noted.

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10 dozen Pure Linen Huckaback Towels, hemmed, underprice 10c
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Bath Mats, fancy colors, three sizes, heavy quality, at 75c, $1 10 and $1 30
Bath Towels, genuine Christy's Turkish, in four sizes, 33c, 42c, 50c, and 65c
Very large size Heavy Bath Towels, in three sizes, at 32c, 36c and 50c
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Many other articles, too numerous to mention here, in stock. What is not advertised, ask for. We have a full and complete stock.

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Fashionable Wedding.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 19. — Five hundred guests attended the wedding today of Flag-Lieut. Cecil H. Frank Hayhurst, of Bostock Hall, Cheshire, and Gertrude Isabel Douglas, daughter of Rear-Admiral Douglas, at St. Mark's Church.

Rose Given 19 Years.

New York, Nov. 19. — Harry J. Rose, the actor, who shot and killed his wife, Isabella, in their apartment in this city on Sept. 26, 1902, was today sentenced to nineteen years in state's prison. Rose was for some time after the murder confined in an insane asylum, but was recently returned for trial and had pleaded guilty.

A. G. T. P. Survey.

North Bay, Ont., Nov. 19. — A party of twenty-two engineers and assistants outfitted here and left today to complete the survey for the Grand Trunk Pacific from North Bay.

REXALL HOUSEHOLD DYES.

The latest and most improved dye in the world. Will dye wool, cotton, silk, jute or mixed goods in one bath. Ask your druggist, Cairncross & Lawrence, 216 Dundas street; H. J. Childs, 632 Dundas street; T. H. Janes, Wortley road, for a sample. ywt

Unanimous consent was refused Delegate Charles Dodd, of the Piano Makers' Union of Chicago, to introduce a resolution urging wage workers to vote for trades unionists for municipal, state and national offices.

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Put a teaspoonful of Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea for each person in a *dry, warm, earthenware* teapot.

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When the water is boiling *vigorously* pour over the tea and allow to steep six minutes.

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Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea

Ask for the Red Label "Just Pure Tea" Black, Mixed Ceylon Green

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DIED TO SAVE GLASS

$1,000 Worth of Plate Glass Crushes Two to Death.

New York, Nov. 19. — Endeavoring to prevent $1,000 worth of plate glass from being smashed, feeling that they would have to work more than a year to pay for the loss, two men employed by the David Plate Glass Company, accomplished their purpose yesterday, but at the cost of their lives.

Patrick Bennett and Donald Martin, the men who were crushed to death, were, with the aid of Michael Doyle, moving a huge case of glass from a truck to the side of the company's building. Suddenly it toppled and the men redoubled their efforts to prevent it from falling, knowing that if it struck the sidewalk flat side on every plate of the valuable contents would be broken. Realizing that they could not save the glass, the three men tried to stand from under, but Doyle only succeeded, and crushing the two victims under its almost half-ton weight the case crashed to the sidewalk.

When an ambulance surgeon arrived both Bennett and Martin were dead.

GREAT WORK IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Dodd's Kidney Pills Made F. W. Harris a Well Man.

He Suffered From Kidney Disease For Two and a Half Years—Only One of the Many Cured by the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Central Waterville, York County, N. B., Nov. 18.—The case of F. W. Harris, of this place, is one more evidence of the wonderful work Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing in New Brunswick. Mr. Harris makes the following statement for publication:

"I suffered for two years and a half from Kidney Troubles, being unable to attend to my work the greater part of the time. I tried many medicines without getting any benefit, but actually grew worse.

"I took three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they cured me. I think Dodd's Kidney Pills are a wonderful remedy for Kidney trouble."

Bright's Disease is the most advanced stage of Kidney Disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only remedy that will cure it. But it is wiser and safer to guard against Bright's Disease by using Dodd's Kidney Pills when your Kidneys give the first symptoms of distress—pain in the back or slight urinary disorder.

Nickel and Silver Galore.

Kingston, Nov. 19.—Prof. Nicol, of Queen's University, has returned from a trip through New Ontario. Accompanied by Prof. Miller he inspected the newly-discovered nickel and silver deposits. Prof. Nicol brought back about half a ton of samples, some pieces weighing about 25 pounds and almost pure silver. These will be added to the museum in the School of Mines.

IT IS KNOWN EVERYWHERE.—There is not a city, town or hamlet in Canada where Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is not known—wherever introduced it made a foothold for itself and maintained it. Some merchants may suggest some other remedy as equally beneficial. Such recommendations should be received with doubt. There is only one Eclectric Oil, and that is Dr. Thomas. Take nothing else.

Are You Going West?

Low rates via Grand Trunk until Nov. 30, from London to Billings, Montana, $32 25; Helena, Ogden, Denver, Butte, $37 25; Spokane, Nelson, Rossland, $39 75; Portland, Seattle, Vancover, San Francisco, Los Angeles, $42 25. For reservations in tourist cars or tickets call on E. De la Hook, "Clock Corner," or C. E. Horning, station ticket agent. 38-td

A good maxim is a book of ethics in a sentence.

SEA LION FREE IN LAKE

Climbs a Three-Foot Fence and Makes Its Way to Lagoon.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—"Big Ben," the sea lion that has been an attraction at Lincoln Park for more than a year, is now enjoying freedom in Lake Michigan. Climbing over a three-foot iron fence early yesterday morning the animal found its way to the outer lagoon. There it was seen by a laborer who was passing the high bridge. Before Keeper De Vry was notified the animal had reached the open lake.

Late in the afternoon men at the lighthouse and on the Government pier saw it, and still later it was seen off North avenue. De Vry is afraid some hunter may shoot the animal and he has offered a reward of $25 for its safe return.

The lion came from California a year ago last May and weighs over 600 pounds.

A CUT IN WAGES

All Salaries in Domini S Company To Be Reduced.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 18. — The Dominion Iron and Steel Company, Sydney, gave notice yesterday of a general reduction in the wages and salaries of all its employes. The notices posted to that effect, read as follows:

"Nov. 17.—Beginning with Dec. 1, 1903, all wages and salaries of the employes of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company will be reduced from 10 to 33 1-3 per cent. Common laborers will be paid $1 26 per diem. (Signed), David Baker, Manager."

The bulletins issued to the machinists notifies them of a reduction of 15 per cent, and furnace men of 20 per cent. The reduction will affect every man on the plant, from officials down to common laborers.

Furlong Discharged

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 19. — Joseph Francis Furlong, of St. Louis, a traveling man, who shot to death Irving McDonald, the young St. Joseph millionaire, Sunday morning, at the Hotel Metropole, has been acquitted by a coroner's jury and discharged from custody.

Deadly Folding Bed.

Hanibal, Mo., Nov. 19.—Mrs. Chas. Caler died from injuries received by the closing of a folding-bed, in which she was sleeping. For over a week she lingered with a broken neck. Mr. Caler, who was also hurt in the accident, is recovering.

Hard On Montreal.

London, Nov. 19. — Edgar Wallace, writing to the London Daily Mail, compares Montreal to a beautiful woman, down at the heels. He says it is the worst and most depraved city in the world, and the stamp of America is on the town and one-third of the people.

Horse Kills Bear.

Ukiah, Cal., Nov. 19. — Roadwarmer, a well-known racehorse in this section, killed a bear on the Sanhedrin a few days ago. Roadwarmer was one of a string of racers that Ralph Vernon was taking to Covelo for the winter.

When the bear was in reach the horse squared around and a battle royal commenced, the horse using his hoofs to good advantage. When Vernon managed to get the horse away the bear was lying in an unrecognizable mass and the horse was uninjured.

Honor for Marconi.

Rome, Nov. 19. — The Navigazione Italiana has concluded a contract with Signor Marconi for the establishment of wireless telegraphy on its steamers. The first apparatus will be installed on the steamers sailing to the United States. The municipality of Piza by a unanimous vote has conferred citizenship upon Signor Marconi.

Alive in Morgue Basket

St. Louis, Nov. 19.—John Nelason, a bartender at East St. Louis, was greatly surprised Sunday afternoon when he awoke in one of Kurras' ambulances and found that he was in the morgue basket. He yawned and stretched his limbs, and Barney Gabler, the ambulance driver, was so frightened he ran several blocks to get away from Nelason.



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CRESOLENE is a long established and standard remedy for the diseases indicated. It cures because the air rendered strongly antiseptic is carried over the diseased surfaces of the bronchial tubes with every breath, giving prolonged and constant treatment. Those of a consumptive tendency, or sufferers from chronic bronchitis, find immediate relief from coughs or inflamed conditions of the throat. Descriptive booklet free.

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KING BANQUETS ROYAL GUESTS

State Banquet at Windsor Castle a Brilliant Affair.

SOVEREIGNS EXCHANGE TOASTS

European Ambassadors and Other Notables Present—The Scene in St. George's Hall.

London, Nov. 18.—St. George's Hall, a magnificent Norman gallery of Windsor Castle, in which many foreign sovereigns have been entertained, was the scene tonight of a state banquet, the first elaborate function marking the royal welcome to King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena of Italy. The function was in every way as brilliant as any witnessed in the famous hall on past great occasions. There were 160 guests, including the royal hosts and their royal guests, prominent statesmen from Great Britain and Italy, ambassadors from three continents, and representatives of the army and the navy. The guests were seated at a long table, on which the famous service of gold plates and the masses of flowers formed a brilliant avenue of color and of sparkling light reflected from an incomparable display of jewels.

The guests were first received in the grand reception room by King Edward and Queen Alexandra and King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena. At 8:45 the guests entered the banquet hall—King Edward, with Queen Helena, leading, and King Victor Emmanuel, with Queen Alexandra, the Prince of Wales, with the Princess Victoria, the Duke of Connaught, with the Duchess of Argyll, Ambassador Choate, with the Duchess of Connaught, following in the order named. Others of great political importance present were the European ambassadors Lord Londonderry, Lord Melbourne, Lord Landsdowne, Lord Rosebery, Lord Milner, W. St. J. Brodrick, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Arnold, Forster and Jos. Chamberlain. The British Premier, A. J. Balfour, was absent on account of indisposition.

In proposing a toast to their Italian majesties, King Edward said: Sir, it has given Queen Alexandra and myself great pleasure to receive you here as our guests in this old historic castle. History repeats itself. I remember as if it were but yesterday that your illustrious grandfather, 48 years ago came here as the guest of my beloved mother and my lamented father. At that time we were at war and our armies fought together. Thank God we now are at peace, and the aim of our countries is to maintain it and to work together in the paths of progress and enlightenment. I have not forgotten the kind and cordial reception given me some months ago in Rome on the part of your majesties and the Italian people and I feel sure that tomorrow, when you pass through the streets of London, you will meet with a reception most gratifying to yourselves, and one which will give expression of the hearty feeling of friendship which my people evince towards you and your country. Let me now drink to the health of your majesties, again thanking you for staying with us. I wish your majesties, your family and your country all prosperity and happiness.

King Victor Emmanuel replied in English, saying: "The memories to which your majesty refers live in my heart and in the hearts of all Italians since the historic and eventful period which led Italy to unite and which tendered to England, always greater and more powerful, the feelings of sympathy and friendship which now unite the two peoples. For my people these feelings have continued to increase and they constitute a tradition for my Government. They are important factors in Italian policy, which, like the policy of your majesty's Government, is one of peace and civilization. I thank your majesty for your cordial welcome of me and of my queen in this historic castle, where everything breathes of the glory of your ancestors and brings before me the image of the great and regretted Victoria. I drink the health of your majesty, your queen and the royal family."

At the conclusion of the banquet the royal personages and their guests adjourned to the state drawing room, where a Viennese orchestra played selections.

"SCRAP IRON KING'S" WILL

Provides for Building of Synagogue at Jerusalem.

Chicago, Nov. 19. — Marks Nathan, the "Scrap Iron King," whose will has just been filed, left provision for the erection of a synagogue in Jerusalem. He also left instructions that land be purchased in the holy city and dwellings erected for the free housing of the families of poor and deserving Jews. Out of a total fortune of $120,000, made in the buying and selling of scrap iron, Mr. Nathan bequeatheda $46,500 to charity. The amount named for expenditure in Jerusalem, was $15,000. An equal sum was set aside for the erection of a Jewish hospital or asylum for Jewish orphans.

THIS LOOKS OMINOUS

Japan's Press Bellicose and China Prepares for War.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 19.—A dispatch from Port Arthur notes a return of the bellicose tone of the Japanese press, says Japan's agents appear to have met with some successes in China, reiterates the report that the Chinese viceroys and governors have been instructed to collect funds and troops with all haste, because of the possibility of a rupture of diplomatic relations with Russia, and adds that some of the viceroys have been ordered to take precautionary measures for the protection of the coast, "So as to avoid the mistakes of past years."

INVESTED IN STERLING

$15,000,000 Sent From Canadian Banks to New York.

Montreal, Nov. 19. — Three leading Canadian banks, the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Royal Bank of Canada, and Merchants' Bank of Canada, have, during the past few days invested over $15,000,000 in sterling in New York. In making the announcement, the general manager of one of the banks stated that this was by far the largest amount that Canadian banks had ever invested in sterling, and that the reason of it was that sterling exchange was now selling at 84, the lowest rate in five years. The banks expect to make a big profit on their investments.

PHILIPPINE FRIARS

An Authority Thinks They Could Assist the United States.

Rome, Nov. 19.—A report has been received by the Vatican authorities from the Philippine Islands giving an account of the opinions expressed by the mayor of Manila on the present situation of the friars lands.

The mayor believes that if intelligently employed these friars would be of great use to the Government of the Philippines, as they are familiar with the language, habits and needs of the people. The great majority of the Filipinos now understand that the friars no longer personify the hated Spanish yoke. The total expulsion of the friars, the mayor says, cannot be carried out under the terms of the treaty of Paris, and he advocates conciliating them because otherwise they might gradually encourage the already existing feeling of independence among the Filipinos, and direct it against the Americans.

SHOT HER AS SHE KNELT IN PRAYER

Forcing Crucifix Into Hand of Woman He Had Deceived Castine Fired.

New York, Nov. 19. — With heart broken and fortune squandered, a woman was shot in the throat and breast at her home, No. 14, Carmine street, yesterday. The would-be murderer is Gaetano Castine, who, immediately after the shooting, cut his own throat with a blunt and rusty-bladed case-knife. He will die; the woman may recover.

Yesterday the woman was awakened by Castine's harsh demand for whisky. She refused to get the liquor. Their little 8-year-old girl hurried away to school, leaving the two alone with the baby.

As the door closed behind the child Castine rose from the table, seized a crucifix from the wall, pressed it into the woman's hand and cried:

"Down on your knees and pray! You have but two minutes to live!"

Overcome by terror, the woman obeyed. With crucifix pressed to her breast, she knelt and closed her eyes in prayer. The baby crept up and clung to her skirt.

"Time's up!" cried Castine, and, drawing a revolver from his pocket, fired. The bullet tore through the left side of the woman's throat. She darted into the dark hallway, slamming the door behind her. Again Castine fired, and the shot, splintering the panel, plowed its way into the fleeing woman's right side.

Down the steep stairs she ran, while Castine, standing on the landing, fired again and again after her. After staggering along for two blocks the woman fell unconscious on the sidewalk.

Castine was found outstretched on the floor in his bedroom, his throat gashed from ear to ear.

Both victims were removed to St. Vincent's Hospital in the same ambulance. The baby was also a passenger, because the wounded mother fought the ambulance attendants until the little one was placed in her arms.

Are You Inviting Pneu a?

You Need Only to Neglect Coughs and Colds. The Great Safeguard Is

DR. CHASE'S SYRUP OF LINSEED AND TURPENTINE

Like other people, you dread the thought of pneumonia, consumption, or any form of lung trouble.

Did you ever wait to think that if colds were not neglected there would be no consumption or pneumonia?

These ailments start with colds, and any cough or cold can be cured by the timely use of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

"Oh, it will wear away," you say, and in the meantime the cold is fastening itself on your system, and gradually creeping down the bronchial tubes towards the lungs.

This word of warning may be of priceless value to you if you need it. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has won the good-will of many thousands because of its wonderful promptness in curing serious colds and lung troubles.

Mr. John Clark, coachman, Port Hope, Ont., states:

"Last winter I was so bad with a cold that I could not speak above a whisper, and had great pains in the chest. At last I feared it would develop into consumption. A friend advised me to use Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and one bottle cured my cold, which I believe would have proved very serious if I had not used this medicine."

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is sold by all dealers at the advertised price, 25 cents a bottle (family size, three times as much), 60 cents. Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. To protect you against imitations, the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every bottle. 12

IT RETAINS OLD AND MAKES NEW FRIENDS.—Time was when Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil had but a small field of distribution, but now its territory is widespread. Those who first recognized its curative qualities still value it as a specific, and while it retains its old friends it is ever making new. It is certain that whoever once uses it will not be without it.

The women of Toms River, N. J., have formed a village improvement association to beautify the city, and have elected Mrs. G. E. Burr president.

THEY NEVER KNEW FAILURE.—Careful observation of the effects of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills has shown that they act immediately on the diseased organs of the system and stimulate them to healthy action. There may be cases in which the disease has been long-seated and does not easily yield to medicine, but even in such cases these Pills have been known to bring relief when all other so-called remedies have failed. These assertions can be substantiated by many who have used the Pills, and medical men speak highly of their qualities.

THE NEW CANAL TREATY SIGNED

Uncle Sam Rushes Business With New Republic.

TO PAY TEN MILLION DOLLARS

Will Have Perpetual Jurisdiction Over Right of Way and Panama and Colon Cities.

Washington, Nov. 19.—U S. Secretary of State Hay and M. Philippe Bunau-Varilla, the minister from Panama, at 6:40 o'clock last evening signed the Hay-Banau-Varilla treaty providing for the construction of the Panama Canal by the United States. The ceremony occurred in Secretary Hay's study. The Panama minister, on arrival, was surprised to find that the secretary had before him the treaty engrossed in duplicate. The secretary informed M. Bunau-Varilla that he was ready to sign the treaty. The minister read the document carefully, and then he and Secretary Hay attached their signatures to it. President Roosevelt was immediately advised of their signing the document, and Minister Bunau-Varilla sent a confidential cablegram to his Government stating that the treaty had been signed. The secretary and the minister refused to comment on the ceremony. The only official admission that can be had is that the terms of the treaty are practically settled.

The general outlines of the new convention are understood to be patterned upon the Hay-Herran treaty, with the exception that the new convention follows not only the spirit, but the letter of the Spooner act. Thus, instead of the lease for a fixed period of the canal strip, this new treaty provides for a perpetual lease of the right of way to the United States, and instead of a complicated provision for courts of mixed composition—half American and half Colombian—to administer justice over the canal strip, the new treaty permits the United States to exercise the most complete jurisdiction thereupon. The United States may fortify the line and the terminals, and it may police it with troops. Then the two terminal cities of Panama and Colon pass completely under United States jurisdiction, which incidentally involves the establishment of a new capital for the Republic of Panama outside of the canal strip.

The money consideration is understood to be the same, only Panama, instead of Colombia, is to receive the ten million dollars. And the canal is to be neutral and open to all nations on even terms. These are understood to be the terms of the new treaty which is much simpler in form than the failed Hay-Herran treaty, and has been specially drawn to meet objections urged against the latter. It is stated that the Panama commission which arrived here yesterday has been empowered to ratify the treaty, and this action may occur within the next 48 hours or sooner.

The Panama commission arrived here last night and the ratification of the treaty at its hands may be expected within 48 hours or sooner. The treaty is a much simpler document than the Hay-Herran treaty, though it follows its general lines. Absolute sovereignty is awarded the U. S. over the canal strip, and the convention, it is said, in every way meets the requirements of the Spooner act.

THE RECIPROCITY TALK

The Initiative Must Come From the United States Authorities.

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—Reciprocity with Canada appears to be a live topic in the United States at present, but here nobody is wasting any sleep over the matter. Senator Fairbanks has not, so far as can be learned, communicated with the Prime Minister since last spring, when he was told that the resumption of the joint high commission could not be considered until after the close of Parliament. If negotiations looking towards reciprocity are to be reopened it will have to be on the initiative of the United States, when any proposition which our neighbors to the south may have to make will receive fair and honorable consideration. It is well, however, for them to understand that Canada can get along without any favors from the United States, and does not propose to approach that country cap in hand.



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Rampolla and Austria.

Rome, Nov. 18.—Senator Paterno yesterday interpellated the Government, concerning the alleged veto of the Government of Austria on the election of Cardinal Rampolla to the papacy during the last conclave. The senator asks if there were any diplomatic negotiations on the subject, in which Italy took a part.

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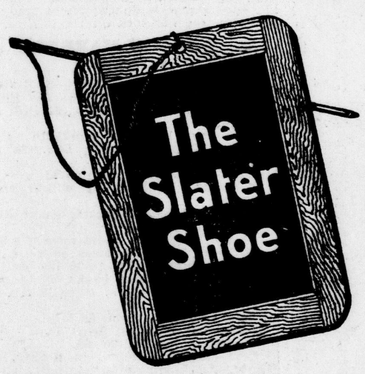
Ottawa, Nov. 19.—The impression prevails in military circles that the position of district officer commanding in Kingston will be given, upon the retirement of Col. Montizambert, to Col. L. Buchan, C. M. G., of the R. C. C., and not to Col. Drury, as at first reported. It is understood that an important position at headquarters, in which his technical qualification will be of especial value to the service generally, is to be offered to Col. Drury, who is at present assistant inspector of field artillery.

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LATEST MARKETS

STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Commerce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today:

New York, Nov. 19—Noon.—The undertone of the market, rather than the superficial indications, show there is nothing in the day's dealings to warrant any pronounced kick against the trend of the market. The tone has been good, and there has been an evident development of resisting power not at all to the liking of those operating for a further fall in prices. The market has not been very active, while at a glance it might seem as if trading was fairly professional, and there is in evidence certain buying that cannot be called professional. It may be significant that the men who have kept their fingers on the pulse of the market, or in a more general sense, on the pulse of the country, have become more hopeful, and do not hesitate to subscribe to the theory that betterment in the stock market is impending. The stocks acted well today, and Steel, preferred, showed a good resistance to a drive against it. Sugar eased off on rumors of delay in putting through the Cuban treaty. The Steel bonds were well taken and acted well. Grangers were held firm. Pennsylvania resisted a short-lived drive again, and showed considerable strength later on. There was a good demand for Atchison, and the specialties generally showed improvement. The heaviest buying of a significant character was in the Steel securities. Sales to noon, 275,000 shares.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 19.

	Ask.	Off
Canadian Pacific	119½	119
Winnipeg Electric	215	180
Montreal Street Railway	201	199¾
Toronto Street Railway	96½	95½
Halifax Street Railway	95	88
Twin City Transit Railway	89¼	89
Richelieu and Ontario	79½	79
Montreal Telegraph	..	158
Bell Telephone	..	140
Dominion Iron and Steel, com	9⅝	9¼
Dominion Steel, pref	29	28½
Montreal Heat Light and Power	76¼	75¾
Nova Scotia steel, common	75	73
Detroit Railway	65½	65
Montreal Cotton	120	..
Dominion Cotton	42½	35⅞
Colored Cotton	55	44
Merchants' Cotton	40	35
Montreal Street Bonds	105	103½
Montreal Street Bonds, new	192½	190
Dominion Coal, common	74⅞	74½
Dominion Coal, preferred	112½	110
Bank of Montreal, xd	..	250
Merchants, xd	152	149
Ogilvie Flour	115	114
Ogilvie Bonds	115	..
Quebec Bank, xd	..	117
Bank of Commerce	..	149
Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds	60	59⅝
Dominion Coal	110	..
N. S. Steel Bonds	108¼	..
Toledo Bonds	22	21¼

SALES: C. P. R., 50 at 119, 250 at 119½, 100 at 119¼, 100 at 119, 100 at 119⅛; Power, 75 at 76¼, 80 at 76, 70 at 76, 56 at 75¾; Ogilvie, preferred, 75 at 113½, 50 at 114; Montreal Street Railway, 65 at 200, 4 at 300½, 25 at 200; Iron bonds, 1,000 at 57⅝, 13,000 at 58, 5,000 at 58¼, 2,000 at 58½, 1,000 at 58⅝, 5,000 at 58¾, 4,000 at 59, 1,000 at 58⅝, 1,000 at 60; Coal, common, 25 at 75, 20 at 75½, 25 at 74⅞, 50 at 74¾; Iron, preferred, 25 at 27⅝, 1 at 27, 5 at 27¾, 75 at 28; Iron, common, 200 at 9, 100 at 9¼, 400 at 9⅛, 175 at 9¼; Twin City, 335 at 89, 300 at 89¼, 150 at 89; Halifax Railway, 25 at 88½; Merchants' Bank, 4 at 192; Montreal Railway, new, 1 at 188, 81 at 190, 15 at 190; Coal bonds, 500 at 108.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 19.

	Ask.	Off
Ontario	..	125½
Toronto	220	218
Commerce	..	150
Imperial	218	..
Dominion	224¼	223¾
Standard	..	220
Ottawa	215	..
Traders	..	128½
British America	..	93
Western Assurance	98	93
Imperial Life	..	149
National Trust	140	..
Consumers Gas	205	203
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land	..	94
Canada Northwest Land, pref	..	98
Can. Pacific Railway Stock	119	118¾
Soo, com	54	52
Soo, pref	116	112
Toronto Electric Light	..	128¼
General Electric	140¾	140¼
General Electric, pref	106	..
London Electric	106	..
Commercial Cable	..	150
Dominion Telegraph	..	115
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co	..	78
Niagara Navigation	..	115
Northern Navigation	85¼	84¼
Toronto Street Railway	96	95¼
Twin City Railway	89½	88⅞
Winnipeg St. Railway	..	175
Sao Paulo Tramway	87	86
Dominion Steel, com	9½	9
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref	..	28
Dominion Coal, com	76	74½
Nova Scotia Steel, com	73	72¾
Canada Salt	..	117
Crow's Nest Coal	350	..
British Canadian L. and I	..	65
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv	105	100
Canada Permanent	..	119¾
Canada Savings and Loan	..	119
Central Canada Loan	..	150
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	70
Hamilton Provident	..	119
Huron and Erie L. and S. Co	..	178
Landed Banking and Loan	..	119
Manitoba Loan	..	80
Toronto Mortgage	..	85
London Loan	120	..
Ontario Loan and Deb	..	122½
Dominion Steel Bonds	..	58½
N. S. Steel Bonds	..	107

SALES: R. and O., 6 at 79¼; Northern Navigation, 10 at 85; St. Lawrence, 10 at 110; Twin City, 165 at 88½, 75 at 88⅝, 75 and 10 at 88¾, 50 at 88⅞, 100 at 89; C. P. R., 50 at 118¾, 50 at 118⅞; Canadian General Electric, 13 and 10 at 140, 15 at 140¼; Coal, 50 at 75; Dominion Steel bonds, 2,000 at 57⅞, 2,000 at 57¾, 2,000 at 8.

NEW YORK.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, Nov. 19

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m
Anaconda	65			
Amal. Copper	39	39⅝	38¾	39¼
American Sugar Co	119⅝	119⅝	118¼	118½
American Locomotive	13	14	13	14
American Foundry	19¾	19¼	19¼	19¼
American Refining	43½	44⅜	43⅛	44¼
Atcheson, com	65½	65⅞	65	65⅞
Atcheson Pfd	89¾	90	89¾	90
B. & O	75⅝	75⅞	75⅛	75⅞
Brooklyn Tran	39¼	39⅝	39⅛	39⅜
C. P. R	119¼	119¼	119	119¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	30	30½	29⅞	30½
Chic. Great Western	15½			
Chicago and Alton	32¼	32¼	31½	32
Col. Fuel and Iron	28⅛	29⅞	28⅛	29⅝
Erie	27⅛	27⅜	27⅛	27⅜
Erie Pfd	66⅞	67	66⅜	66⅝
Illinois Central	129½	129⅝	129⅝	129⅝
Kan. and Tex. pref	36	36¾	36	36¾
Louisville and Nashville	101⅞	102	101⅝	101¾
Manhattan	139⅝	139¾	139¼	139½
Metropolitan St. Ry	114¾	115	114⅛	114½
Mexican Central	9¼	9¼	9⅛	9¼
M. P.	90	90½	89¾	90¼
N. Y. Central	117½	..	..	..
Norfolk and Western	56	..	..	..
Ont. and West	20⅝	20¾	20¼	20¼
Pennsylvania	114¼	114¾	113⅞	114⅝
People's Gas	94¾	95	94¾	95
Reading	49⅞	41½	40⅞	41
Republic I. and S	7⅛	7½	7⅛	7½
Rock Island	24⅛	24¼	23⅞	24¼
Southern Railway	18⅝	18⅛	18	18⅛
Southern Railway, pref	75¼			
Southern Pacific	42½	42⅞	42⅜	42¾
St. Paul	137¾	138⅛	137⅞	138⅞
Texas	23¼	23⅜	23	23⅜
Twin City	90	90	89	89½
Tennessee Coal & Iron	28¾	29½	28½	29½
Union Pacific	72	72⅞	71⅞	72½
U. S. Leather	7½			
U. S. Steel, com	11⅛	11⅜	11	11⅜
U. S. Steel, pref	52	52⅝	51⅞	52⅝
Wabash, com	19½			
Wabash, pref	34	34¾	33⅞	34½
Western Union Tel	84¼	..	..	..
Wisconsin Central	16⅞	17¾	16⅞	17¾

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LOCAL MARKET.

London, Thursday, Nov. 19.

The prospects for having a good market were not very bright at 9:30 o'clock. The market at that hour is supposed to be in full swing, was was late today in getting down to business. All things considered, it was a very good market for a Thursday. Sales were brisk and prices firm for almost everything offered.

Grain—There were about a dozen loads of oats, which sold at 87c to 90c per cental, mostly at 88c. Wheat went at $1 31 per cental.

Butter and Eggs—There was a good demand for butter, and prices were firm, as per quotations. Eggs were scarce, at 25c per dozen wholesale and 27c retail.

Fruits—There were a few barrels of apples offered, which sold at $1 30 to $1 50 per barrel for hand-picked. Pears sold at 75c to $1 per bushel.

Potatoes were not very plentiful, and sales were made at 80c per bag by the load or ten bag lots.

Poultry—There was a large supply in this line; dressed turkeys sold higher, at 11½c to 12c per pound wholesale; alive they sell at 10c to 10½c; geese sold mostly at 7½c wholesale; ducks sold at 9c, or 75c to $1 per pair; chickens, dressed, 60c to 90c per pair; alive, 50c to 60c.

Hay and Straw—There were 30 loads of hay on the stand, and sales were very good at $8 50 to $8 75 per ton for best loads; poor stuff was dull, at $6 50 to $7 50. Straw is scarce, at $5 to $5 50 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—There were about 35 carcases offered, and sales were made at higher prices, mostly at $7 per 100 pounds; the above price is expected to be only temporary, as live hogs have dropped 20c per 100 pounds this week.

Wheat	$1 30	@	$1 30
Oats, new	89	@	90
Rye	95	@	1 00
Barley	80	@	90
Buckwheat	90	@	1 10
Peas	1 40	@	1 50

GRAIN, PER BUSHEL.

Wheat	78	@	78
Oats, new	28⅘	@	30
Corn	60	@	65
Rye	53	@	56
Barley	38	@	44
Buckwheat	50	@	56
Peas	84	@	91

HIDES AND SKINS.

Wool, washed	16	@	17
Wool, unwashed	8	@	9
Hides, No. 1	7	@	7
Hides, No. 2	6	@	6
Hides, No. 3	5	@	5
Tallow, rendered, lb	4½	@	4½
Tallow, rough, lb	3	@	3
Lambskins, each	50	@	50
Spring chickens, pair	50	@	75
Ducks, pair	75	@	1 00

LIVE POULTRY.

Chickens, per pair	50	@	60
Ducks, per pair	60	@	75
Turkeys, per lb	9	@	10
Geese, each	70	@	80

DRESSED POULTRY.

Chickens, per lb	7	@	9
Chickens, per pair	60	@	80
Ducks, per lb	8	@	9
Ducks, per pair	75	@	1 00
Turkeys, per lb	10½	@	12
Geese, each	70	@	90
Geese, per lb	7	@	7½
Hogs, per cwt	4 75	@	4 90

LIVE STOCK.

Hogs, per cwt	4 75	@	5 00
Pigs, per pair	5 00	@	7 00
Sows, per cwt	3 25	@	3 25

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, store lots, per lb	18	@	19
Butter, crock	18	@	20
Butter, rolls	20	@	22
Butter, creamery	21	@	23
Eggs, store lots, doz	19	@	20
Eggs, basket lots	20	@	22
Honey, strained, lb	9	@	10
Honey, in comb	11	@	12½

FRUITS.

Apples, choice, per bbl	1 50	@	1 75
Apples, No. 2, per bbl	1 00	@	1 25
Apples, per bag	50	@	75
Apples, per bu	30	@	40
Pears, per bu	1 00	@	1 00

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bag	75	@	85
Onions, per bag	1 25	@	1 40
Onions, per bu	90	@	1 00
Turnips, per bag	30	@	35
Parsnips, per bag	45	@	50
Carrots, per bag	40	@	45
Cabbages, per doz	25	@	40
Celery, per doz	30	@	40
Sage and savory, doz	20	@	20
Peppers, per doz	10	@	15
Squash, per doz	40	@	80
Pumpkins, each	10	@	15
Cauliflowers, per doz	1 00	@	1 50

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, per ton	7 00	@	8 50
Straw, per ton	5 00	@	6 00
Straw, per load	2 50	@	3 00

BUTCHERS' MEATS.

Pork, per cwt	6 25	@	7 00
Beef, per cwt	5 00	@	6 00
Veal, per cwt	7 00	@	7 50
Lamb, per cwt	7 00	@	8 00
Lamb, quarter, per lb	9	@	10
Export cattle, per cwt	3 90	@	4 50
Butchers' cattle, cwt	3 25	@	3 60
Cows, each	40 00	@	40 00

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, Nov. 19

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—Dec	79¼	79⅝	78¾	79
May	78¼	78⅝	78	78⅛
Corn—Dec	42⅝	42⅜	42⅛	42¾
May	42¼	42¼	41⅞	41⅞
Oats—Dec	34⅝	35¼	34⅝	35⅛
May	35½	35¾	35¼	35⅞
Pork—Jan	11 52	11 62	11 47	11 52
May	11 65	11 67	11 60	11 67
Lard—Jan	6 67	6 70	6 62	6 70
May	6 65	6 72	6 62	6 72
S.Ribs—Jan	6 12	6 17	6 10	6 17
May	6 25	6 25	6 20	6 25

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 19—Noon.—Flour—Receipts, 20,043 bbls; sales, 4,300 pkgs; flour was steady but quieter. Buckwheat flour—Dull. Rye flour—Steady. Wheat—Receipts, 164,400 bu; sales, 1,200,000 bu; wheat opened firm and somewhat higher on December, but later eased off on liberal northwest receipts and outside selling; Dec., 87¼c to 87½c; May, 82 15-16c to 83⅜c; July, 79 7-16c to 79⅝c. Rye—Nominal; No. 2 western, 63c, nominal, f.o.b. afloat. Corn—Receipts, 113,350 bu; sales, 45,000 bu; corn was dull and lower, reflecting fine weather and local short sales; Dec., 49¾c to 49⅜c; May, 47¾c to 48c. Oats—Receipts 142,000 bu. Sugar—Raw nominal; refined quiet. Coffee—Steady. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Firm. Hops—Steady.

DAIRY MARKETS.

PICTON.

Picton, Ont., Nov. 18.—Ten factories boarded 782 boxes; highest bid, 10c; no sales. Salesmen present, Morgan, Bronson, Miller and Sprague.

PETERBORO.

Peterboro, Ont., Nov. 18.—At the regular meeting of the cheese board today, 5,655 boxes were boarded; the board was cleared at 10¼c. Board adjourned for the season.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Butter firm; creameries, 15c to 22c; dairies, 14c to 19c. Cheese steady, 10c to 11c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 18.—About 850 head of butchers' cattle, 900 sheep and lambs and 100 calves were offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. There were no prime cattle among the offerings. The demand was active, with firm prices paid for anything moderately good in the beef line. Good medium cattle sold at about 4c per lb; ordinary mediums at about 3½c, and the common stock at 2¼c to 3¼c; about 200 head of lean cows and small bulls were offered, for which the canners were paying 1¼c to 2c per lb; no good veal calves were on hand; the grassers sold at 2c to 3½c per lb; sheep sold at 2¾c to 3¼c per lb, and good loads of lambs at about 4¼c; the common lambs brought 4c; good lots of fat hogs sold at about 5¼c per lb.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—There were 98 loads in today, including 1,255 cattle, 1,785 hogs, 1,625 sheep and lambs and 35 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt	$3 85	@	$4 35
Export cattle, medium	3 60	@	3 80
Export cows	3 40	@	3 75
Export bulls	3 75	@	4 15
Butchers' cattle, choice	4 00	@	4 35
Butchers' cattle, medium	3 60	@	3 80
Butchers' cattle, common	2 50	@	3 25
Feeders, short-keep	3 65	@	3 90
Feeders, medium	3 50	@	3 60
Stockers	2 25	@	3 50
Milch cows, each	30 00	@	65 00
Export ewes, cwt	3 25	@	3 25
Export bucks	2 50	@	2 75
Culls, each	2 00	@	3 00
Lambs, each	3 75	@	4 10
Calves, per cwt	4 00	@	5 50
Calves, each	2 00	@	10 00
Hogs, singers, cwt. off cars	5 10	@	5 10
Hogs, fats and lights, off cars	4 85	@	4 85

Export cattle are a slow trade; butchers cattle are selling well; milch cows firm at prices quoted; good milkers in demand; trade in calves good, and prospects steady.

CALVES.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000, including 1,000 westerns; steady; good to prime steers, $5 15 to $5 60; poor to medium, $3 50 to $4 90; stockers and feeders, $1 75 to $4 15; cows, $1 50 to $4 25; heifers, $2 to $4 75; canners, $1 50 to $2 40; bulls, $2 to $4 30; calves, $3 50 to $7 25.

Hogs—Receipts today, 25,000; strong to 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $4 60 to $4 80; good to choice heavy, $4 50 to $4 70; rough heavy, $4 30 to $4 50; light, $4 40 to $4 70; bulk of sales at $4 50 to $4 70.

Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $3 60 to $4 25; fair to choice mixed, $2 75 to $3 50; western sheep, $3 75 to $4; native lambs, $3 75 to $5 50; western lambs, $5 to $5.

As to how it happened both parties are

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—Wheat, 77½c to 78c for No. 2 red and white, middle freights; Manitoba wheat firmer; No. 1 hard is quoted at 90c, No. 1 northern at 85c, and No. 2 northern at 82c, at Georgian Bay ports, and 6c more grinding in transit. Flour—Firm, at $3 05 to $3 10 bid in buyers' bags for cars of 90 per cent patents, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, $4 55 to $4 60 for cars of Hungarian patents, $4 25 to $4 30 for second patents, and $4 15 to $4 20 for strong bakers, bags included, on the track at Toronto. Millfeed—Firm, at $17 to $17 50 for cars of shorts and $13 50 to $14 for bran in bulk, middle freights; Manitoba, $20 for cars of shorts and $18 for bran, sacks included, in car lots at Toronto. Barley—Steady, at 42c for No. 2, 40c for No. 3 extra and 38c for No. 3 for feed, middle freights. Buckwheat—Steady, at 41c to 42c for No. 2, middle freights. Rye—Steady, at 51c to 52c, middle freights. Corn—Steady; American, 53½c for No. 2 mixed and No. 3 yellow, and 52c for No. 3 mixed, car lots on the track at Toronto. Oats—Steady, at 31c for No. 1 white, and 30½c for No. 2 white east; No. 2 white is quoted at 29c, high freights north and west, and 29½c middle freights. Oatmeal—Steady, at $3 50 for cars of bags and $3 70 for barrels on the track, Toronto, and 25c more for broken lots. Peas—Steady; No. 2 are quoted at 62c east and at 61c west. Butter and eggs—Steady.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Nov. 18.—Live cattle easier, at 10c to 10¾c per lb, for American steers, dressed weight; Canadian steers, 9½c to 10c per lb; refrigerator beef, 8¼c to 8½c per lb; sheep steady, 10½c to 12c per lb; lambs, 13c, dressed weight.

HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 18.—Baled hay continues to offer freely; car lots on the track here are unchanged, at $9 per ton.

Baled straw is quoted unchanged, at $5 per ton for car lots on track here.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Dec., 19.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 2d. Futures quiet; Dec., 6s 4¾d; March, 6s 4¼d; May, 6s 2¾d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, 3s 10¾d. Futures quiet; Dec., 3s 11⅛d; Jan., 3s 11¼d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 8d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, 8s 3d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady £5 10s to £6 8s.

Beef—Firm; extra India mess, 67s 6d.

Pork—Firm; prime mess western, 85s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 51s.

Bacon—Short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 46s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, dull, 33s.

Rosin—Common firm, 6s 10½d.

Petroleum—Refined firm, 7¾d.

Linseed Oil—Dull, 18s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 37s 6d; American refined, in pails, steady, 38s.

Butter—Nominal.

Cheese—American finest white quiet, 52s; do. colored steady, 54s.

Tallow—Prime city quiet, 22s 6d.

Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 43s 6d.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Nov. 18.—Beans are up 1c and 2c; there is a good demand for both cash and futures. Cash, $2; Nov., 2 cars at $2; Dec., $1 84 bid; Jan., $1 80 bid.

CALLAGHAN REMANDED

His Counsel Was Unable To Be Present.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 19.—W. H. Callaghan, charged with theft of $180 from the Crossin Piano Company, was again remanded in today's police court, until tomorrow. This remand was at the request of his counsel, E. A. Duvernet, who was unable to be present. Callaghan made the affidavit implicating Stratton and Johnston in the purchase of Gamey's stock in the piano company.

That low-lying territory of the Mississippi should at times be overflowed is not surprising if one considers that the "Father of Waters" draws supplies from 28 states, draining one-third of the area of the United States.

THOUSANDS MUST BE SPENT TO HAVE RATES LOWERED

Underwriters Will Give Londoners Cheaper Insurance On Certain Conditions.

Though many people have had their doubts as to the wisdom of Ald. Mathews' proposal to write the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, and find out just what the city could do that would cause a reduction in the insurance rates, it would appear from the letter, which has been received by City Clerk Edwards from the underwriters, that the move of Ald. Mathews may yet prove of some benefit to the citizens at large, though it may cost the city a heap of money to secure the benefits.

It has been said by most people in London, that no matter what the city might do, the rates were raised for all time, the underwriters merely raising the rates in London in conjunction with a general increase all over the province. From the letter which has been received by the city clerk, however, this conclusion is proven to be all wrong, and the underwriters are prepared on certain conditions to reduce the rates.

THE SUGGESTIONS.

In the interesting letter the secretary of the underwriters lays down certain conditions, upon compliance with which the city may save 15 cents on the key rate, which is now 60 cents, this meaning a saving of 25 per cent to the insuring public. The 15 cents on the key rate may be saved as follows:

If the city:

1. Pass a bylaw governing storage of inflammables. For this a reduction of 2 cents from the key rate.
2. Provide another steam fire engine. For this the reduction is 3 cents.
3. Purchase 2,500 feet more hose. For this a reduction of 3 cents.
4. Equip the aerial truck with men and horses. Reduction offered, 2 cents.
5. Increase brigade to 30 men. Reduction offered is 5 cents.

The letter further says that if the city is not prepared to carry out all the above suggestions, the underwriters are willing to allow reductions on the key rate for such regulations as are complied with. But certain other suggestions are made, and which are contained in the recent circular of the underwriters, in which the city is given a pointer to get two more engines, and also to build an auxiliary pumping station on the banks of the Thames, so that water for fires could be easily provided in case of a break in the Springbank main, or in case of a water famine in the dry weather at Springbank. Just what the underwriters intend to do if the city does not provide another main from Springbank, or an auxiliary pumping station, the secretary does not say.

WHAT THE OFFER MEANS.

Though at first glance it may appear but a small matter to go ahead and secure the 15-cent reduction on the key rate, the expenditure which the suggestions entail is no small amount.

To comply with the first regulations—re that of inflammables—will cost nothing, and in Chief Roe's opinion the passing of the bylaw asked would be a good thing for the community. To comply with the second clause, however, is a horse of another color, as a new fire engine will cost in the neighborhood of $5,000. Another team of horses will also be required, and also three extra men to operate the engine. The horses will cost $300, and the salaries of the three men, say, $450 each, for the first year, with a yearly increase up to $600. Thus the engine, the horses and the men would cost the city the first year about $6,650.

Then the third clause asks the city to buy 2,500 feet of new hose, which, at 90 cents a foot, the usual contract price, will run up a bill of $2,250.

To meet the fourth condition will mean the employment of eight extra men for the aerial truck, and also another span of horses. If the eight men only received the minimum salary of $450 the salary bill the first year would be $3,600, and adding $300 for a span of horses, the extra cost would be about $4,000 the first year.

The fifth clause, regarding the increase of firemen to 30 men, means only the addition of one man, as when the eight men who were recently appointed begin duty there will be, including the chief, 29 men on the firemen's list.

Chief Roe is emphatic in his statements, that even with the men recently appointed, it would be impossible to man the aerial truck, and another engine, and the statements made as to more men and horses are given on the chief's authority, and the concensus of opinion is that the chief knows more about the fire department than do the aldermen.

Of course, there are several points wherein the city may profit by adopting the suggestions of the underwriters, but whether, after the tremendous expenditure of the past year on hospital maintenance, with a deficit facing the school board, and a deficit facing the council themselves, the council will agree to further fire hall expenditure, is a matter for conjecture.

Summarized, the cost to the city the first year would be as follows were the suggestions adopted:

New engine	$ 5,000
New hose	2,250
Two spans of horses	600
Eight new men (aerial truck)	3,600
Three new men (new engine)	1,350
Total	$12,800

THE KEY RATE.

London's key rate of 60 cents is made up as follows: First, a basic rate of 25 cents is struck by the insurance companies for a standard building. A standard building is one built of solid brick or stone, with double floors, and no other wood except the doors, jams and window trimmings, and devoid of skylights or "wells."

There is added to the basic rate for a standard building so much for each item which the underwriters consider a menace or a danger as follows:

Basic rate	25
No bylaw for storage of coal oil	2
Electricity system	2
Waterworks, due to storage reservoir	2
Only one supply main	3
Supply main, at Coves	1
Hydrants distance apart	2
Pressure did not exceed 44 pounds	9
Hose, 5,500 feet, should have 8,000 feet	3
Aerial truck not equipped	2
One chemical engine now; two required	3
No standard salvage engine	1
Brigade, only 21 men, should have 30	10
Total	65
Off for good record	5
Key rate	60

CANNOT SHOULDER CARE OF OLD PEOPLE ONTO THE CITY

Two Women Meet With Ready Answer at City Hall—Contagious Disease Talk.

Medical Health Officer Hutchinson states emphatically now, as he did some time ago, that although there was no increase of diphtheria in the city during the past few months, there was nothing in the outbreak to warrant its being termed an epidemic.

The majority of the diphtheria cases were very light, and the average number of cases at one time was about 40, though the provincial health returns show that 94 cases of diphtheria were reported in London during the month of October. According to Dr. Hutchinson's figuring of the outbreak, there was only one case to every 1,000 inhabitants when all the big fuss was made about additional isolation accommodation, and about securing which nothing at all has been done.

The reports about the spread of diphtheria and scarlet fever in London during the recent troubles, as sent out from Toronto, are not calculated to do the city any good. Speaking of Toronto's excellent health showing, the Toronto World today says:

"An even more satisfactory report has been received from Guelph, where for years it has been the custom to receive almost all diphtheria cases in the hospital. Here 9 cases were reported without a single death. On the other hand, in London, where there is no contagious disease hospital, 94 cases were reported in a single month. A number of fatal cases occurred in January and February, after which the cases increased in number and virulence, viz.: June, 23 cases and 1 death; July, 35 and 2; August, 18 and 4; September, 39 and 4; October, 94 and 8."

It is said, too, that London's isolation hospital accommodation is greater in proportion than the isolation hospital accommodation in other places, and that this has not been the cause of the spread of the disease in London. In fact, it is said that contagious diseases are much more conscientiously reported to the provincial authorities from London than from many other places, and this fact may account for the big list of cases in London, as compared with other places.

GETTING RID OF PARENTS.

Inspector McCallum returned Wednesday from a shooting trip in the Nipissing district, in which he was very successful, and the first thing the inspector ran into upon resuming his duties at the city hall today was a bunch of applications from people anxious to get into the Aged People's Home.

There are about 75 applications to date, and the home is full. To two women who waited upon him, and asked that their mother be placed in the home, Mr. McCallum, after much questioning, stated that he thought they themselves, and not the city, should keep the aged woman.

"You are both in good health," said the inspector. "You both have husbands earning money, and yet you wish to get rid of your mother. But the city has plenty to do to take care of those who have no children to look out for them."

Mr. McCallum then went on to moralize upon the hard-heartedness of people who are ready, in order to save a few paltry shillings, to throw out the father or mother who did all in their power for them when they were young.

"And," he added, "this sort of business must be stopped. If people are able to support their parents they must support them. It's not right to use other people's taxes to keep such people."

CITY HALL NOTES

John Wilkey has taken out a building permit for five story-and-a-half houses on Lorne avenue.

It is likely the board of works' meeting tonight will be a short one. Petitions for new walks and against proposed sewers will comprise the most important business to be considered.

Applications for relief wood are beginning to be received at the relief inspector's office in the city hall. The cold weather is beginning to have its effect.

Inspector McCallum today gave a pass as far as Woodstock to a woman of probably 70 years of age, who is making her way to Brantford. She at first denied that she had sought relief in London before, but when the inspector jogged her memory, she admitted the corn.

PRANK OF A BULLDOG

Stopped a Belt Line Car in a Novel Way.

Caught Trolley Rope and Pulled Pole From the Wire.

A bull pup and a belt line car furnished a rather interesting complication on Askin street this morning, and the few who witnessed the incident have the distinction of being the first to see a dog stop a street car in this novel way.

The dog had just finished tearing an old coat into shreds, and was looking around for more material to polish his teeth on, when the car hove in sight. It was coming along at a moderate rate, and the pup became interested the minute that it caught sight of it. He pricked up his ears, barked, and did other twists and turns familiar to youthful curs. He rambled out to the roadway to make a closer inspection of the car, when he saw something dangling at the end of the trolley. It proved to be the knot on the trolley-pole rope, which in some way had become unfastened. The pup, after a number of futile attempts, succeeded in getting a hold on the rope, pulling the wheel from the power wire. But he soon let go. As the pole started to spring upward, the pup's feet started to slip, and in an instant his front feet were lifted from the ground. The rope strained tight and the pup went into the air like a rat on the end of a whiplash. He still hung to the knot, and it was only after a steady pull that he was disconnected.

"Ought to call him a skyterrier," said a man, who ought to have been ashamed of himself.

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CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. C. W. Smith, of East London, left today on a trip to England.

—Dr. and Mrs. McDermid, of London, were the guests of Dr. McLachlin, Belmont, recently.

—Mr. John R. Stewart, treasurer of the Grand Opera House, is in Toronto on a business trip.

—Mrs. William Brown, of Stratford, was in the city yesterday attending the Patterson-Ewen wedding.

—The first public meeting of the Musical and Literary Society of the Western University will be held tonight.

—A sitting of the first and ninth division courts was held today before the junior judge. A number of judgment summons cases were heard.

—Mr. George F. Harvey, of the National Dock and Warehouse Company, of Boston, Mass., is visiting his brother, Dr. F. N. Harvey, of this city.

—At the meeting of the house of refuge committee held at Strathroy on Tuesday, accounts amounting to $1,211 76, were passed. The heaviest item of expense during the year was for fresh meat.

PAY CAR HERE.

The Grand Trunk pay car was here last evening.

—Messrs. John Macpherson, George Kelly, Samuel Turner and Mr. Clinger returned Wednesday from a hunting trip to the Nipissing district.

COL. BUCHAN FOR KINGSTON.

The Globe's Ottawa special dispatch says: "The statement sent out from here that Col. C. W. Drury, C. B., would be appointed D. O. C. of military district No. 3, in succession to Col. C. E. Montizambert, is not correct. The likelihood is, however, that Col. Drury will be promoted to inspector of artillery. He is at present assistant inspector. If seniority of service counts for anything Col. B. L. Buchan, of Toronto, will be the new D. O. C. at Kingston."

MANY CLERGYMEN IN FAMILY.

A Haysville correspondent says: Rev. C. H. P. Owen, Lucknow, has been appointed rector of Haysville, in succession to Rev. James Ward, who has gone to Norwich. Mr. Owen is a brother of Rev. C. C. Owen, who was formerly rector of Memorial Church, London, and is now rector of Christ Church, Vancouver. The father and four sons were all clergymen and the one daughter married a clergyman.

HURT AT HAMILTON.

A Hamilton telegram of yesterday's date says: "James Sheridan, who claimed to be from London, and who was stealing a ride on a Grand Trunk Railway train last night when he fell off the train and narrowly escaped being killed, was picked up near Harrisburg and brought to this city. His head was cut, and he was unconscious when found. After his wound was dressed at the city hospital he walked away. He was provided with transportation to London today."

WINTER IN THE SOUTH.

A number of Londoners left on the G. T. R. today for the sunny south. Mrs. J. M. Dillon and son John, and her father, Mr. Heath, left for Daytona, Florida; Mrs. Talbot, of South London, for Karlo, Cal.; Mrs. William Spence, of West London, for Los Angeles, Cal., and Miss Campbell for Colorado Springs, Col.

CARTWRIGHT STREET WEDDING.

Rev. A. K. Birks performed the ceremony that united Miss Dolly Nash and Mr. Ernest Lewis in marriage. The wedding took place at 8 o'clock at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. J. Nash, 93 Cartwright street. The bride was gowned in gray. About 75 guests were present, and the celebration was an enjoyable affair.

TO ORGANIZE UNIVERSITY CLUB.

A preliminary meeting to organize a university club was held at the Western University on Nov. 10. The leading educational men of London were there and took hold of the matter keenly. It was arranged to meet at the same place on Friday evening, Nov. 20, at 8 o'clock, and the meeting will be open to the public. Convention rates have been arranged for, and the promoters of the club trust that there will be a large delegation of Londoners and outsiders in attendance to give the university the support of which it is so worthy.

DOWNES VS. HURON AND ERIE LOAN COMPANY.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday, before Mr. Chief Justice Meredith, in Downes vs. Huron and Erie Savings and Loan Company, J. J. Drew (Guelph) for plaintiffs, moved to continue injunction granted by local judge at Guelph restraining the defendants from assigning a certain mortgage other than to one J. J. Drew. H. E. Rose, for defendants, took the preliminary objections that proceedings have been stayed by an order for security for costs, and that affidavits, though demanded, have not been furnished to defendants. Enlarged till Thursday, 26th inst. Injunction continued in meantime. All preliminary objections of defendants reserved.

Stuart Robson's personal estate has just been appraised, and it is found that the late actor was worth $31,992.

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TO BE FURTHER REMANDED

Fanny McGarvey Will Not Be Taken to Strathroy.

Pending the Outcome of Her Attack On Patrick Upton.

It has been decided by the crown authorities that Fanny McGarvey, the woman held for making a murderous assault on her uncle, Patrick Upton, at Strathroy, will be remanded for another week when she comes up tomorrow. She will not be taken to Strathroy.

As was the case when she came up last Friday, she is sound enough in intellect to go to Strathroy, but Mr. Magee, the crown attorney, feels that it would be better to wait some time before bringing the woman up on a definite charge. It is considered hardly likely that Upton will survive his injuries another week. In the event of his death, a charge of murder will be laid against the prisoner. Squire Smyth will go to her cell tomorrow morning and remand her further. She has been in a normal condition for the last few days and has had none of the violent outbursts of passion that marked the first few days of her incarceration.

DOUBLE TRACK IS IN USE

Freight Now Going Over New Line From Tunnel East.

Will Greatly Facilitate Handling of Trains On West End.

The new line of track built by the Grand Trunk between Sarnia Tunnel and Wyoming was used for the first time this morning.

The track was practically completed two weeks ago, but since then some extra ballasting has been in progress, until now the roadbed is in splendid condition.

The new line, however, will be used for freight purposes only for a while. The old track will be given over entirely to passenger trains and westbound freight, while the new line will be used for eastbound freight trains, which are very plentiful on what the railroad men call "the west end."

The completion of the double track between the tunnel and Wyoming will greatly facilitate the handling of trains on the main line, a great obstacle in the past being the difficulty of getting trains out of the tunnel yards. It will also mean a lessening of the work for dispatchers.

Kansas harvests more wheat than any other state in the Union. In its wheat belt of 30 counties not one county raises less than 1,000,000 bushels. Sumner county has a record of 6,812,102 bushels.

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BY ANNA KATHERINE GREEN

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"Will you give us the name of this novel?"

"Compensation."

"And you found this book called Compensation in your room upstairs?"

"Yes."

"On the book-shelf?"

"Yes."

"Where does this book-shelf stand?"

Mr. Jeffrey looked up as much as to say, "Why so many small questions about so simple a matter?" but answered frankly enough:

"At the right of the door leading into the bedrom."

"And at right angles to the door leading into the hall?"

"Yes."

"Very good. Now may I ask you to describe the cover of this book?"

"The cover? I never noticed the cover. Why do you—. Excuse me, I suppose you have your reasons for asking even these puerile and seemingly unnecessary questions. The cover is a queer one I believe; partly red and partly green; and that is all I know about it."

"Is this the book?"

Mr. Jeffrey glanced at the volume the coroner held up before him.

"I believe so; it looks like it."

The book had a flaming cover, quite unmistakable in its character.

"The title shows it to be the same," remarked the coroner. "Is this the only book with a cover of this kind in the house?"

"The only one, I should say."

The coroner laid down the book.

"Enough of this, then, for the present; only let the jury remember that the cover of this book is peculiar and that it was kept on a shelf at the right of the opening leading into the adjoining bedroom. And now, Mr. Jeffrey, we must ask you to look at these rings; or rather, at this one. You have seen it before; it is the one you placed on Mrs. Jeffrey's hand when you were married to her a little over a fortnight ago. You recognize it?"

"I do."

"Do you also recognize this small mark of blood on it as having been here when it was shown to you by the detective on your return from seeing her dead body at the Moore house?"

"I do; yes."

"How do you account for that spot and the slight injury made to her finger? Should you not say that the ring had been dragged from her hand?"

"I should."

"By whom was it dragged? By you?"

"No, sir."

"By herself, then?"

"It would seem so."

"Much passion must have been in that act. Do you think that any ordinary quarrel between husband and wife would account for the display of such fury? Are we not right in supposing a deeper cause for the disturbance between you than the slight one you offer in way of explanation?"

An inaudible answer; then a sudden straightening of Francis Jeffrey's fine figure. And that was all.

"Mr. Jeffrey, in the talk you had with your wife on Tuesday morning was Miss Tuttle's name introduced?"

"It was mentioned; yes, sir."

"With recrimination or any display of passion on the part of your wife?"

"You would not believe me if I said no," was the unexpected rejoinder.

The coroner, taken aback by this direct attack from one who had hitherto borne all his innuendoes with apparent patience, lost countenance for a moment, but, remembering that in his official capacity he was more than a match for the elegant gentleman, who under other circumstances would have found it only too easy to put him to the blush, he observed with dignity:

"Mr. Jeffrey, you are on oath. We certainly have no reason for not believing you."

Mr. Jeffrey bowed. He was probably sorry for his momentary loss of self-control, and gravely, but with eyes bent downward, answered with the abrupt phrase:

"Well, then, I will say no."

The coroner shifted his ground.

"Will you make the same reply when I ask if the like forbearance was shown toward your wife's name in the conversation you had with Miss Tuttle immediately afterward?"

A halt in the eagerly looked-for reply; a hesitation, momentary indeed, but pregnant with nameless suggestions, caused his answer, when it did come, to lose some of the emphasis he manifestly wished to put into it.

"Miss Tuttle was Mrs. Jeffrey's half-sister. The bond between them was strong. Would she—would I—be apt to speak of my young wife with bitterness?"

"That is not an answer to my question, Mr. Jeffrey. I must request a more positive reply."

Miss Tuttle made a move. The strain on all present was so great we could but notice it. He noticed it too, for his brows came together with a quick frown, as he emphatically replied:

"There were no recriminations uttered. Mrs. Jeffrey had displeased me and I said so, but I did not forget that I was speaking of my wife and to her sister."

As this was in the highest degree non-committal, the coroner could be excused for persisting.

"The conversation, then, was about your wife?"

"It was."

"In criticism of her conduct?"

"Yes."

"At the ambassador's ball?"

"Yes."

Mr. Jeffrey was a poor hand at lying. That last "yes" came with great effort.

The coroner waited, possibly for the echo of this last "yes" to cease; then he remarked with a coldness which lifted at once the veil from his hitherto antagonism to this witness:

"If you will recount to us anything which your wife said or did on that evening, which, in your mind, was worthy of all this coil, it might help us to understand the situation."

But the witness made no attempt to do so, and while many of us were ready to pardon him this show of delicacy, others felt that under the circumstances it would have been better had he been more open.

Among the latter was the coroner himself, who, from this moment, threw aside all hesitation and urged forward his inquiries in a way to press the witness closer and closer toward the net he was secretly holding out for him. First, he obliged him to say that his conversation with Miss Tuttle had not tended to smooth matters; that no reconciliation with his wife had followed it, and that in the thirty-six hours which elapsed before he returned home again he had made no attempt to soothe the feelings of one, who, according to his own story, he considered hardly responsible for any extravagances in which she might have indulged. Then with this inconsistency had been given time to sink into the minds of the jury. Coroner Z. increased the effect produced by confronting Jeffrey with witnesses who testified to the friendly, if not lover-like relations which had existed between himself and Miss Tuttle prior to the appearance of his wife upon the scene; closing with a question which brought out the denial, by no means new, that an engagement had ever taken place between him and Miss Tuttle and hence that a bond had been canceled by his marriage with Miss Moore.

But his manner and careful choice of words in making this denial did not satisfy those present of his entire candor; especially as Miss Tuttle, for all her apparent immobility, showed, by the violent locking of her hands, both her anxiety and the suffering she was undergoing during this painful examination. Was the suffering merely one of outraged delicacy? We felt justified in doubting it, and looked forward, with cruel curiosity I admit, to the moment when this renowned and universally admired beauty would be called on to throw aside her veil and reveal the highly praised features which had been openly scorned for the sake of one whose chief claims to regard lay in her great wealth.

But this moment was as yet far distant. The coroner was a man of method, and his plan was now to prove, as had been apparent to most of us from the first, that the assumption of suicide on the part of Mrs. Jeffrey was open to doubt. The communication suggesting such an end to her troubles was the strongest proof Mr. Jeffrey could bring forward that her death had been the result of her own act. Consequently it was now the coroner's business to show that this communication was either a forgery, or a substitution, and that if she left some word in the book to which she had in so peculiar a manner directed his attention, it was not necessarily the one bewailing her absence of love for him and her consequent intention of seeking relief from her disappointment in death.

Some hint of what the coroner contemplated had already escaped him in the persistent and seemingly inconsequent questions to which he had subjected this witness in reference to these very matters. But the time had now come for a more direct attack, and the interest rose correspondingly high, when the coroner, lifting again to sight the scrap of paper containing the few piteous lines so often quoted, asked of the now anxious and agitated witness, if he had ever noticed any similarity between the handwriting of his wife and that of Miss Tuttle.

An indignant "No!" was about to pass his lips, when he suddenly checked himself and said more mildly: "There may have been a similarity; I hardly know, I have seen too little of Miss Tuttle's hand to judge."

This occasioned a diversion. Specimens of Miss Tuttle's handwriting were produced, which, after having been duly proved, were passed down to the jury along with the communication professedly signed by Mrs. Jeffrey. The grunts of astonishment which ensued as the knowing heads drew near over these several papers caused Mr. Jeffrey to flush and finally to cry out with startling emphasis:

"I know that those words were written by my wife."

But when the coroner asked him his reasons for this conviction, he could, or would not state them.

"I have said," he stolidly repeated; and that was all.

The coroner made no comment, but when, after some further inquiry, which added little to the general knowledge, he dismissed Mr. Jeffrey and recalled Loretta, there was that in his tone which warned us that the really serious portion of the day's examination was about to begin.

[To be Continued.]

A RAILWAY RUMOR

G. T. R. Said To Be After Canadian Northern.

Quebec, Nov. 18.—The absorption of the Great Northern Railway system by the Grand Trunk Company is said to be almost an accomplished fact. It is even assumed that the whole MacKenzie and Mann system, both east and west, will be purchased by the Grand Trunk.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Great Northern for the election of directors and other business was called to take place in Quebec yesterday morning. For reasons unknown to the public the election of a board was postponed for fifteen days.

Rumors say that the deal of transfer will be consummated before the fifteen days' postponement have elapsed.

THERE ARE SO MANY cough medicines in the market that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy; but if we had a cough, a cold or any affliction of the throat or lungs, we would try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Those who have used it think it is far ahead of all other preparations recommended for such complaints. The little folks like it, as it is as pleasant as syrup.

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LONDONERS WILL NOT SEE JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Will Be Played at Strathroy—Collegiate Hockey Team Organizes for Season.

FOOTBALL.

ROUGH RIDERS OUT OF IT.

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—At a meeting of the Rough Riders' Rugby Club held Thursday it was decided that they would not meet Varsity or McGill on Nov. 28, owing to the lateness of the season. The club has disbanded for the year.

NO GAME FOR LONDON.

Because what was thought to be an exorbitant price was demanded for the use of Tecumseh Park for the Sarnia-Ingersoll game, which the executive of the O. R. F. U. had arranged to take place here, the game will not be played in this city. Instead the teams will contest at Strathroy. After it was found impracticable to play on Tecumseh Park, arrangements were begun to get the St. John's A. C. field. Before it had been secured, however, the secretary at Toronto wrote canceling the game, and London missed the only chance it will have of seeing the Burnside rules demonstrated. It would have been better even if the teams had been taken down to Strinbband, rather than miss the game altogether.

THE TURF.

MAY PASS OUT OF EXISTENCE.

Hamilton, Nov. 18.—There is a danger that the Hamilton Jockey Club as a racing institution will shortly become a thing of the past. It has been the custom, and the custom was the life of the club, to hold the annual meet immediately after the Toronto races. Last season Buffalo coveted and secured those dates, and no meet was held here. The Buffalo Association appears determined to continue the practice, and at a meeting of the local association recently held, several members expressed themselves as in favor of winding up the institution. Another meeting will be held shortly, when the fate of the club will be finally decided.

CHARGED WITH IRREGULARITY.

The horse show rule that exhibits, whether of horses or equipment, shall be the property of exhibitors seems to be just as hard to enforce abroad as at home, judging by the following report in Spirit of the Times of some incidents at the St. Louis show:

Early in the week there was a three-cornered war inaugurated by the protest route. On the opening night Dr. A. E. Ashbrook showed a park team, to which the second prize was awarded, and it developed later that three of the four horses were the property of George Pepper, of Toronto. Mr. Pepper, to show that he had not left his nerve on the other side of the border, showed two of these horses an hour later as his own property. How they came to belong to Dr. Ashbrook an hour previous was not explained. The gentleman from Canada was not as handy with explanations as were Russel & Stone, of Franklin, Ky. They contributed a handsome team to a park four exhibited by Mrs. Anna M. Cleage, and when asked to explain the appearance of this team later on as again being their property, they said that they had sold the team to the lady conditionally, and that she had concluded not to take them after she had exhibited her four.

YESTERDAY'S TURF WINNERS.

At Bennings—South Trimble (O'Neil), 4 to 5 and 2 to 5; Fort Hunter (Black), 3 to 1 and even; Black Death (Mara), 10 to 1 and 3 to 1; Colonsay (Odom), —Runnels (O'Neil), 1 to 6 and out; Carbuncle (Redfern), 7 to 10 and out; Wild Pirate (E. Walsh), 7 to 5 and out.

At Latonia—Beaucaure, 40 to 1; Miss Mollie, 9 to 5; Chantrelle, Sea Pirate, 11 to 5; Rainland, 3 to 5; John Yerkes, 3 to 5.

THE RING.

LAST, BUT NOT LEAST.

A colored boxer who went into the ring the other night in one of those "all black" boxing shows at Lexington had enough seconds with him to fill the hall. When stopped at the door and requested to account for the long line of shiny spots following him the darky said, as they passed into the hall. Indian fashion:

"No, sir, mister, you can't bar none of dese men. I've got to have dem right dar at de ring side. Dar am only ten of dem, and I'se gwing to put dem all to work. Dis first man is de manager, he does all de talking. De next is de chief second; he tells the manager how things am going. De next one he holds de bottle and swings de towel; de next he rubs mah legs and arms, de next he puts de chair in de ring when time am called; de next he watches re oder man's corner; de next he holds de watch; de next he's got a rabbit foot in his pocket for good luck." "And this one?" asked the doorkeeper. "Now what in the —— can he do?" "Dat man," said the son of Ham, as a look of importance spread over his countenance, "is de man who is gwine to throw up de sponge."

FITZ AND CORBETT TO MEET.

Bob Fitzsimmons' ambition to meet Jim Corbett again may be gratified. According to a dispatch from San Francisco, the Yosemite A. C. is ready to give a purse for a contest to be decidedly next May. Jimmy Cafforth, the club's matchmaker, says that the arranging of the mill depends on how the Cornishman makes out in his coming battle with George Gardner, which is to be held before the same club the latter part of this month. If Gardner is the winner he may get the chance of facing Pompadour Jim, in place of Fitzsimmons.

Corbett is a good drawing card, as was attested in his last fight with Jim Jeffries, and the impression prevails that it Fitz and Corbett ever come together, a large crowd will attend. Just now Corbett and Lanky Bob are not on the best of terms. They have been doing a lot of mud slinging of late and seem eager to have it out. Fitz was the first man to knock Corbett out. They met at Carson City in 1897.

WAS A HARD FIGHT.

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—"Twin Jack" Sullivan, of Boston, gave "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien one of the hardest battles of his career tonight at the National A. C. The fight was judged a draw, as both men were still on their feet at the end of the sixth round, the scheduled limit of the bout and ready to continue. Sullivan's exhibition was a surprise.

WON ON POINTS.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 18. — Herman Miller, of Baltimore, and "Cub" White, of Philadelphia, boxed fifteen rounds before the Savannah A. C. tonight. The decision was given to Miller on points.

HOCKEY.

BRANTFORD'S NEW SEVEN.

Brantford, Nov. 18. — A most successful meeting of the Brantford Hockey Club was held in the Klondike Club rooms, there being a large number of enthusiasts present, including some of last year's team. Those present were most enthusiastic over the prospects for the coming season, as there is a lot of good material in the city. The new club will be known as the Klondikes of Brantford, and they intend to enter a team in the intermediate O. H. A. The following officers were elected: President, William Rutherford; vice-president, Wm. McLaughlin, secretary, R. S. Buckwell; treasurer, Charles Smith; manager, Chas. Carson. Colonel Page will act on the managing committee, with the president and manager.

COLLEGIATE TEAM IN LINE.

On Tuesday a meeting of the hockey club of the Collegiate Institute was held in the upper assembly room for the purpose of organizing for the year. The fact that there were many boys present and that they showed a spirit of enthusiasm indicates that the club will be conducted successfully. The nights decided upon for practice were Monday and Friday, and the rink chosen was the Princess. The captain and executive will be chosen at the next meeting. The secretary wishes to correspond with teams that would be willing to arrange for games. The officers elected were as follows: Honorary president, S. J. Radcliffe, B.A.; patrons, Mayor Beck and C. B. Edwards, B.A.; President, F. W. C. McCutcheon, B.A.; secretary, Jack Wood.

WHIST.

THE CITY WHIST GAMES.

Since the last City League games were played, several members have been barred. All of them were members of the Liberal Club, or the East End Club. Consequently the games that these teams have played will have to be contested over again. The scores made at last night's contests were as follows:

Orients vs. Manhattans, 9 points in favor of Orients.

Rockets vs. East End, 18 points in favor of East End.

Liberals vs. Seventh A. A., 11 points in favor of the Liberals.

Sergeants' Mess vs. Woodbines, 2 points in favor of the Woodbines.

The standing:

	Won.	Lost.
Orients	2	0
East End	1	0
Sergeants' Mess	0	1
Liberals	1	0
Manhattans	1	1
Seventh Athletic Association	0	1
Woodbines	1	1
Rockets	0	2

ATHLETICS.

RECORD FOR WOMEN BROKEN.

Wellesley, Mass., Nov. 18.—The woman college record for the 100-yard dash has been broken by Miss Laura Clement, class of 1907, at the annual field day of Wellesley College. Miss Clement covered the distance in :13 1-5. The previous record, held at Vassar, was :14 2-5.

LONDON HORSES WERE PRAISED

Those of the Mayor and Mr. Meredith Attracted Attention at New York.

Referring to the horse show of Monday, the New York Sun has the following regarding Mr. Llewellyn Meredith's Storm Signal: "There was a buzz of admiration all over the Garden when a splendid chestnut, with fine head, rangy neck and manners that seemed perfection, cantered leisurely up to the first jump and, with an easy spring, left daylight between himself and the hedge. It was Storm Signal, shown by Llewellyn Meredith. If the awarding of the blue knot had been left to the crowd the shapely chestnut would have won it then and there."

Of the class in which the mayor's Dublin headed the list, the Sun says: "Class 89 was the last for the day. It was for qualified hunters, kept for hunting and regularly hunted with a pack of hounds for the past year, conformation and quality and performances over the sticks each to count 50 per cent. The jumpers always please the crowd and apparently made amends for the lateness of the hour when the programme had slipped an hour beyond schedule time. When the gate had opened and closed, leaving only six behind in the ring, the task of awarding the ribbons began. The blue went to Dublin, a chestnut sent in by Adam Beck, who had quite won the crown by his good sense and good manners. Sir Roderick, a slashing gray, got the red, and George Pepper's Kingfull, a splendid performer, received the yellow. Rupert, a black sent in by Edwin H. Weatherbee, won the highly commended.

On Tuesday the mayor was also a winner. The class is described as follows: "Society and the public at large combined to fill the Garden comfortably when the qualified hunters entered the ring in answer to the call for class 93. The conditions called for all entries to be registered in the thoroughbred stud book, conformation and quality to count 50 per cent. and performance over the fences 50. After Kingsman, Jouac King, Dingle Boy and Deep Run had taken all the jumps without touching a twig, Solait broke the even run of events by first knocking down a bar and then by refusing entirely to make another attempt. Mistakes cropped up frequently after this. When the awards were finally made Kingsman, Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock's 16 hand chestnut, who had received a round of applause for his splendid showing, wore the blue. Jouac King, a winner earlier in the week from the same stable, was a close second and wore the red. The yellow went to Jimmie Wasson, sent in by Adam Beck, and Dingle Boy, a chestnut with blaze and stockings, was H. C."

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JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

Furnished by the Special and Occasional Correspondents of The Advertiser.

Contributors' names are not published, but all letters should be signed and dated.

PORT BURWELL.

Port Burwell, Nov. 19.—About 50 of our young people gathered at the home of Miss T. Errett, of the first concession, one evening last week. The time was spent in music and games, and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Atkins, public school inspector, visited our school last week.

Rev. Mr. Priest, a returned missionary from India, gave an interesting lecture in the Baptist Church on Friday evening.

C. H. Denton, of Tilsonburg, was here on Tuesday.

ST. MARYS.

St. Marys, Nov. 19.—W. N. Ford, of the west ward, had three young men up before a magistrate one day this week for pulling down the fence fronting his property on Hallowe'en night. The case was adourned till next week.

The Maxwell workes have closed down for several days, so as to install a new engine and several large boilers, thus giving them extra power for the additional buildings that they are putting to their main factory.

Live hogs have dropped in value this week. The price now quoted by buyers is $4 60 per 100 pounds.

A horse belonging to Mr. John Stevens, of the seventh concession of East Nissouri, which had been running loose in a pasture field, had in some manner last Wednesday broken one of its forelegs. Dr. George H. Gibb, V.S., Wellington street north, was sent for, and he reduced the fracture.

The persons in town who have been negotiating with representatives of Mr. Carnegie, report having received an offer of $8,000 for a "Carnegie" library building. The matter is to be brought up before the next meeting of the town council for ratification and acceptance. A large number of citizens are in favor of acceptance.

Owing to a number of factories and several stone quarries cutting down their forces on the near approach of winter, a number of workmen have left town. In consequence vacant houses are more plentiful, and as workmen's wages have been reduced, the high rents that prevailed through the summer will no doubt fall

A party of seven from the hunting grounds of Parry Sound arrived home yesterday with twelve deer.

Lee Grice, painter, while doing some repairs to a skylight on the south side roof of C. Richardson & Co.'s dairy utensil factory, on Wellington street south, on Tuesday, missed his foothold, slid off the roof, and landed in the middle of an iron and tin scrap heap on the ground. He was severely bruised on the body, and had his hands badly cut.

War Dance in Hotel.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 19. — Morning Star and Spotted Horse, Indian chiefs are in jail, and others are being guarded at the Klondike Hotel, as the result of the action of forty Indians, who have been in the city for a week to testify before the federal grand jury in the liquor selling cases. They managed to secure a large amount of whisky and started a riot in the hotel. They began a war dance and ended in a bout with the police.

Recent statistics show that the serpents kill more persons in India than in any other country. During 1901 the number of victims was 22,810, and it is estimated that almost, if not quite, as many were killed in 1902.

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Men's Heavy Woolen Mitts, all sizes, value 35c, Saturday 25c
$2.50 Skirts, Saturday $1.75.
Ladies' Skirts, in navy, black and gray cheviot, seven gore, with overstitched seams, strapped gores, cloth-faced, with twelve rows stitching on bottom, value $2 50, Saturday $1 75
65c and 75c Gowns, Saturday 45c.
Ladies' and Children's Flannelette Gowns, in fancy stripe with lined yoke, frill around neck, and sleeves, full skirt, value 65c and 75c, Saturday, each 45c
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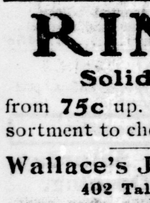
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His friends came to inquire about him, and no satisfactory account could be given. The rumor spread in the mountains that he had been killed and burned in one of the Wentz coke ovens. His friends believed the story.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—The bank clearings at the London Clearing House for the week ending Nov. 19, amounted to $816,479.

—On Tuesday at Strathroy the contract for supplies for the Home of Refuge were let as follows: Groceries, Scott & Gillies; meat, Mr. Cox.

—Mr. T. Garfield Case, engineer of the G. T. R., South London, has been transferred to Sarnia Tunnel. He will run between the tunnel and Suspension Bridge.

—The real estate owned by the late Joseph Campbell, comprising a brick residence, two shops and some vacant lots in the village of Melbourne, is being offered for sale by the Canada Trust Company, of this city, executors of the estate.

FIRST PUBLIC MEETING.

The Western University Literary and Musical Society will hold its first public meeting this evening at 8 o'clock. "In Cap and Gown," a university paper edited by Miss Jessie Rowat will be read. The public are invited.

ANOTHER LITERARY CLUB.

Another club has been added to London's distinguished list of literary organizations. A series of meetings have been arranged for the winter, and Canon Dann has been elected president, and Miss Stella Macklin secretary, the name of the new club being the Art Culture Club. At each meeting the members consider the works of a painter, a poet and a musician. The next regular meeting is tonight at the residence of Miss Ferguson, 840 Richmond street, when the subjects under discussion will be Corot, Matthew Arnold and Schubert.

MARRIED IN TORONTO.

Mr. Peter C. McArthur, telegraph operator for J. M. Young, of this city, was married in Toronto yesterday to Miss Nellie Rockstraw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Rockstraw. Miss Minnie Rockstraw, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Percy Gain, of Toronto, groomsman. The young couple will reside in this city.

MRS. GELDART'S DEATH.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Geldart, of Stratford, whose death occurred last Sunday, took place on Tuesday to Avondale Cemetery. Mrs. Geldart formerly lived in this city. She is survived by her husband and four little daughters.

DOVER MAN'S DEATH.

By the death of Mr. William Payne, of Dover township, three residents of this city mourn the loss of a father. They are Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Mrs. Ed Chalcraft and Miss Maud Payne. The late Mr. Payne also leaves four other daughters and two sons. He was nearly 65 years of age and was a native of Sussex, England.

FIRST OF THE SEASON.

The Elite Concert Company gave their first entertainment of the season at the Asylum on Tuesday evening. Those taking part were: Sketch, McCue and Irwin; songs, C. Hogg; duets, Misses Wilson; song, W. Smith; violin solos, B. Myles; piano solos, Mr. Jennings. Miss Mason was the efficient accompanist for the evening.

TWO FIRES LAST NIGHT.

Twice last evening the firemen were called to attend fires of a somewhat insignificant nature. About 5 o'clock, the brigades put out a small blaze at the residence of Mr. Hubert Ashplant, 466 King, where the furnace set fire to the floor in the dining-room. The damage was slight. The second alarm was caused by a blazing chimney at the residence of Mrs. Moore, 80 Clarence street, about 7 o'clock, no damage being done.

TAYLOR LIVED HERE.

The late James E. Taylor, who died on the United States transport Thomas on its way from the Philippines to California, as reported in last evening's paper, was a former resident of London. The telegram to Chief Williams from the commander of the navy yard at Mare Island, Cal., was to the effect that he had lived in Ontario. It was in London that the deceased lived, having served his apprenticeship as a printer at the Fress Press, leaving here for Mare Island, where he was a clerk in the navy yard for some time. His brother is Mr. Wm. Taylor, of 507 Princess avenue.

WOMAN'S MUSIC CLUB.

A large audience were present at the concert of the Woman's Music Club in the Masonic Temple yesterday afternoon. Franz Abt's cantata, "Water Fairies," was first given by the Woman's Music Club, led by Mr. A. D. Jordan. Misses McKillop, Rowntree and Abbott sang the trio and Misses Fox and Rowntree the duet. The soloists were Mrs. Stone, Mrs. F. Screaton, and Miss Rowntree. Miss Westervelt was accompanist. The cantata was a creditable number and its rendering showed careful training. Miss Butterworth gave Chopin's Nocturne in E flat, and another instrumental number was the duet, La Belle Griseldis, by Reinecke, rendered by Misses Evelyn Morphy and Minnie Raymond.

FIRST TO FREE ITSELF

Forest Congregational Church Now Out of Debt - Jubilee Movement.

Rev. W. S. Gunn, field secretary of the Congregational Jubilee Movement, and Rev. D. S. Hamilton, of this city, spent two days in Toronto this week in the interest of that work. A meeting was held Monday night, addressed by Messrs. Gunn and Hamilton, and an appeal was made, which resulted in the clearing off of the local debt amounting to $600. In addition, $130 was raised for the central fund, with other probable subscribers to hear from. The Forest Congregationalists are delighted at the success of the effort and pleased to think that theirs is the first church to free itself from debt under the new movement. Mr. Gunn, who will speak in the Congregational Church, of this city, Sunday next, reports progress along the line.

The colonial treasurer of the Transvaal has sent to England for $50,000 worth of pennies with the view of aiding in the reduction of the cost of living in the Rand. Owing to the dearth of pence, matches are at present used as a portion of the currency of the Rand.

Successful experiments have been made in generating elctricity to light railway trains by placing a fan on the front end of the locomotive. The pressure of the air revolves the fan and produces the power.

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WEDDED AT TORONTO

A wedding in which a number of Londoners were interested took place at Toronto yesterday afternoon, the parties being Miss Myrtle Amelia, eldest daughter of Mr. J. D. Ivey and Mrs. Ivey, to Mr. John Lindsay Wells, of the firm of Sledge, Wells & Co., commission merchants, Memphis. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, 152 Carleton street. Rev. Dr. Cleaver, assisted by Rev. Mr. Faircloth, officiating. It was one of the most fashionable of the season. The groomsmen were Messrs. H. Logan and Harry Struthers, of this city. The two bridesmaids were Miss Nina Sill and Miss Beatrice Ivey, of Jarvis, Ont., cousins of the bride. Two pretty little cushion-bearers, Misses Lenore Ivey, the bride's sister, and Marporie McBride, of London, in lace-trimmed frocks of soft white silk formed the party.

LOCAL DENTIST ARRESTED

Dr. Henry E. Silk Taken Into Custody On a Capias.

Latest Phase of the Breach of Promise Proceedings.

Dr. Henry E. Silk, the local dentist, was arrested last night on a warrant issued on a capias taken out by Miss Ida O'Neil, who was given a judgment against the defendant at the recent assizes. The judgment, it will be remembered, was for $2,000, and was for a breach of promise of marriage, the case causing a considerable sensation at the time.

The counsel for the defense intimated at that time that if a heavy judgment were given against Dr. Silk the latter would be induced to leave the country rather than pay it. For the past few days, Mr. L. H. Dickson, of Exeter, counsel for Miss O'Neil, has been in the city, and the arrest is the result of Miss O'Neil's belief that Dr. Silk contemplates leaving the city, without fulfilling the judgment. The defendant was therefore arrested by Detective Northgraves and put in the jail.

The cause under which the arrest is made is one seldom put into force, and is of an entirely civil nature. The clause is No. 8 in chapter 80 of the revised statutes of Ontario, 1897.

Up to 12 o'clock today Dr. Silk was still in custody.

LITERARY NOTES.

THACKERAY'S LETTERS TO NEW YORK FRIENDS.

W. M. Thackeray's friendship with the Baxter family of New York was one of the most interesting of the great novelists' friendships. His letters to the Baxters, the publication of which is begun in the November Century, cover both visits of Thackeray to America, and they reflect his opinions upon all sorts and kinds of American topics, with all the author's frankness, vivacity and charm.

Mr. Ray Stannard Baker will continue his notes on the great Northwest in occasional papers to appear during 1904 in the same magazine. He will discuss "The Railroad" as a feature of Western life; also "The Western Spirit of Restlessness," and other "characteristics."

The motormen on the Manhattan elevated trains are sheltered in vestibules from the iciest gales of winter. All the motormen on the surface cars ought to be protected in like manner.

The importation of opium that is prepared for smoking is double that used by physicians and morphine habitues. The amount is more than half a million pounds and the value $3,500,000.

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JOHN ELLIOTT, ONCE WELL KNOWN MANUFACTURER, DEAD

Passes Away After a Long Illness —Had Done Much for Industrial London.

The death of Mr. John Elliott, which occurred yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 85 Bathurst street, and was reported in last evening's Advertiser, removes one of London's oldest residents, and who for many years was known in a business capacity from end to end of the Dominion.

Mr. Elliott at one time did a great deal towards the industrial development of Canada, and London in particular, being one of the leading agricultural implement manufacturers in the country.

He was born at Shaw Head, Cumberland county, England, and came to this country with his parents at the age of seven years. The family settled near Toronto, and during the rebellion of 1837, the late Mr. Elliott saw active service in the cavalry. He came to London in 1850, and commenced his first foundry. This burning down a year later, he went into partnership with the late Capt. Burgess, with whom for nineteen years he carried on the Phoenix foundry. While his partner attended to the business in Australia, where they also had gold mines, the deceased remained at home and built up one of the greatest businesses in Canada. From 1870 until 1879 he carried on the business alone, when he took into partnership his eldest son, after which the firm was known as John Elliott & Son. In two years great extensions were made to the business, but the entire premises were burned in 1885, entailing a great loss. At one time it was said that he was worth a million dollars or more, but the fire was a heavy loss. Besides, through his generosity, he assisted a number of friends who had gone into various industrial schemes and thereby lost thousands of dollars, he having to bear all the loss by the financial crash that overtook the country. He built up one of the largest agricultural businesses in Canada and his success would undoubtedly have continued had it not been for the series of financial losses which he received. As it was, after these reverses he set to work again and rebuilt the factory, showing the energy he possessed, a quality for which he was well known. For the past ten years, however, he had lived retired, owing to ill-health.

About five years ago he suffered from a stroke of paralysis, and from this he never sufficiently recovered to be able to walk farther than his own grounds. On the first of August last he had another stroke, which completely paralyzed him, and on Sunday of this week a third one left him unconscious. He never rallied, death coming to him yesterday, as stated above, at 2 o'clock.

The late Mr. Elliott was married in 1853 to Miss Priscilla, third daughter of Mr. John Corson, of Westminster, who belonged to one of the first families to settle in this county, and who were among the leaders in the social and industrial life of the community. Of the nine children born to them, five are still living—three sons and two daughters. The latter are Mrs. Ball, wife of Mr. J. K. Ball, manager of the Bank of Toronto, at Creemore, and Mrs. George H. Edmison, of Toronto. The sons—all of whom have inherited their father's ability in the implement business—are William J., representing the Grass Twine Company, of Minneapolis; Corson, of the American Harrow Company, Detroit; and Charles L., of Albany, eastern representative of the Deering Harvester Company.

Though a strong supporter of the Conservative party, Mr. Elliott was never actively engaged in politics, being of a retiring disposition. His success in the commercial world was due to his untiring efforts and his genius for skillful organization. Mr. Elliott and his family belonged to the Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Dr. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Church, will conduct the funeral services, which will take place Saturday, and of which further announcement will be made.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"IN THE PALACE OF THE KING."

What promises to be a most interesting offering at the Grand next Monday evening is Miss Viola Allen's original New York production of "In the Palace of the King." This piece will be revived with all the original equipment and effects used by Miss Allen, with Miss Isabelle Evesson in the part of Dolores. This piece has never been presented at popular prices until this season.

AUBREY BOUCICAULT.

The theater-going public have a genuine treat in store at the Grand next Saturday, matinee and night, in William A. Brady's elaborate production of "Captain Charlie," in which S. S. & Lee Shubert are now starring that brilliant young actor, Aubrey Boucicault. It is full of comedy and dramatic situations, but they are so natural and so possible that the audience may easily think they are living through the story. Mr. Boucicault's manager has surrounded him with a cast of well-known favorites.

"MONTE CRISTO" TONIGHT.

Tonight, at the London, Rowland & Young's Comedy Company will present the romantic drama, "Monte Cristo," in five acts. Mr. H. Wilmot Young will be seen in the title-role of Edmund Dantes, the Count of Monte Cristo. This is probably the strongest bill in their repertoire, and a clever performance is promised. New specialties, motion pictures and illustrated songs will be given. Tomorrow, "East Lynne," and a prize matinee Saturday.



AUBREY BOUCICAULT AT THE GRAND ON SATURDAY NEXT

"BRAIN FAG," DISEASE WHICH THREATENS BUSINESS MEN

London Quite Free From the Malady as Yet—Local Physician's Opinion.

An English physician has set the physicians of America talking over a disease which he specializes as "brain fag." Since the Englishman made known the results of the disease after seven years of investigation, physicians in Chicago, New York and other places have undertaken investigations themselves, and have come to the conclusion that what is known as "brain fag" is a disease which has made appalling inroads the past few years, and threatens the business public with insanity. Doctors, lawyers, brokers and business men declare that the disease, in its most virulent form, is raging in Chicago; that the tremendous rush and struggle for existence or riches in Chicago is developing brain fag at an alarming rate.

One strange feature of the inquiry into the development of the disease is that the instructors at the University of Chicago, at Northwestern University, and in the public schools, declared that such a thing as brain fag was unheard of in these schools.

According to the London medical expert the disease exists only in the higher classes of society in Great Britain. According to Chicago experts brain fag exists among all classes of man and women in Chicago. They argue that this proves that Americans of all classes think for themselves, while in the older countries the workingmen permit their lords or employers to think for them.

SYMPTOMS OF THE DISEASE.

The symptoms of the disease are heaviness and pain around and under, especially under, the eyeballs, an excessive lassitude and lifelessness. Alcoholic beverages or other stimulants are used for relief by the victims of the disease, and the result frequently is inebriation, which sometimes becomes chronic. One common result is madness.

The doctors at the detention hospital, Chicago, and at Dunning declare the disease has greatly increased the number of insane patients within the last seven years, and the records of the insane court seem to bear them out, although "alcoholism" as a cause of insanity is not always the result of brain fag. The physicians at Dunning declare that the records there will show that brain fag, followed by chronic drunkenness, and then madness, is prevalent, especially among professional men of Chicago, and alarmingly so among writers.

"The number of writers who have died here insane during the last few years," one Dunning physician said, "has been alarming. These men all came here suffering in the same way. They all told the same story—exhaustion, weariness, headaches after hard days, shooting pains under their eyes. They found drink a remedy—drank to excess. Between drunks the trouble became worse, and finally mental and physical wrecks, they were brought here. Nearly everyone died raving within a few days after reaching here, although a few, recovering strength rapidly and getting entire rest, recovered."

LOCAL PHYSICIAN'S OPINION.

Dr. Cl. T. Campbell was seen in regard to the supposedly new disease, and he said "it was as old as the hills."

"What is termed brain fag by the specialists quoted," said Dr. Campbell, "is merely what we physicians in London know as 'nervous exhaustion.' It is brought on by overwork and by worry, and the symptoms are headache, lassitude and so on. In my practice I have not noticed any great amount of brain fag, but, of course, the larger the city the greater the worry. Such men as those on the Chicago Stock Exchange are exactly the men to be attacked by the disease, so great is the constant strain on their minds."

Dr. John D. Wilson was also asked for his opinion, and he agreed with Dr. Campbell's statement that there was nothing new about the disease. "It's merely nervous exhaustion," he said.

"The best thing to do to avoid brain fag is to go to bed when you're tired, and rest awhile," said Dr. Wilson. "This was Gladstone's remedy for brain fag, and he retained his faculties until he was 84."

WENT THERE TOO OFTEN

Magistrate Would Not Give Harriett Any More Chances.

Harriett Wiliams had to come to it. Time and time again has she pleaded to be let go, but each time, the beer pitcher that goes too often to the bar gets broken. Today Harriett found she had gone once too often, for the magistrate found her guilty of vagrancy and sent her down where beer and whisky are but memories of a past. In other words, she will spend the next six months in the Mercer reformatory.

The only other adult prisoner at the police court was a soldier, who was turned over to the military authorities to be dealt with. He was drunk.

Two juveniles faced the magistrate also. One was a youngster guilty of truancy. He was bailed for a week. The other was a 16-year-old boy who had apprenticed to a cigarmaker and had not lived up to his agreement. The magistrate also bailed him for a week to see what the boy will do.

The Electrophone.

The name of the electrophone does not disclose why it should be different from the telephone, which sends sound by electricity; but the practical test of the former in England seems to indicate that it is a more adequate and satisfying invention, and one that our telephone companies must presently add to their equipment, or substitute for it. The telephone in our country is a harrassing instrument. Many cannot hear by means of it. The bothers and delays in connecting stations have shortened temper and lengthened vocabularies. But, according to the dispatches from London, Mr. Chamberlain's speech was perfectly heard there, although the talking was done in Birmingham. The reporters for the Daily Mail, seated comfortably in their office, and smoking their pipes, stenographed every word of the oration, and the paper was selling on the streets 27 minutes after he had closed. The telegraph ended its work nearly an hour and a half later. This, says the Mail, inaugurates a revolution in reporting. It may be, but if the revolution succeeds it will be necessary to find spellbinders who are willing to talk into machines that represent a larger public than their immediate hearers, and it will be necessary to rig lines from every principal hall, church, theater, opera house and academy to every newspaper office in consequence. Yet that may all happen in time. The orators, especially British ones, may object for a while, but there is nothing that will bring a great man to terms quicker than leaving his name out of the paper for a couple of days. We await the electrophone in Congress and in Tammany Hall.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Danger Gives Amusement.

It would seem as if no amusements wherein some element of danger does not enter are ever thoroughly enjoyed. We English folk may take our pleasures sadly in the bulk, but when they are of an outdoor nature there is no doubt whatever that they cannot be too exciting or too dangerous to please us. It is just because motoring is full of the possibilities of mishaps that it has become so enormously popular, especially with women, who are ever most ready to face death in pursuit of pleasure, despite the fact that they are always described as bundles of nerves. Alpine guides declare that women are quite as intrepid as men when dangerous peaks are to be climbed; and when everyone cycled it was invariably the girls of a party who rode the fastest, risked the worst hills and braved the thickest traffic. While the pluck of English women is to be admired by flood and field, it is always just as well to keep before them the fact that the lives of others are sometimes placed in jeopardy by this very intrepidity. Foolhardy expeditions, reckless driving and riding, carelessness on the river and a general disregard of danger signals and the advice of those who know, too often mean not only personal risk and accident, but danger and maybe death to others.—London World.

COULDN'T WALK ALONE

W. E. Ellis Cured of Muscular Rheumatism by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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