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Meetings.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Women's Christian Association will be ld in the "Y" Rooms, on Thursday, 6th inst., 3 p.m.

O. O. F. INITIATION — DOMINION Lodge, No. 48, this (Wednesday) evening, sitors invited. Geo. E. Logan, N. G.; Thos. Hastings, R. S.

CCABEES LON meet tonight (Wednesday), at 8 o'clock. at Edge Block, Richmond street. G. GEORGE'S 42. A., F. AND A. M., G. R. C., meets tonight (Wednesday), at 7:30 c'clock sharp. Visitors welcome. Henry Haynan, W. M.; A. Ellis, P. M., secretary.

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AUCTION SALE Of Valuable Household Furniture and

Effects.

M. D. H. PORTER has been favored with instructions from Mrs. Richardson to sell by auctiou, at her residence, No. 245 Pall Mall street, on Thursday, Oct. 6, at 10:30, all her household furniture, including handsome upright piano and drawing-room suite in oak and silk, small fancy chairs and tables, chenille and lace curtains, Brussels carpets, oak and walnut sideboards, oak dining chairs, handsome couches, with spring and drop heads; a quantity of silver plate (good), baseburner, with oven; bedroom suites, in ash, oak and birch; springs, mattresses, etc.; contents of kitchen, including range (nearly new). The whole to be sold without any reserve. D. H. PORTER, Effects.

GRAY, CARRIE & CO., WOODSTOCK, offer their drygoods stock of about \$17,000 for sale. Tenders received up to 15th inst. Stock and stock books can be seen on the premises on and after the 7th inst. Woodstock with population of 9,000 has only two drygoods etores carrying a full line. Investigate. 55k

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Dr. Nellies, dentist, has removed to 211 Dundas street, opposite Runians' department store.

A Second Marriage HAZELINE

Talked About in Connection With | tection in the colonies of Portugal, the the Austrian Emperor's Bereavement.

"Yellow" Yarns From Pekin in Regard to the Imperial Family.

The Powers' Note in Regard to Crete Presented to the Porte.

AiRevision of the Dreyfus Case Assured -The Delagoa Bay Deal.

Vienna, Oct. 5.-Emperor Francis Joseph, who intended passing Tuesday (his name-day) in strict retirement at Wallsee, is back in Vienna. It is rumored in court and aristocratic circles that in spite of his 68 years the Austro-Hungarian sovereign may, a year hence, contract a second marriage with the widow of his late brother, Carl Ludwig. This would be with a view to securing direct succession to the Austrian and Hungarian crowns. The Archduchess Marie Theresa, who was born Princess of Braganza, is 25 years the emperor's junior. Issue of such a marriage would supplant in the presumptive succession the two sons of Carl Ludwig's second marriage, the Archdukes Franz Ferdinand and Otto. Their mother was a princess of the house of Bourbon.

THE POPE'S ODE ON EMPRESS ELIZABETH.

The pope will confer the golden rose of virtue this year upon the Archduchess Gisela, the emperor's eldest daughter, who is married to Prince

Leopold of Bavaria. In the Vatican gardens the pope is composing a Latin ode on the Empress Elizabeth. Giosue Carducci, the most noted poet of Italy, who for almost forty years has held the chair of Italian literature at the University of Bologna, is writing a sublime poem, addressed to the Valkyries, on "The Dying Day of the Empress-Queen'

AN AGREEMENT

Between Britain and Russia-Queer Stories From Pekin.

London, Oct. 5 .- The London correspondent of the Paris Journal Des Debats announces that Great Britain and Russia are about to sign an agreement, giving the former preponder-ance in the Yang Tse Valley, and the latter preponderance in Manchuria. The Pekin correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle, telegraphing on Monday, says: Thirty Cossacks and thirty English marines arrived here

today. According to a dispatch from Shanghai, the Pekin correspondent of the Mercury, of that city, asserts that the Emperor of China intended to remove the dowager empress from his path, and intrusted his plans to an adherent. The latter proved a traitor. The dowager empress, on learning of the plot, sternly upbraided the emperor, and invited him to drink the contents of a cup to which she pointed. He swallowed the fluid at a gulp. It is impossible, according to this correspondent, to ascertain whether the emperor is actually alive or dead.

100 DROWNED!

By the Upsetting of a Ferryboat on the Indus.

London, Oct. 5 .- A special dispatch from Bombay says that a ferryboat was capsized yesterday while crossing the Indus at Mittun Kote, a town of the Punjab, on the west bank of the river, and 100 of the passengers were drowned.

GET OUT!

Collective Note of the Powers Pre sented to the Porte.

Constantinople, Oct. 5 .- The collective note of Great Britain, France. Italy and Russia, demanding the withdrawal of the Turkish troops in the Island of Crete, was presented to the Turkish Government this morning

CANNIBALISM

Practiced Among the Votiaks of Russis -A Horrible Belief.

Odessa, Oct. 5 .- At the church congress held at Kieff the question of can-nibalism among the Votiaks came up for consideration. The Bishop of Kasan affirmed that such was rife in his diocese, and so far no really effective means had been found to eradicate it. Its votaries are so cautious and secret in indulging in this practice that great-almost insuperable-difficulties have been encountered in trying to stamp it out. These people believe that the gods are propitiated by the killing and eating of those who are under a curse, the outward and visible signs of which are incurable diseases, great and repeated misfortunes, etc.

PROTECTION IN PORTUGAL. The Lisbon correspondent of the London Daily Mail says: With a view of adopting a policy of extreme pro-

government has issued a circular, in-viting the opinions of experts on the industries to be protected and upon collateral questions.

IRON COMBINE. The Berlin correspondent of the Lon-

The Pope Writes a Latin Ode to don Daily Mail says there are rumors there of the forthcoming formation of a combine of the whole German iron trade to meet the severe American competition.

THE PEACE COMMISSIONERS. Paris, Oct. 5 .- At the meeting of the American peace commissioners yester-dey Gen. Merritt detailed his personal views and those of Admiral Dewey regarding the situation in the Philippines. The Spanish peace commission ers were received by President Faure. The American commissioners were presented by Gen. Porter, who handed to President Faure a cable message from President McKinley, tendering a

friendly personal greeting. DELAGOA BAY. London, Oct. 5.-The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "Great Britain, it is reported from Johannesburg, will take over the Delagoa customs, railways and telegraphs about the middle of this month. The Transvaal Volksraad is now discussing the law binding the Orange Free State and the Transvaal to mutual military assistance in the event of an attack from the outside. This is attributed to a fear of complications arising out of the Delagoa Bay deal."

CABLE NOTES. Keen rivalry is being displayed beween France and Germany in opening up the regions around Lake Tchad. The expedition is understood to be partly caused by the necessity of ridding the Hinterland from slave-raiding bands, and of counteracting the activity of the French by a corresponding Ger-

man activity. At the next session of the Prussian Diet the government intends to intro-duce a bill, authorizing the construction of a canal for large steamships between Berlin and Stettin, capital of the Province of Pomerania, on the Oder, about 80 miles northeast of Ber-

The Berlin civil courts and the Leipsic court of appeals differ in the matter of the Princess De Chimay's photographs. The Berlin courts say that the photographs of the princess in fleshings are no more objectionable than nude or semi-nude statuary. The Leipsic court regarded the photograph as not artistic. The pictures will be

suppressed. There is general complaint among British merchants of the unsatisfactory state of trade with China because of the disturbances there.

MR. FORGET GETS IT

The Indian commissioner at Winnipeg Succeeds the Late Hon. M. C.

Ottawa, Oct. 5.—Mr. A. E. Forget, Indian commissioner at Winnipeg, has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories. Mr. Forget will be succeeded as Indian commissioner by Hon. David Laird, of Prince Edward Island.

COSTLY SMOKE

Warehouse and 4,500 Hogsheads of Tobacco Burned-Loss Nearly

\$500,000. Clarksville, Tenn., Oct. 5 .- Fire yesterday in Grange tobacco warehouse, occupied by Gill & Turnley, burned about 4,500 hogsheads of tobacco. Loss on tobacco and building estimated at nearly \$500,000, with insurance about

\$800,000. The fire, spreading, burned Gracey Bros.' coal store-shed, the Louisville and Nashville depot, six freight cars on the track, and several cottages. Crown Point, Ind., Oct. 5.-Fourteen houses, comprising the greater portion of the business district of Lowell, twelve miles south of this city, were entirely destroyed by fire last night. The loss will reach \$50,000, with limited insurance.

WINTER EN ROUTE

Heavy Snowstorm Prevailing in

Minnesota. St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 5.-Reports from

indicate that a heavy snowstorm is in progress. There was a light snowfall in this city. **CONVENTION OF**

Interesting Gathering in St. Louis-Universal Print for the Blind Proposed.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 5 .- One hundred and fifty blind men and women, representing the American Blind People's Higher Education and General Improvement Association, with a membership extending through the country, are holding a convention in St. Louis, which promises to become notable, because it is expected a decided stand will be taken on a universal print for the blind. There are many system of reading in use, mostly in the form of perforations in paper.

Chronic Eczema Cured.

One of the most chronic cases of Eczema ever cured is the case of Miss Gracie Ella Aiton, of Hartland, N. B. On a sworn statement, Mr. Aiton says: "I hereby certify that my daughter, Gracie Ella, was cured of Eczema of long standing by using four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment." William Thistle, druggist, of Hartland, also certifies that he sold four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment, which cured Gracie Ella.

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ON THE WARPATH!

Bear Island Indians Defy the U. S. Authorities.

Walker, Minn., Oct. 5.-Marshal O'Connor and Inspector Tinker have returned from a conference with the Bear Island Indians. The latter refuse to give up the men wanted by the officials. The marshals will take them in spite of their refusal to come. The troops of the United States will be called into service to assist the mar-shal. The Indians say they will resist as long as a man lives. branch of the Chippewas have yet joined the pillagers, but if another outbreak occurs it is feared it may spread.

THE BISHOP SCORES

Masterly Address to Trinity Students -High Praise.

[Toronto World, Oct. 5.]

In spite of the dismal weather, quite a number gathered at the Pavilion to witness the opening of Trinity Medical School yesterday The students, of course, were noisy-

tin horns, college songs and cries are

but emblems of goodfellowship, and

they were largely in evidence yesterdav. But the feature of the day was the first lecture delivered by Bishop Baldwin, who, it must be said, made a departure. His address was a clear departure from the stereotyped form. No meaningless remarks or austere jollying. The bishop undertook in his talk to go very deep-to implant into the minds of his hearers an ambition above that of the scholar. The bishop dug to the root of the matter at once; his eloquent facts would have staggered Ingersoli, and were worthy of consideration by the keenest and most learned disputant; but yet the bishop did not at all evershoot the mark, for, though the students came to blow horna yet the forceful impress of the speaker's words soon grasped, and for over an

hour they listened in silence, broken only by applause. At the conclusion, Dean Geikie, in the name of all present, thanked the bishop for his address, which could not fail to reach a chord in many hearts.

SOUTH MIDDLESEX

Official Count of the Vote Taken Sept 29 on Prohibition.

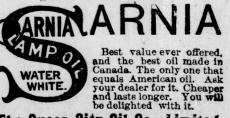
The official court for the plebiscit for the south riding of Middlesex was held by Returning Officer John Mc-Dougal at the office of Mr. W. B. Laidlaw, in this city, this morning. The prohibition party were represented by two agents, no one appearing for the antis. Below are the majorities for the various municipalities in the rid-

ing: For Against South London 336 Westminster 481 262 Delaware 182 Caradoc 387 108 Lobo 288 978

Steamship Arrivals.

From At Oct. 4. Bristo Father Point Mer_imao...... Lake Superior.... Montreal Montreal Turanian..... Iontreal Crookston, Folston, Hallock, Aitkin, Baron Bethaven and a dozen other Minnesota points, Manchester Enter-Montreal ake Winnipeg. Montreal Montreal ...Halifax Liverpool Liverpool Liverpool Barcelona...... Latonia..... London London New York New York Madura. hristian. Southwark. Wilhelm New York Antwerp Kaiser Wil der Grosse... Werkendam...Bremen .. New York Kaiser Frederich Gibraltar. Bremen. Furnessia..... Hekla..... Copenhagen.... Boulogne..... Maasdam..... Teutonic.....

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Worsted His Treacherous Partners and Worked a Big "Sccop."

New Yo.k, Oct. 5.-The Herald says, on the authority of an intimate friend of James R. Keene, that he has made \$1,500,600 out of American Tobacco Company stock within a week.

Wall street has stood aghast to see the stock of this company, commonly called the tobacco trust, go tumbling from \$154 75 per share to \$115 50.

The "outsiders" in the street could

not account for the decline of 39% points in the shares, or a shrinkage of more than \$7,000,000 in the value of the \$20,000,000 of common share capacity of the trust. They read in it the ruin of comeone, and, as they saw the market price of shares falling at the rate of from \$5 to \$10 a day, congratulated themselves that they were not the losers little thinking that James R. had made, or was making, hundreds of thousands.

OBTAINED CONTROL.

Mr. Keene has been interested in American tobacco stock for about a year. In company with James B. Duke, now president of the trust; H. C. Terrell, Oliver H. Payne, represent-ing the Standard Oil trust, although the extent of this company's operations in tobacco stock are not known, and a representative of the firm of Moore & Schley, he est out about a year ago to obtain control of the American Tobacco Company.

It took months to do this. It was accomplished, however, last spring.

Mr. Keene at that time owned from 75,000 to 100,000 shares of the company's stock. The other four controlled the greater portion of the remainder. It was their getting control of the company which started the stock on its rapid rise. Mr. Keene, it is known, got his stock at inside figures, which were considerably below par.

Then these five big operators began a vigorous fight with the manufacturers of plug tobacco, with the idea of forcing them into the combination. The American Tobacco Company up to this time was made up largely of firms manufacturing cigarettes only, although there were a few manufacturers of plug tobacco in it always.

WHO WERE IN IT. Such firms as Legget & Myers, Drummond & Co., Sorg & Co., and others, which largely controlled the manufacture of plug tobacco, were approached, and negotiations were begun toward getting them into the American Tobacco Company.

Rumors of this further combination of tobacco interests and the determin-ation to place the entire trade on a profitable basis reached Wall street and sent the price of the stock upward of the eleventh divisional court of the faster than it had been rising before. county. He succeeds his father, Mr. J. Keene, Terrell, Duke, Payne and Moore & Schley's representative meanwhile held on to their stock, and were gratified to see the price mounting

higher each day.

There is said to have been a tacit understanding between them that none of these five men should sell any American Tobacco Company stock until, at least, negotiations with the plug

manufacturers were completed. While the price of the stock 10 days ago had mounted to 154%, in connection with further rumors of a greater trust forming, everything looked rose-Dealings in the stock even at that price continued to be heavy. There were prospects of it going

CAUGHT THEM NICELY. Mr. Keene discovered one hay that someone was selling American Tobacco Company stock quite freely. Before the movement was an hour old this shrewd speculator found out who it was. He had discovered, it is alleged, that three at least of the combination of five were disposing of their stock. It is supposed they had succumbed to the temptation to sell at the high figure the stock had reached, and without notifying Mr. Keene of their in-

As soon as the wires and messenger boys could carry nem went Mr. Keene's orders to his men on the floor of the stock exchange: "Sell American Tobacco without re-

Thousand-share lots went pouring into the market, and the break in prices came. It is said that almost at the highest figure the stock touched

Mr. Keene sold his entire holdings before the men who had sought to take advantage of him knew what was happening. This man, who for years fought with his back to the wall, where adversity

ha. temporarily driven him, is probabiy richer today than he ever was. Thursday and Friday he was out with offers to loan millions of dollars. deal in sugar and other stocks in July and August of last year, in which he 1s said to have made \$2,000,000, is re-

PERILS OF THE SEA

-- bable Loss of a Steamer and Thirty Lives.

a forwegian Iron Ship Abandoned-

The Crews of Two Vessels Rescued.

St. Johns, Nfld., Oct. 5.-It is feared that the Labrador mail steamer Leo-pard, with a crew of 18 and 12 passengers, was lost during a severe storm off the northeast coast of the island last week. She left King's Cove on Tuesday morning, but had not reached Battle Harbor at midnight on Friday, though it is only a 24 hours' run. The storm was the most severe that had raged there in many years, and it is believed that the Leopard foundered.

ABANDONED. Halifax, N. S., Oct. 5.-The American chooner Hattie Evelth, Capt. McShirr, sprang a leak on the fishing banks last was abandoned in a Sunday and sinking condition. Ten men were tak-en off by the schooner Ella King, and have been landed at Barrington. The captain and remainder of the crew left the vessel in a dory and rowed to Wood's Harbor, Shelbourne. They are now on their way to Boston.

AN IRON SHIP LOST. Halifax, N. S., Oct. 5 .- Capt. Gunderson and 21 men, the crew of the Norwegian iron ship Fritzreur, which was abandoned at sea Sept. 23, have arrived here from Port Hawkesbury, where they were landed by the brig-antine Century. The Fritzreur en-countered a hurricane on Sept. 18, durcountered a hurricane on Sept. 18, dur-ing which she was thrown on her beam end. She remained in that position so

long that the captain finally decided to cut away the rigging. After this the vessel righted. While the hurricane raged the ship was continually swept by tremendous seas, the stearing gear being carried away, rudder partly carried off and rails and bulwarks broken. The cargo also got adrift. The ship becoming unmanageable, on Friday, Sept. 23, it was decided to leave her. During the day the Century, bound for Hallifax, came in sight, and observing the Fritzreur's destress signals, she ran close to her, destress signals, she ran close to her, when Capt. Gunderson and his men launched the boat and reached the

Unknown Man Attempted Assessinate a Brantford Resident.

The Victim May Die-Untimely End of a Former St. Thomasite-A Doon Farmer Ends His Life-Serious Accident at Amherstburg.

Quail are very plentiful this year. North Brant Exposition opened Tues-

West Lambton fair opened this (Wednesday) morning. Woodstock Fair was opened Tuesday

by Sir Oliver Mowat. A lady superintendent has been appointed in Woodstock hospital.

St. Thomas customs collections for September amounted to \$10,345 12. It is said that the site for Woodstock's new postoffice has been chosen. Windsor's population fell off 81 last year, the census now showing 11,334

A gun and revolver, stolen from Buchanan's store, Woodstock, have been found.

Angus Grant, aged 93 years, one of the oldest Tilbury East settlers, died the other night. The ratepayers of Stratford wiff in January vote on a bylaw to abolish

the ward system. Brantford city council have let their flood prevention contracts for \$34,000, to Wm. Gibson, M.P., of Beamsville. Ethel McGregor was committed for trial at St. Thomas on Monday on the charge of attempting to commit sui-

Brantford city council, asked the street railway company to live up to their contract or they will forfeit their

During September there were registered with City Clerk Doherty, 15 births, 4 marriages and 12 deaths in St. Thomas.

Mr. Patrick O'Brien, of Delhi, had his left arm taken off yesterday while feeding a threshing machine. The arm was amputated just below the elbow. Robert V. Somerville, Lucknow, Bruce county, has been appointed clerk county. He succeeds his father, Mr. J. Somerville, who died recently.

Mrs. Bates, of Norwich, died suddenly on Saturday morning. A few days ago a small bone stuck in her throat. The doctor did not look upon the case seriously, and failed to dislodge the bone in time to save her life.

A bright and very pretty September wedding was that on Wednesday last when Miss Matilda Schaefer, daughter of Henry Schaefer, of South Easthope, became the wife of Theodore Fisher, of Hanover, son of Andrew Fisher, of that place.

George Sharpe, a basebali play met an untimely end at Melrose, Minresota, on Sunday. Deceased was employed as fireman, and while engaged in wiping the locomotive he fell off the front of the engine and was killed. He was born in St. Thomas about 31 years ago, and for some time was employed as fireman on the M. C. R.

Andrew Hubert, a resident of Brantford, nearly met death at the hands of ford, nearly met death at the hands of an unknown assassin on Monday night. He was stabbed twice in the back, and twice in the left breast, with a knife, and ugly wounds were inflicted. Hubert is in a critical con-dition, and his recovery is very doubt-ful. His assailant has not been cap-

A serious accident took place in Amherstburg on Saturday at the funeral of Dr. Fisher. A carriage holding Mrs. Elliott, Fred Elliott, Miss Elliott and Miss Duff was upset, throwing the oc-cupants into a ditch. Mrs. Elliott was seriously hurt, and was unconscious for a long time, fainting away repeatedly. Mr. Elliott was cut in the face, but the others escaped injury.

On Saturday morning John Ham, of Doon, left home with cows, which he was in the habit of pasturing. His people did not expect him back until evening, but when the cattle were driven home by some boys whom he had paid for the purpose, and Ham did not return, his son-in-law, Mr. Near, went to look for him. He reached the "Pinnacle," near the village, and there found the body of his fatherin law gurranded from a hamlock tree. in-law suspended from a hemlock tree. He was dead. A son of deceased has been sick in Manitoba, and other circumstances were preying on the old gentleman's mind, causing melancholy of an aggravated kind. He leaves a wife and family.

THE CIGAR MEN

Discuss Questions Interesting to the Trade and Choose Officers.

Toronto, Oct. 5.-The annual meeting of the Dominion Cigar Manufacturers' Association was continued yes-

terday. The association is said to represent 80 per cent of the cigars manufactured in Canada. A resolution was passed to refer to a board of arbitration disputes be-tween manufacturers handling the

same brands of cigars. The secretary, Mr. Harold Gagnier, read a paper on "Trade Marks," giving a concise outline of the law in the

matter.

In the afternoon the meeting was ended with the election of officers for the coming year: Honorary president, J. Bruce Payne; president, M. Hirsch; first vice, R. S. McDonald; second vice, L. O. Grothe; third vice, G. T. Tuck-ett: treasurer, O. R. Brener; secretary, George Milligan; executive committee, E. N. Cusson, M. K. Halloran, C. H. Nelson: legislative committee, W. A. Reid, John Michall, F. M. Fortier.

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"BILL" EAGAN

The Crazed Ball-Player Tries to Kill His Wife.

Fatal Quarrel Over Cards Resulting in the Loss of Two Lives.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 5. - William Fagen, a noted baseball player, who at different periods in the last several years, has been a member of the St. Louis, Syracuse, Pittsburg and other professional clubs, on Monday tried to kill his wife, and had also planned to

kill himself.
While in a barber shop in an intoxicated condition, he displayed a re-volver, and said he was going home to kill his wife, and then blow his own brains out. He left the shop, and word was sent to police headquarters. Two policemen hurried to Eagan's home, and arrived in time to meet the wife running from the house, pursued by her rum-crazed husband, who was firing his revolver. He had fired three shots, none of which had taken effect. The policemen knocked the revolver from the man's hand, overpowered him and took him to jail. Eagan was discharged from the Pittsburg club a few months ago for drinking.

PRINTERS DIG **POTATOES**

On the New York Union's Farm, at Pelham Bay Park,

New York, Oct. 5 .- Fifteen printer termers were sent to Pelham Bay Park yesterday by Typographical Union No. 6 to dig the potato crop on the union farm there. They will be followed by other relays as fast as crops are ready for harvesting. The land committee of the union has fixed the selling price of the potatoes at \$2.75 a barrel. It is thought that the 64 printer farmers will have about \$5,000 to divide among them in proportion to the crops raised

on their respective plots. This revenue will not interfere with the regular out-of-work benefit of the union. The experiment of truck farming, however, is expected to make the unemployed, or a number of them, self-supporting for at least a part of the year. This will lessen the expenses of providing for the unemployed, on whom from \$25,000 to \$30,000 a year has hitherto been expended.

COMBINE BROKEN

Proprietary Medicines To Be Sold at Open Prices.

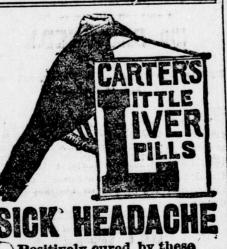
Montreal, Oct. 5.-The combine of the drug trade on prices of proprietary medicines and patent articles will be abolished in Canada. Messrs. Evans & Sons have decided that they will not in future sign the required agreements, and there is little doubt that other firms will take the same stand, as the entire retail drug trade wish these lines sold at "open market prices." With the rebate price system abolished, the retail druggist estimates that he will find himself upon even terms with the big departmental stores, and able to survive in the competition. The unanimous action of the wholesale trade alone can maintain a uniform price list, and this is rendered impossible by the action taken today by the Messrs. Evans.

QUARRELED OVER CARDS.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5.-The steamer Dirego, from Alaska, has news of the murder of Alphonse Leclaire by Xavier Lauzon, on the Hootalinqua, about 35 miles from Teslin. They quarreled at caids, and in the night the murderer stabbed his victim and fled. Others in the party, which is from Quebec, captured him and shot him. The Lau-zons were, it is gaid, formerly merchants in Point Levis. Leclaire came from Three Rivers.

The Tradesmen's National Bank of 206 West Broadway, New York, is in serious trouble. It capital is impaired, and early liquidation is advised.

Rev. Charles R. Hamblin, aged 32, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Butler Center, N. Y., has been sent to Willard Asylum. He is violent, and imagines that he is Samson.



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POISONING SUSPECTED

Mysterious Death of a Young Man After Taking a Drink Given Wim by His Wife.

Shawville, Que., Oct. 5. — Edward Sparling, who died on Saturday night, under circumstances which pointed to poisoning, and whose young wife had been placed under arrest to await the verdict of the coroner's inquest, made a deposition to two of the local magistrates before his death. He said that he was suffering from measles, and that on Thursday evening he partook of some liquor given him by his wife. After drinking the liquor he had a very noxious taste in his mouth. He vomited subsequently, and the matter coming from his stomach left a coating on his teeth. Sparling's stomach has been removed and sent to Quebec for examination. Mrs. Sparling has been committed to prison to await the result of the analysis of the contents of the stomach.

Big sale now on at Cole's Cut Rate Store. Be on hand for snaps. 55 tf

IN PENITENT CELLS

Leading New York Society Ladies Observe a Period of "Retreat From the World."

New York, Oct. 5.-Nearly a hundred leading society women of this city, among them Mrs. S. Van Rensselaer, Misses Margaret Livingston, Julia Disbrow and Annie Houghton, spent four days at a retreat conducted by Rev. Father Alfred T. Langmore at the mother house of the Protestant Episcopal community of St. John the Baptist. Each attendant occupied a separate "penitent cell" and observed strict silence during the period of "retreat from the world," except when ecceiv-ing instructions from the chaplain.

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Running in the Mud

Opening Day of the Races at | Racing Cyclists' Union was outlined at Windsor.

The Canadian Hour Wheeling Record Broken.

Policy of the Newly-Organized Cyclists' Union.

National League Baseball Scores and Other Sporting Matters of General Interest.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE-TUESDAY.

 At Philadelphia
 R. H. E.

 Philadelphia
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 New York
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 Batteries-Piatt and McFarland; Rusie and At Chicago-Chicago. 2 7 4
Louisville. 4 11 0
Batteries—Thornton and Nichols; Dowling Called at the end of the 6th—darkness. Batteries—Taylor and Chance; Magee and Kittridge.

Boston 4 10 2
Baltimore 2 6 1
Called at the end of the 8th—darkness. Batteries—Nichols and Yeager; McJames and Clarke. At St. Louis-Pittsburg 3 10 4
St. Louis 7 10 3
Batteries—Gardner and Bowerman; Hughes and Clements. Called at the end of the 7th—

At Boston-

TURF.

RACING AT WINDSOR.

The fall race meeting opened on Tuesday at Windsor. Weather wet; track sloppy. Results:
First race, % mile, all ages—Taranto 1, Farm Life 2, Infelice 3. Time, 1:15. Gracie C., Darbone, Bob Chance, Maud Lyles, Engapone, Graenborn, Laying Lyles, Inksome, Greenhorn, Lavina also ran.

Second race, 5½ furlongs, 2-year-olds, selling—Weller 1, Mark Hanna 2, Ivy Cotta 8. Time, 1:08¾. Elurine, Ergo, Tip Top, Nellie O'Neill, Rollin also ran. Third race, 7 furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Ellsmere 1, Sister Jane 2, Albert S. 8. Time, 1:30. Galgo, Ferryman II., Sir Erral, Hairpin, Prima, Re-

venue also ran. Fourth race, % mile, 2-year-olds — Glasnevin 1, Lizzie Kelley 2, By George 8. Time, 1:18½. Metoxen, Silver Fish, Cavotte also ran.

Fifth race, 11/4 miles, 4-year-olds and up, selling—Rockwood 1, Frank Jaubert 2, Pinkey Potter 3. Time, 2:131/4. Traveler, Last Fellow also ran. Sixth race, ¾ mile, all ages—Miss Lynah 1, Cogmoosie 2, Lady of the West 8. Time, 1:17¼. Josephine K., Bob Garnet, Myster also ran.

RACING IN ENGLAND. Tod Sloan's mounts, Blondin II. and Draco, both of the Lorllard-Beresford stables, ran unplaced in the first two races at Newmarket Tuesday. The first race, the Barnaby Manor selling plate, was won by Hellum, and the second race, the Welbreck stakes, handicar, was won by Marthius.

WINNERS AT OTHER TRACKS. At Latonia, Ohio-Viola Parsons, Sis Maddalo, Judge Tarvin, Great Bend, Helen H. Gardner. Hawthorne, Chicago-Flirtation.

Julia Hazel, High Ho, Lena, Time Maker, King Bermuda. At Morris Park, New York - Him Tine, Manlius, Hurricane, Belle Meade White Frost and Charentus.

CURLING.

GLENCOE CLUB. The annual meeting of the Glencoe Curling Club was held Monday night. The financial standing of the club was found to be in a satisfactory state, and officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Patron, W. S. Calvert, M.P.; honorary president, W. D. Mc-Intyre; honorary vice-president, A. O. Buckam; President, J. M. Palt; vice-president, J. S. Luckham; Chaplain, Rev. Geo. Elliot; representative members, R. R. McKellar, C. F. Craig; secretary-treasurer, G. C. McFarlane; council, R. R. McKellar, G. A. Dewar, S. J. McCreery; skips, R. R. McKellar, S. J. McCreery, G. A. Dewar, H. W. Bodman, G. A. Mayberry, J. M. Pait, W. D. Mois, J. L. Luckham, G. C. Mc-Farlane; honorary member, John H. Brownlee Brockville. This club has a member .ip now of about 40.

WHEEL. CANADIAN HOUR RECORD.

Angus McLeod broke the Canadian hour record at the Island track, Toryesterday, riding 29 miles 365 yards within the prescribed time. The record previously was held by T. B. McCarthy, who last fall covered 26% miles, and established new figures for the time. The first mile was traveled in 1:55, and all the records from two miles up to the distance ridden went by the board. Sixteen seconds was the time chopped off the old five-mile record, McLeod placing the figures at 9:59. The last mile was ridden in 1:59, while the last half-mile was covered in 55 seconds. McLeod's performance is at once meritorious and wonderful. THE NEW UNION.

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the first important meeting of the executive committee of the new organization, held at the Regent Hotel, in Washington. President E. C. Bald, Vice-President Arthur Gardiner, Secretary Tom Cooper, Corresponding Secretary E. Ed Spooner, Treasurer F. A. McFarland and Earl Kiser and J. Eaton, comprising the committee, proceeded to take cycling affairs in their own hands. Walter N. Wilson, of Buffalo, was appointed to exercise the same jurisdiction of the members of the racing organization as Mr. Mott has heretofore. Amos G. Batcheldor was appointed representative of the union to attend the meeting of the track owners, track promoting clubs and association conference to be held in New York on Oct. 10. Admission of amateurs to betive membership of trainers' associates, was decided upon, and the yearly fees were fixed. In regard to the L. A. W., a somewhat lengthy discussion ensued, as many wished merely to organize an inde-pendent association, showing only a spirit of friendly rivalry toward the older association. It was finally de-cided that the track rules of the L. A. W. would be adopted in their entirety, and that suspension of riders by the latter organization would be recogniz-

ed when just. FOOTBALL. LONDON TEAM WORKING HARD. The football season will be opened in London on Saturday, when the Petrolia club plays here. A good game is assured. The local team will be stronger than ever this season. The practices were never before so largely attended. and the men are all working hard. Capt. Frank Hobbs at quarter bids fair to outdo his illustrious brother Jack. He is putting up a great game. Jack McNee and Cress Pigott will be the half-backs, and are playing well. Dick Hodgins and Percy Ashplant will likely be the inside wings. "Sal" Taylor and "Count" Norseworthy will be scrimmage men, and Fred Macfie one of the outside wings. Who the other members of the team will be is not yet

A BOOM FOR

Mr. Whitney's Silly Statement Refuted in Many Places.

Good Work for Farmers-A Scare About Foreign Titles.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.-The unanimous decision of the court of appeal in the matter of the right of election constables to vote, has disposed of this matter in a manner that must be satisfactory not only to the supporters of the Provincial Government, but to all impartial and fair-minded citiwhich should never have been quesof Mr. Whitney and his supporters, be questioned or doubted. The action of the judges in handing out the simple negative "No," "No," "No," to the three questions propounded, is rubbing it in with a vengeance, and would ap-pear to indicate that there really was so little to be said on the other side that there was no excuse for rendering an elaborate judgment.

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING. Even the most serious matters have their humorous side, and there is something decidedly comical in the Mail and Empire's contention the day after the decision was handed down, that the local government had made "a strange spectacle" of itself over the matter, which had "kept the ministers in a stew," although it was "after all a subordinate question." The denser intelligence of the ordinary mortal had been imagining all along that it was the opposition that was making "a strange spectacle" of itself, and had been "kept in a stew," and it certainly is remarkable that that which, after all, was but "a subordinate question," should have been so intensely exciting to Mr. Whitney and his followers that they repeatedly declared their intention to fight the question to the last ditch, every individual member of the opposition being urged, not only to vote, but to raise his voice in protestation. That which a month ago was one of the most dastardly outrages ever attempted upon the constitutional rights and libertles of the subject, is, after all, "a subordinate question." What "a strange spectacle," and what "a stew" to be in! GOOD ROADS BOOMING.

Attention was called in these letters some six weeks ago to an absurd statement of Mr. Whitney's that not a mile of good road had been constructed or bad road improved as the result of a good roads commissioner. It was then pointed out that there was scarcely a township in the province that would not give practical refutation to the statement. A day or two ago the Toronto News, an out-and-out Conservative paper, stated that within the last two years the towns of Niagara Falls. St. Catharines, Galt, Berlin, Stratford, Chatham, Owen Sound, Collingwood, Parry Sound, Barrie, Lindsay, Brockville, Cornwall, Kemptville, Ingersoll and Woodstock had all taken up the

Throughout the country sections of the province the expenditure is even greater.

question of road improvements exten-

sively, and it is estimated that at least

\$250,000 have been spent in these places

alone in machinery, material and labor.

A SILLY STORY. The Canadian Gazette last Saturday published the official announcement of the imperial regulations governing the acceptance of foreign orders and medals by British subjects. This was an ordinary state document, of which scores appear in the course of a year, and had no unusual significance, and yet the ingenuity of the Mail and Empire's Ottawa correspondent was equal' to the task of discovering that it was prepared and published as a direct and studied reproof to the premier. Some of the boys seem to have to work their imaginations pretty hard to earn their salaries these days.

GOOD WORK FOR THE FARMERS. The annual report of Prof. Saunders, director of experimental farms, upon the cereal crops at the Central Farm here, has been issued. He states that the season has given excellent grain is shown by the fact that during the erops, and some of the best existing last season 120,000 persons ascended the

varieties yielded larger returns than any heretofore. The report proceeds to give the details of the yield of 65 varieties of oats, 48 varieties of spring wheat, 28 varieties of six-rowed barley, 21 varieties of two-rowed barley, besides peas, winter wheat, etc. The information thus disseminated will be of great practical value to the farmers, and is one more evidence of the splen-did work being done for the agriculturist by the government.

THE RATTLE OF THE RAIL

High Praise for the Manager of the Wabash.

The Local Railway Rates-Underground Travel-Heat in Tunnels-Mountain-Climbing Roads.

VICTORY FOR THE M. C. R. The Michigan Supreme Court, in an opinion filed Monday, reversed the decision of the Wayne County (Detroit) Circuit Court in the case brought by Governor Pingree to compel the Michigan Railway Company to sell mileage books at a flat 2-cent rate. The court holds that the company, under its special charter, has a right to fix its own tolls; that this is a vested right which the state must pay for if it takes it away.

A POPULAR MANAGER. A Wabash man, in speaking of the kindness of General Manager Ramsey, said: "Ramsey could not sleep at night if he thought he had abused one of his subordinates. His personal care and attention of men under him, even to the oilers on the engines, is one of his striking characteristics. The result is that every Wabash employe loves Mr. Ramsey. When traveling, he always inquires of conductors if there are any other Wabash employes on the train, and if so he personally that there is a pleasures of the present the pleasures of the present the pleasures of the pleasur invites them to share the pleasures of his private car. The general manager does not smoke or drink, and he main-tains that men engaged in railway service cannot conscientiously indulge in the luxuries and pleasures of the common folk."

LOCAL PASSENGER RATES. Mr. D. McNicol, passenger and traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, is reported to have said, in connection with local rates, that the matter stands just where it did when the local cut rates were put into force, the cause for such action being considered to be just as much in evidence now as it was then. So long as the Grand Trunk Railway shows a dis-position to work with the American railroads, as against the interests of the Canadian Northwest, by diverting traffic to the United States, so long would the cut rates remain in force.

HEAT IN TUNNELS. A writer in the London Times, dealing with the Simplon tunnel construction, now just begun, compares it with the St. Gothard and Mount Cenis tunnels. In the former, with the length of nine and one-half miles, he says the steepness of the gradient rendered necessary the adoption of the corrscrew tunnels, but he expresses the opinion that if the railway were to be constructed now it would be at respectable citizens in their rights, of continuous tunnel, but less on the whole than the main and corkserew tunnels together give now. The height clean-cut, unequivocal manner which cannot even by the subtle intelligence. cannot, even by the subtle intelligence | the rock, and this was the primary cause of the 600 deaths among those employed in the construction of the tunnel. Inefficient ventilation and the exposure of the men to an Alpine climate, while returning to their homes heated and wet to the skin, and their returning to work again in insufficiently dried clothes, of course, worked havoc. He further adds that in a short time the increasing traffic will render a second St. Gothard tunnel necessary.

UNDERGROUND TRAVEL. In the Mount Cenis tunnel, nearly

eight miles long, the gradients are 1 in 33 on the Italian side, and on the French 1 in 40. Extensive, but almost obsolete arrangements, are made for ventilation, but rooms are provided at intervals into which the workmen may and which are supplied with fresh air, drinking water and the teles

phone. The Simplon tunnel will form the most direct communication between Berne, Lausanne and Geneva to Domo d'Assola, Milan and the north of Italy, and it has the great advantage of being on a comparatively low level.
While the altitude of the St. Gothard is 3,789 feet above the sea, and that of the Mont Cenis is 4,247 feet, the Simplon is only 2,312 feet. Another great advantage it will possess is that the approach on the Swiss side will be of the simplest character. The Jura-Simplon Railway has its terminus in Brieg, in the Rhone valley, and the tunnel mouth will be on the present level of, and at a short distance from the end of the existing sidings of Brieg station. The length of the tunnel will be twelve and one-half miles, the Italian end being at Iselle.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING ROAD. Peru, of all the countries of the earth, has, strange to say, the most wonderful mountain-climbing railways, says the London Chronicle. The Central railway, which starts from Callao to cross the Andes, has a rise of nearly 16,000 feet above the sea level, while the Southern Railway of Peru, which leaves the coast at Mollendo, climbs to a height of only a little less than

15.000 feet. What is in some respects, perhaps an even more marvelous instance of a mountain-climbing railway is that which at the present time is being constructed with considerable rapidity from Scheidegg, around the great glacier of the Eiger, past the Monch, up to the top almost of the Jungfrauthe height of the station near the summit being 13,668 feet above the level of the sea.

The locomotives to be used on the line are to have cogwheels fitting into a rack, the openings in which correspond to the teeth of the wheels, the rack being placed between two steel rails of the ordinary adhesion pattern. The motive power is to be supplied by electricity, while the tunnels and galleries will be lighted by incandescent electric lamps. It is expendent to the supplied by incandescent electric lamps. pected that the line will be in opera-tion to the top of the Jungfrau in three or four years, and its total cost

is estimated at £400,000. These rack railways are by no means confined to Switzerland, but are to be seen working in many other countries of Europe, in Syria, Sumatra, Japan, in Mexico, Bra I, Chili, Venezuela, the United States, Maderia and the West Indies. The only English rack rail-way of any importance is the Snowden Mountain Railway, which last year carried some 12,000 passengers.

Rigi line, while upwards of 50,000 passed over that of Motint Pilatus. The highest rack railway is that on Pike's Peak, Colorado. The total mileage of all the rack railways in the world, counting in those which have the rack and pinion for a part only of their systems, is a little under 1,500 miles.

NOTES

The Union Car Company, of Buffalo, will build 300 gondolas for the Pennsylvania. The new Union Pacific has declared a dividend of 1½ per cent on the pre-ferred stock. The total dividend amounted to \$1,125,000.

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It is officially announced that the Michigan division of the Vandalia will be sold at foreclosure sale at Craw-

fordsville, Oct. 20.

The Empire State Express, over the New York Central, is now a complete Wagner train, consisting of baggagg car, two day coaches, a buffet car and a parlor car.

S. H. Mallory, one of the leading railroad builders of the west, says that

next year will be one of the greatest for railroad building in the history of the country.

The Wabash fast mail on Monday night made the run from Delphi to Lafayette, a distance of 18 miles, in 17

minutes. There were seven cars on the train. The 60-foot rail on standard tracks has passed the experimental stage, and the roads which began using them

three years ago are now ordering more of the same kind for renewals.

The United States National Association of Merchants and Travelers and prominent railroad men are formulating plans at Chicago for an effective crusade against ticket scalpers. Con-

gress may be asked to pass an anti-scalping law. "East to the West" appears on the title page of the Canadian Pacific's newest book of information to travelers. The book is neatly illustrated and well written, and is at once a pocket guide and index to China, Japan and

other eastern countries.

The Prussian state railroads have provided special baggage cars for bicycles. These cars are attached to certain evening trains running into Berlin from nine suburban towns, to which Berlin wheelmen habitually make excursions, and at these sta-tions something like the American check system has been introduced, chiefly for shipping bicycles.

the Pacific coast by Armour are returned loaded with fruit. This gives the new Field-Armour-Hill combination another big pull for B. and O. traffic, as the arrangement with the fruit shippers are such that the bulk fruit shippers are such that the bulk of the through business can be se-

cured by the consolidation. The management of the L. E. and D. R. R. propose making several changes in the E. and H. at Dresden shortly. The station is to be removed to a point near the residence of John McVeen and the line will run across McVean, and the line will run across the field belonging to Amasa Wright and up Victoria avenue, and thence to a point connecting with the line as it runs now. The change in the position of the station will make it much more convenient to travelers.

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price of the morning and evening editions of the World and Journal to cents and arrange a schedule of advertising rates to be maintained by the business managers of the four papers. It is a well-known fact that the Journal and World have never made a dollar out of their circulation departments since the price of the papers was reduced to a cent, indeed, the more papers printed and sold the greater has been their mutual loss. too, the managers of the Hearst estate have of late been looking into the receipte and expenditures of the Journal, and have concluded that Mr. Hearst's policy of management has proved a flat failure.

A move toward the cutting down of expenses is to be made. Men in charge of the sporting, theatrical, Wall street and like bureaus are now com-pelled to do the work of both papers. The losses of the papers during the war have been enormous.

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Obstacles to Disarmament.

Whatever it may have been for the Government, the Czar's manifesto was for the French press and people a startling surprise and a severe disappointment. Considering the Franco-Russian Alliance, they conclude that the French Executive must have received private intimation beforehand. Of this, however, they are not sure. They simply feel that if the alliance which they have celebrated so enthusiastically is real, such intimation ought to have been given. Then, reasoning along this path, they infer that the Government must, before promising support to the peace proposal, have made clear statements with regard to the Alsace-Lorraine question. This kind of argument shows that even the well-informed journalist is at a great disadvantage in dealing with matters of diplomacy, because part of the material is in the open and part in the flark. However, the discussion, even under these difficulties, emphasizes the fact that the great hindrance in the way of European peace is this same question of the Lost Provinces, and brings out clearly the present state of French feeling in a way that nothing of less importance could have done. Such a proposal from any other quarter would at the present time have received secret attention in France; but when the Czar, who not long ago made a triumphal march through Paris, spoke, France was bound to listen. In the replies made there is clearly perceptible, in spite of the constrained manner in which they are given, a feeling that an attempt is being made to offer up France as a victim for the good of Europe. According to the views of leading Frenchmen, the Alsace-Lorraine question is the pivotal point of European politics. It led to the formation of the Triple Alliance, and forced France into the arms of Russia. For 27 years France has held on to the hope of regaining these previnces, and on this account spent large sums on the reorganization of their army, and she is not likely to give up this hope without a great struggle. Of course, there are in France, peace

societies, and societies for the promotion of arbitration, which hope that good will come out of the Czar's message, and that France may be saved from great dangers and heavy burdens without loss of national honor. But the general feeling is one of uncertainty and irritation. General du Barail says: "I do not see that it is a question of repairing the injury done to us in 1870. Consequently I consider a real disarmament impossible in the present situation of the European nations." Another general, Bralmont, considers that the Czar's proposal does more credit to his generosity than to his political insight, and he points out that the desire of France to get back her lost provinces led to the increase and reorganization of her army, and hence to the increase of other armies, and thus the Alsace-Lorraine situation is one of the chief considerations in the case. Then it is recognized that if the Emperor of Germany were willing to give back these provinces, the military party in Germany would not allow it; while to Frenchmen the neutrality or Rependence of Alsace and Lorraine is not at all acceptable. So that this question, which is regarded as the main factor in the case, is exceedingly difficult to solve, if not quite insoluble. But supposing this solved, In the Bridgeport case circumstantial the French see great difficulties in the way. For example, who could give satisfactory pledges that the conditions laid down by a peace conference would be kept? This goes to the heart of the matter, as it reveals the spirit of mutual distrust which is the cause of the secret service, and of one nation spying upon another. This difficulty constitutes the shame of our Christian civilization, and shows how little Christianity has entered into international relationships.

Discussing particular schemes of disarmament, a French authority concludes that in any case they would be to the disadvantage of France. To reduce according to population, would mean that if France ever had to meet Germany it would be in the proportion of 35 to 45, while to make the reduction in proportion to the total military contingents of the two countries, would bring similar disadvantage. "In the first case, they would propose to lessen the number of our soldiers to the profit of Germany; and in the second, to increase the duration of our mobilization to our detriment." These points we need not discuss in detail. Sufficient has been given to show that these proposals have awakened a special sensitiveness in France, and that in any proposal for the reduction of armaments, the legacy left from the Franco-German war of 1870 will be the specter at the banquet which will not be easily banished.

The Emperor of Austria, whose Queen was recently assassinated, is said to have made the following remark to the Hungarian Premier: "Do not spare me in the matter of work. Henceforth I desire to work harder than ever, as that is one of my chief consolations." As an immediate alleviant of grief, there is probably nothing to equal work, and it is equally wholesome in other circumstances, too.

"The Thunderer" on the Klondike.

Miss Flora Shaw, the special corres pondent of the London Times, has peen writing to that journal a series of letters from Dawson City. When we consider the character and distnterestedness of both the correspondent and the newspaper, these letters are worthy of more credence than the statements of partisans who have tried to make scandals out of vague rumors. Miss Shaw makes no individual charges, but alleges that there is a widely-prevalent conviction in the Yukon, not only that the laws are bad. but that the officials are corrupt.

There is also much dissatisfaction with imperfections of organization. In Dawson City, with 20,000 population, there are no roads, no trustworthy mail arrangements, and no sanitary organization. Typhoid is always present. It is a matter of common knowledge, writes Miss Shaw, that bribery of officials is the usual condition upon which miners can secure privileges which are theirs by right, such as staking out districts, recording claims, or even obtaining letters in reasonable time. The letter points out that Mr. Ogilvie's name is accepted as a synonym of disinterested integrity, and that he will undoubtedly endeavor to cope with the

difficult task before him. The Times, commenting on these statements, says that the isolation of such a community as the Klondike is the source of serious dangers, not the least being the weakness of the machinery of government and the opportunities for the growth of unchecked abuses. For the credit of the Canadian Government the Times thinks these things should be inquired into.

"There is, happily, a general conviction, fully shared by the people of the mother country, that the Canadian Government have neither any sympathy with such practices nor the slightest disposition to shield the guilty persons. It is felt that offenses of such nature are possible only because they are done at a distance and in the dark. * * * The first condition of reform is to put an end to the isolated state of the Klondike and to bring this infant community into close and constant touch with the rest of the world. When that has been done, Mr. Ogilvie, whose character stands deservedly high, * * * will find that he has behind him not only local feeling, but the support of the Dominion Government and of public opinion at home.'

The Canadian Government can hardly let such accusations as these pass unnoticed. The Government has proved its desire for sure and efficient administration by the appointment of Commissioner Ogilvie, and if there are abuses, he has plenary power to remedy them.

It would not be surprising, however, if a thorough investigation would in the end simply reveal such another cloud of scandal as that which was dissipated in the Kingston election trial. Premier Hardy and the members of his Cabinet were specifically charged with raising a huge corruption fund, but when it came to the proof, not a word of evidence was offered. Chancllor Boyd stingingly rebuked the authors of the charges for the slandering of public men. It may prove to be the same with the Klondike "charges." In any case, an inves-

The Bridgeport Mystery. The infallibility of circumstantial evidence, upon which prosecuting at- mediocrity. torneys in particular are wont to insist, has been dealt a hard blow in the famous Bridgeport mystery. "Men sometimes lie, but circumstances never do" is the pet aphorism usually hurled at the jury by the lawyer whose case is built upon this kind of testimony. evidence of an apparently flawless character would have hanged an innocent man, if other circumstances had not come to light in time. The dismembered body of a young lady is found in a pond near Bridgeport, Conn. The severed head is identified as that of seven different women, but these identifications are not convinct ing. Then comes a Mr. Perkins, of Middleboro, Conn., who proves conclusively to the authorities that the head and body are those of his daughter, Grace Perkins, who had recently disappeared. The father asserts that the birth-marks and chicken-pox scars on the body correspond with those on his daughter. He also identifies the teeth, and the dentist who did the filling corroborates his testimony. Without any demur the remains are turned over to Mr. Perkins for burial, and when he reaches home with them he finds his daughter there, alive and well. She has returned with a young man, her lover, Charles Bourne, who

had been regarded as the murderer. Had Grace Perkins not revealed herself in time, Bourne could have been hanged on the testimony of the girl's father; the identity of the dead woman might never have been discovered and the real criminals, with the added guilt of Bourne's judicial murder, would probably have never been detected. Here was a case where the chain of circumstantial evidence around an innocent man for a time was seemingly without a weak link. Which proves that circumstances do lie sometimes, as well as men.

The report that Great Britain has secured control of the railways and telegraphs at Delagoa Bay is probably true. It was bound to come. The commerce of the port, which has been paralyzed by Portuguese incompetence, will flourish again, and the Transvaal Republic will be effectually bottled up.

scandale when in Copposition, and are ready to continue the good work if it is do without Germany. necessary in the Yukon.

"Literature would be better," remarks N. Y. Life, "if there were not so many dead men still in the business." Shakespeare, for instance.

Portugal intends adopting extreme protection in her colonies. These colonies are already dying from inanition, and Portugal is taking the quickest way to finish them.

There are a few calamities that do not find a home in Kansas. It is the citadel of free sliver, the playground of the cyclone, and now the insects are taking up their abode in clouds.

A dispatch from Montreal says that a combine on patent medicines has been broken, and that prices will fall. What effect would that have when patent medicines are already a drug on the market?

Miserable cur! Wretch!

Molasses barrel!

No, gentle reader, these are not more gems from Mr. Whitney's exchanged by local aldermen.

Seattle merchants are hastening to protest against the transfer of Dyea or Skaguay to Canada, knowing it would injure their Klondike trade. As the Canadian Senate has aided them so generously, the Scattle merchants naturally think their own government will not see them suffer.

The brewers and maltsters of New York State have an agent in Quebec, urging that the American duty on Canadian barley be reduced from 30 to 10 cents a bushel. The McKinley tariff struck a hard blow at agricultural interests on the north shore of Lake Ontario -- the great barley-growing district-but the farmers recovered by turning to other lines of production. They have almost ceased to grow barley, but the trade was so profitable that the reopening of the American market would doubtless revive it.

The people of Stratford will vote on the question of abolishing the ward system. An alderman responsible to the whole community will take a broader view than the alderman who seeks only the suffrage of a small section of it. The former is impelled to consider the interests of the city; the other, the interest; of his own ward. These two sets of interests often clash. In submitting this proposition to the electors, the Stratford city council shows sense and public spirit. We expect nothing of the kind here this year.

The Hamilton Spectator called for a Pingree to rescue the city council, and The Advertiser wanted to know if Mayor Colquhoun, M.P.P., and Ald. Carscallen, M.P.P., were not equal to the job. Desn't the following reply by the Hamilton Times hit London as well?

"There is nothing the matter with Hamilton that cannot be cured by the Hamilton electors. As happens occasionally in every city, we temporarily afflicted with the presence of several below-par aldermen in the council, but the people can put tigation will do no harm, and may do better men in their places next January. Then we shall get better roadways and one or two other things that are required. Hamilton is not in a position from which she can only be rescued by heroic measures. She has merely been too tolerant of

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Whitney's Hysterics. [Toronto News.]

Mr. Whitney should not lose his head In this ridiculous manner. His hysterics are quite unworthy a leader of a party, and of a man with such a good reputation as Mr. Whitney's.

> Africa's Destiny. [Toronto Telegram.]

It will probably be the destiny of Africa, as it was the destiny of India and North America, to fall into Anglo-Saxon hands, and it is probably the destiny of France to continue in the future childless, as far as real colonies are concerned, among the nations.

Both Rates Small.

[Hamilton Herald.] If it must be admitted that Ontario's birth rate is small in comparison with that of other countries, we may boast that the death rate in this province is also small. According to the last censue our death rate was 113 per 10,000. This was 20 per 10,000 less than the average for the whole of Canada.

Might Be Done Gradually:

[Toronto Citizen and Country.] The London Advertiser commends the disarmament of the nations in a thoughful editorial, published elsewhere this week, but recommends that the process be made gradual. If the principle of disarmament were recognized by the nations, it would be satisfactory if a 10 per cent reduction were made annually.

British Mothers an Example.

[Victoria, B. C., Colonist.] In Great Britain, where the conditions of life are generally easy, the birth rate maintains a fairly high position, and this is because British matrons consider it to be their duty to raise families. The perpetuation of the family is a part of the British instinct. In education along this line, Ontario will find the solution of what must be admitted to be a very serious problem

Can Do Without Them.

[Toronto Saturday Night.] If German goods are a little cheaper than British goods, they are a good deal poorer; and as the majority of A MOUNTAIN-CLIMBING KNIGHT. Canadians have a higher idea of the importance of this country than appears to be possessed by the Mail and Cordilleras—a peak the summit of Empire, they would no doubt forego which is 22,500 feet above the sea

The Liberals expressed a great many the Tuxury of using stuff "made in candals when in Copposition, and are decaded to continue the good work it is

Wooden Wit. [Hamilton Herald.] correspondent writes to ask why London is called the Forest City. Perhaps because it is a wooden sort of

LIGHT AND SHADE.

Sounds Better.

"Dah's a heap o' callin' fings by dah wrong names in dis worl'," said Uncle Eben. "Lots o' folks call 'plain laziness' 'takin' care o' dah health.' Washington Star.

Conceit. A little dog barked at the big, round

moon That smiled in the evening sky, And the neighbors smote him with rocks and shoon; But still he continued his rageful tune, And he barked until his throat was

The little dog bounced like a rubber

For his anger quite drove him wild; And he said, "I'm a terror, although I am small, And I dare you, you impudent fellow, to fall,"

But the moon only smiled and smiled. speech-they are merely pleasantries Then the little dog barked at a terrible

But he challenged the moon in vain, For as calmly and slow as workings of fate,

The moon moved along in a manner se-And smiled at the dog in disdain. But soon 'neath a hill that obstructed

the west The moon sank out of his sight, And it smiled as it slowly dropped under the crest. But the little dog said, as he lay down

"Well, I scared it away, all right."

Stop There.

We should be careful to get out of an experience only the wisdom that is in it-and stop there-lest we be like the cat that sits down on a hot stovelid. She will never sit down on a hot stove-lid again-and that is well; but also she will never sit down on a cold one any more.

His Answer.

Smartly Dressed Young Lady-Oh, you wicked boy, how could you rob that nest? No doubt the poor mother is now grieving for the loss of her eggs. Urchin-Oh, she doesn't care. She's up in your hat .- Boston Globe.

An Alarming Symptom. Jack De Broke-Doctor, I desire to put myself under your treatment. The

fact is, I am losing my nerve. Doctor-What are the indications? Jack De Broke-Well, for one thing, I have begun to dread asking my friends for loans.—San Francisco Examiner.

NEWS ABOUT

An Interesting Budget of Gossip From Old London

The Presentation of a Sword to the Sirdar.

A Great Honor-A Freak in Paris-A Mountain Climbing Knight-Salisbury Busy Abroad - A Royal Romance.

London, Oct. 4.-Few city ceremoials in the coming year will be more genuinely attractive to the London public than the announced presentation of the city freedom with a sword In the old days this distinction was conferred on Nelson and Wellington. and other contemporary heroes, and more recently on Sir Garnet Wolseley, Sir Frederick Roberts, and Sir Beauchamp Seymour, all afterwards raised to the peerage. It is the highest mark of appreciation of "the great city" for gallant and patriotic service, and is never bestowed save in cases of very

exceptional merit. STRANGE THINGS IN PARIS. Strange things occur in Paris. correspondent relates an incident which caused some amusing effervescence in the Rue de Richelieu. As one of the Clichy and Odeon omnibuses approached the boulevard a strange looking man seated on the outside jumped up, swinging a lasso, which he threw with great dexterity round the neck of a lady in the street, who was dragged along after the vehicle. She was happily soon rescued. The lunatic, when arrested, imagined that he was in South America and that he had successfully lassoed a crocodile. He was, of course,

placed under restraint. BISMARCK NOT LIBERAL According to a Berlin correspondent of a leading Belgian paper, Prince Bismarck, who has died so rich, was far from being a liberal man. His name was never seen on the list of charitable donations, and now his old valet, Pinnow, has come to Berlin to seek a situation, as the £250 left him by the prince cannot support him. It is said that Dr. Schweninger refused his fees, but such a patient probably brought him thousands.

MAJOR ANDRE'S TOME. Roses were laid on the tomb of Major Andre in Westminster Abbey on Wednesday, with a card, on which was inscribed: "From Mrs. Curran, nee Beatrice Benedict Arnold, of Chicago, a descendant of General Benedict Arn-

old, who detests the memory of her ancestor, but reveres that of the man whose death he encompassed, Major Andre. This is a token of her loving respect." Arnold, it will be remembered, had turned traitor to Washington, and was trying to secure West Point for the British, and in a culpably careless manner had sent Major Andre on a secret expedition. The major, in civilian dress, was returning, when he was seized by the Americans and certainly believe it saved my life. hanged as a spy in October, 1780. His was with reluctance that I consented remains were exhumed and brought to to a trial, as I was reduced to such a

Westminster Abbey in 1820. Sir W. M. Conway's latest tchievement is to ascend the Yllimani, in the

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level. It took five days "from the highest point of civilization." On the fourth day, as the party were in the middle of a difficult cliff, the Indian followers bolted. The last hour the party suf-fered from great weakness, though there was no actual illness. The view from the summit is described as "astounding." Sir Martin's next attack is to be made on the highest peak in the Cordilleras, and perhaps in South America—Ylliampa. Later on his inten-tion is to take the railway to Antofagasta, which will bring him down through strange scenery and wild defiles to the level of the sea. Then by ocean boat to Valparaiso, whence the

nos Ayres. A JOKE ON ARISTOCRATS. The Earl and Countess of Halsbury had a singular experience in Tralee

party will cross the centinent to Bue-

Ireland. At Killorglin-the heart of Captain Moonlight's country in the old Land League days-he and his traveling party were startled by a series of loud explosions at the station. It was ascertained that these were caused by fog signals, and the distinguished party were reassured by the statement of some one who had kissed the Blarney Stone that the salvos had been fired by way of welcome to them. pleasing illusion was, however, immediately destroyed by the receipt of a telegram further down the line from a polite and painstaking official, who explained that the fog signals were exploded in honor of a popular railway porter who was starting on his honeymoon, and expressed the hope that his lordship and the ladies had not been in any way alarmed or annoyed.

LORD SALISBURY ABROAD. Owing to the continuance of the fine weather Lord Salisbury is prolonging his stay at Munster in Alsace. He often drives with the Marchioness in the forest, their son and daughter following on their bicycles, their daughter and her husband on their tandem. Lord Salisbury has his secretaries with him, and receives and sends so many telegrams that the postoffice at Munster has at last resolved to establish a Morse apparatus, with an extra official in the hotel on the Altenberg, where the premier and his family are staying.

PRESIDENT FAURE'S LUXURIES. President Faure has special saloon carriages for railway traveling, and gala landaus for town and country, but he has no yacht. No vessel of the sort has been set apart for a chief of the state since the days of Napoleon III., and his Empress, and all M. Faure's predecessors since Thiers have been obliged to use warships for their official or pleasure trips on the water. It of honor to the sirdar when he returns. Is now affirmed that one of the cruisers about to be disarmed will be fitted up as a presidential yacht for the future cruises which M. Faure may be inclined to make during his summer

sojourns at Havre. A ROYAL ROMANCE. Not often is there any romance in royal circles, but cupid has been causing a flutter in several EuropeanCourts by prompting the morganatic marriage of Princess Sybil of Heese, sister of the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel, who is first cousin of the Princess of Wales and of the Duchess of Connaught, her serene highness being a niece of the queen of Denmark and of the late Prince Frederick Charles of Prussia. Prince Sybil's sister is the hereditary princess of Anhalt-Dessau, and her younger brother is married to Princess Margaret of Prussia, sister of the Emperor William. Princess Sybil, who has a fortune of 100,000fr. a year, was married at Frankfort to Baron Alexander von Becke. The princess has always been a great favorite with the royal family of Denmark, and at one time there was much talk at Copenhagen of her marrying the Emperor Nicholas, who was then

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A MECHANICAL ANSWER. Judge-And what did the prisoner say when you told him that you would have him arrested?

Complainant - He answered mechanically, yer honor. Judge-Explain. Complainant-He hit me on the head with a hammer.

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I

state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good. Cole's Cut Rate Store for big bargains for ten days. Don't miss this

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THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks. Toronto, Oct. 4.-Following are today's

closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial Exchange.				
	Asked.	Bid.		
Hammond Reef	20	15%		
Olive	70	67		
Sawbill	50			
Minnehaha	16			
Carlooo Hydraulic	125	1975		
Tin Horn	15	15 10		
Smuggler	18	15		
winchester	14	12		
Golden Cache	30	- 10 mg 10		
Dundee	45			
Athabasca	33	291/2		
Dardanelles	6			
Fern Gold M. & M. Co				
Balmo Con	15			
Noble Five	18			
St. Keverne,	5			
Two Friends	14			
Channel	19			
Van Anda	5	31/2		
Alberta	6	41/2		
Big Three	10%	9		
Commander	14	18		
Deer Park	191/2	10		
Evening Star	6	1		
Giant	8	11/4		
Good Hope		172		
Grand Prize		71/		
Iron Colt	90	.72		
Iron Mask		C. 2454		
Keystone	10	OV.		
Monte Cristo		-/-		
Mascot				
Northern Belle	3	21/2		
Novelty				
St. Paul	61/4			
Silver Bell	21/2	1		
St. Elmo	6	1		
Viginia	70	1		
Victory-Triumph	10			
Mar Eagle Con	295			
White Bear	8	61/2		
B. C. Gold Fields		31/2		
Can. G. F. S	9			
Gold Hills	10			
Great Northern	35			
Sales-White Bear, 5,000, 50	Oat 634. 2,00	00at 71/2;		

Olive, 800 at 68; Van Anda, 500 at 1; Grand Prize, 2,000 at 4½; Giant, 1,000 at 7; Silver Bell, 500 at 1½.

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Local Market.

London, Wednesday, Oct. 5 Wheat, white fall, per bu....63c to 66c Wheat, red fall, per bu.....63c to 66c Wheat, spring, per bu......63c to 66c Oats, per bu23%c to 25%c Barley, per bu36c to 381/2c

WEEKLY REPORT. This week has witnessed only a few changes in values. Receipts were moderately good and consisted chiefly of oats and wheat in the grain lines; potatoes, squash, cauliflower, cabbage and tomatoes in vegetables; apples and peaches in fruits. The general demand

being dull sales of cabbage, young pigs and poultry. The following list of prices was revised today and shows the latest valwes for the principal commodities offered in this market:

GRAIN

was good, about the only exceptions

GRAIN			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 ibs 1	05	@	1 10
Wheat, red, fall,per 100 lbs 1	05	@	1 10
Wheat, spring, per 100 los 1	05	0	1 10
Oats, per 100 lbs	70	0	73
Peas, per 100 lbs	80	@	90
Corn, per 100 lbs		(0)	
Barley, per 100 lbs	70	(0)	85
Rye, per 100 lbs	80	0	85
Beans, per bu		æ	
PROVISIONS.			
	0	@	12
Honey, comb	9 7	@	10
Honey, extracted	8	(0)	10
Cheese, per lb, wholesale	15	(0)	15
Fggs, single dozen	14	@	14
Eggs fresh, basket, dozen	10		12
Eggs, per dozen. basket, p'kd.		@	13
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	12 18	@	20
Butter, per lb, retail	17	@	18
Butter, pound rolls, baskets			17
Butter, ib, large rolls or crocks	15	@	14
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins.	10	@	10
Lard, per lb	9	@	60
Chickens, per pair	40	@	
Ducks, per pair	50	@	75
Turkeys, per lb	10	@	12
LIVE STOCK.			
Young pigs, per pair	3 00	@	4 50
Cows, each	0 00	@	40 00
Beet, per lb	21/2	@	4
Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25	@	4 35
Squashes, per doz	30	(c	1 50

Chickens, per pair	40	Œ	00
Ducks, per pair	50	@	75
Turkeys, per lb	10	@	12
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Beet, per lb	21/2		4
Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25	Q	4 35
Squashes, per doz	30	æ	1 50
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs		(0)	3 75
Sows, per 100	3 50	a	3 50
Ducks, per pair	60	a	80
Chickens, per pair	25	@	40
Hens, per pair	40	(00	50
HAY AND SEE		-	100
	5 50	@	7 00
Straw per load	2 50	(0)	2 50
VEGETABLES AND	FRU	JIT.	
Pumpkins, per doz	50	@	1 00
Peaches, per basket	50	0	90
Peaches, per bu		a	3 75
Potatoes, per bag	50	6	70
Apples, per bag	25	@	50
Apples, per basket		a	20
Apples, per barrel		(0)	1 00
Pears, per bu	40	(0)	1 00
Beets, per dozen bunches	20	@	20
Onions, per bu	90	(0)	90
Celery, per doz bunches		(0)	50
Grapes, basket		@	25
Grapes, per lb		1/2 @	2
Melons, musk, per doz	25	@	1 00
Squashes, per doz	30	(c	50
Radishes, per dozen bunches	20	@	20
Tomatoes, per bu		(9	50
Turnips, per bag		@	25
MEAT, HIDES,			erita p
Boof. quarters, per lb	4	1/2 @	5
Mutton, quarters, par lb			6
Veal, quarters, per lb		4 @	5
Lamb, quarter			10
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light			6 00
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, heavy			6 50
Hides. No. 1, per lb			8
Hides, No. 2, per lb			7
Hides, No. 3, per lb			6
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American Markets.

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CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Oct., 65½c; Dec., 61½c; May, 63½c to 63½c. Corn—Oct., 29½c; Dec., 29½c to 29½c; May, 31½c to 31¾c. Oats—Oct., 21½c te 21½c; May, 22½c. Mess pork—Oct., 87 65; Dec., \$7 80; Jan., \$8 87½. Lard—Oct., \$4 67½; Dec., \$4 62½; Jan., \$4 72½. Short ribs—Oct., \$5 22½; Jan., \$4 57½. Cash quotations: Flour, easier; 15c concessions granted. No. 2 spring wheat, 59c to 59½c; No. 2 red, 62½ to 62½c. No. 2 corn, 29½c to 29½c. No. 2 value to 22c; No. 2 white, 23½c; No. 3 white, 23½c to 24c. No. 2 red, \$4 62 No. 2 value, 25 No. 2 barley, f.o.b., 31c to 33½c. No. 1 flaxseed, 89c to 89½c. Prime timothy seed, \$2 30 to \$2 32. Mess pork, \$7 80 to \$7 85. Lard, \$4 65 to \$4 70. Short ribs, \$5 10 to \$5 30. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$5 35 to \$5 40. Sugar, cutloaf, \$5 77; granulated, \$5 39. Eggs, firm: fresh, 14c. ranulated, \$5 39. Eggs, firm; fresh, 14c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 17,000 barrels; wheat, 18,000 bushels; corn, 777,000 bushels; cats, 11,000 bushels; rye, 43,000 bushels; barley, SHIPMENTS—Flour, 12,000 barrels: wheat, 73,000 bushels; corn, 484,000 bushels; cats, 174,000 bushels; rye, \$7,000 bushels; barrey, 287,000 bushels.

AVAILABLE SUPPLIES. New York, Oct. 4.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreets Indicate the following change in available supplies last Saturday, as com-pared with the previous Saturday: Wheat—United States and Canada east of the Rockies, increase, 2,965,000 bushels. Liverpool Corn Trade News reports afloat for and in Europe, 7,-

165,000 bushels. Corn-United States and Canada east of the Rockies, increase 260,000 bushels. Among the more important increases is that of 520,000 bushels at the Manitoba and Ontario storage points.

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa.. Oct. 5 .- Oil opened \$1 07. PITTSBURG, Oct. 4.-Oil closed at \$1 07. PETROLIA, Oct. 5.-Oil opened and clos

St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, Oct. 4 .- Wheat, old and new, per bu, 65c; oats, 25c; peas, 50c; barley, 38c to 40c; corn, 40c to 45c; beans,

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous worket days. In the case of wheat highest

	Sept. 30.		Oct.		Oct.		Oct.	
WHEAT-		0		11/	-	0	5	11
Red Winter	6	2	6	11/2	6	3 2	6	i
No. 1 Nor. Spring		31/2		2	6	516	6	5
No. 1 Cal	6	6	6	51/2		0	0	0
Sept	0		0	0	0 5		5	5
Dec	5	578	5	55/8		51/8	5	
March	5	03/8	5	53/8	5	4 1/8	9	41/4
CORN-				01/				01/
New	3	31/4	3	31/4	3	3	3	31/2
Sept	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct	3	3	3	31/8	3	31/8	3	31/2
Nov	0	0	3 3	33/4	3	378	3	4
Dec	3	31/8		4	3	33/4	3	41/4
Flour	20	0	20	0	20	0	19	9
Peas	5	2	5	2	5	2	5	2
Pork	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0
Lard	25	9	25	9	25	6	25	6
Tallow	20	0	20	0	20	0	20	0
Bacon, light	199	6	29	6	29	0	29	6
Cheese, white	41	0	42	0	42	6	42	0
Cheese, colored	142	0	42	0	42	0	42	0

Wheat-Spot dull; No. 1 Cal., 6s 4d to 6 No. 1 red nor. spring (new crop), 6s 1d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 1ld. Corn—Spot. firm; American mixed, new, 3s 3½d; do, old. nominal; Sept., quiet, 3s 3½d Oct., quiet 3s 4d. Pezs—Cenadian. 5s 2d½.

Peas—Canadian. 5s 2d½. Beel—Extra India mess, 65s; prime mess, Beet—Extra India mess, cos; prime mess, 42s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 23 to 30 lbs, firm, 27s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 30s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 30s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, 30s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, firm, 32s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 29s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 27s 6d.

Hans—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 33s.

Lard—Prime western, 25s 3d.

Hans—Snort cut, 14 to 16 168, dun, 558. Lard—Prime western, 258 3d. Butter—Finest United States, 948; good, 68s. Cheese—American, finest white (Aug.), 42s; do, colored (Aug.), 42s. Tallow—Prime city, 20s.

Turpentine spirits—22s 6d. Rosin—Common, 4s 3d. Petroleum—Refined, 6¼ d. Linseed oil—18s 6d. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 15s 9d. Dairy Markets.

INGERSOLL, Ont., Oct. 4 .- Offerings today, 1,745 boxes; no sales; 8%c the highest bid; small attendance; market

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.-Butter firm; western creamery,15½e to 20½c; do factory, 11½e to 14¼e; Elgins, 20½c; imitation creamery, 13c to 17c; state dairy, 14c to 19c; do creamery, 15c to 20c. Cheese steady; large white, 8½c to 8½c; small white, 8% c to 9c; large colored, 81/4c to 81/2c; small colored, 83/4c to 9c; light skims, 61/2c to 7c; part skims, 51/2c to 6c; full skims, 21/2c to 31/2c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—Butter steady; creameries, 14c to 19½c dairies, 12c to 17c. Cheese steady at 7½c to 9c. BELLEVILLE, Oct. 4 .- Twelve factories offered 570 white and 50 colored September cheese here today; no bids;

MADOC, Ont., Oct. 4 .- 1,270 boxes of September cheese boarded; 9c bid; no sa'es.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO. N. Y., Oct. 4 .-Cattle-There were no fresh cattle, but some left over, which were sold at a shade under yesterday's prices. Sheep and lambs-The offerings were lightonly 9 loads; there was a good demand and stronger prices; choice to extra lambs were quotable at \$5 50 to \$5 65 good to choice, \$5 25 to \$5 50; sheep choice to extra, \$4 50 to \$4 75; good to choice, \$4 25 to \$4 50; Canada lambs sold a little stronger, and were quotable at \$5 15 to \$5 50. Hogs-Trade was slow, with not more favorable prospects than for the last few days; corn Yorkers were quotable at \$4 to \$4 05; medium, \$4 to \$4 05; pigs, \$3 50 to \$3 55; Michigan hogs, \$3 95; at the close there were 10 to 12 loads unsold, and prices were weak; the total loss of hogs by the heat on Monday was 1,200, which possibly weakened the other trade today.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 4.-There were 50 loads of cattle boarded when the market opened this morning, and with the stock that was left over from last week, and the late arrivals, there was a good run. There was the usual attendance of buyers, and the offerings being of a fair quality, business was brisk. Prices in all lines showed no material change. Advices from the old country report an easier market for American, and shippers were not disposed to give the prices asked. Picked lots of exporters sold at from \$4 to \$4 30 per cwt. Export bulls are quoted at from \$3 25 to \$3 75 per cwt. There was a good demand for butchers' cat tle, and some really good animals sold at 4c per pound. Several drovers were asking 10c per cwt. more. Medium butchers' were quoted at from \$3 50 to was steady; dealers are quoting from \$3 25 to \$3 50 per cwt. The receipts in the small meat market were heavy, and prices have an easier tendency. are quoted at from \$2 75 to \$3 50 pe cwt., and spring lambs at from \$2 75 to \$3 per head. Calves are quoted at from \$3 to \$6 per head. There was the usual run of hogs, with prices easier. The best of selections were quoted from \$4 40 to \$4 50 per cwt; light hogs, \$4 15; thick fat at \$4 25 per cwt, and sows at \$3 to \$3 25 per cwt.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Beeves—Receipts, 461; no trade of importance; feeling steady; cables steady; exports, 656 cattle and 2,680 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 1,700 quarters. Calves—Receipts, 6; dull; yeals, \$4 to \$7 60: no westerns; grassers and fed calves, \$3 settle in a peaceful and statesmanlike to \$4. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 1,-902: sheep quiet; lambs slow, but prime stock firm; sheep, \$3 to \$4 35; lambs, \$5 to \$5 90; one car choice, \$6 10. Hogs-Receipts, 1,980; slow, at \$4 to

CHICAGO, Oct. 4 .- Business in cattle today was of the usual Tuesday character, the general demand being quite moderate at Monday's late figures; prime cattle, \$5 60 to \$5 80; good to choice corn-fed, \$5 15 to \$5 55; rangers, \$35 to \$47; choice range ers. \$4 40 to \$4 50; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 75; good to prime calves, \$6 to \$7 15. Hogs—Extreme range, \$3 75 to \$4, the bulk selling at \$3 70 to \$3 80; pigs, \$3 40. Fancy native lambs, common lambs as low as \$3 75; western range lambs, \$4 50 to \$5 50; feeding lambs, \$4 50 to \$5; yearlings, \$4 30 to \$4 75. For sheep the ruling prices to \$4 75. were \$2 50 to \$3 60; and \$2 50 to \$4 50 rangers, with feeding sheep selling at \$3 60 to \$4. Receipts-Cattle, 4,000; hogs, 24,000; sheep, 19,000.

Life Insurance for 50 cents. Anyone wishing to insure themselves against heart, stomach, kidney or liver troubles, can do so by taking Merrill's System Tonic. This wonderful medicine combines the blood-building properties of iron with the blood-purifying and nerve-toning powers found in herbs-skillfully compounded by a reliable druggist. Fifty doses for 50c. Sold at W. T. Strong & Co.'s pharmacy.

A Great Anglo-American Feast at Quebec.

Splendid Reception of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

"God Save the Queen" and "Yankee Doodle"-Senator Fairbanks' Gracious Remarks.

Quebec, Oct. 5.—The lights of Anglo-American brotherhood are trimmed and burning brightly on this city set on a hill, so that all the world may see them. The significance of yesterday's recep-tion in the citadel of Quebec to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts can scarcely be over-

A SIGNIFICANT SPECTACLE. The warships of both nations lay side by side in the St. Lawrence, the flags of both people flew from every point of vantage, the French-Canadian students sang "Yankee Doodle," and sang it the more heartily because Major Duches-ney, the captain of the Ancients, is a French-Canadian. The commissioners of the two nations who are now engaged in drafting a treaty that will, it is confidently hoped, end forever friction of a serious nature between England in Europe and England in America, adjourned their proceedings for the purpose of being present. The speeches of Lord Aberdeen, Major-General Hutton and Major Duchesney breathed sentiments of the utmos goodwill, and a culmination of the feeling of fellowship came when the British soldiers swung their helmets in the air and gave three cheers for the president of the United States, and the Americans, swinging their helmets in turn, gave three and a tiger for Queen Victoria.

THE STUDENTS SERENADE. At 10 o'clock the students of Laval University marched up to the Dufferin Terrace and serenaded the visitors with such national airs as the "Marseillaise," "Vive le Canadienne," "O, Canada." A scene of extraordinary enthuslasm occurred when the Ancients, in acknowledgment of the courtesy, lined up, and, led by Col. Supplee, of Baltimore, sang "The "Star-Spangled Banner," and a verse each of "God Save the Queen" and "My Country, 'Tis of Thee.' with which the national anthems of both countries were greeted must have been heard all over Quebec, and on the warships out in the stream flying the flags of the two powers.

At the close of the students' entertainment, which closed with the singing of "For They Are Jolly Good Felthe band of the Ancients took up the parable by playing a variation of the national anthems of Britain and

MAJOR-GENERAL HUTTON.

At 10:45 the company paraded in full uniform, and, headed by their band, marched to the citadel, where they formed up in review order for inspec-tion by Major-Gen. Hutton. At the close of the inspection Gen. Hutton fermally welcomed the company, and Major Duchesney, the commander, replied. At the close of Major Duchesney's remarks, Gen. Hutton gave an order, and the British artillerymen raised their helmets, and, whirling them around their heads, gave three cheers for the president of the United States. The Ancients in turn swung ity of all the constituencies repretheir helmets, and gave three, with an added tiger, for Queen Victoria. The old Bunker Hill gun on the parade ground, around which the ancestors of the cheering British and Americans fought a century and a quarter ago, blinked approvingly in the sunshine. The viceregal party and the invited guests retired, and the Ancients spent an hour viewing the citadel, after which they marched down to their quarters, headed by the bands of the Eighth Rifles and Ninth Voltigeurs, of

THE LUNCHEON. Subsequently their excellencies en-tertained the international commissioners and their ladies and the officers of the visiting corps to funcheon in the vice-regal residence. The repast was laid in the large reception room, about 100 guests being present. After the health of the Queen and the president of the United States had been drunk, his excellency proposed the toast of the Ancient and Honorable

Artillery Company. THE BANQUET.

The banquet of the Ancients at the Frontenac was made the occasion of another great international gathering. The banquet hall of the Frontenac was decorated with the banners of the Ancients, and the flags of the United \$3 75 per cwt. The market for stockers | States and Great Britain. Places were laid for over 400 persons, including some 75 guests. Major Duchesney had including on his right the governor-general, on his teft Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

The toast of "The President of the United States" was replied to by Senator Fairbanks, with great eloquence. After speaking of United States presidents, he added words of the highest compliment to Lord Aberdeen, for, he said, "you would almost take him for an American." Of Sir Wilfrid Laurier also he spoke in warm praise as the James G. Blaine of Canada, In closing, the senator said there were before him the representatives of two great nations, the two greatest nations of the world today, whose representatives were now engaged in Quebec trying to way questions of an international character. A few weeks ago the people of the U.S. had been settling questions at the south in another way, but he liked this way best. (Cheers.) When the United States resolved that the only alternative to the condition of affairs in Cuba was war, there was ser-ious apprehension throughout the world, and but little sympathy was expressed in any quarter save one. He knew, his hearers knew, the people of the United States knew, that there was one great power whose prayers for the triumph of the Stars and Stripes -(cheers)-and that power was the Kingdom of Great Britain. The people

that sympathy. (Prolonged cheers.) Lord Aberdeen and Sir Wilfrid Laurfer also spoke eloquently. A DINNER PILL. - Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a son to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correc-tives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indiges-

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20c-Bleached Sheeting, very fine quality, would be cheap at 25c. IT'S BARGAIN WEEK IN A STAPLE SECTION.

Resolutions of the Executive Relative to the Compaign.

Toronto, Oct. 5.-The first meeting of the executive of the Dominion Alliance since the recent plebiscit was held in the office of Mr. F. S. Spence, Confederation building, yesterday afternoon, when it was unanimously resolved to ask the government to enact legislation in response to the expressed will of the people. The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one, and the utmost harmony prevailed. The chair was occupied by the president, Dr. J. J. Maclaren, and representatives were present from London, Hamilton, Galt, Montreal, etc. Among these were: Rev. Dr. Potts, Hon. Senator Vidal, Messrs. N. W. Rowell, J. A. Paterson, Frederick W. Watkins, Rev. Dr. Courtice, M. Auger, George Spence, J. H. Carson, W. H. Orr, Geo. H. Lees, Dr. E. J. T. Fisher, H. Moyle, F. Buchanan, S. H. Graham, J R. Cavers, Rev. B. H. Spence, Mrs. A. G. Rutherford, Mrs. May R. Thornley, Mrs. Moffatt. The following resolutions were adopt-

ed by unanimous vote: Resolved that this meeting of the Dominion Alliance executive committee desires to express its satisfaction at the victory achieved on Sept. 29, in the recording of so substantial a majority in favor of the total prohibition of the sented in parliament, and seven out of the eight provinces of the Domin-

"That this meeting desires to acknowledge with great pleasure the many congratulations received in view of the victory, manifesting, as they do, the wide-spread interest taken in the recent campaign, and the satisfac-tion with which the friends of moral reform in different countries, hail the fact that the people of the Dominion of Canada are resolved to rid their country of the wrong and shame of legislation sustaining the liquor traf-

"That the secretary be instructed to write immediately to the different provincial campaign committees urging them all to perfect and make peranent their provincial and local organizations, so as to unite the prohibitionists in wise and earnest work, following up the advantage that has been gained, until a law of total prohibition is thoroughly enforced in every part of Canada,

to make arrangements for a deputation representing the prohibitionists of the Dominion to wait upon the government as soon as practicable after full returns are received, to call attention to the majority recorded in favor of prohibition, and ask for the speedy em-bodiment of the will of the people in definite and effective legislation.

"That this executive committee desires to place on record its high appreciation of the loyalty, earnestness and ability of the workers in the different provinces who so harmoniously and effectively united to secure the expression of public opinion in favor of prohibition, that has been so generally and unmistakatly made."

Subsequently a meeting of the executive of the Ontario branch of the Alliance was held, at which the following resolutions were adopted: That the secretary be instructed to

write immediately to the campaign committee of every county in the province of Ontario, urging the perfecting of organization, the election of permanent officers, and the laying of such wise plans as will place the prohibi-tion electors of this province in a strong position to follow up the advantage which they have won in the majority recorded on Sept. 29, in favor beverages.

"That an appeal be made to all county organizations to contribute to the central campaign fund, so as to enable the executive to promptly meet all liabilities, and be prepared for pressing on the campaign which has been inaugurated under such encour-aging conditions."

MRS. HOOPER ESCAPED

Because She Used Doda's Kidney Pills and So Cured Female Weakness.

Norwich, Oct. 3 .- Mrs. J. S. Hooper. wife of Mr. J. Stanley Hooper, of North Norwich township, is a living proof of the unapproached value of Dodd's Kidney Pills, in the treatment of diseases

Mrs. Hooper was a martyr to Female Weakness and Kidney Disease for 12 years. Norwich, Detroit and Buffalo physicians treated her unavailingly. She then tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. Four boxes cured her thoroughly, and made her as healthy, strong and vigorous as she ever was. Dodd's Kidney Pills ere women's best friends.

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We beg to announce that we have opened a LADIES' TAILORING DE PARTMENT, and we are making a specialty of Ladies' Tailor-Made Cos tumes. In connection with this we wish to say that our Mr. A. Tillman has just returned from New York and Eastern cities, where he has made this department his special study. Our stock of Suitings he has selected with great care from the assortments of the leaders in fashionable costuming in

MIDDLESEX MATTERS ton and other distinguished statesmen, are expected to attend the celebration

England and America.

Annual Show of the London Township Agricultural Society-1,200 People Present.

Mrs. Cunningham, of Toronto, is visiting friends in Biddulph. Mr. John Gilson shipped a car of export cattle on Monday from Thorndale. Mr. J. B. Stewart and Dr. Hossac, of Lucan, are on the sick list this week. Rev. E. Kershaw and daughter Nel-

lie spent Sunday with friends in Thorndale. Mr. Reid, of Lucan, has shipped 4,000 barrels of apples this fall. Apples must be a good crop this year. Mr. Sam Grigg preached in St.

George's Church, Thorndale, on Sun-

day, morning and evening, and Grace Church in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Stanley, of Lucan, have just returned from an extended trip to the Western States, stopping several days with friends in Chicago, and having a good time gen-

erally. On Sunday last as Mr. and Mrs. John Brodie, and Mies Lottie Brodie, of Mapleton, were on their way to Belmont Church, driving a horse and buggy, when a little way north of Mapleton the horse shied to one side, upsetting the buggy, and the occupants were thrown into the ditch. They all very fortunately escaped any serious injury, however, and but slight damage was done to the rig and har-

The annual show of the London Township Agricultural Society was held on Friday. About 1,200 people were in attendance, and spent a very enjoyable day. The only thing that marred the day's pleasure was the heavy downpour of rain which started at 4:30 and continued for an hour, making the track very heavy. However, the farmers trot was run off, nedy; Miss A. Walker, second

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Centenary Methodist Church, Hamilton, has voted in favor of the individual cups at communion services. After a shut-down of several weeks mills at Lawrence, Mass., employing 4,500 hands, have resumed operations. American authorities at Manila have invited school teachers to reopen their schools, closed since the surrender of

The Rio de Janeiro which has on board about 600 sick soldiers from Manila, is expected to arrive at 'Frisco about the 20th inst.

The large barn and hot house on the Grange-Corbett fruit farm, just outside Port Dalhousie, was totally destroyed by fire on Tuesday.

It is thought the Rev. Mr. McCaug-"That the chairman and secretary of han, of Toronto (who succeeded Rev. this executive committee be instructed D. J. Macdonnell) Presbyterian, will accept the call to Chicago.

The Observatory report shows the "mean"—very mean!—temperature in Ontario during September, to have been the highest average in 57 years. At Montreal, on Tuesday, Judge Des-

noyers sentenced six young roughs who admitted having robbed 22 houses and stores, to seven years each in the penitentiary. Conductor William Jepson, who was fatally mangled at Merritton Tuesday, was a St. Catharines man, and was very well known and much liked on

A fleet of 35 large upper lake vessels and five steamers is going to engage in the ocean trade. The cost to take them down through the canals is estimated at about \$50,000.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Clifford Sif-

Without Money and Without Price DR. CHASE Offers Free Treatment to Anyone Who Cannot Afford to Pay for Medicine.

During his half-century of practice medicine, Dr. Chase never charged for his services where the patient could not afford to pay. He was known as "the poor man's friend," and besides of the total prohibition throughout the Dominion of the traffic in intoxicating very liberally to charitable institu-The manufacturers of Dr. Chase's

family remedies, following the example of the Grand Old Doctor, offer free treatment to any who are unable to pay for same. The only condition is presented that a certificate be from some minister showing the patient to be worthy this benevolence

The record of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, Oinment, Catarrh Cure, and Symp of Linseed and Turpentine has been unparalleled in the history of medicine. The cures performed are frequently more like miracles. That these celebrated remedies are offered to the needy without money and with-out price is due to the noble example set by the celebrated old doctor, who has won the praies and gratitule of this great American continent. For free treatment apply to Edmanson, Bates & Co., 45 Lombard street, To-

Dr. Chase's New Receipt Book, cloth bound, 500 pages, regular price \$1, sent to any address in Canada on receipt of 50 cents and this coupon. Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto

are expected to attend the celebration of British and Canadian day at Omaha Exposition, Oct. 15.

There are 34 glass plants in the United States, and options have been secured on 26. The trust is to be formed on the plan of the wire nail trust. At San Francisco the new torpedo boat destroyer Farragut, on trial trips

broke the starboard engine and will be disabled for three weeks. Irving M. Scott, president of the Union Iron Works of San Francisco, says in reference to the alleged gigantic combination of warship building in-

made 24, 28 and 30 knots speed, but

terests. "The proposition is absurd on the face of it." The steamer Fastnet arrived at Vancouver from the north on Saturday, with half a million in gold on board There was a million on the wharf when the steamer arrived. Yukon naviga-

tion is closed. United States soldiers who returned from Honolulu on the steamer Senator state that drastic measures have been adopted there to enforce discipline. Gen. King has issued an order that any soldier caught foraging will, be courtmartialed and shot.

Samuel Greenwood, president of the Coatesville National Bank of Coatesville. Pa., was on Monday robbed of a valise containing bonds amounting to \$10,000. Greenwood went into a restaurant to lunch, and placed the valise on the floor at his side. Some person managed to substitute a valise identical with the one the bank president carried.

The court of appeal has given judgment in the case of the county of Simcoe against J. L. Burton, Burton was a bondsman for County Treasurer Sandford, of Simcoe, who defaulted for a large amount, and fled. The county sued to recover from Burton to the extent of his bond, and the court reversed the decision, allowing the appeal and holding that Burton le liable.

In an article headed "Prospects of in favor of the total prohibition of the traffic in intoxicating beverages, and is specially gratified to find in favor of time, 2:46. The prize for the best lady gain anything by insisting on the duty of the premier to introduce product of the p hibition. Conservatives, as a rule not believe in prohibition, but if they demand such legislation now their course will be attributed merely to a desire to embarrass the present Do-minion Government."

POLITICAL POINTS

Hon. John Dryden Unanimously Nominated at Whitby.

East Wellington Liberals will meet at Fergus on Oct 10 to choose a candidate.

The Liberal convention at Whitby on Tuesday was well attended and enthusiastic, as were the speeches by Hon. Messrs. Dryden and Davis, Messrs. Stratton and Graham, M.P.P.s. The nomination of Mr. Dryden was unanimous.

tion protest case began on Tuesday at Sarnia before Judges Ferguson and Osler.

The trial of the East Lambton elec-

The Liberals of Toronto have decided to offer a banquet to Premier Hardy, which will be held in the early part of November.

THE DREYFUS CASE.

Paris, Oct. 5 .- It is semi-officially as serted that M. Mansua, the procurator general, has sent a report to the coun of cassation which insures a revision of the Dreyfus case.

LET THE BOILER GET DRY. Reno, Nevada, Oct. 5.—A boiler exploded at the samwill of Laherty & Lee, six miles from Verdi, Nev., which cost two lives. Three persons were seriously injured. The plant was de-stroyed. The explosion was caused by the engineer allowing the boiler to run dry, and attempting to fill it with cold water.

POOR GEORGE MUST PAY.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 5 .- The court of appeals has decided the famous Gould tax case, in which George Gould refused to pay taxes on shares of stock left by his father, on the ground that they were recompense for duties performed, and not a gift. The decision was that the taxes on the shares or interest of George F. Gould is the sum of \$132,784 33, and, as thus modified, affirmed with costs to the appellant comptrollers.

GOLDWIN SMITH ON THE VOTE. New York, Oct. 5.-Prof. Goldwin Smith, Toronto, writes to the New York Sun as follows: Result of plebiscite on prohibition is morally and practically fatal to prohibitive legislation. Prohibitionist organs and organizers admit that their cause has suffered moral defeat and that prohibition is shelved for the present. The great centers and the province of Quebec pronounced by overwhelming ma-jorities against it. No government would venture to coerce them

\$400,000 FOR WOMAN'S HIGHER ED-UCATION.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 5 .- At a meeting today of the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania it was announced that Col. Jos. M. Bennett, the late merchant and philanthropist, had bequeathed to the institution a number of valuable properties valued at over four hundred thousand dollars, to be devoted to the higher education of women.

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SALES-1 p.m.—Merchants', 3 at 179; Dominion, 15 at 25%; Can. Pacific Stock, 25, 25 at 85\$; London and Ontario, 50, 10, 68 at 73, 50, 22 at 74, 50 at 75. Montreal Stock Market.

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Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Oct. 5 .- Wheat is dull and easy at 63c for red and white west, which exporters say is 2c above export basis. Manitoba wheat lower at 78c for No. 1 hard, to arrive, and 79c, immediate shipment, Toronto and west, Flour is dull; cars of straight roller in bbls quoted at \$3 10 west. Millfeed cars of shorts are quoted at \$11 to \$13 and bran at \$8 west. Barley is quiet and easier at 40c to 41c for No. 1 west. Rye steady at 41c to 42c west. Corn easter at 32c asked and 30c bid for Canada yellow west, and 371/2c to for American here. Oats easy at 23c for white west. Peas steady at 50c to 51c west. Eggs steady for choice; fresh gathered, 16c. Butter easier; dairy, choice tubs scarce and firm at 15c to 16c, and 11c to 12c for inferior grades, creamery prints 1c lower at 20c. and 171/2c to 181/2c for packed.

English Markets.

Liverpoot, Oct. 5—Closing.

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Wheat—Spot No. 1 red northern spring.
steady, 6e 2d; No. 2 red western winter. dull,
6s 1½d; No. 1 Cal. 7s 10½d to 7s 11½d; No.
1 cásh, firm. 8s 2½d.

Corn—Spot American mixed new, quiet 3s
3d; futures steady; Sept., nominal. 3s 3½d;
Oct., firm, 3s 3½d; Nov., firm, 3s 4½d; Dec.,
firm, 3s 4½d.

Oct., firm, 3s 3%d; Nov., firm, 3s 4%d; Dec., firm, 3s 4%d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 3s.
Peas—Canadian, 4s 11d.
Pork—Prime mess, fine western, dull, 50s;
do, medium. western, dull, 57s 6d.
Beef—Prime mess, steady, 58s 9d; extra India, mess, dull, 63s 9d do. medium. western, steady, 51s 3d.

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Rosin—Common, steady, 48 3d. Cheese—American finest white, and

Tallow—Prime city, firm, 20s 6d. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, steady. 15s

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 22s 9d. Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, 48

Chicago Exchange

CHICAGO, Oct. 5 Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1,273 Close

Open. High. Lo-7. Wheat-Dec ... Wheat—Dec... 62
May... 63%
Corn—Dec... 29%
May... 31%
Oats—Dec... 21%
May... 22%
Pork—Dec... 7 76
Jan... 8 95
Lard—Dec... 4 65 Lard—Dec.... 4 65 Jan... 4 72 Ribs—Jan... 4 67 Puts—62½. Calls—63.

American Markets. CHICAGO. Oct. 6. — Opening — Wheat, Dec., 62c; May, 63%c. Corn. May, 31%c; Dec., 29%c. Oats, May, 22%c; Dec., 21%c' Pork, Dec., \$7.5. Lard, Jan., \$4.72%; Dec., \$4.62%. Ribs. Oct. \$5.22%; Jan., \$4.57½.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.-Flour-Receipts, 17,681 bbls; sales, 2,700 packages; state and western steadier, but still quiet. Rye flour—Quiet, at \$2 75 to \$3 20, mostly \$2 90 to \$3 10. Wheat— Receipts, 123,950 bu; sales, 200,000 bu; options dull but firmer on small northwest receipts and steady cables; May,

—Dull; state, 48c; No. 2 western, 47c to 48c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Corn—Receipts, 142,450 bu; sales, 20,000 bu; options firm on better cable news and a bullish talk of the coming government report; May, 361-16c to 3611-16c; Dec., 363/c to 36%c. Oats—Receipts, 99,600; options dull; on track, white state, 27c to 34c; on track, white western, 27c to 34c. Butter—Recelpts, 4,901 packages; firm. Cheese—Receipts, 4,741 packages; firm; large white, 8½c to 8¾c; small white, 9c; large colored, 8½c to 8¾c; small colored, 9c. Eggs—Receipts, 7,379 packages; firm. Sugar-Raw dull and nominal; refined dull and easy; crushed, 5½c; powdered, 5½c to 5½c; granulated, 5½c. Coffee—Steady. Hops—Strong; state common to choice, 1897 crop, 11c to 13c; 1898 crop, 16c to 18c; Pacific coast, 1897 crop, 11c to 13; 1898 crop, 16c

to 19c. Lead—Easy; bullion, \$3 80; exchange, \$3 90 to \$3 95. BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 5. - Spring wheat, No. 1 northern, 67½c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 69c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 33½c; No. 3 yellow, 33½c; No. 2 corn, 33½c; No. 3 corn, 32½cr to 33c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 27c to 27½c; No. 3 white, 26c; No. 4 white, 25c, asked on track; No. 2 white, clipped, in

store, 26%c. DETROIT, Oct. 5.—Wheat, No. 1 white, 65½c; No. 2 red, cash, 65½c; Dec., 64%c; May, 66%c.

TOLEDO, Oct. 5.—Wheat, cash, 65%c; Oct., 65%c; Dec., 65%c; May, 66%c. Corn, cash, 30c; Dec., 29%c; May, 32c; Oats, cash, 22c; May, 23c. MILWAUKEE, Oct. 5.-Wheat, cash, 63c; Dec., 621/sc.

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Regarding the Naval Demonstration in Chinese Waters.

Menace to France and Russia and Evidence of Anglo-American Con-

cert-Lucheni Laughed. DUE TO RELIGION. In a signed interview regarding the

recent disturbances near Pekin, Ho Yow, the Chinese consul at San Frantrouble in China is due to religion, to efforts of the missionaries to carry on their work, and the antagonistic relations existing between the Chinese who still cling to their faith of centuries past and those who have adopted the ideas of the Christian religion. I do not think it will result seriously, owing to the fact that there is a lack of co-operation."

A MENACE. Madrid, Oct. 5.—The Imparcial to-day declares that the naval demonstration which is beginning in Chinesa waters is not only a menace to France and Russia, but implies an Anglo-American understanding to prevent the powers from preventing American designs in the Philippine Islands. This fact, the Imparcial adds, will influence the Paris deliberations.

LUCHENI LAUGHED.

Geneva, Oct. 5.-Lucheni appeared again before the judge of the criminal court that his prolonged detention might be authorized. This form must be gone through with weekly, as the Geneva laws forbid the detention of an untried prisoner for more than ten days without new judicial authoriza-

ion. Lucheni's behavior was cynical. He smirked and bowed when his handcuffs were removed, and when the court gave the order remanding him to his cell he burst into loud laughter, shouting: "Yes! See? Tis the Anarchist Lucheni going by!" The judicial inquiry will be finished in another ten days.

WORLD'S WHEAT

Russia's Orop Short-Germany's Full Average-The Surplus Over Here.

Broomhall cables: All Russia is complaining of the wheat yield being a serious disappointment. In the southwestern portion the yield is good, but not a bumper. Germany's imports of breadstuffs during August, 5,256,000 bushels, compared with 2,832,000 bushels during same season last year. [Note.—As this season's wheat crop in Germany is a full average, the large imports afford a clear proof of the exhaustion of stocks.]

According to the returns received by the Chicago Daily Trade Bulletin, within the past three weeks, the wheat crop of the United States for 1898 is estimated at about 650,000,000 bushels. The area is estimated at 26,800,000 acres of winter and 18,400,000 acres of spring. or a grand total of 45,200,000 acres. The aggregate yield of winter wheat is estimated at 353,000,000 bushels, and of spring wheat at 297,000,000 bushels, making a total of 650,000,000 bushels. The average yield of winter wheat is placed at 13.17 bushels, or 82.3 per cent of a full crop. The average yield of spring wheat is about 16.1 bushels, or a full crop. The average yield for the United States is estimated at 14.4 bushels, or 90 per cent of a full crope

IN A BATH TUB!

Drowning of Hon. Wm. M. Strutt. Son

of Lord Belpei, England. St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 5.-Hon. William M. Strutt, aged about 25 years, son of Lord Belper of Kingston, Derby, Eng., and nephew of the Earl of Dunmore, a Scotch peer, who is lord-in-waiting to Queen Victoria, was found dead in the bath-tub in his apartments at the West End Hotel, at 8 a.m. today.

The last seen of the young man was at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. It is 68% to 68%; Dec., 67%c to 68%c. Rye not yet known what caused his death.

ties for the lower lakes region for next 24 hours: Partly fair with local showers; strong northwest winds tonight. Thursday strong northwest winds; cloudy to fair, turning considerably

-John Milne, boathouse proprietor, is seriously ill with typhoid fever. -Miss Gertle Street, city, is attending the Alvinston Fair, being judge of the ladies' department.

-The fire department were called to a blaze in the soap factory at the foot of Adelaide street yesterday. No dam-

-Charles McGowan was yesterday honorably acquitted of the charge of having stolen \$18 for T. S. Wall on Aug. 10.

--Mr. Walter Black, of King street east, left today for Detroit, to pursue his studies in the Dental College in that city. -Today's Toronto Mail and Empire

says: The engagement is announced of Dr. Peters and Miss Meredith, daughter of Hon. Sir William R. Meredith and Lady Meredith. -A Bible class was organized in the

Y. M. C. A. last night, and the following officers chosen: President, W. J. Doherty; secretary, George Miller; treasurer, H. C. Screaton. -Corp. Harry Millie was tried be-fore Judge Edward Elliott this morn-

ing and acquitted of the charge of having stabbel Fred Lyons with a bayonet at the camp grounds here on June 26.

-A happy event took place at the residence of Mr. George McNeill, 201 Mill street, this afternoon, being the wedding of Mr. McNeill's daughter Jennie, and Mr. Robert McIntyre, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. McGillivray, of St. James' Presbyterian Church. DOUBLE WEDDING.

At the Methodist parsonage, Edith street, last night, at 7:30, Rev. John Morrison officiating, Mr. Wm. Middleton was united in marriage to Miss Bertha Blanche Alexander, while Mr. Oliver James Bridle was wedded to Miss Susan Middleton. All the parties belong to London. The many friends of these popular young people join in wishing them bon voyage over the sea

PURSE OF GOLD

D. A. McDermid Held Up by Three Men and Presented With \$100.

Last night the teachers of Dundas Center Methodist Sunday school held their regular meeting, and on that occasion took the opportunity to make Mr. D. A. McDermid, their beloved superintendent, the most surprised man in attendance. The proceedings were just about completed when he was called upon by three members of the executive committee and presented with a purse of gold, amounting to \$100, in \$20 gold pieces. The purse was a handsome one, on which the name of the recipient is embossed in gold letters, and was presented by Mr. Chas. Cowley, on behalf of the teachers. The address was beautifully illuminated, cisco said: "I believe that the recent and was read by Mr. Wm. Yates. It was as follows:

School:

"Dear Brother McDermid,-For some time your co-workers in the Sunday school have felt that it would afford them great pleasure to acknowledge in some way your untiring zeal and devotion to the work of the school. Words are inadequate to convey our feelings, and we therefore ask you to accept the accompanying purse, as a slight token of our friendship and love, hoping that you may long be spared to us and our work. Yours, on behalf of the committee, (Signed) C. J. BEAL, C. E. COW-LEY, WM. YATES."

Mr. McDermid was too much surprised for speech-making, and thank-ed the members warmly for their kind appreciation of his humble efforts. The following were elected delegates to the provincial convention to be held at Peterboro on Oct. 27 and 28: Miss

Cannom, Miss Cross, Mr. C. E. German and Mr. L. W. Noble. The matter of arrangements for the anniversary services, to be held on the first Sunday in November, was left to the executive committee.

GOOD FOR THE G. T. R.

Favorable Press Comment on the Company's Half-Yearly Report.

The London business journals, as a rule, comment most favorably on the half yearly report of the Grand Trunk Railway Company issued yesterday. The Financial Times says it exhibits a healthier condition than for years past, and affords justification for regarding the future with cheerfulness. The Financial News says the report undoubtedly is a very satisfactory showing and that the shareholders must admit that they owe a very heavy debt of gratitude to the manboth predict a future of prosperity for

The Financial Post and Bullionist

CITY HALL NOTES

The 25 new electric lights to be distributed about the city will soon be in position. The fifth ward aldermen have decided on the location of their quota—one to be on Queen's avenue, between English and Ontario streets; another at the corner of King and Glebe streets, the third on Oak street, and the fourth at the Petrolia barrel works on Simcoe street. These will be erected at once, also one at the corner of Nelson and Clarence streets, one at the corner of Elmwood avenue and Wortley road and one at the corner of Wellington and Regent streets.

.. Inspector Sanders the other day sent a ward of the Children's Aid Society on a trip to British Columbia. The child, a little girl, has been adopted by her aunt, and will find a good home at the end of her long journey.

The hospital building committee has been called to meet tonight. What may be done or even attempted is, of course, beyond conjecture.

Quite a number of scarlet fever cases exist in the city at present. Two houses were placarded this morning, Nos. 460 Quebec street and 439 South

Latest Weather Forecast WHAT WILL BE THE RESULT?

Dissatisfaction Among the Older Employes of the Street Railway.

A Change in the Hours of Labor That Reduces Their Pay and Adds to the Wags of More Recent Employes.

There is discontent among the older employes of the London street railway, and just how the difficulty will be solved remains to be seen.

The old employes held a meeting this morning, at which the cause of their discontent was discussed. It is that of hours of labor. On the first of the month a change in hours was effected by which the pay of the older men is lessened and the pay of the more recent employes increased. Previous to the first of October, the oldest of the hands had day runs of ten hours, at 14 and 15 cents an hour, and the vounger employes acted as relief men and substitutes for 71/2 hours, at 12 and 13 cents per hour. The wages of the relief men appeared too small, and the company decided that after Oct. 1 the relief men should take the day runs of ten hours at 12 and 13 cents per hour, and the older or 14 and 15 cents an hour men take the 71/2 hours relief, thus evening the wages up a little better. The discussion this morning ended in nothing and another meeting will be held. The older men say that if the relief men are getting insufficient wages, it is no reason why the wages of the old employes should be reduced by lessening the hours of their labor.

Officials of the street railway this morning said that they had endeavored to settle the difficulty by equalizing the wages paid without increasing the pay roll. The change, they said, was for only two weeks at a time. The relief men would have the ten-hour runs for two weeks, while the older men took the relief. After two weeks the older men took the ten-hour runs, and the relief men would go back to relief. There would be no trouble they thought.

Some of the men, when spoken to this morning, said they hoped to get the matter settled. When asked if there would be a strike, they said they did not know.

WAR ECHOES

The U.S. Lost 2,624 Men in the Brief Struggle.

A Hitch in the Arrangements for Evacuation of Havana.

General Wheeler's Evidence Before the Committee at Wastington.

Washington, Oct. 5.-The mortality statistics which will be submitted by the adjutant-general to the commis-"D. A. McDermid, superintendent of Dundas Center Methodist Sunday sion that is investigating the conduct of the war will show that the death rate has been remarkably small -less than one per cent. The army reached a maximum of 265,000 men. The number of deaths from all causes is 2,624. The most remarkable feature is the small number of men who died from wounds. This is believed to have been due to the antiseptic treatment.

The casualties in battles were: In Porto Rico- Officers. Men. In Manila-Killed Wounded 10 In Cuba-

 Killed
 23

 Wounded
 99

 Deaths from various causes-From wounds received..... 9 From accidents.....

A HITCH.

Havana, Oct. 5.-At the joint session this morning of the United States and Spanish military commissions, Spaniards, according to a report, declared it was impossible to evacuate the island immediately, while the American commissioners insisted that their instructions called for an immediate evacuation. After two hours' conference on the subject the joint commission was unable to reach any definite agreement

BLANCO'S LATEST.

Gen. Blanco's decree directing that the confiscation of cattle in the island be stopped has been warmly commended on all sides, especially by tobacco planters, who at present are the chief sufferers, and all the more so because the Spanish troops in the interior, in spite of the cessation of hostilities, are not enjoying the full blessings of peace, at least as far as food and nourishment go.

WAR INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C., Oct. 5 .- The war investigating commission began taking testimony yesterday, and Major-Gen. Joseph Wheeler was on the stand the greater part of the day. His tes-timony covered the case of the soldiers at the two important points of Santiago and Wikoff. He said with reference to the conduct of affairs at Santiago that there had necessarily been some suffering in the trenches, but that Gen. Shafter had exercised the utmost effort to protect his men. There had been, he said, a shortage of land transportation facilities for a time, and there had been no tents for a week. The roads were very fair.

The entire afternoon session was devoted to the examination of conditions at Camp Wikoff, on Long Island. The general contended that Wikoff was a model camp, the climate a salubrious one, and the accommodations quite exceptional in character. He considered the hospital capacity equal to the demands upon it, and that no military camp in history was ever so well supplied in all respects as was this. Red tape methods were entirely abolished, and the demands of the men were met as soon as they were properly voiced.

MANY SICK. San Francisco, Oct. 5.-At the military division hospital there are now 44 cases of typhoid, and four at the post hospital. The total number of sick in the two hospitals is 403. CUBANS AND SPANIARDS CON-

FLICT. New York, Oct. 5.-A dispatch from Santiago de Cuba says: In consequence of serious disorders, due to the insue

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gents in the vicinity of Manzanillo, Gen. Lawton is dispatching thither the steamer Rein de los Angeles, with one battalion of four companies from the Third Illinois Volunteers, under Col. Ray. Gen. Wood had planned to sail with Gen. Castillo on a mission of organization to coast towns, but now he will probably go with Col. Ray and the first battalion of immunes. He will make an inquiry into the charges against the Cubans, and endeavor to relieve the delicate situation at Manzanillo. The Cubans have plundered the sugar estates, and nave committed such depredations that it became necessary for the planters to appeal to Gen. Lawton for protection. Col. Ray, who has just returned from Guantanamo, where he was in command, reports similar troubles there with the Cuban soldiers.

Fatal Fire in a Dwelling at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

A Mother Saves Four Children and Overlooks the Fifth-The Grandfather Attempts Suicide.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Oct. 5.-Frank Newman, the 5-year-old son of William Newman, a baker, was suffocated in a fire in Newman's dwelling house early this morning.

Mrs. Newman and her five young children, the only occupants of the house, were asleep on the second floor. The rooms were in flames when the woman awoke, and escape by the stairs was cut off. She threw four of the children out of a window, and they were caught by a neighbor, but she overlooked the fifth child, Frank, who

was suffocated in his sleep. Newman's father, an old man of 70 years, who left the house shortly before the fire, and is supposed to have accidentally caused it with a match or lamp, attempted to commit suicide by jumping into the Hudson Riven when he learned of his grandson's death, but a policeman prevented him from doing

FOOD PLENTIFUL

No Shortage of Provisions on the Yukon-Government Relief Not Needed.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 5.-An estimate of the amount of provisions on the Yukon River indicates that there will be no need of government relief this winter. The two big transportation companies have at least 20,000 tons at various points on the river.
The North American Trading and

Transportation Company is credited with these figures: At Dawson, 4,000 tons; Fort Cudahy, 1,500 tons; Circle City, 1,500 tons; Fort Yukon, 1,500 tons; Rampart City, 1,000 tons; Eagle City, 500 tons; Perry City, 100 tons.

The Alaska Commercial Company has about the same amount on hand, except at Dawson, where it has 7,000 tons. Trading posts have recently been established by the two companies on the Kaoukoa River, the Alaska Company locating at Arctic City, and the North American Trading and Transportation Company at Perry City, five miles above.

Brave Men Fall.

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NARROW ESCAPE

From Death Among the Molten Lava Beds of Vesuvius.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Miss Elizabeth Stephenson, who was recently selected by Gov. Schofield to christen the battleship Wisconsin, has had a narrow escape from death in the lava-beds of Mount Vesuvius. Miss Stephenson, accompanied by her sister. Miss Harriet. Miss Charlotte Holmes, of Menomine, Mich., and Mrs. Frederick C. Austin and Miss Marion Austin, of Chicago, were visiting in Naples. They started toward the volcano early in the afternoon, and en route engaged three Italians, who represented themselves as official guides. The Italians proved anything but guides, and the party lost their way.

All night they wandered, frequently having narrow escapes from a terrible death in the boiling streams of lava coming from the crater above. At daybreak they got back to the road, and reached their hotel amost exhausted. All the ladies are said to have been painfully scorched, and almost exhausted from inhaling sulphuric gases.

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He was violently moved. Every imb shook. He would have averted his eyes from the piteous sight of that prostrate figure, but he could not. How he had loved her! Ah! how he loved her still!—how he ever must! Such an affection as his strikes its roots too deeply in the heart ever to be plucked forth, save with life. His next words proved this. They came with a passionate, soul-rending cry, as if he were in his death agony. His head inclined forward; his arms flung over her, he ejaculated:

'Oh, heaven! Married-married to enother, and I so love you!" "Pity, pity!" she moaned, creeping nearer until her forehead touched his foot. "Hear me, and pity, Gerard; my trial is heavy until death. It will kill

That despairing cry recalled to him that he was a man, s. a woman, weak, ill, loving. No, did he live a hundred years he would never believe that intentionally she had wrought him this woe, this dishonor. Stooping, he raised and placed her

in a chair. His clasp was gentle, but no longer that of a husband. 'Compose yourself, Lucille," he said, violently striving to master his own emotion and to speak steadily, "Yes, I will hear you--I must; but not now. Wait a brief space; we both need more calmness. Oh! that I had died before

this fearful knowledge.' He broke from her, and, crossing to the far side of the apartment, paced it with agitated strides. She watched him until the paroxysm

of tears blinding her, hid him from her view. It was for him she felt most. Her prayer was incessant: "Merciful heaven, support and comfort him!"-always "him," and never

The painful silence, broken only by the metallic click of the timepiece, was broken, after ten minutes' space, by Gerard. His countenance, pale but rigidly calm, indicating the violent self-control that was being exercised, he approached, and, sitting on a couch a few feet from Lucille, burying his face in his arms, folded on the scroll,

"Lucille, I am ready. Can you tell 'Yes," she murmured, humbly.

"Do so; but I dare not look at you while you speak." A sigh rose to her lips, but she forced it back, and, in faltering accents, told him hurriedly, desperately, ending

thus: "I repeat, among the names of those who perished in the wreck was that of Walter Selwyn, my husband. Could I help but believe? Why should I have

Ceasing, she bowed her head on her hands, and waited, trembling, For a space the earl did not speak;

"Does Lord Santyre know of this?" he inquired. "No, Gerard. Can you imagine it?"

she replied, with gentle, timid re-proach. "Had he, do you think I should have kept the truth from you? But he interrupted her almost irrit-

Why have you kept it from any-What is there in it that Lord Santyre and I should not have

'What, indeed! That it was not revealed was not my will, but my father's. When Lord Santyre, visiting the rectory, proposed to adopt me, my father feared that the knowledge that I had been married, that I, so young, was a widew, might cause him to retract his offer, or, if not this, that the fact at least might hinder my contracting so brilliant a marriage as the marquis declared was possible. When I was made acquainted with Lord Santyre's kindness, I said at once that I must reject it, or tell him everythingthat I could not benefit by his generosity, with my union hidden from his knowledge-that I could not return his kindness by the ingratitude of a ception. I pleaded earnestly, and for the first time my father and I quarreled, or approached as near to it as possible, for he was dying—yes, dying. Ah! therein lay his power and my weakness, otherwise I should have remained firm. He argued with me, assuring me my secrecy could do harm to no one. He asked me if I, his only child, whom he so loved, would make

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his dying moments those of misery instead of joy. That my future had been his sole trouble; that the marquis' offer had removed this, and rendered him happy. It is beyond my power to repeat the arguments he used. In short, from my childhood I had been acustomed to revere his slightest wish—to believe all he said was right; and now that he was being taken from me -now that I saw the death-dews gathering on his brow, and knew that my persistence was shortening the few minutes he had to live—I, ignorant of what consequences might arise—forgetful of everything but him-caring for nothing else, my hand in his, sol-emnly vowed to reveal my marriage to no one on earth. What I vowed while he lived, I could not, of my free will, break when the grave had closed over

him, dead." "And this man, your husband, lives?" cried the earl, the fearful truth seeming to rush back with still greater force and overwhelm him. "It is he who can claim you, not I. Oh, heaven! he was not drowned!"

"He could not have been, for I saw him at Burlington House," was the reply, almost in a whisper. "Were you not mistaken? Might you not have been?"

"Impossible," she moaned, "for my ears confirmed my eyes, which would have been only too ready to doubt. As I gazed, like one who beholds the dead, a friend addressed him, and the name he used was Captain Selwyn.' "What would you have me do?" de-

manded the earl, after a pause, a fierce despair in his agitated voice. "Would you have me find this man-would-"Find him? Oh! no, no, no!" she almost shrieked, rising up quickly, her arms extended as if repelling some awful vision. "Though we must part, Gerard-yes, must part, for not to now would be a sin-I cannot go to Walter Selwyn. All my care must be to avoid his presence; not to, also, would be a sin, for I love you; I do not him. I have been a wife to you, never to him. Almost at the altar where we were married did we separate, never to look on each other again until a few days ago. No! I will fly abroad, anywhere, and hide myself from him, alone to

live with one sole hope in life, to die."
"And society—" he began. "Must know the truth, Gerard-for your sake must know!" she exclaimed, prayerfully. "But oh! not yet—not while I am here. Let me fly first. I could not bear to meet its glance of

pity or reprobation."
"And Lucille—" he paused; a violent convulsion ran through his frame; afterwards, raising his haggard eyes to hers, he added, huskily, "our child?"

She gave a great, sudden cry, and pressed her thin hands to her temples. A purple tint suffused her pallid

face; her eyes were wild and dilated.
"Peace—peace!" she shrieked. "Gerard, the thought is with me night and day—night and day. It will drive me mad! Oh! that it would! Our child our little unborn child!"

Her slender figure swayed, and before the earl could save her she had fallen insensible upon the carpet. As Gerard sprang forward to raise her, her white, upturned face recalled to him the one he had seen at the rail-

He remembered the mysterious resemblance. Was it a resemblance? Were they one and the same? He stepped back, posessed by a new horror. Had Lucille not only once deceived him, but was she yet doing so?

CHAPTER XXXIII. "A telegram for you, signora. ine boy's awaiting to see if theer's hany

For the first time he shrank from

the woman lying motionless at his feet.

return messidge." The speaker was Jeames, in his morning tollet. But though his gorgeous apparel was laid aside pro tem., not so the stateliness of his lordly presence, nor his sweet condescending urbanity. These he always wore. The right foot advanced, the thumb of his left hand inserted in the armhole of his waistcoat, his head inclined gracefully towards his shoulder, he regarded Maria patronizingly, admiringly, curi-

ously. "Who could have sent this young person a telegram? A lover? Why, she hadn't ever had a letter afore." The same wonderment, indeed, occupied the Italian.

munication to her? Involuntarily, on receiving it, she had exclaimed: "A telegram! For me!";
Then, much to Jeames' annoyance,
she had turned towards the window

Who could have sent such a com-

before removing the envelope. The words within were these: "To Maria Saproni: | From L. W.
"I have found you at last. Your

fears were unfounded. I guess the truth, and must see you. Surely you will not refuse me? I shall send a carriage for you at 2 this afternoon. Do not deny me a meeting.'

Maria's dark eyes kindled with pleasure as she read "L. W." The initials could be but those of one person— Lady Westbrook. Such a request could but come from her. She had divined why her companion had fled. She approved, too, or why the intelligence that her fears were unfounded? [To be Continued.]

Of Interest to Women.

Capes which are long at the back and short in front, recalling the wraps worn by our grandmothers, are more and more fashionable, and accompany the new cut of gown very harmoniously. Above the clinging, sweeping skirt they appear quite in place, whereas over a short, stiff one they would seem out of place. The lining is really the

most telling part of these capes, as it is very conspicuous. The fashion is not liable to become common any more than the fashion of princess gowns, for a cape of this style must be perfectly made and of nice material; otherwise it is a lamentable failure.

Red, maroon and green are colors preferred for cloth capes this season. The reds are of all shades, even very bright, and the greens are also of various tones, from russian and laurel green to olive and deep emerald. A capuchin is the newest adjunct to capes and is usually characteristically lined and trimmed.

Velvet in all shades and varieties will be fashionable, both as an accessory and for the making of redingotes, under-dresses and complete costumes. Black undoubtedly takes precedence, but marked favor is shown to new, very elegant shades in Russian green, damson, orchid purple-a superb color, with a glow of crimson in it-to dark sumac red, and a complete grade of rich, becoming browns, which include marquise dyes.

Gray velveteen, ribbed or plain, is sufficiently dressy to wear at any social function in the winter, and looks equally well by night or day. It stands a great deal of wear and tear, combines with all the many varieties of fur, and is never in conflict with any change of hat one may make. Few materials can boast all these qualities. or be named as particularly fit besides for the wear of children, young girls and matrons .- Vogue.

Rose-colored peau de soie or satin waists will be very fashionably worn in the evening, with skirts of black velvet, faille or satin, and occasionally they will be seen with skirts of lustrous dark green repped silk. These waists as a rule will be trimmed with handsome lace, but the garniture will sometimes be of velvet matching the skirt in color, with the rich addition of bands of very narrow dark fur and ieweled buttons.

Many of the small mutton-leg and chatelaine sleeves on French and English gowns, both for day and evening wear, are tucked in inch-wide tucks at the top of the sleeve or its diminutive puff. These tucks run around, not up and down, the puff, and are from three to five in number. They are made before the sleeves are shaped, or even lined, if anything except the thinnest lining is used.

The Americans, who are always beforehand with the world, are looking with specal kindness on the return of the white stocking, owing possibly to the present mode for silk gowns, and they are ignoring altogether the necessity for the hose matching dress.

Fall Colors.

The grays are graduated in tone and known as platine, aluminum, nickel and silver, the paler shades being more popular.

The reds in the importations are coquelicot, cerise and geranium in the more vivid tones of the color, with a trenching of crimson, fuchsia and petunia, and a revival of a pale purplish hue somewhat resembling the magenta of long ago.

All indications point to navy blue as a popular color for fall and winter wear. Its selection, in most minds, is a sentimental choice, as one fondly imagines she is honoring our naval heroes by wearing gowns of that color. Aside from this, the fact is that navy

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Sutton, Sutton, Oct. 13-14.

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A meeting of the council of the Western District Rifle Association was held at the Grigg House yesterday. The president, Capt, T. E. Robson, was in the chair, the other members present being Treasurer Lieut.-Col. Dawson, Secretary Major Hayes, Capt. Crowe (of Guelph), Capt. Ponsford (St. Thomas), Capt. Watt, and Color-Sergts. Robson and Ross.

The date fixed for the holding of the annual matches at the cove ranges was Oct. 20. Committees were appointed. The distances will be at 200, 500 and 700 yards, with aggregate, team and

extra series matches. The annual meeting of the associa-

tion will be held on the same day.

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RAINS.

Toronto, Oct. 4-11 p.m.-The remains of the West India storm are still shown on the weather chart, the center now being in the Ohio Valley. Rain has fallen today very generally in Southern Ontario, but in the more northern parts of that province and eastward it has been fine, and in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick the temperature has been unusually high. Local falls of rain and sleet have occurred in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50-58; Calgary, 24-34; Prince Albert, 14-38; Qu'Appelle, 20-30; Winnipeg, 38-78; Port Arthur, 30-48; Parry Sound, 54-70; Toronto, 66-70; Ottwa, 66-70; Montreal, 66-74; Quebec, 64-68; Halifax, 60-86.

Probabilities .- Toronto, Oct. 5, 1 a.m. -Lower lakes: Easterly winds; cloudy to fair, with local rains. Local temperatures: The highest and owest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Tuesday were

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-Mr. George W. Yates, of the Toronto Globe, formerly of The Advertiser staff, was in the city today.

-Sir John Carling is attending the North Oxford Agricultural Society's Fair at Woodstock today. -Miss Annie McArthur, principal of the Wortley road school, is gradually

recovering from a severe illness. -Mr. Frank Reid left for Toronto this morning. He will play with the Osgoode Hall team against Ottawa to-

-By mistake, the name of the efficient chairman at the First Presbyterian Church reunion, was misprinted. It should have been Mr. H. M. Lay. -Mrs. Hawkins, for some time a saleslady in Gray & Carrie's, at Woodstock, has accepted a similar position in Smallman & Ingram's drygoods

-St. Catharines papers have started a crusade against the cigarette, and are calling upon the police to bring to justice all those who violate the law regarding the selling of cigarettes to small boys.

-Dr. J. Lennox, excursion manager for the London Street Railway Company during the past summer, is now assistant surgeon at Atlantic Mine, Wis., on the south shore of Lake Superior. The position is a good one, and Dr. Lennox's many friends here will be pleased to learn of his suc-

-Charles H. Gerbig, of Woodstock, issued a writ against Thomas Cole, merchant, of this city, about a year ago, for \$20,000, claiming that Mr. Cole had closed a mortgage improperly. A telegram was received Tuesday by Meredith, Judd & Co., from Toronto, stating that the appeal had been allowed and the action had been dis-

missed with costs. -Fred Thompson and Edward Kipp, of this city, have been summoned to appear before Squire Smyth on Friday, on a charge of trespassing, preferred by Charles Coombs, of London township. Tomorrow Hugh Orman and Herbert Wilkerson, of Westmin-ster, will appear before Squire Lacey, to answer the charge of using abusive

language to Mrs. Sarah Ellwood. -The Epworth League of the Askin Street Methodist Church have elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mr. T. Spettigue; vice-presidents, Mr. W. Courtice, Mrs. T. J. Cahill, Mr. Latta and Mr. Fred Wilson; superintendent of junior department, Miss Switzer; treasurer, Mr. C. McLaren; secretary, Mr. Chas. Turner; representative to local union, Mr. W. Nettleship; representative to Christian Endeavor Union, Thomas

OFF TO THE CENTRAL.

Bailiff English, of the Central Prison, made a special trip to London last night and took away nine prisoners. They are: Louis Schrader, nine months. for stealing Mr. Mitcheltree's bicycle; Charles Thompson, three months, vagrancy; Fred Maudsley, one year and ten months, for stealing money from his mother; Thomas Knox, six months, for keeping a disorderly house; Robert Harris, of Detroit, six months, for stealing Miss Poole's bicycle; John Harris (colored), one year, and John Prodgers, six months, for assaulting and robbing James Godwin; David Stewart, one year, for assaulting Miss Maud Thompson; George Donaghy, six months, for striking P. C. McDonald on the head with a stone.

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WEAVER'S WHISTLE

A St. Louis, Mo., Young Man Who Is an Artist at It—A Former Resident of London.

The St. Louis, Mo., Post Dispatch of Tuesday has the following reference to Mr. Jay Weaver, which will be interesting news to many of his friends in London. Mr. Weaver was a resident of this city, off and on, for a long time. He lately left the city, and shortly before going, was married to Miss Ida Stirton. The Post-Dispatch

Any boy can whistle, after a fash-ion, but very few can do so in a man-ner sufficiently artistic to secure him a salary from the treasury of a discriminating theatrical manager.

Mr. Jay Weaver, a resident of St. Louis, son of Mr. Henry Weaver, manager of the Planters', is one of the few who can whistle for his three meals a day and get them. His whistle is peculiar; it is high

pitched and sweet in tone. What it lacks in volume and strength is more than made up by its clearness and flute-like smoothness. Through all his whistling there is a sort of second or sub-tone, which adds much to the beauty of it.

Mr. Weaver has studied singing also, but he has come to the conclusion that he must do the one or the other exclusively, so he has decided in favor of whistling, because he thinks he can do better at it, and because there are not so many competitors in the field. He is now whistling at the Columbia with a good deal of success and with the good wishes of all his friends.

AUGMENTATION FUND

Hamilton and London Districts Revised-Rev. Dr. Campbell's Address on the Subject.

The augmentation fund board of the Presbyterian Church, met in St. Andrew's Church yesterday afternoon, and revised the grants of London and Hamilton districts. They also made arrangements for the visitation of congregations, to try and increase the interest in the fund. The board is comprised of the following gentlemen: Rev. J. C. Tolmie (convener), Windsor; Rev. Mr. Radeliffe, St. Catharines; Rev. Dr. McMullen, Woodstock; P.ev. Mr. Currie. Belmont: Rev. Mr. Grant. St. Marys; Rev. Mr. Hadow, Watford; Rev. Mr. McLean, Blythe; Rev. Mr. Ross, Brussels; Rev. Mr. Johnston, Paisley; and Rev. Dr. Campbell, Ren-

frew. In the evening Rev. Dr. Campbell made an appeal in the First Presbyterian Church in behalf of the fund. The speaker described the great work that had been done in Quebec in keeping up Presbyterianism, where it is sur-rounded by Catholicism, and in the county of Renfrew, where he had been located for 27 years. A strong appeal was made for the Northwest, where there are 240 missions and 1,000 preaching stations. Some \$16,000 was sent there last year and an appeal had been made to the General Assembly for greater assistance, that Presbyterianism might spread. The Presbyterians in Ontario, the speaker said, came short of their duty in this regard, and he proposes to let them know just where the remedy lies.

The reverend gentleman was tend-ered a vote of thanks at the close of his address. Word was received during the day that Rev. Dr. Robertson, superintend-

ent of the work in the Northwest, who was also expected to speak, would not be present.

GOT HIS MONEY

John Gilbank Recovers \$40 65 Deducted From His Wages for Accidents.

At the jury sittings of the ninth division court, before Judge Wm. Elliot, Mr. John Gilbank, formerly a motorman of the London Street Railway, and who was laid up for some months with a broken leg, the result of an accident caused by the collision of two trolleys, brought an action against the company to recover \$40 65 wages. The company had made several deductions from Gilbank's pay, for accidents which they alleged were due to his careless-ness. One deduction amounted to \$12 50, for damage to a car in a collision. Another was for \$15, which had been paid to a lady who fell from Gilbank's car on account of his bringing it to a sudden stop as she was getting off. In the latter case, Mr. Gilbank said he either had to stop the car suddenly or collide with another one. Mr. Gilbank claimed that he was not responsible for the damages. The jury rendered a verdict for the plain-

THE SCHOLARS

New Regulations Regarding Health Certificates.

The Teaching of "Domestic Science" in the Schools Indorsed by the Trustees.

In future all pupils who have been

absent from any of the city schools on

account of contagious or unknown diseases, must furnish a certificate from the medical health officer to the principal of the school which they attend. This was adopted as a rule of the board of education at the regular session last night. A special committee of the board, after a thorough investigation, found that the careless manner in which physicians have been known to give certificates to children retained at home on account of contagious diseases, was a menace to the welfare of the pupils generally, and strongly recommended, some time ago, that all cases of contagious diseases be reported to the health officer. This recommendation was adopted, but according to Trustee McRobert, chairman of the special committee, was ineffectual. Several physicians, rather than have their professional services turned aside, he said, had ignored the board, and been negligent in reporting the diseases. Therefore he moved that the above be a rule of the board, and the motion carried. A certificate from the medical health officer will cost

The contagious diseases committee were discharged, but on it being shown that they still had work to do, were immediately reappointed. Mr. Mac-pherson said that if there was another investigation and such cases of negligence came to light as had been shown up previously, he would insist on the names of the physicians being published.

Mrs. Boomer has succeeded in her, effort to have "Domestic Science" added to the school curriculum. This has been the lady's set purpose since her election to the board, but she has hitherto met with many a difficulty. Last night, however, she secured indorsation by the majority of the board for the introduction of "Domestic Science" into the senior grades of the public schools. Her resolution also includes the memorializing of the minister of education to consider a readustment of the present curriculum, whereby the number of those subjects which can be shown to be of less practical value may be lessened, thus making room for the placing of "Domestic Science" upon the programme.

Dr. English seconded the resolution. Mr. McRobert said to legislate now would be to legislate for next year. The resolution was adopted, Messrs McRobert, Gillean, Boyle, Wilkins and

Ziegler voting nay. Inspector Carson reported that Misses Hay, McKenzie and McArthur are still unable to resume their duties. His recommendation that books to the value of about \$30 be procured as supplementary reading in Part II. was adopted. Other recommendations, that Misses Con, Cripps, Plewes, Field, Abbot and Nichol, transition teachers to the end of June, be reinstated in their former positions, was also

Principal Merchant reported the number of pupils on the roll at the Colegiate Institute to be 718; the average increase over same month in 1897. 2. He advised action on the communication of the educational department re the formation of a high school cadet

corps. Referred to No. 1. The question of the purchase of a chemical fire extinguisher was re-ferred by No. 2 committee to the board for decision. No. 2 committee's report

was adopted unchanged. No. 1 committee recommended placing the following students in the kindergartens named: Annie S. Davidson. Wortley road; Evelyn Reidy, Talbot street; A. M. Hotson, St. George's, and C. Wilcox. Also that the names of Miss Annie Hodges and Miss Constance Thompson be added to the substitute

list of teachers. Trustee Gillean was opposed to any more additions to the substitute staff. There were so many on the staff at present, he said, that some of the young ladies had no chance to do any teaching.

The committee's report was adopted. On motion of Mrs. Boomer the principals of the various schools will be asked to report the length of time spent by each teacher in teaching drill and calisthenics, according to the time set apart for the same.

Trustee Macpherson presented a petition, signed by 61 South London ratepayers, for a kindergarten in connection with the Maple avenue school. The number of children who would attend the school if established is 55. Mr. Macpherson pointed out that it was too far for children in that locality to go to either the Simcoe street, Wortley road or Askin street schools and urged that action be taken, if possible, this year.

Messrs. Roland and Palmer addressed the board in the interest of the petition. Several of the trustees were impressed with the necessity of granting the petition, and the matter was referred to No. 1 committee.

Trustee Wilkins moved that in recognition of the 24 years of faithful service of the late Mr. Stewart, principal of the Talbot street school, during which long term he hardly missed one week through sickness, his family be allowed the month's salary to which the law would have entitled him had his illness occurred in the ordinary school term, and also the amount of difference between his salary and that of his successor for the balance of the year, viz., \$80, the two sums amounting in all to \$180. Trustee Hamilton seconded. The matter was

referred to the audit committee. No. 2 committee was empowered to procure the necessary furnishings for the new building on the Collegiate Institute grounds.

D. Steele, of 638 King street, complained that the new regulations affecting the qualifying examination for the Model School had not been explained by Principal Merchant before the midsummer examinations. Mr. Merchant said all the information he had at the time, about the regulations, was printed on the back of the blank application form, which had been given to Mr. Steele's daughter. Trustee Macpherson thought Principal Merchant was not to be blamed at all, but moved to refund the fee in ques-The chairman ruled the motion out of order, and the matter dropped. Trustee Macpherson pressed his mo-tion to have the readjustment of sal-

report. Carried.

The Port Hope school board asked in bringing before the notice of the department a complaint that undue severity had characterized the marking

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of senior leaving examination papers. Referred to No. 1 committee. Those present were Chairman Logan, Trustees Mrs. Boomer, Messrs. Macpherson, Strong, Gillean, Hamilton, Bridle, Bayly, McRobert, Evans, Dr. English, Wilkins, Dr. Teasdall and Dr. Ziegler; Secretary McElheran, Inspect-Carson, Principal Merchant and Architect Matthews.

SUCCESSFUL PUPILS

Presentation of Prizes to St. Peter's and St. Nicholas' Schools,

The prize-winners in St. Peter's and St. Nicholas' separate schools have been awarded their prizes, and the remaining schools will be presented with s on Friday afternoon, Oct. 7, in the Holy Angels' school.

Following are the successful pupils: ST. PETER'S SCHOOL. Gold medal, presented by Mr. Thos.

J. Murphy, to the pupil of the separate school who obtained the highest marks at the examination-Won by Fred Bricklin. Gold medal, presented by Mr. Dan Regan, for composition and writing-

Won by Chester McDonald. Five dollars in gold, presented by Mr. H. R. Dignan, for spelling and composition-Won by Bert Quinn and Fred Bricklin. Each boy received a \$250 gold piece.

Five dollars in gold, presented by Mr. Wm. McPhillips, for arithmetic and geography-Won by Fred Bricklin. Silver watch, presented by Rev. Father Noonan to the class having the best percentage in attendance during the year—Awarded to third class (boys' room). Won by Gerald Labelle for good conduct, application and regular attendance.

Five dollars in gold, presented by Mr. Martin O'Sullivan for the second best in attendance—Won by part second class. Prizes to be given during the year to deserving pupils of the class.

FOURTH CLASS. Senior Class-Gold medal, awarded by Rev. Father Tiernan for good conduct, regular attendance and proficiency-Won by Walter Forristal. JUNIOR FOURTH CLASS.

Gold medal, presented by Mr. Wm.

Mullins (Toronto), for good conduct, proficiency and regular attendance-Won by Edward Tierney. THIRD CLASS. Girls.—Gold watch—Awarded to Katie Flanagan by Mr. Philip Pocock

for excellence in monthly competitive examinations. Two dollars and fifty cents in gold-Awarded to Maggie Boyle by Mr. Jas. Butler for highest marks in perfect

lessons. A beautiful Prayer Book-Awarded to Edna Walsh by Rev. Mother Ignatia for highest marks obtained at Sunday

school. Boys.—Gold medal—Awarded to Master Willie Dibb by Mr. John Pocock for highest marks in perfect lessons. Five dollars in gold-Awarded to Master Harper LeBel by Mr. J. D. LeBel for excellence in arithmetic and

geography. Two dollars and fifty cents in gold-Awarded to Master Eddle McGarvey by Mr. James Butler for excellence in competitive monthly examinations. A beautiful gold pen-Awarded to Master Arthur Miller by Mr. James Costello for greatest improvement in writing during the year.

A Prayer Book—Awarded to Willie

Dibb by Rev. Mother Ignatia for highest marks obtained at Sunday school. ST. NICHOLAS' SCHOOL. Silver medal, presented by Mr. J. Murray for general proficiency-Won

by Thomas Brennan. Prayer Book, presented by Mr. Murray for good conduct and regular attendance-Won by Charles Cowan. Mrs. Heman's Poems, presented by Mr. Murray, for application-Won by

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MUSIC AND DRAMA

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"UNDER THE DOME."

Lincoln J. Carter, well known as the author of a long list of big moneymaking melodramas, is the author of "Under the Dome," which comes to the Grand, matinee and night, Saturday next. The action of the piece occurs in New York, Washington, and the Samoan Islands. The hurricane scene and the ferry-boat trip from Jersey City to New York are said to be marvelously like the real thing.

MISS JULIA ARTHUR IN "A LADY

OF QUALITY. "Were nature just to man from his first hours, he need not ask for mercy. Then 'tis for us, the toys of nature, to be both just and merciful, for so only can the wrong she has done be righted." This is the theme that runs through Mrs. Burnett's romance, "A Lady of Quality," which will be seen at the Grand next Monday, when Mise Julia Arthur and her company will interpret the many different characters of the remarkable novel in its dramatized form. The book makes an absorbing play, dramatized by Mrs Rurnett herself, assisted by Stephen Townsend. The scene is laid in 1701, and permits of great brilliancy in scenic and costume embellishments. Miss Arthur is supported by many well-known professionals, including Mr. W. S. Hart, who assumes the role of Sir John Oxon.

"A BACHELOR'S HONEYMOON." This engaging and funny comedy will be seen here tomorrow evening, at the Grand Opera House for one night only. It was enjoyed here hugely last season, and the coming presentation will doubtless attract a good audience. In the personnel of the cast which will appear here in "A Bachelor's Honeymoon," it will readily be seen that the company is of very strong callber, containing ladies and gentlemen who are

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metropolitan favorites.

At a matinee and evening performance today, the Gormans will give W. D. Emerson a benefit. Manager Roote has interested himself in the benefit, and the Gormans will give their enter-tainment as produced on Saturday last. A large number of tickets have been sold.

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