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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1900

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The Sunday Services.

The usual column of Sunday service notices will be found on page 2 of this

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.

ROGERS-On Sept. 9, at Toronto, the wife of Joseph Rogers, of a son. DIED.

MOORHOUSE-Suddenly, at Lansing, Mich., Sept. 23, Margaret, dearly beloved wife of Dr. Moorhouse, of this city. Funeral private, on Monday. Please omit

TRACE-In this city, on Thursday, Sept. 27. 1900, George Trace, aged 58 years. Funeral from his late residence, 220 Burwell street, on Sunday, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances kindly

Amusements and Lectures

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LONDON OPERA HOUSE Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1900, The eminent Canadian actor-

MR. JOHN GRIFFITH,

In a grand "SPARTACUS," The Gladiator Prices, 25c, 25c, 50c, 75c. Plan open Saturday. Plan now open.

LONDON OPERA HOUSE THURSDAY, Oct. 4. "Something We All Struggle For." Mr. Hennessy Leroyle now offers the big comedy success "Other People's Money." Special bargain matinee 2:30 p.m.; prices 15c and 25c. Prices— 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c. Plan opens Tuesday. 76k tzxw

MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 1—OPENING of season at Palace Dancing Academy. Beginners, classes only. Gentlemen, Monday evenings; ladies, Tuesday evenings. Academy open every evening this week, 7 to 8:30 o'clock for application of pupils. Dayton & McCormick.

VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBLYN Studio, Nordheimer's rooms. Residence 323 Dundae. Concert engagements. Pupils prepared for concert and church solo engage ments. Phone 1970. xt____

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS OPEN for the season daily from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. also swimming pond. Cole & Homands.

6:10 P.M. INTERNATIONAL LIM-will land passengers at the Lehigh Valley pier, New York, 9:83 a.m., Saturday, The Cunard flyer Campania leaves New York for Liverpool, Saturday, Oct. 6, at 1 p.m. Tickets for old Saturday, Oct. 6, at 1 p.m. Tickets for old country; low rates, F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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Restraction and the stablished house. Salary \$18 per week and expenses, payable each week direct from head-quarters. Expense money advanced. Position permanent. Reference, Standard House, 301 Caxton Building, Chicago. A to Southampton direct; St. Louis sails Wednesday, Oct. 3. Baggage passed customs here. Low ocean rate. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

Meetings.



Headquarters 7th Fusiliers, Lendon, Sept. 28, 1900. Regimental order by Lieut.-Col. A. M. Smith, commanding; The regiment will parade for annual drill every Monday and Thursday evenings, at 8, 0'clock. Thursday evenings, at 8 o'clock, commencing Oct. 8, until further orders. By order, W. A. McCRIMMON, Lieut., and Adjutant.

MEMBERS OF THE CANADIAN ORDER Foresters are requested to meet at Sherwood Hall on Sunday. Sept. 20, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. George Trace, of Court Robin Hood, No. 59. A. Kirkpatrick, secretary; Geo. Elliott, chief ranger.

STRONG, VIGOROUS MEETING FOR men-Auditorium, Sunday, at 4 o'clock. Address by Rev, Henry Ostrom. Music by Messrs. MacDonald and Large. All men wel-

ONTARIO LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE-ONTARIO LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE— —Annual meeting, Dundas Street Center Methodist Church, Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock. Speakers, Rev. J. G. Shearer, field secretary; Rev. W. J. Clark, the Mayor, and

Domestics Wanted.

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WANTED-LAUNDRESS FOR GLENCOE W and for Palmerston; also 50 general girls. On hand, private house cook. Mirs, Lookhart, 362 Dundas. Phone 964.

WANTED - GENERAL SERVANT-AP-PLY 82 King street, 750 WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT; ONE who would sleep at home preferred. 64 Wharncliffe road, south. 750

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WANTED-SMART BOY - TO LEARN photography, at Cooper & Sanders' studio.

studio. WANTED-MANAGER FOR BRANCH

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and furnaces, and make a specialty of curing poorly-heated houses, at Thompson's, 424 Rich mond street. Phone 708. WANTED-MAN-UPRIGHT CHARAC

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WANTED-TINSMITH. APPLY L. H. and V. Company, 382 Richmond street.

STRONG BOYS WANTED IMMEDIATELY -D. S. Perrin & Co. 58tf

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LOST-RED LEATHER PURSE, CONTAINING \$5, Thursday, Reward at this office, or 755 Maitland street. LOST-COUPLE OF KEYS ON RING.
Suitable reward at this office. L OST-BLACK PURSE AND CHECK FOR \$15, papers and about 20c. Please return to Bank of Montreal.

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Wanted—An active Partner in an established retail and commission business; must be young man of experience, with \$1,000 to \$2,000 to invest. Address Box 16, Advertiser.

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in our Footwear received just as much attention at the hands of the makers as Style, Finish and Symmetry of design. None of these "Points" have design. None of these "Points" have been overlooked, though Comfort,
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At Jones' Auction Rooms, on Tuesday, Oct. 2, at 10:30 a.m.

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J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

LIQUIDATORS' SALE.

Will be sold by public auction, by J. W. Jones, at his rooms, Dundas street. London, Out., on Thursday, Oct. 4 next, at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade. plant and effects of the Fraser Cap and Fur Manufacturing Co., Limited, in liquidation. viz.:

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Terms-One-quarter cash, balance at 2, 4 and months, approved security, with interest at 7 per cent.

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J.W. Jones has been instructed by Mr. Frank Adams to sell on the premises, 413 King street, THURSDAY, OCT. 4.

at 10:30 a.m., the household effects, comprising square grand plano, drawing-room suite in odd square grand piano, drawing-room suite in odd pieces, easy chairs, rockers, center tables, piano lamp, bronze stand, screen, pictures, chenille and lace curtains, poles and blinds, sofas, couch, antique bookease, books, clocks, Brussels, tapestry and stair carpots, fancy stands, sideboard, dining table and chairs, china, crockery, glassware, silverware, contents of four bedrooms in cherry and other woods, mattresses, springs, bedding, toilctware, cook stoye, was stoye, winger kitchen utensils mattresses, springs, bedding, toiletware, cook stove, gas stove, wringer, kitchen utensils. Terms cash. Also at the same place, on the premises, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock, the choices 2-story brick house, 9 rooms, bath, etc., lot 39x129 feet. Terms—10 per cent at time of sale, with sufficient to make \$1,000 in ten days thereafter, the balance in five equal annual installments, with interest at 5 per cent half yearly. For further particulars annual to the product of the same products of the same products.

For further particulars apply to 74k wtyx J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. Auction Sale of Brick Residence

MR. J. W. JONES will offer for sale by public auction at his auction rooms, No. 242 Dundas street, on Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1900.

at 2:30 p.m., that very desirable residential property, composed of part of lot 9, south side Princess avenue, having a frontage of 30 feet by 198 in depth, together with a right-of-way adjoining east side. Erected thereon is a good two story brick residence, 8 rooms, Buck furnace, four grates, cas, city and soft water. One of the most desirable localities in the city. This is a rare opportunity of securing a home at a low cost, as the owner is leaving the city. The house is

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Boy and Girl Perlsh While Their Parent; at a bargain. Apply at once. 15 Bruce street-A new 11/2-story frame house on brick foundation, 7 rooms, good lot. this property. Our price will suit you. 866 Maitland street—1%-story frame house with 150 feet frontage by 132 feet deep; can be subdivided. Price \$900. Speculators, inspect

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acres cleared, and drained with tile; good orchard; frame house, 8 rooms; barn, good stable, etc.; 34 mile to school; well settled; good soil. Very

Frame cottage, on Talbot street south; 7 rooms; good repair; brick This is a very cheap property, \$1.200. Brick cottage on Central avenue, and

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For sale, brief, recidence, 27 Peter, street. For sale, brick residence, 27 Peter street. 9 rooms, brick house, in first-class repair, good stable, also fine building lot adjoining; great

Oxford street lots—Some of the finest lots en Oxford street, between William and Adelaide streets, for sale cheap, high lots, best part of

Business chance—Brick building, Ridous street, opposite Court House, at present leased as cigar factory, \$1,400 buys, pays 8 per cent, fine chance for a manufacturer.

W, D. BUCKLE.

COURT OF REVISION. Township of Caradoc. A COURT OF REVISION of voters' list of the above township will be held on

Monday, Oct. 8, at 10 a.m., in the TOWN HALL, MOUNT BRYDGES. C. H. LOCKWOOD, Clerk,

A UCTION SALE—362 DUNDAS STREET, next to Gustin House, on Monday, Oct. 1. Neil Cooper will sell contents of house, comprising in part, small piano, carpets, easy chairs, bed lounge, lace curtains, marble top table, sideboard, dining table and chairs, contents of seven bedrooms, heating stoves, baby buggy, lady's breycle, kitchen range and utensils, quantity of lumber, etc. Sale at 10 c'clock sharp. Neil Cooper, auctioneer.

BURNED TO DEATH

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, Sept. 29.-Two children, a boy three years old and a girl of five years, were burned to death in a farm house near Fallowfield. The children were left in the house asleep, and their parents were at work in a field. Between the house and where they were at work was a barn which hid from their parents' view the fire until the building was almost destroyed.

REV. DR. PATON ILL. The Rev. John G. Paton, of the New Hebrides, who has been

meetings in Western Ontario, has been taken suddenly ill at Chatham, and has had to cancel all meetings. has been ordered to cease his work at once by the medical men in attendance on him, and has already left for PORT ELGIN FAIR. Port Elgin, Sept. 28.-The North Bruce Union Exhibition concluded here today, and was one of the most suc-cessful of recent years. The exhibits in many of the departments were in advance of those of any previous sea-

consequence more than hold its own in financial strength. A feature of the day was the presence of Hon. J. M. Gibson, attorney-general of On-tario, who, in response to an address of welcome, delivered an excellent address, which was well received. In the evening a banquet was held in honor of Mr. Gibson, when speeches were made by Mr. John Tolmie, M.P., Mr.

Thomas Robson, M.P.P., and many of

the representative men of Bruce.

son. The weather was delightful, the crowd large, and the society will in

Steamship Arrivals. Sept. 28. At. From Columbia New York Hamburg Pomeranian Glasgow Montreal Corean Glasgow Montreal Corean Glasgow Philadelphia Lake Ontario Heath Point Liverpool Damara Liverpool Halifax Manchester Commerce Liverpool Montreal Mantinea Cardiff St. John Teutonia Hamburg Montreal 100 acres, township of Euphemia; 90 . Cardiff. St. John . Hamburg Montrea entonia..... Lucania....Queenstown...New York Germanic....Liverpool...New York Germanic. Liverpool New York Patriela Hamburg New York Fuerst Bismarck Hamburg New York Lord Charlemont Montreal Cardift Ontarian Matane Glasgow Californian New York Glasgow .Cardiff 11/2-story brick house on Maitland

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Warning Sent To the Dutch

By the British Authorities in Regard to Kruger.

Cautioned Against Violating the Neutrality Laws-Date of the Canadians' Home-Coming-Reports From

Various Corps.

Aug. 19 they were inspected by the

major-general commanding, who spoke in highly complimentary terms with

regard to the defenses, cleanliness and sanitary arrangements of the post. This post (Noortgedacht) is of great

importance, being half-way between

Wonderfontein and Pan, upon the high ridge connecting these two points. It is held in order to prevent

bodies of the enemy molesting the

shows: On parade 134, regiment 6. employ 2, orderly 1, on command 6.

SECOND BATTALION C. M. R.

Lieut.-Col. T. D. B. Evans, in com-

about 50 strong, attacked on the left,

Col. Evans' parade slate shows: On

COL. OTTER'S REPORT.

I was glad to find the Royal Can-

better than any of the other battalions.

On their marches they suffered much

On the 14th the force was aroused at

Gens. Ian Hamilton and Mahon were

1 a.m. on the 17th inst., with the un-

at daybreak and breakfast served. The

The battalion was rear guard on that

The colonel points out

occasion, and Col. Otter says: "I can-

that his report shows that a deal of

ground has been covered during the

and having learned that the great

scribed period." He speaks of his re-

ties any idea that there was a desire

to evade further service. The parade

camps, 217; fell out on line of march,

PTE. MOLASKEY'S HOME-COMING.

Brantford, Ont., Sept. 28. - Private W. E. Molaskey, of the second Canadian contingent, arrived home from

the bugle band, Dufferin Rifles Regi-

ment, Brantford Collegiate Institute

into line, Molaskey being placed on

horseback, and proceeded to the market square, where addresses of wel-

come were given by Mayor Cockshutt.

C. B. Heyd, M.P.P., T. H. Preston, M. P., and R. Henry. The procession then reformed and escorted Pte Molas-

key to Mr. Powers' residence (Molas-

key's home), where a reception was held. Mr. Powers' residence and the

grounds surrounding are nicely decor-

ated and illuminated for the occasion.

The citizens of Orangeville gave Pte. J. J. Hubbard, of A Squadron, Mount-

ed Rifles, a royal welcome on his arrival home from South Africa. An im-

Cadets, the Second Dragoons, the citi-

75. Total, 875.

a march of over 20 miles.

from the difficulty of obtaining water."

had stood the recent marching

adians

Lieut.-Col. Otter, commanding the

London, Sept. 29 .- Great Britain has , try, sends his diary from Aug. 15 to 20. sent a note to the Dutch Government, The diary is mostly a record of uninteresting to a dispetch from Amster. according to a dispatch from Amsterdam to the Daily Mail, which contains a warning that, if Mr. Kruger is allowed to carry bullion or state archives on board the Dutch warship which is to bring him to Europe, it will be regarded as a breach of neutrality on the part of the Netherlands.

The Berlin Tages Zeitung publishes an article strongly advocating the offering of inducements to the Boers to settle in German Southwest Africa. Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretany, has written a letter, in the course

of which he says that, as the Dutch republics have been annexed, he does not expect any formal declaration of peace. He asserts he does not know whether the Queen intends to fix a day of national thanksgiving. WANT TO BE POLICEMEN.

Pretoria, Sept. 28 .- It is stated that 17,000 applications have been made to join the new police force that is being organized for service in the Transvaal. The eagerness to join is ascribed chief-ly to the popularity of Gen. Baden-

The treason bill passed on its second reading by Cape Colony Legislative Council by 13 to 8.

The Canadians.

DATE OF THE HOME-COMING. Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Lord Roberts scouts were driven back. At 10:30 two sabled this afternoon as follows: cabled this afternoon as follows:
"Pretoria, Sept. 28.—1doko, with first port on of Canadian Regiment, should reach Halifax about Oct. 24. (Signed)
Roberts."

scouts were driven back. At 10:30 two of the enemy came to the camp with a white flag and surrendered. At midnight Corp. Callaghan and Pte. Drury discovered the enemy's laager in the hills, about five miles from the camp.

heavy batch of reports from the ficers in command of the Canadian contingents in South Africa reached 14th of August, from Pan Station, he here today. Extracts from them are reports that £50 placed to his credit by the Canadian ladies of London,

Dr. Temple, of Simcoe street, Toronto, received a cable from his son, Lieut. Reginald Temple, stating that he is remaining in South Africa for pitals on the lines of communication. Dr. Temple, of Simcoe street, Toronthe present. C BATTERY.

Major Hutton, commanding C Bat-derlies 2, sick 119, on command 10, tery, in his report, dated July 31, says, cooks 3, missing 5, employes 37. Total, under date of July 1: Flour ration 370. reduced to three-quarter pound per man. It may be mentioned that no biscuits or bread have been issued to the battery since May 1, the men being issued with one pound of flour per man in lieu of biscuits. The rations issued at this date are as follows: Flour, % pound; baking powder, % ounce; fresh meat (beef), 1 pound; coffee, %, (reduced to 1-6); tea, % ounce; sugar, 2 ounces; salt, 1/2 ounce; jam, 4 pound per man, three times a week: rum, when specially ordered, such as on wet nights; lime juice, 1-10 zill, when ordered, or when vegetables are not available; tobacco, 1 pound per

The battery to a man accepted the chance of visiting England.

D BATTERY. Major Hurdman, in command of D Battery, says that since their arrival have been held by our troops, and were at Pretoria, on July 13, they have now 30 miles ahead of us. That night almost constantly in contact with the enemy. The parade slate shows, at headquarters 67, on detachment 90, at base 1, sick 16. Total, 174.

THE FIRST BATTALION. Major Williams, commanding first battalion, Canadian Mounted Infan-

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resolution to break off of his own accord. I heartily advise all women afflicted as I was to give your remedy a trial."

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Mayor Still presided, and read an address in which Mr. Hubbard was warmly welcomed home again.

Sir Wilfrid at Massey Hall, Toronto, Oct. 16.

Selections Made by the Latest Conventions-Macdonald Conservatives Fail to Agree.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will speak in Torento at Massey Hall on Tuesday, Oct.

At a meeting of the executive of the Cttawa Liberal Association it was decided to call a convention to nominate candidates for the city on Oct. 16. The Conservatives of West Middlesex

meet in convention at Glencoe on Monday, Oct. 8, to select a candidate who will oppose Mr. W. S. Calvert, M.P. The Liberals of North Waterloo will meet in convention at the town of Waterloo on Friday, Oct. 12, to select a candidate for the Dominion Parlia-ment.

The Conservative convention at Shawville, Que., for the county of Pontlac, selected Mr. J. H. Brabazon, of Portage Du Fort, as the standardbearer of the Conservative party.

A Liberal convention met at St. Stephen, N. B., on Friday and nominated Mr. Robert E. Armstron, editor of the St. Andrew's Beacon, as the candidate for the Federal Parliament for Charlotte county.

It is reported at Ottawa that Hon. J. C. Patterson, lieutenant-governor of Manitoba, has notified the Conserva-tives of North Essex that he will acthe enemy from occupying the above mentioned ridge, and to prevent small cept their nomination if they can withdraw the nomination already given to Mr. Sol. White.

railway or interfering with the traffic on the high road. The parade slate The Toronto Trades and Labor Coun-On parade 134, regimental cil has decided to indorse the independent candidates in Center and West Total, 143. Wanting to complete, 231. Toronto. This decision was arrived at only after a long discussion, and the vote resulted in a narrow majority for the motion favoring the support of the mand of R. C. M. R., sends his official choice of the people's party.

diary for the week ending Aug. 15. On Aug. 9 the 2nd Battalien, Canadian Mounted Rifles, were at Noortgedacht, A large and enthusiastic convention Liberals of the county of Arenteuil was held in Victoria Hall Lawhen the outpost north of the camp was attacked by the enemy at 7:50 a. chute, when by the unanimous choice of the meeting Dr. Thomas Christie, m. On fire being returned, the enemy, M. P., the old standard bearer of the or northeasterly outpost. He sent Lieut. Chambers and a half troop to Liberal party in the county of Argenteuil, was again chosen.

meet them, and, if possible, outfank them. The enemy were easily driven John Bryden, manager of the Dunsmuir collieries was nominated Thursback by their fire, and retired to high day at the Conservative convention in ridges on the north. He sent scouts to the ridges, which had been occupied Nanaimo, B. C., to contest the constituency of Vancouver Island as a straight Conservative candidate against William Sloan, Independent by the enemy the night before; but the Liberal, and Ralph Smith, Labor. MACDONALD CONSERVATIVES.

Winnipeg, Sept. 27.—The Conservative convention for Macdonald was held at Portage la Prairie today. The hills, about five miles from the camp. They were fired at, at close range, but escaped without injury. On the delegates could not agree upon a candidate, and after a lengthy discussion adjourned for ten days.

Hon. M. Sifton; Mr. McCreary, the Liberal candidate, and Mr. H. M. Howell, Q.C., addressed a large meeting of Selkirk electors at Stonewall tonight. LIBERAL CONVENTIONS.

The following Liberal conventions have been summoned to nominate candidates:

Oct. 1-South Oxford, at Kingsville. Oct. 2-East Hastings, at Cannifton.

Oct. 3-West Ontario.

Oct. 5-South Ontario, at Whitby. Oct. 6-West Hastings, at Belleville. Oct. 6-West Durham, at Bowman-

2nd Battalion, R. C. R., sends his weekly report to Aug. 18. His command is a part of Maj.-Gen. Hart's brigade. He speaks of the wearying Oct. 10-North Essex, at Windsor. Oct. 12-North Waterloo, at Watermarches, and says, on comparing notes 100. with the other commanding officers and from his personal observation:

PLAIN TALK

To Catarrh Sufferers.

Every person suffering from catarrh in its many forms, knows that the 11 p.m. and began its march at 12:10 common lotions, salves and douches do a.m. from Klop Pan, on the 15th inst., over fairly good roads, completing 15 point or to cite cases of failure, bemiles by 5:20 a.m. It was learned cause every victim of catarrhal trouthers that the factor of the cause of the cause of the cause every victim of catarrhal trouthers that the cause of the c there that the enemy had got through ble knows it for himself if he has Olifaunt's Nek, which was supposed to tried them.

A local application, if it does any-thing at all, simply gives temporary now 30 miles ahead of us. That night they bivouseked at Bankfontein, where relief; a wash, lotion, salve or powder cannot reach the seat of the disease encamped. The column was aroused which is the blood. at midnight, and began its march at

The mucous membrane seeks to relieve the blood of catarrhal poison by derstanding that a halt would be made secreting large quantities of mucus, the discharge sometimes closing up halt did not occur till 10:30 a.m., after nostrils descending to the throat and larynx, causing an irritating cough, continual clearing of the throat, deafness, indigestion and many other disnot speak too highly of the spirit and agreeable and persistent symptoms. pluck of all ranks during this most trying test of endurance. None fell out,

A remedy to really cure catarrh must be an internal treament; a remedy and the corps completed the march in which will gradually cleanse the system from catarrhal poison and remove the fever and congestion always present in the mucous membrane.

week by the battalion, something like the best remedies for this purpose are Eucalyptol, Sanguinaria and Hydrances. He says: "As the term of service of the two commanding officers and men of the battalian press." ficers and men of the battalion prac- and efficient form, tically expires on the 45th of October, Recently this ha

Recently this has been accomplished and the preparation put on the market majority of these, as well as the same under the name of Stuart's Catarrh proportion of officers desire to return Tablets; they are large pleasant tastto their homes by that time, I have ing lozenges, so that they may be slowofficially called the attention of the ly dissolved in the mouth, thus reachmilitary authorities in this country to ing every part of the mucous memthe fact, with a view to the relief of brane and finally the stomach and in-

the battalion from active service in testines.

time to reach Canada within the preis that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets conluctance to give the imperial authori- tain no cocaine, morphine or poisonous narcotics, so often found in catarrh powders, and the use of which slate shows: Present at headquarters often entails a habit more dangerous and on armored train,465; on command, than the disease. 87; at convalescent camp, 83; at rest Stuart's Catarri

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggiets at 50 cents for full sized package and are probably the safest and most effectual catarrh cure on the

SCIATICA PUT HIM ON CRUTCH-ES.—James Smith, dairyman, of Grims-by, Ont., writes: "My limbs were al-South Africa tonight. He was met at the station by the Dufferin Rifles' Band, most useless from sciatica and rheumatism, and, notwithstanding my es-teem for physicians, I must give the credit where it belongs. I am a cured man today, and South American Rheumatic Cure must have all the credit. It's a marvel." For sale by C. Mc-Callum & Co.—34.

> A Toronto dispatch says: R. H. Scott, secretary and manager of the Commercial Travelers' Mutual Benefit Society, has been relieved of office because of the discovery that his accounts are \$1.300 short.

CHOLERA MORBUS, CRAMPS and kindred complaints annually make their appearance at the same time as the hot weather, green fruits, cucumbers, melons, etc., and many persons are debarred from eating these tempting fruits, but they need not abstain if they have Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, and take a few drops in mense crowd of people assembled at the station, and when Pte. Hubbard alighted from the train a scene of tre-mendous enthusiasm ensued. A pro-cession was formed and the returned here was escorted to the town ball, where a yest through that a seminated, the control of t

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

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church-The pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson, will preach at 11 a.m. and

Church—Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. Rev. Samuel Selery, B.D., of Woodstock, will preach morning and even-ing. Contributions on behalf of the Educational Fund. Sabbath School and Bible Classes at 3 p.m.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH Rev. George Jackson, pastor. Morning subject, "That Expected Revival"; evening subject, "The Relation of Experimental to Practical Chris-tianity." Special musical service. All

CHALMERS PRESEYTERIAN Church-Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. John Anderson. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 p.m.

CHRISTIAN WORKERS, KING street—Pastor Mackenzie at 11 and 7. Love Feast at 10 a.m. Special offerings for Building Fund.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church-The paster, Rev. A. K. Birks, LL.B., will conduct both services. Morning subject, "One Family"; evening subject, "A Remark-able Prayer." Visitors made wel-

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church-The pastor, Rev. Dr. Saunders, will preach. Sunday School rally at morning service. Evening subject, "Victory." Morning—Anthem, "Heaven, Sweet Heaven" (Marzials). solo, "The Sweet Story" (Neidlinger). Evening—Anthem, "They That Sow in Tears," from Gaul's "Holy City"; anthem, "To Victory" (Neidlinger); solo and chorus, "I Was Wandering and Weary" (Tours).

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church—Rev. T. E. Harrison, pastor. Morning service at 11; subject, "The Secret of Power." Evening at 7; "Obedience Versus Sacrifice." Sabbath School and Bible Class at 2:30. Strangers especially welcome.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Rev. E. Clarence Oakley, pastor. Morning, "Enlargement Through Limitation." Evening, Sunday School Rally Day exercises. Special music, recitations, etc.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-REV. preach at morning service. Rev. Henry Ostrom, the eloquent evangelist, will preach in the evening. Morning—Anthem, "Ye Shall Dwell in the Land" (Stainer); quartet, "Jerusalem the Golden" (Marston). Evening-Anthem, "Thus Saith the Lord" (Pattison); chorus, "Tarry With me" (Pinsuti); solo, "The Coming of the King" (Roeckel). A large corps of ushers will be on hand to yourself, at the attend to the seating of strangers and visitors. Don't fail to hear the distinguished preacher.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. At the morning session, Rally Day of Sabbath School. Special service for the oc-3 p.m., Society for Bible

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church-Morning service by the pastor, Rev. S. J. Allin. Evening, Rev. John Learoyd.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church-The pastor, Rev. Thomas Wilson, will preach morning and evening. Strangers welcome.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. South London-Rev. James G. Stuart, pastor. Service, 11 a.m., subject, "The Sabbath"; 7 p.m., subject, "A Prophet Like Moses." Pastor's Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 p.m.

MEMORIAL CHURCH-REV. C. C. Owen. B.A., rector. Divine service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. A.J.MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Rev. R. Stewart, M.A., Melbourne, will preach at 11 a.m. Sunday School Rally at 3 p.m.; musical programme; addresses by Rev. R. Stewart and G. W. Armstrong. 7 p.m., Rev. J. G. Shearer, B.A., Hamilton, secretary Lord's Day Alliance.

SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH -Rev. W. M. Walker, B.A., pastor. Worship at 11 a.m., subject, "God is Love"; 7 p.m., subject, "At Peace with One's Self." Sunday School, 3

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at both services: 11 a.m., "The Spiritual Life of the Sabbath School;" "Decision"; 3 p.m., open session of the school and pastor's class; parents and friends invited. Thursday, 8 p.m., W. F. M. S. thank offering meeting; address by Mrs. McCrae, of Guelph.

JOHN'S CHURCH, LONDON Township - Harvest Thanksgiving Services, morning and evening. Special sermens by rector. Harvest Supper Tuesday, 2nd, at residence, Mr. H. Farncomb.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—MORN-ING—"Venite" (Ouseley), "Te Deum" (Hopkins), "Benedictus" (Woodward). Preacher, the Dean. Evening— "Magnificat" (Woodward, E flat), "Nunc Dimittis" (Woodward, E flat); anthem, "The Sun Shall be no more Mah: Thy Light." Preacher, the Dean. day. Holy Communion at 8:30 a.m.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH -Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.D., pastor. 1 a.m., "Home at Last"; 7 "The Gladiator's First Reward." All should hear this evening series Seats free. THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERANS

will hold services every Sunday morning at 10:45 in Duffield Block. WELLINGTON STREET METHO-DIST Church-Rev. R. D. Hamilton,

pastor. 11 a.m., Mr. Ostrom will preach. Anthem—O, for a Closer Walk" (Foster); solo, "Building for Eternity," Ruthven McDonald. 7 p.m., special music: anthem, "Hearken Unto Me" (Sullivan); quartet, "Lost Chord" (arranged by Parks); recit and aria, from the "Messiah," "Thus Saith the Lord," and "Who Shall Abide the Day of His Coming?" (Handel) H. Ruthven McDonald.

Wolf Bros.' bank, at Centerville Mich., was robbed Thursday night of

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Men at Work.

ing About Concessions Offered to the Strikers.

Shamokin, Pa., Sept. 29 .- The operators in this vicinity were pleased this morning because a larger number of men than usual reported for work at Midvalley colliery, north of Mount Carmel. Since the strike was instituted, the colliery has been operated with more or less success.

Fifty-one cars of coal were ship-ped from the North Franklin colliery, near Treverton, this morning, as a result of yesterday's work, the greatest in the history of the colliers. Ninety per cent of the men went to work this morning. Everything is quiet here. HAS HEARD OF NO CONCESSIONS. Hazelton, Pa., Sept. 29.-President Mitchell said this morning that he knows no more today about any concessions on the part of the operators of the mines than he did yesterday. He added that he had received no infor-

ing on the subject of a settlement of strike. All mines that operated vesterday and heretofore in the Lehigh Valley, are working as usual today.

mation during the night or this morn-

Ashland, Pa., Sept. 29.—The Potts colliery was working today. Two hundred and ten boats of coal were hoisted yesterday, producing 29 cars of coal. This was practically the extent of coal mining in the Mahanoy Valley between Mahanoy City and Shamokin yester-

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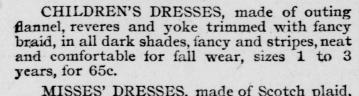
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At St. Louis-St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 -3 14 3 Chicago. 0000001200-3 11 1 Batteries-Jones and Criger; Callahan and Kling. Rain and darkness interfered in the eleventh inning of the

THE RIFLE.

THE MELROSE CLUB'S SHOOT. The Melrose rifle club met on Wednesday, Sept. 26. The next regular meet will be held on Oct. 11. The scores made were: Standard 'American target, 3.36-inch bullseye; 200 yards, on rest, out of

K. Morris 8 10 6 6 9-39 Oliver 7 10 10 7 5—39 C. A. Campbell 4 8 7 10 6-35 F. Harrison 5 9 5 8 7—34 J. Harrison 8 6 7 5 5—31 Harrison10 J. D. Brown 6 6 5 6 6-29 Hedley 5 4 6 6 7-28 J. Ferguson 3 5 4 7 C. Harrison 5 8 5 1 7-26 200 yards, off-hand, out of possible

A. Clare 4 5 5 4 5-23 K. Morris 2 5 3 10 3-23 Harrison 1 5 4 5 4-19 D. Brown 4 5 6 2 2-19 B. Harrison 4 5 4 4 2—19 R. Hedley 3 4 2 5 4—18 J. Ferguson 2 4 3 3 4-16 C. Harrison 1 3 3 6 3—16 C. A. Campbell 1 4 4 2 3—14 F. Harrison 3 4 3 0 2—12 Totals—E. J. Shaw 70, J. Oliver 63, A. Harrison 62, J. K. Morris 62, J. A. Clare 61, B. Harrison 50, J. Harrison 50, C. A. Campbell 49, J. D. Brown 48, R. Hedley 48, F. Harrison 46, J. Ferguson 43, C. Harrison 42.

THE TURF Windsor Race Track, Ont., Sept. 29.-Yesterday's events: First race, for 2-year-olds, maidens, selling, 5 furlongs-W. J. Doboe won by

a length, Sara Gamp 2, Mattle Bain 3.

Time, 1:02%. Second race, for 2-year-olds, selling Second race, for 2-year-olds, sering John McCarthy won by a length, r. 2, Russian 3. Time, 1:14½.

'Third race, for 3-year-olds and up, selling, 7 furlongs—Doc Ferrich won by a head, The Tory 2, Troubaline 3.

Fourth race, for 3-year-olds and up,

selling, mile and 70 yards-Handicapper by a half length, Cross Molina 2 Hermencial 3. Time, 1:45½.

Fifth race, for 3-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs—Lake Fonso won by a neck, Iola 2, Earl Fonso 3. Time,

Sixth race, for 3-year-olds and up,

selling, 5½ furlongs—Ode won by two lengths, Chanton 2, Sagacity 3. Time,

AT TURNBERRY FAIR. Wingham, Ont., Sept. 29.-Fine weather greeted the directors of the Turnberry fair yesterday, when they held the finest fair in the history of the association. There were large entries in every class, and the standard was exceptionally high. The racing was a new feature, and proved very successful. In gentleman drivers, out of 20 horses, the blue ribbon was won by Roland Beatty, of Wingham, with a high-stepping team. In the free-for-all Annie Gould won the first and third heats, the second being a dead heat, and Alma winning the fourth and fifth, when, on account of darkness, they were unable to finish, and divided the purse. Summary:

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2:50 class, half-mile-

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Local race, half-mile-Neighbor 1 Flossy2

AT ORANGEVILLE. Orangeville, Ont., Sept. 28.—The speeding in the ring here resulted as

follows: Farmers' trot-First, Skip, T. J. Harshaw, Orangeville; second, Jack D. Dudgeon, W. J. Whittington. 2:40 trot-First, Louis S., Laird and Riddell, Orangeville; second, Bessie, J.

W. Neil, Orangeville; third, Nemo, A. W. Burke, Loretto. Open trot-First, Prince Erie, C. Palmer, Dundalk; second, Louis L.; third, Milkmaid, R. Forgrave, Grand

WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS. Fort Erie-Momentum, Olcott, Obey. Hansborough, Tremar and Ocie Brooks. Chicago-Little Tim, Dolly Weithoff, Blink, Aloka II., Bacid and Walken-

Gravesend-Munroe Doctrine, Elizabeth M., Dolando, Tartar, Favonius St. Louis-Amelia Strathmore, Vice Vance, Our Lady, Orlandine, Hikollar

WHEEL. CANADIAN WON. Baltimore, Sept. 28.-Archie McEachern, the Canadian, won a 25-mile motor-paced bicycle race from Harry Elkes last night, by 3 miles and 1,100 yards. Both men had trouble with their motors. McEachern's time was 42 minutes 56 seconds.

GOLF.

CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP Montreal, Sept. 29.—G. S. Lyon, of the Toronto Golf Club, won the golf championship of Canada on the Royal Montreal golf links yesterday by defeating Gordwin W. MacDougal, of the Royal Montreal Club. The final round was exceedingly close, the players being a tie on the 36th hale Lyon winning on the 88th hole.

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Charges of Western Fair Mismanagement Answered.

Why Implement Men Do Not Exhibit-The Question of Passes-Sideshows-Financial Statement.

This year the Western Fair and its management has been subjected to an unusual amount of criticism. In the opinion of some people, who gave free vent to their views in the public press, the fair is not run properly at all; passes are not given where they should be had; others get them who should not; the fair is becoming a hippo-drome at expense of exhibits, interesting from an agricultural viewpoint, and, in fact, the whole show is going to the proverbial "bow-wows," while those who attend it are in danger of jogging along "the primrose path to the everlasting bonfire." Of course, all do not think so, and among others, the president of the associa-tion, Col. Gartshore, whose very knowledge of the state of affairs at other exhibitions strengthens his loyalty to the Western Fair. In a conversation with an Advertiser reporter yesterday he referred to some of the charges of mismanagement.

"The impression has got abroad," he said, "among the farming community that the implement men have not been very well treated by the fair management, and that for that reason alone they were not exhibiting. As far as the implement men are concerned, the fact is that we have never charged them anything but an entrance fee of \$1, for which we furnished them with light, power and space. They also re-ceived passes for admission to the grounds according to the number of men they have employed at the fair, and when sufficient passess were not granted, they could have been secured on application at the general offices. The board may have appeared strict in the matter of passes, but the privilege is one that is very much abused. As for the implement men, I would say that three years ago they complained that they did not have enough room. They said if the board of directors would enlarge the machinery hall they would make an exhibit which would startle every person. The board spent \$2,500 to

please them, and they were pleased."

A letter had been received by the association that was signed by most of the manufacturers of Canada that they had agreed not to exhibit at the Western or any other fair for five years, for the two reasons, that the returns did not warrant the expense, and at that time of the year the agents could be more profitably employed in other ways. Mr. Maxwell, the secretary, concluded: "The meeting wishes me, as secretary, to thank you for the treat-ment received in the past. Should they again decide to exhibit, you will be given ample notice and time to see that suitable accommodation may be prepared. They wish your exhibition

every success.' The charge has also been made that passes are issued indiscriminately. This is not so." Col. Gartshore said 'Family passes are issued only to the directors and the chief of police. Regular admission tickets are sent to aldermen, members of the fair association, railway managers, newspaper men and certain civic and government officials, who of necessity had to attend the fair, and limited tickets were given to the school trustees, members of the Public Library Board, city officials, hospital trustees and members of parliament for the western constituencies. Officers of the association were asked to give passes persons who had no earthly right to them. They were always refused."

The matter of side-shows was a very erious one, he said, but the onus of deciding whether they were proper must be borne by the police. It was their duty to learn their nature, and if wrong, to eject them. The association was particular to state in all communications with side-show people, and game operators that they themselves within the law. The side-shows-that is, good ones, were a necessity, but in future greater vigil-ance would be exercised."

"The exhibition," added Mr. Gartshore, "is conducted as a means of benefiting the city, but it does not get the support from the citizens that it deserves. The directors do not draw one cent out of it. Theirs is all a labor of love. The business men of the city appear quite willing to have strangers come to the fair and spend their money, but they are ready to help the fair along they should with their patas ronage and by exhibiting. This is only fair that does not receive aid from the municipality. Winnipeg fair gets \$5,000 annually from the city, and \$3,500 from the Provincial Government. The Western gets between \$300 and \$400 from the Ontario Government. It is self-supporting." Next year a determined effort will be made to bring the citizens out on the early days, Monday and Tuesday, and to bring people here from the States. In Winnipeg, 6,000 or 7,000 go

to the fair there. Col. Gartshore quoted from the reports of other fairs, showing that London compares most favorably in the matter of expenditure and economical

The financial statement for 1900 is evidence of the success that attended the Western this year notwithstanding the prognosis of the

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Mr. J. H. Crow, 421 Keefer St., Vancouver, the well-known contractor, writes:—"I had been a great sufferer from catarrh for over fifteen years, during which time I tried a score of doctors and every remedy I thought would relieve me, but the result was only temporary relief, in each case the catarrh returned. About a year ago I used six boxes of Japanese Catarrh Cure, and since completing this treatment have been entirely free from catarrh. I can recommend it with every confidence.

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doubter. The fair association has a balance of \$1,374 17, after meeting all expenses. The receipts were: Entrance fees, \$1,746 95; privileges and rents of booths, \$4.504.86; gates and grand stand receipts, \$18,029.55; yearly permits for the use of track and stalls, \$199; spe-

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cial prizes and subscriptions, \$1,425; interest from bank, \$60; total, \$25,965 36. The expenses were: Prizes, medals, judges' fees, \$11,132 35; police, \$300 68; grounds and buildings and general expenses, \$3,741 45; printing, advertising, etc., \$3,025 82; office expenses, \$1,886 88; expenses of various departments, including attractions, fireworks, music,

AT INCERSOLL

Aged Farmer Dropped Dead in the Imperial Bank.

Suicide of an Insane Man in Oxford County-Other Casualties.

Ingersoll, Ont., Sept. 29.—An awfully sudden death occurred in the Imperial Bank here yesterday afternoon. George Irwin, an aged farmer, who lived on the Putnam road, about four miles west of this town, was in the bank transacting some business, and his wife was in a buggy outside waiting for him, when he fell over dead at the counter. Irwin leaves a wife and a grown-up

family. HANGED HIMSELF. Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 29.—A most deplorable occurrence is reported from the township of Blandford. Joseph Vance had been living for some time on lot 6 of the eleventh concession with his father, who bears the same name, and is a well-known farmer of the district. Some years ago he went insane, and was taken to the asylum at London. Somewhat over a year ago he returned to his father's home in the hope that residence among friends and relatives would help him. Thursday evening, about 7 o'clock, he stole out of the house to the pig pen, got hold of a part of harness and strung himself up. When found life was quite extinct. He was 32 years of age, and

SHOT HIMSELF. 'Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 29.—Charles A.

leaves a wife.

Collier, former mayor of Atlanta, and United States commissioner to the Paris Exposition, died yesterday from a pistol shot. It is generally believed he shot himself while chasing a burg-

BRAKEMAN LOST AN ARM. Sarnia, Ont., Sept. 29.—George W. West, G. T. R. brakeman, who, with his family, resides on Wellington street, experienced an unfortunate ac-

cident while coming west with a freight train on the G. T. R. on Thursday evening. When the train reached Hamburg some shunting of cars had to be done. West was attending to his duties at the time, and fell under a moving car, with the result that his left arm was cut off between the shoulder and elbow.

TRAINMEN KILLED.

Durand, Mich., Sept. 29.-A fast freight train collided with a switch engine yesterday on the Detroit, Grand. Haven and Milwaukee Railroad here. Two men were killed and one was injured. The dead: Engineer Thomas Hamlin, of Detroit, and Fireman John Linden, of Ionia. Twenty-four loaded cars were burned, and both engines de-

MISS CORRIGAN'S BODY FOUND. Cleveland, O., Sept. 29.-The body of Jane Corrigan, the last victim of the yacht Idler disaster, was recovered yesterday, being found on the beach a few miles east of the city. The yacht, owned by John and James Corrigan, the wealthy vessel owners, foundered on Lake Erie during a heavy squall on July 7 last. Six lives

W. B. CLARK, SR.

Sudden Death at Sarnia of a Pionee Business Man.

Sarnia, Sept. 28.-W. B. Clark, sen., one of the phoneer business men of Sarnia, and a most respected resident, died suddenly at his home last night. He attended to business as usual yesterday. He leaves a widow and a

grown-up family.

Mr. Clark was born at Montreal,
Que., on June 23, 1825. He came to Sarnia in 1837, when this place was called The Rapids, and the population was only seventy people. He entered the employ of the late Archibald Young, and was afterwards employed by the late George Durand. Later he engaged in business for himself. Afterward the late James Porter was associated with him in business here, but only for a short time, after which Mr. Clark again resumed sole control of the business, and which he conducted uninterruptedly until a few years ago. Before coming to Sarnia, Mr. Clark had been in the employ of the late John Dougal, proprietor of the Montreal Witness. Deceased was a brother of Mr. A. C. Clark, manager of the Lambton Loan Company, and of Mr. Albert Clark, of Stratiford. He leaves a wife and grown-up family to

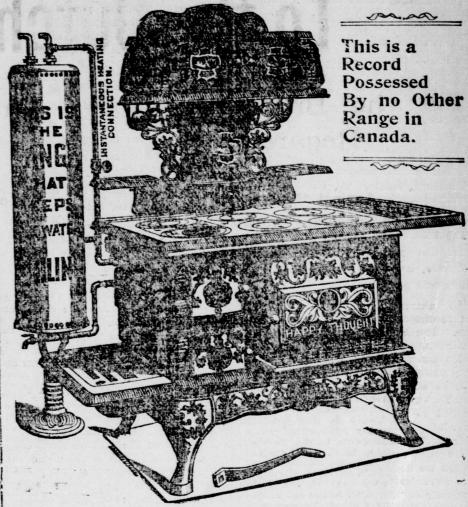
mourn his sudden taking off. TYPOTHETAE OFFICERS.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 28.-At yesterday's session of the convention of the United Typothetae the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George E. Matthews, Buffalo; vice-presidents, E. Parke Coby (New York), Charles P.Byrd (Atlanta, Ga.), J. D. Dehaven, Kansas City), John Stovel (Toronto, Ont.), and N. A. Judd (San Francisco); secretary, John E. Burke, Norfolk, Va.; treasurer, Thomas E. Donnelly, Chicago. Buffalo, was chosen as the next meeting place, and the convention adjourn-

PEARSON COMMITTED FOR TRIAL Hamilton, Sept. 29.-The preliminary trial of George Arthur Pearson, charg-ed with murdering Miss Annie Griffin. of Dundas, on the evening of Sept. 23, took place before Police Magistrate Jelfs yesterday. At the outset the prisoner pleaded not guilty. His counsel gave the crown to understand that the confession of Pearson was obtained under pressure from the police, and because of veiled suggestions of a mitigated sentence. The evidence advanced was a repetition of that given at the coroner's inquest. Pearson was committed for trial at the fall assize court, which meets here next month.

The Ontario Government has appointed John A. Patterson solicitor for the University of Toronto in succession to W. MacDonald Q C., late-

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BANKS BUSY

Circulation About \$6,000,000 More Than a Year Ago.

Ottawa, Sept. 29.—The Canadian bank statement for August certainly reflects no contraction in general trade. Circulation shows an increse of \$1,000,000 odd over July, this year, and is almost \$6,000,000,000 in excess of August, 1899. Discounts to Canadian customers remain about the same as they were in July, but to borrowers outside of Can-ada they have increased over \$1,000,000. Compared with August last year this item of trade discounts has expended

Loans on stocks in Canada have increased half a million dollars since July, and out of Canada \$2,000,000, and the banks have altogether \$29,000,000 more money loaned out in this way than in August, 1899. Holdings of railway securities are \$1,000,000 in excess of July this year, and \$9,000,000 greater than in July, and \$6,000,000 in excess of

August, 1899. Deposits both on demand and notice shows further expansion compared with a year ago. The foreign balance stands \$12,000,000 in favor of

EARLY CLOSING IS ALL RIGHT. Toronto, Sept. 29 .- Mr. Justice Osler refused the grocers and butchers who are fighting the early closing bylaw leave to appeal against the judgment in the city's favor. The result is the legality of the bylaw is affirmed.

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The Fall Fairs.

Springfield and South Dorchester, at Springfield, Sept. 28, 29. Camden, Dresden, Oct. 2-3. South Waterloo, Galt, Oct. 3-8. North Dorchester, Oct. 3. Wect Zorra, Embro, Oct. 4. E. Huron, Brussels, Oct. 4-5. Kincardine, Oct. 4 and 5. London Township, Oct. 5. Euphemia and Dawn, at Florence

Oct. 5 and 6. East Nissouri, Thamesford, Oct. 9. Caradoc, at Mount Brydges, Oct. 9. North Simcoe, Stayner, Oct. 9-10. West Nissouri, Ag. Soc., Oct. 10. W. Kent. Chatham, Oct. 9-11. Caledonia, Caledonia, Oct. 11-12. North Norwich, Norwich, Oct. 12-13. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Oct. 16-18. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Moraviantown (Indian), Oct. 16-19. Secretaries of Western Ontario Fair

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LONDON, ONTARIO.

London, Saturday, Sept. 29.

South Middlesex in Line.

The Liberals of South Middlesex in convention yesterday, assembled at must concede the fact that it was an Delaware, had sunny weather and a abnormal majority, and that it was obsunny and pleasant time. Everything tained under circumstances that do not was as agreeable indoors as out. Good now exist and are not likely to occur nature and enthusiasm shone on every the Patron candidate, who did not face. The sitting members, Malcolm prove strong, and the Tupper faction McGugan, was renominated without a put up a candidate against the Clarke dissenting voice, and with every de- Wallace faction-it was just after the monstration of good-will. The powerful "nest of traitors" episode-with the readdress of the Minister of Justice, ult that Mr. Clarke Wallace got a big which we give in full in this issue, was majority. The ordinary majority polllistened to with the attention at de- ed for Mr. Wallace has been as low as

Mr. Purdom's prophetic hope that Mr. als have carried the seat on three oc-McGugan would be elected by accla- casions. There is this additional fact mation we hope may be realized. But in Mr. Archie Campbell's favor, the It is never safe, even in the most en- non-resident and grave-yard vote, thusiastic of "hives," to take anything which was turned to so good an acfor granted. Let every preparation be count for the Conservative candidates made, so that if it is not to be by ac- in bygone elections, are now things clamation, it will be an increased ma- of the past, and never again, while a

The Preference for Britain.

of "the old flag," but it is not possible to raise that cry now. For ourselves we think that the less said about the "old flag" at election times the better. The flag is a sacred symbol and should not be degraded into a party badge. The men who would fain use the imperial flag or the National Anthem as party monopolies insult their fellowcitizens and show their own lack of sense. The great body of our citizens, to whatever party they belong, are patriotic and loyal. That has been true for a long time in this free, selfgoverning country, but its truth has been abundantly manifest of late, so now held to belong to the landowners, much so that for the Conservatives to though they should rightfully belong to claim a monopoly of patriotism and the whole people, and be used for the loyalty, and to shout the old cry about benefit of the whole people. This, the these huts to see if any sick had been the "old flag" would be a palpable ab- writer says, ought to be easily brought left behind by the people who had gone surdity. For the fact is, as several about, not at once, but as vacancies with the governor, and then destroyed Liberal Statesmen have said, the Liberals during their term of office have the teinds are parish funds, not for the had the opportunity of doing what the Conservatives were content to talk Church ministers, but for the benefit about. Never has, we will not say the loyalty of Canada, but Canada's interest in the Empire, been so clearly set forth and so fully recognized at home and abroad, as during the present Administration. The Empire was attacked, and Canada sent her fair share of help and did it in a sober, deliberate manner, which did credit to all conremed. That was a token to the whole world, and we believe that the demonstration of the unity of the Empire, of which Canada's action was an important part, will be an influence on the side of peace. It was an illustration of the motto, Defense, not Defiance.

Then, in another direction, it is true that while Conservatives may have talked more of loyalty, the Liberals have acted it. In this sphere the old adage is certainly true that actions speak louder that words. The preference to Britain in our present tariff Is at the same time a true manifestation of sound imperialism, and a good policy so far as we are ourselves concerned. There are two points about this preference which we shall content ourselves with stating now; the proofs United Presbyterian (including ourselves with stating now; the proofs we may give in several forms before the campaign is over. First, the preference is appreciated in Britain. British newspapers are among the most independent and plain-spoken in the world. They are not given to idle flatteries; and University Almanac, 1899: and as a matter of fact, English jour- Population of Parish. nals of all classes and shades have united in recognizing the friendship and lovalty of Canada in this particular. Second, it is good for ourselves. The present prosperity of trade is doubtless due to many causes; but the wise policy which has stimulated and increased our trade with Britain is an important factor in the situation. Instead of a falling revenue, the revenue has increased largely, and there has been a healthy revival of trade.

Better leave the Dominion ship of state in the hands of those who since 1896 have guided it so well.

Blue Ruin Which Never Came. You business men of Montreal, in

common with the electors all over the country, were told by Sir Charles Tupper, when the Liberal policy was brought down, that this policy would ruin the country. I don't want to justice shown to exist. There is quote the words-you have heard them again and again. They predicted that trade would fail; they predicted that the business of the country would be ruined; that bank stocks would fall; that real estate would fall, and Sir Charles Tupper and his friends stood around and waited for the calamity that was to come. They looked up at the tall chimneys and expected them to fall; they looked up at the factories | ain 1,400 years ago-the fearful prophet and waited for the shutters to go up and the fires to go out. They waited is, unless he is given direction of atand waited in vain. The tall chimneys grew higher and higher, and instead 1,400 years ago; she is not in a state of the factories closing as they predicted, the factories are busier than ever before, and instead of the ruin which they pictured they found a con- of that Canada prospers as she has dition of great business activity, and never done before and the outlook is when you turn to Montreal, the great | the most promising, unless, indeed,

instead of the factories closing, that all the hours of daylight are not enough to do business: you find that men are working for higher wages than they have ever done before, and that prosperity rules over the country as never before.-Hon. W. S. Fielding,

Finance Minister, at Montreaf. Why Archie Campbell Will Win.

The Ottawa Journal expresses itself sceptical as to the coming victory of Mr. Archie Campbell over Mr. Clarke Wallace in West York. It points out that Mr. Clarke Wallace had the biggest majority ever recorded in the Dominion at last Dominion election. Suppose that is granted, our contemporary again. The Liberals left the field to 202 and as high as 800, and the Liber-Liberal Government holds sway, will

hundreds of men in every division of Ralph, of the Lagos Hausas, and Dr. Toronto and East and West York, when Hay, and a garrison of 115 Hausas were The Conservative party has somehave no right to vote, be permitted times gone to the country on the cry to go to the polls. This means a loss of hundreds of votes that ordinaried 25 men were really fit. The rest, while would have been polled for Mr. Clarke Wallace and Mr. McLean in East and West York especially. This is one result of putting the principle of one man one vote in force.

Shepherds Without Flocks.

The People's Journal of Dundee, in an article on issues in the present electoral campaign, in Great Britain, complains of the anomaly of an Established Church in a country like Scotland. It points out that the teinds amounting to \$1,895,000 annually, are in parishes occur. It is contended that benefit of heritors and Established of the people as a whole, and especially of the poor. Over and above the teinds, however, there is the sum of \$85,200, which the Imperial Exchequer gives yearly by way of grant to ministers of the Established Church, divided thus: \$25,200 between 42 parish ministers in the Highlands and Islands, and \$60,000 between 190 parish ministers. with stipends under \$750. Inasmuch as this \$85,200 comes directly from the pockets of the general taxpayers, including, of course, Episcopalians, Roman Catholics, Free Churchmen, it is difficult to conceive how anybody can defend the proceeding as quite just and fair. Apart from teinds and exchequer grants, there will be ample resources in the churches for the maintenance of religious ordinances throughout the country. In 1899 the voluntary contributions of the three Presbyterian

Churches were as follows: Established (including seat rents, but excluding stipends).....\$2,464,080 Free (including sustentation

stipends) 1,950,580 In the Highlands the position is positively scandalous. Look at these figures, which are taken from the Scottish

Established Communi Church, cants. 3,424...... Knock 6 898...... Kinlochbervie 249..... Carnock 504..... Bernera 0 2,907......Cross

In these parishes the people all go to the Free Church; yet parish ministers are appointed and paid to look after all but invisible congregations. These parish ministers pay no poor rates, whereas Free Church ministers who do all the work have to pay poor rates the same as other people.

The disposition on the part of many electors is to have every candidate for parliamentary honors "heckled" with regard to this question, and made to declare his attitude towards the ina danger in this general election of almost all these questions of domestic concern being overlooked.

"Sir Wilfrid Laurier is too British for me." So says Sir Charles Tupper.

Sir Charles Tupper has been to Canada what Gildas was to Great Britof evil present and evil to come-that fairs. But Britain did not collapse of collapse now; nor has Canada collapsed because Sir Charles Tupper no longer feeds at the public crib. Instead

metropolis of Canada, you find tonight, the electors were to decree a change back to the condition that prevailed in the days of depression, prior to 1896, a contingency that is not likely to be brought about:

> Canada is well satisfied with Laurier.

> The Telegram says: "The Globe is trying to make out that if the Laurier Government is returned to power the factory chimneys will go on smoking, and probably learn to chew." Certainly. The pulp mills have learned to chew, already.-Toronto Globe,

How the Little Band of British Held On.

British Elections-Another Manifesto From Ballour - Chamberlain's Warning to Conservatives.

BRITISH PLUCK.

London, Sept. 29 .- A thrilling story from Kumassi has just come to hand from Capt. F. E. Bishop, of the Gold Coast Hausas, who held the fort from June 23, when Major Morris' force, with the governor, cut its way out, until July 15, when Col. Willcocks effected the relief.

Three white men, Capt. Bishop, Lieut, Ralph, of the Lagos Hausas, and Dr. left behind to keep the British flag aloft in the face of the rebel thousands. "At the start," says Capt. Bishop, "only capable of manning a loophole, could not have walked five miles to save their

With this little force the Englishmen held on, in spite of starvation and disease. A third of the garrison died of starvation, and others from smallpox. One Hausa blew out his brains because death would not come quickly. The garrison had been told, when the gov-ernor left it, that the relief force was sixteen miles off, and would be in in five days. But the five days passed, and no relief force appeared. Major Morris had scarcely left when a band of Ashantis advanced from a stockade. Maxims drove them off.

Around the fort was a pestilential collection of thousands of huts, from which the stench was so great windows in the fort had to be kept closed, in spite of the heat. The doctor was down with fever, but Bishop, Ralph and half a dozen men with handkerchiefs over their faces, entered

'Meanwhile," says the narrative which Capt. Bishop has given to the press, "starvation was doing its work in the fort. All were worn to mere skin and bone. At last the rations consisted of a cup of linseed meal and a block of tinned meat about two inches square. Occasionally native women would come outside the fort and offer at ridiculous prices certain articles of food." A piece of cocoa, worth a frac-tion of a penny, was bought for 15 shillings, and bananas fetched 18 pence. A tiny pineapple fetched 15 shillings, and even such high-priced luxuries were extremely rare. Then smallpox broke out, and the fever-stricken doctor climbed daily over the wall to at-

tend the sick. Hope had vanished. Then came the relief. On July 14 the garrison believed they heard guns. Next afternoon terrific firing removed any doubt, and at 6 o'clock that Sunday evening the head of Col. Willcocks' advance guards emerged from the bush, with a foxterrier trotting gaily in

THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN. London, Sept. 29 .- The parliamentary general election campaign presents no new feature of a remarkable char-

Mr. A. J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, seems to recognize that the khaki issue alone is not strong enough, and has written a leter criticising Lord Rosebery's manifesto so far as the latter dealt with domestic questions. Speaking at Manchester, Mr. Balfour, replying to a question on the subject of international currency, said he had always been in favor of a stable par of exchange, which would benefit the trade and commerce of Great Britain and of other countries.

Speaking at Bilston, Mr. Chamber-lain warned the electors against overconfidence.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, speaking at Bristol, said the country had quite enough on hand at present, and to attempt to establish an English administration of a portion of China would be an act of madness.

Mr. Leonard Courtney, speaking at Battersby, London, in favor of the can- the Canadian and Australian governdidacy of John Burns, admitted that the government was likely to get a big

Mrs. George Cornwallis-West (Larly Randolph Churchill) is assisting her Winston Leonard Spe Churchill, in his canvass. Disorderly scenes have attended some of his

JAPANESE TEA CROP SHORT. The shortage in the Japanese tea erop this season is estimated by experts at 4,400,000 pounds, and prices have already advanced from 10 to 25 per cent. A large importer said today: "The first crop of Japan tea showed a shortage, owing to drought, of 30,000 piculs, and a picul is 1331/3 pounds. The second and third crops were also cut off by lack of rain, and there is now

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Heavy Fleeced Cotton fronts, full size, worth 25c; special at, each 15c

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BLOUSES.

Ladies' Flannelette Blouses, in assorted colors and patterns, tucked tronts, heavy quality; special each\$100 Ladies' Black Sateen Blouses, corded fronts and sleeves, heavy quality sateen; special each \$1 25 Ladies' Sateen Blouses, in red, blue and pink, plain or fancy patterns; Plouses, fronts, sleeves and back Ladies' French Flannel Blouses, in

newest makes and colors, tucked fronts and sleeves, polka dot or plain colors, lined; special each .. \$3 50 Ladies' French Merino Blouses, stitched fronts and sleeves, French back, lined with heavy lining, fronts finished with points and stitching; very special each. \$3 75 Ladies' Black Satin Blouses, tucked fronts and sleeves, French back, fined, good quality satin, regular

est make and tucking, heavy lining, regular \$5 50 special each\$4 90

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Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose, extra heavy, spliced, seamless feet, sizes 8½, 9, 9½; very special at, Hose spliced heel and toe, worth 35c per pair; special at 25c Ladies' fine quality Plain Cashmere Hose, seamless feet, double sole, regular 50c quality; special per

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The purchase of an immense stock, at less than mill prices, of American Percalettes, in navy, cardinal and black grounds, with small, neat splays, stripes and figures, enables us to offer for this evening's and Monday's selling of these absolutely fast color goods, 3,380 yards, worth today regular 10c, for only per yard.... 6½c

an estimated total shortage in the supply of Japan tea for 1900 of not less than 33,000 piculs. The prices for Japan teas have advanced largely, running from 3 to 5 cents per pound, or from 10 per cent to 25 per cent." Importers also expect large orders from Russia, which has been cut off from Chinese tea caravans by the war.

CABLE NOTES.

Prince George of Greece, high commissioner of Crete, leaves for a visit to European capitals. The object of his journey is to represent to the powers that he is unwilling to renew the and Sir Wilfrid Laurier's administra-

The socialist congress will hold fts next meeting in 1903 at Amsterdam. April 23, 1896, made thirteen appoint-The congress, at its sesson at Paris ments to the senate. At the rate at industry and posts and telegraphs, who is a socialist in the Waldeck-Rousseau ministry. A motion permitting sociala portfolio in a Bourgeois cabinet, was l adopted.

A military train has been wrecked on the Trans-Baikal Railway. Eleven soldiers were killed, and twenty cars

were smashed to pieces.
The doings of the Pacific cable committee, says a London cable, are closely guarded from the public, but it is understood that tenders were received for the laying of the cable in response to an advertised invitation, and in a few days cablegrams will be sent to ments announcing the acceptance of a certain tender and the plans of construction of the cable.

IN THE SENATE

There Has Been a Great Change in Four Years.

Ottawa, Sept. 29.-The Senate of Canada is composed of 81 members, who represent the various Provinces

proclamation on May 22, 1867. As then pears. constituted it consisted of 72 members, Nine representing the four Provinces which originally entered confederation, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick each having twelve members at that time. Of "How would you cure the I the original 72 members there are six tion, doctor?" asked his friend. who still occupy seats in the upper chamber. They are: Senators David Reesor and George W. Allan, from Ontario; Senator Joseph F. Armand, from Quebec; Senators Robert B. Dickey and William Miller, from Nova Scotia, and

Senator Wark, from New Brunswick. When the Laurier government came into power in 1896 but five of the appointees of the Mackenzie administration remained in the senate, and, with the exception of the six appointed by royal proctamation, two of whom were Liberals, all the rest were nominees of Tablets." the various Conservative administrations. Since that date 22 senators have

Seen appointed, several of them, how-ever, replacing Liberals.

The strength of the two parties as nearly as can be ascertained in a body where party politics are nominally ex-cluded, and where the members are never all present, now stands at: Con-

servatives 50. Liberals 31. In the four years during which the Laurier govern-ment have been in power the number of senators who, before they were elevated to the senate were recognized as Conservatives, has been reduced from about 70 to 50. The appointment of ten or twelve more Liberals in the place of Conservatives will give their party

a majority in the senate. The largest number of appointments made to the senate in any one calendar year was in 1896, when Sir Mackenzie Bowell's administration appointed ten. Sir Charles Tupper's government one, high commissionership of Crete for antion called seven gentlemen to the up-other term. the period between April 18, 1895, and yesterday, discussed the position of M. which the appointees of the Liberal Millerand, the minister of commerce, government have replaced Conservatives since 1896, the senate majority will, under a continued Liberal admin-istration, be Liberal in its complexion ists, under certain conditions, to accept in about two years, or three years at the outside.

THE DOCTOR'S TALKS

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The senate was constituted by royal proclemation on May 22: 1822 As then that accompanies the festering, swelling and inflammation resulting from the presence of the splinter. I TAKE Then the pain vanishes. So with headache. move the cause and the pain disap-

Nine-tenths of the headaches that "How would you cure the Indiges-

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ening the stomach. "I have cured every case of Indigestion and Dyspepsia I have met during seven years past, and my cures were all effected by Dodd's Dyspepsia

United States had contributed \$230,297.40 for the relief of the famine sufferers in India. Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well.—Chesterdeld. Have an aim in life, or your energies will be wasted.—M. C. Peters.

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-Mrs. Herbert Macbeth, of Toronto, is visiting friends here.

-During September there were 49 births in the city, 38 marriages and 35 deaths. -Richard B. and Jas. T. Holman

are spending their vacation with friends and relatives in Chicago. -Mr. Chas. G. Williams left for To-

ronto this morning, where he will attend the School of Practical Science. -The public meeting in the Y. M. C. A. building tomorrow begins at 4 p.m.—not 7, as was erroneously stated. -The health inspector, Dr. Hutchinson, seized a quantity of decayed fruit, mostly peaches, on the market this

-Mr. E. Moyer has secured a permit for a one and a half story brick veneer house on Oxford street, east of

Maitland. -Mr. Joseph Leah has taken out permits for two story and a half brick veneer houses at Dundas and Eva streets.

-Wellington Street Methodist Church Epworth League will entertain the Normal and Model School scudents Monday, Oct. 1, in the lecture room. -Mrs. Macbeth, of Princess avenue, left on Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Worthington, Sussex

avenue, Toronto. -The Sarnia football team arrived in the city this morning. They are to play London this afternoon at Tecumseh Park, in the intermediate championship series.

-The annual meeting of the Oil Springs branch of the Bible Society will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 2. Rev. assembly's Sunday school committee r. Beaumont, of London, will give a lecture on Bible work.

-The condition of Rev. R. D. Hamilton, of Weilington Street Methodist Church, continues to improve daily. He has been in Victoria Hospital for a couple of weeks suffering from appen-

The First Presbyterian Church Sabbath school will hold its annual rally tomorrow morning. A specially prepared service suitable for the occasion will be used and an address delivered by the pastor, Rev. W. J.

-On Thursday and Friday next the West Elgin Agricultural Society will celebrate the fortieth anniversary of their fair at Wallacetown. For the concert on Thursday evening the committee have secured the Imperial Male Quartet of London.

-A rally of the First Congregational Sunday school will be held tomorrow evening in place of the regular preaching service. A short talk especially for the children will be given by the pastor, Rev. E. C. Oakley, and music will be supplied by the school.

-Mr. David Stewart, a prominent citizen of Glasgow, Scotland, and his two nieces, the Misses Stewart, who have been on a trip around the world. are in the city. The party have just come from Australia, via Vancouver, and are on their way home.

-A special Sunday school rally service will be held in Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow morning. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Saunders, will preach, and the choir will render appropriate music. The parents are

invited to bring their children. -The harvest festival at St. John's, London township, will be celebrated on Sunday by special services and church decoration. A harvest supper and programme of music, band, etc., will be given at "Fairview," residence of Mr. H. Farncombe, on Tuesday next.

-The funeral of the late Oscar Genge was held this morning from Ferguson's undertaking parlors to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. Canon Rich-The pallbearers were Messrs. A. E. Cooper, Will Rhyeard, Austin Andrew, Charles Bowman, Rebert

Munro and Richard Bland. -Enthusiasm over the war with the Transvaal has not yet died away. A man living up in Lambton county, has just made application for permission to change the names of his three children to something suitable The names of the children, as they will be, since the registrar-gen-

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eral's department has consented to the change, will be Redvers, after Gen. Buller; Roberts, after ittle "Bobs," and Victoria, after her majesty.

-Only Aid. Brener, Stevenson and Bartlett visited Victoria Hospital yesterday to consider the need of an-other boiler and other apparatus which the trust, upon Chief Engineer Glass' recommendation, are seeking to have placed in the frospital. They were met by Col. Lewis, Mr. McCormick, Supt. Balfour and Chief Engineer Glass.

-The collections for the India fam-ine fund received at the Synod office of the Diocese of Huron now amount to \$2,869 77. The following additional sums have been received since the last report: Previously acknowledged, \$2,-186 42; Tuscarora Indians, 81c; Cayuga Indians, \$1 23; Detaware Indians, 750 London St. George's Church, \$29; All Saints' Church, \$1 25; St. Paul's Cathedral, \$650 30-total, \$2,869 77.

-An exchange says: "In spite of the success of the Halifax exhibition as a show, it seems that there was a deficit of nearly \$8,000 in the accounts. An improvement in the transportation service from different parts of the city is recommended by those wishing to alter this unfortunate state of things." Apparently the Western Fair is the only large exhibition in the Dominion that has come through with a handsome surplus.

-On Wednesday afternoon a pleas ing event took place at "Maple Leaf Place," near Sebringville, the residence of Mr. W. H. Coulton, when his second daughter, Miss Mabel Treleaven, was united in marriage to Mr. Wesley M. McKenna, of Grand Valley. Rev. Dr. Deacon, M.A., B.D., rector of the Home Memorial Church, Stratford, performed the marriage seremony. Miss Mabel F. Dexter, of London, niece of the bride, was one of the bridesmaids.

-The last Sunday in September is now generally observed by the Sunday schools of the International Sabbath School Association as "Rally Day. Dundas Center Sunday school will observe the day by a special sermon to children in the morning by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Saunders, D.D., in the afternoon, at 2:45, by a special service of responsive Scripture readings and sacred song. Addresses will be delivered by Principal M. W. Althouse and Rev. A. K. Birks, B.A.

-- "Other People's Money," the attraction to be presented at the London Opera House on Thursday, Oct. 4, matinee and night, is a pure, clean comedy, with none of the horseplay about it that many authors indulge in to make people laugh. The plot bears evidence of exceptional skill in construction. The dramatic points are humorous in the extreme, and entail no end of laughable situations. A very capable company, headed by that promising comedian, Hennessy Leroyle, give the comedy an excellent interpre-

-The services in St. Andrew's Church tomorrow will be devoted to the in-terests of the Sabbath school. In the morning Rev. Dr. Johnston will preach on "The Spiritual Life of the School," and in the evening he will give an introductory sermon to the studies of the pastor's class for the next three months. The subject of the course will be "Life Decision." At 3 o'clock there will be an open session of the school and pastor's class, at which the programme prepared by the general will be followed.

-A correspondent at Iona Station writes: The young people of Lawrence and vicinity gathered last night at the house of Spurgeon Campbell to bid Mr. and Mrs. Campbell good-bye, prior to their leaving for London, where Mr. Campbell intends studying medicine in the London Medical College. After a social evening Mr. Neil McLachlin and Robert Turner presented Mr. Campbell with a neatly-worded address and a solid gold watch chain, and Mrs. Campbell with a purse of money as a tribute of the respect in which they were held by their many

-A number of prominent C. P. R. officials were in the city yesterday, and while here they witnessed a test of a replacer or wrecking frog, invented and patented by Mr. Ed. Best, auxiliary car foreman, London. Half a dozen cars were thrown from the tracks, and the value of the frog was shown when by its use the cars were easily replaced on the rails, none of them occupying more than fifteen minutes. The officials were so well satisfied with the wrecking frog that they decided to have it used on the entire system. The frogs are of steel, three long and a foot in width, and they are attached to each side of the rails. set of two does not weigh over 100 pounds. Among the officials who witnessed the test were Messrs. McNicholl and Tait, of the head offices, Montreal; General Superintendent Leonard, Toronto: Superintendent Williams, of this city, and Master Mechanic Mc-

POLICE COURT.

At the police court this morning John Turner, an old-timer, was fined \$10 or two months' hard labor for being drunk. John took the two months. Elizabeth Snell was let go on suspended sentence for the same offense. FAST TRAVELING.

The train on the Grand Trunk known as the International Limited, is one of the fastest trains in America. Last Monday it made the distance from Woodstock to London, 29 miles, in 27 minutes. Harry Overend, of Toronto was driver; John Tolhurst, of London, fireman, and D. Murray, of London,

DISASTROUS FIRE IN A STABLE. A fire broke out last night in a stable in the rear of Robert Hill's residence, on Brydges street. Before they could get to work on the blaze the firemen had to lay 1,000 feet of hose, but they succeeded in saving a portion of the structure. Five horses, a cider mill and other articles were destroyed, and the loss will be about \$1,000.

P. M. LOVE CRITICISED.

Police Magistrate Frank Love yesterday received the following anonymous postcard, written in red ink, from a discontented individual:

"Justice in the Dark .- For selling a 5-cent cigar a woman is fined \$1. Street Car Company working on Sunday all right. We must not stop their profits for Monday. Small boy on wheel fined \$2. Street Car Company running

will. Alwright. Gustice."

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL. Warren Jenkins was vesterday after noon committed for trial by Squire Lacey on a charge of assaulting and wounding John McDowell, of London township. During a quarrel Jenkins is alleged to have struck McDowell on the head with a bottle. Jenkins was brought before Judge Edward Elliott this morning and elected trial by jury. He was released on giving personal bail in \$200 and a surety of \$100. A counter-charge haid by Jenkins against McDowell, of taking certain books and accounts, the property of Jenkins, has been adjourned.

Retreat A VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN

Germany Reported to Have Withdrawn From an Untenable Position.

Queer Statement Attributed to Li Hung Chang-Russians Capture Kirin in Manchuria.

London, Saturday, Sept. 29-4 a.m.-Apparently Germany's retreat from an untenable position has been virtually accomplished. The Paris correspondent of the Morning Post says; An agreement on the Chinese programme has been arranged between France, Germany and Russia. It will in a few days. The action recommended will be milder than Germany's original proposal, and it is expected that

all the powers will accept it. The Cologne Gazette, in a semi-offi-cial statement, apparently intended for consumption in England and the United States, pointed out the serious position resulting from Prince Tuan's asmissionaries and converts and other indications that the anti-foreign movement is directed from an influential center." It thinks that the situation thus created "must appear intolerable, even to those powers favoring a policy of indulgence and forbearance."

WHAT LI SAYS. The Tien Tsin correspondent of the Standard says; "I learn that IA Hung Chang has declared that Vice-Admiral Alexieff has gone to Port Arthur to avoid meeting Count Von Waldersee, who was to hold a conference with him and with Vice-Admiral Seymour and Sir Alfred Gaselee."

The following dispatch, dated Sept. 27, has been received from Shanghai: It is reported that Gen. Mei Kung Yi has expelled the Boxers from Shan Tung, and is now following them into the province of Chi Li.

Some excitement has been caused by a rumor that Chinese steamers flying the British flag are conveying munitions of war from the Shanghai arsenal northward. It is reported that Russia. has offered to advance money to China to repay the British loan.

RUSSIANS ACTIVE.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says: Gen. Aigustoff has sent the following dispatch to the war office: Rennenkampf captured Kirin (Manchuria) Sept. 24, and established his headquarters there. The Chinese troops were disarmed.

NOTHING VIA WASHINGTON. Washington, D.C., Sept. 28.-The state department has not been advised officially of any of the events of more or less importance which are said to have occurred in China within the past 24 hours. If Tuan has been degraded, and the Chinese naval ports, the state department does not know these facts. It has let it be known to the Chinese government that Tuan's promotion would be unwelcome to the United States government, but it has not yet been informed of the results of that representation.

ACTION OF FRIENDLY VICEROYS. New York, Sept. 29.—A dispatch to tator, speaking good-humoredly before the Herald from Shanghai says it is ritualists upon the effect of the reforlearned from reliable sources that the friendly southern viceroys, Liu Kun Yi, Chang Chi Tung and Yuan Shih Kal, have impeached Prince Tuan, Gen. Kuang Li and Gen. Tung Fuh Slang, in a memorial to the throne. Tung Fuh Siang is still in command

of the imperial troops.

Tien Tsin, Sept. 25, via Taku, Sept. 26, via Shanghai, Sept. 28. - Li Hung Chang told Gen. Chaffee today that his chief desire was to effect a cessation of hostilities, and he promised that the Chinese would not again take the initlative in fighting. He expressed confidence in the fairness of the United States, and said he hoped the American Government would act as a mediator. He is in constant cable communication with Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister in Washington.

BRITISH RECONNOISSANCE. A British cavalry reconnoissance 40 miles to the southwest of Tien Tsin occupied several towns without opposition. The region is reported peaceful.

A messenger who arrived here today brings news of a massacre of thirteen Swedish missionaries in the northern part of the province of Shan St.

LOOKING FOR WAR. Shanghai, Sept. 28.—According to pri-vate advices received here from Nankin, the southern viceroys expect Great Britain and Germany to declare war on China, as there is no likelihood of China surrendering the authors of the anti-foreign uprising for punish-

ment. THE EMPEROR HEARD FROM.

Emperor Kwang Su has issued an edict thanking Emperor Nicholas for his decision to withdraw the Russian troops from Pekin, and also announcing his own willingness to perform a memorial ceremony over the grave of Baron Von Ketteler, the murdered German minister to China.

It is announced from a Chinese official source that the imperial court has ordered that the palace at Si Ngan Fu. capital of the province of Shen Si, be immediately prepared for its reception.

TUAN MUST GO.

New York, Sept. 29.-If the protest regarding the appointment of Prince Tuan, forwarded by Minister Wu Ting Fang, remains without effect, and Tuan is kept in the privy council, the United States will refuse to negotiate with China, unless assurances are given that the action of the envoys shall not be subject to review by the Chinese emperor, says a special to the Times from Washington. This is an unusual step, but the circumstances of the case are held to make it necessary. CAPTURED A COAL REGION.

Paris, Sept. 29.-A dispatch received here from Taku says a French battation from Pekin has occupied Lou Kou Chiao, and Chan Sin Tien, thus obtaining coal stores.

WAS A CANADIAN.

Chicago, Sept. 29 .- W. T. Casgrain, a civil and contracting engineer, a man of a distinguished Canadian family, was found dead in his room yesterday. A gas jet was turned on, and it is believed that death was wilfully sought.

MUCH DISTRESS and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced.

MARRIED. ARCHER-PEARSON-On Sept. 27, 1900, in this city, by the Rev. Mr. Holmes, Mr. W. Archer, formerly of Dundas, to Miss Amy Pearson, youngest daughter of Ms. Thomas Pearson, of Springbank.

DISASTROUS

Carried on in Connection With Norwegian Steamer Sunk and 45 Lives Lost. the British Elections.

Chamberlain Charged With Political Dishonesty. by Acelamation.

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Church Associations Pigure in the Fight-Honors for South African Soldiers-Two New Weekly Newspapers to Appear.

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London, Sept. 29.-The election cambe submitted to the other powers with- paign is developing unexpected heat, chiefly due to the vigorous efforts of the Liberals to show a united front. Personalities are figuring more than usual in the contests. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the secretary of state for the colonies, by reason of the aggressive tone of all his speeches, is cendancy, "the continued massacre of the object of many bitter personal attacks. Some of his enemies have declared him to be politically dishonest,

and even go further than that. Winston Churchill, in Oldham, has been so vigorously attacked that Gen. Sir Evelyn Wood, the adjutant-general, has had to come to his assistance with a letter declaring there was nothing dishonorable connected with his resignation from the army, and vouching for the correctness of Churchill's recent dual role of officer and correspondent. Some of the Liberals of Oldham apparently make more serious insinuation against the young candidate. But, like his father, Churchill seems to revel in a fight, and is said to stand a good chance of being elected.

Another war character, Capt. Lambton, of the British cruiser Powerful, has been assisted in his fight against the government by getting a letter from Lord Rosebery. He is also backed by all the aristocratic interests of

the Durham family. Church associations are figuring actively in the campaign. The Imperial Protestant Federation has received promises from 32 candidates to oppose to the utmost any movement tending to bring England and the Vatican in closer touch, or "Romanizing" the Established Church. On the other hand, the leading Roman Catholic papers almost unanimously support the Conservatives, believing that if they are returned with a solid majority they will achieve the project of giving Ireland a Catholic university, and in other ways see that the educational interests of Catholics in England do not suffer.

CHURCH CONGRESS. The annual church congress, in progif Russia contemplates a blockade of ress at Newcastle, was attended by the Archbishop of Canterbury, and nearly all the other Episcopal and lay dignitaries, including several American and Canadian clergymen. Though held in the midst of the election excitement, politics were carefully avoided. and the proceedings were marked by unexpected harmony. The spectacle of Mr. John Kensit, the anti-ritualist agiritualists upon the effect of the reformation, suggested to a writer the lion lying down with the lamb.

Dr. T. De Witt Talmage has returned to London after an extended trip through Europe, from which he has benefited considerably. He preaches in Wesley's Old Chapel, London, Sept. 30, and then goes to Ireland. There he will address meetings at Belfast and Dublim, whence he returns to the United

States. THE QUEEN'S HONOR LIST. The Queen now has a long list of names submitted to her as those of persons worthy of honors for service in South Africa. The identity of those who figure in the list is already causing keen speculation in certain circles. The shower of C. B.s (Companion of the Bath), C. M. G.s (Companion of St. Michael and St. George), etc., will be unprecedented. It is rumored that Lord Wolseley will be made an earl and appointed viceroy of Ireland, to succeed Lord Cadogan, whose resignation seems impending. What Lord Roberts will get still remains a secret, but Lord Kitchener, it is said, if he remains in South Africa, will be given the local rank of full general, so that he can be second in command to Gen. Buller, after Lord Roberts leaves.

NEW NEWSPAPERS. Two new weeklies are about to ap-The first is Clement Scott's pear. The first is Clement scotts Free Lance, which will be published next week, with an article by Marie Corelli as the chief attraction. The second is a new society paper, which Mrs. Williamson is about to bring out. Mrs. Williamson is a young woman of exceptional social position, the wife of colonel in the British army, and has many influential friends here and in America interested in her venture. She brought out the celebrated Book of Beauty four years ago, and has lately been editing the society column of the Daily Mail and writing for it under the signature of "The Onlooker," which will be the name of her paper. Mrs. Williamson says the paper will be run entirely on the idea of the "great value of Anglq-American co-operation in all questions of politics and trade.' THE THEATERS.

All the London theaters continue to play to crowded houses, and new pieces are rapidly making their appearance The most notable of these is J. M. Barrie's "The Wedding Guest," which was roduced for the first time at the Garrick on Thursday evening. the old story of the betrayal of an innocent Scotch lassie by an artist, with this new feature, that he promises his victim, who professes to have lost her love for him, that he will never marry another woman. He breaks his promise, and the usual dramatic exposures follow, ending in the philosophic determination of both women concerned to make the best of a bad job. It was well received, and contains delightful touches of humor and some particularly strong scenes. It is an assured sucess. H. B. Irving and Violet Van Brugh have the leading parts. It was prophesied that it was im-

possible for two Nell Gwynne plays to appear successfully in London at the same time, but "Sweet Nell of Old Drury," at the Haymarket, and "English Nell," at the Prince of Wales' Theater, are receiving excellent patron-

Richard Le Gallienne is sailing fo the United States on another lecty tour, which will begin in Minneap

Electric Turkish Baths. Walter G. Woodman, To Stephen Beverly, of Ingersoll, a Walter, of Sharpsville, Pa., and Julia C. Coles, of Mansfield, Ohio benefited by taking the electric baths and massage at 320 Dunda street, this week

Two More Deaths From Bubonic Plague at Glasgow-British M. P.'s Elected

SUNK BY COLLISION. Nagasaki, Japan, Sept. 29.-The Norwegian steamer Calanda (865 tons), and the Japanese steamer Ise-Maru, are reported to have been in collision off Iwo Shina. The Calanda was sunk and 45 of her passengers and crew were drowned. The Ise-Maru put in at

THE PLAGUE IN GLASGOW. Glasgow, Sept. 29.-Two more deaths from bubonic plague have been reported. One victim was a child born of a woman suffering from the disease.

UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES. London, Sept. 29 .- One hundred and sixty-seven constituencies, returning one-fourth of the membership of the House of Commons, made their nominations today. Up to one o'clock this afternoon 58 members had been elected unopposed, comprising 43 Conservatives, 8 Unionists, 6 Liberals and 2

Nationalists.

Among the interesting personalities on the government side returned today without opposition were Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, West Birmingham; Mr. Geo. Wyndham, parliamentary secretary of the war office; Mr. Chas T. Ritchie, the president of the board of trade, Croydon; Sir John C. R. Colomb, Great Yarmouth; Mr. Jesse Collings, under secretary for the home department, Bordesley division of Birmingham; Sir Francis Sharp Powell, Wigan; Mr. Joseph Powell Williams, the financial secretary of the war office, South Birmingham; Col. Sir Charles E. H. Vaincent, the founder of the United Empire Trade League, Central Sheffield; Mr. John Henniker Heaton, Canterbury; Mr. Charles Beilby Stuart-Wortley, Hallam division of Sheffield, and Sir Edward Albert Sassoon, Hyths The five Liberals returned unopposed include Mr. William Court Gully, the speaker of the House of Carlisle, and Sir Henry Hartley Fowler, formerly under secretary of state for the home department and secretary of state for India, East Wolverhamp-

An interesting feature of the elections is the intervention of the colonies, for the first time, in the elections of the motherland. A dispatch from Hobart, Tasmania, this morning, announces the adoption of a resolution by the Tasmanian assembly proposing a joint Australian cablegram congratulating Mr. Chamberlain on the British successes in South Africa, and hoping the electors of Great Britain will emphatically insist on the fruits of victory being effectually secured

DECLINE IN COAL

Taken as an Indication That the Strike Will Soon Be Settled.

New York, Sept. 29.-Anthracite coal was quoted \$1 a ton cheaper today than it was two days ago. This was taken as an indication that the railroads and others with stocks of coal on hand regard an early settlement of the miners' strike as probable. The railroad officials have refused to say to what point the negotiations to this end had progressed, but it was learned that the operators have practically agreed not to entirely ignore the union in making a settlement. The present plan is believed to be to place the concessions before the men at the different collieries, and ask them to return to work pending the settlement of the remaining differences by arbi-

Lord's Day Alliance.

In view of the annual meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance being held on Monday, Oct. 1, in the Dundas Street Houseman & Jones, Grand Rapids, Methodist Church, the following ar- Mich. ticle, taken from the Westminster, which clearly and most interestingly sets forth the purpose of the alliance, is timely. The alliance is non-political and non-denominational, and seeks to protect our country from losing its day

"It is not a question of Sabbath observance, but of Sabbath existence, that is before the people of Canada just now. Is the Sabbath as an institution for rest and worship to be preserved for ourselves and for our children? It is still ours, but it is beset behind and before, undermined and honeycombed by secularizing forces working for its complete destruction. If no stand is made, deliberate, unabashed and unyielding, the day of rest will be transformed within this generation to a day of pleasure and toil.

'Let there be no mistake about this thing. We raise no alarmist cry. It is not a question of Sunday cars in Toronto or Hamilton. It is not a local affair at all. It is at bottom a question involving every industry and every community. Mills, factories and shops in every county in Ontario, as well as electric cars in every town, and concerts and games at every resort, may, within a decade, demand the services of workmen and autendants if the friends of a rest day for toilers and a worship day for the devout are not

vigilant, determined and strong. 'Is it worth while saving the Sabbath? Need we ask the question? What would it mean to clerks, employes, newspaper workers, bread-winners and brain-workers of all sorts, were the day of rest as we now have it dropped out of the weekly grind? Life is hard enough now, with its stress and strain. but, were there no respite, no day when the calls of office and shop and factory are quieted and when one's scattered forces may be recollected and lost ground regained, life would be robbed of sworth to serious men and wome The one chance we have of holdingour own against the currents that mae for materialism and spiritual decar is in the day of rest and the op-

potunities it secures.

'If it is worth while saving it be cones the duty of every man at this crsis to stand guard over it as over a priceless treasure. Not one in ten among ministers and intelligent Christians appreciates the criticalness of the fee S. 29 O. 13

letter in the Westminster last week was startling enough, but the situation in Hamilton and Burlington Beach, as he reports it, is no more serious than might be found at Toronto Island and in the city. Toronto seems of late to be set upon destroying its world-wide reputation for Sabbath quiet. The traffic in soft drinks in the city, the lawless-ness on the island, and the general demoralization of the parks and gardens are significant signs of the changed conditions. It involves more important interests than the easy-going allow. "The Ontario Lord's Day Alliance is doing most important work, and deserves the active and sympathetic co-operation and the financial support of all who care for the saving of the Sabbath either for rest or for worship. Other provinces are following Ontario's lead in the matter of organized resist-ance to organized greed, secularism and worldly pleasure. The sneers of the unreflecting or the irreligious will not deter the alliance nor turn them aside from their stern task of resisting corporations in the conscienceless atof the Lord's Day. Ministers and of-fice-bearers in all the churches should give most earnest heed to the appeals of the alliance, for the fight is one in which the stake is not the Sabbath alone, but the church and every instition of religion. Let there be no mis-take about it."

present situation. Mr. MacWillerns

English Markets

Liverpool, Sept. 29—Closing.
Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 Cal., 6s 63/d to 6s
7d; No. 1 northern spring, not quoted; No. 2 red
western winter. 6s 3d; futures, easy; Sept.,
nominal; Dec., 6s 3/d.
Corn. Spot standay. Corn-Spot steady; American mixed, new, 49

3%; futures, quiet; Oct., 4s 3%d; Nov., 4s 2%d, Dec., 4s 1%d. Peas.—Canadian, 5s 10d.
Beof.—Extra India mess, dull, 72s 6d; prime mess, steady, 66s 3d.
Pork.—Prime mess, fine western, steady, 72f 6d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 8s 6d. Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 39s 3d; prime western, in tierces, firm, 37s 9d. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 43s 6d. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 43s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm,
45s 6d; short ribs, 17 to 22 lbs, firm, 48s; long
clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 48s;
long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm,
43s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm,
43s; clear bellies, 14 to 15 lbs, firm, 47s.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 23s.
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 25s 9d; Australian
in London, firm, 26s 9d.
Cottonseed, oil—Hull, refined, Nov-April

Cottonseed oil-Hull refined, Nov.-April, steady, 20s 3d. Cheese-American finest white, firm, 53s;

do, colored, firm, 54s. Butter-United States finest, 9is; do good, Hops—At London, Pacific coast, steady, £253 to £3 5s.
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Chicago Exchange.
CHICAGO, Sept. 29.
Followingare the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
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English Markets.

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

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Live Stock Markets.

cattle market today the run was heavy and trade still dull. Exporters not selling; butchers' cattle steady; feed-

ers a trifle firmer; other cattle un-changed. Sheep and lambs easy. Hogs unchanged. The market displayed no new features. The run was fairly large,

67 loads—700 cattle, 1,200 hogs and 1,-580 sheep and lambs. Some cattle were

still left unsold. Export cattle-Practically nothing doing; one load of cat-tle, 1,235 pounds, sold at \$4.35 per cwt, but they were taken back to the coun-

try as short keep steers. Butchers'

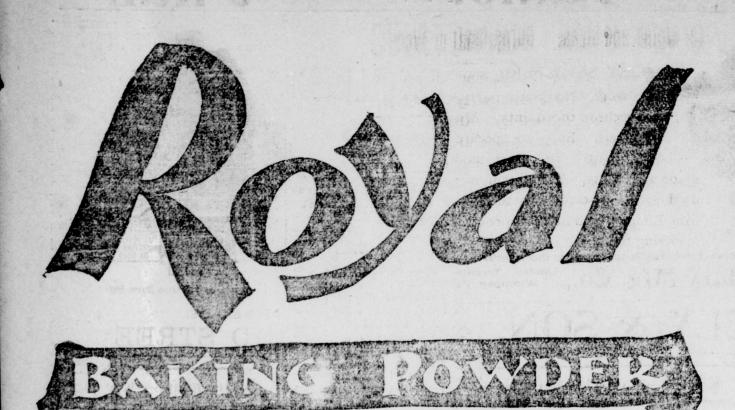
cattle-Moderate trade at unchanged prices; good fat cattle were still scarce

and wanting; choice to picked lots are

worth \$4 to \$4 60 per cwt; medium to good, \$8 50 to \$4 per cwt, and inferior to good cows, \$2 50 to \$3 25 per cwt.

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Merchants	169	155
Commerce	153	16234
Imperial		
Dominion	233	231
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British America	108	100
Western Assurance	118	115
Consumers' Gas		
Montreal Gas	180	185
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Ganada Pacific Ry. Stock.	86%	86
General Electric	169	167 %
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	POTENTIAL PROPERTY AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY
Annatonic tasks discovering the second and s	Local Market. London, Saturday, Sept. 29. The number of people who braved the mud of this morning's market to bargain for rain-soaked vegetables and other produce was remarkable. They stole a march on their comfort-loving neighbors, though, for while the latter were getting their goods from the greery ever on the corner, the umbrella-wielding buyers on the square got their stuff a wee bit cheaper, for the farmers were wretched indeed, and were an dous to dispose of their stocks. Rain and mud and everything else considered, it was a fair market. Good quantities of all staples were offered,
AND DESCRIPTION OF PERSONS SAILS	quantities of all staples were offered, and were bought as freely as could be expected, but it is useless to note tha
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4	Apples, per bag	35	0	70
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The Oil Market. fetrolia Advertiser, Sept. 28: Latest oil figures—Petrolia crude, \$1 57, net; Oil Springs crude, \$1 56, net; refined, in bulk. 11%c to 12%c; refined, in barrels, 14%c to 16%c.
PITTEBURG, Pa., Sept. 29.—Oil opened at PITTEBURG, Pa., Sept. 28.—Oil closed at OIL CITY Sept. 98.—Oil—Credit balances, 1 15; certificates, no bids.

To rento Produce Market. Toronto, Sept. 29.—Wheat—Easier, et 66c for red and white west; goose, 65c west; spring wheat is quiet, at 670 east; Manitoba steady, at 670 for No. 1 hard at Toronto and west, 99½0 grinding in transit, 89½0 to 90c affoat at Fort William, and 93½c at Goderich. Flour—Easier, cars of 90 per cent at the content of some at \$2.70 in huyers. cent patents offering at \$2 70 in buyers' bags west; Manitoba, \$4 70 for Hungarian patents, and \$4 for strong bakers, bags included, Toronto. Millfeed-Steady, at \$14 for shorts and \$12 for bran west. Barley—Steady, at 38c for No. 8 extre west: No. 1, 82c west: No. 1, 41c east, and 40c west. Buckwheat-Steady, at 43c west. Rye—Quiet, 49c west. Corn—Steady, at 42c for Canada yellow west; No. 8 American is quoted at 50c at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 23c west, Peas—Steady, at 570 west. Butter—Steady; choice dairy rolls, 18½c to 19½c; tubs and pails, 18c to 19c; low grades, 14c to 16c; creamery steady, at 22c to 23c for prints, and 21/2c to 22c for packages. Eggs-Good demand for new-laid eggs, which are scarce, at 151/2c to 16c for best stock; seconds and splits at 7c to 11c.

American Markets. CHICAGO, Sept. 28 .- An estimate of a heavy exportable surplus for the Argentine was largely responsible for a weak wheat market today, October closing 14c to 1%c lower. Corn closed %c down; and oats a shade higher. Provisions closed but little changed. Primary receipts were 950,000 bushels, compared with 974,000 bushels last year.
Minneapolis and Duluth reported 374 cars, against 409 last week and 869 a

year ago. Local receipts were 302 cars, 25 of contract grade. Clearances were \$49,000 bushels. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 350 cars; corn, \$25 cars; oats, 265 cars; hogs, 19,000 head.

Export bulls—Steady demand at \$3 25 to \$4 25 per owt; feeding bulls, fair offerings sold readily at \$2 75 to \$3 25 per cwt. Feeders-There was a brisk demand, and a good-sized run sold at \$3 99 to \$4 25 per owt for heavy shortkeep steers; \$2 00 to \$3 85 per cwt for ordinary heavy stock, and \$3 to \$3 50 per swt for light feeders. Stockers are steady at \$2 25 to \$2 75 per cwt for steers of 400 to 700 pounds, and \$2 to \$2 25 per owt for helfers and off-colors. Milch cows-About five new cows were received; a good number of poor quality have been here for a week or ten days; prices are quoted steady at \$30 to \$50; choice milchers and springers ere wanted. Sheep-Large run met slightly easier prices of \$3 50 to \$3 65 er ewt for export ewes; a Lambs-Trade was rather dull, but all sold out at easy prices of \$3 60 to \$4 per cwt or \$2 50 to \$3 25 a head. Hogs unchanged at \$6 25 per cwt for selections of 160 to 200 pounds, natural weight, and \$5 50 per cwt for lights and fats. NEW YORK, Sept. 28.-Beeves-Receipts, 4,015; steers fully 10c higher; bulls and cows, 10c to 20c tower; steers, \$4 45 to \$5 90; bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 60; cows, \$1 26 to \$3 25. Cables quoted live cattle slow at 11c to 12c per 1b; sheep seiling at 11½c to 12½c; refrigerator beef, 90 to 9%c per lb. Shapments, 200 cattle. Calves-Receipts, 470; market demoralized; veals, 25c lower; grassers, lower; yeals, \$4 to \$8; little calves, \$2 50 to \$4; grassers, \$2 25 to \$3. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,077; trade slow;

> Hogs-Receipts, 2,780; slow at \$5 70 to WAST BUFFALO, Sept. 28 .- Cattle-Moderate demand; market easy; calves were in moderate supply, light demand, easier; choice to extra, \$7 50 to \$7 75; good to choice, \$7 to \$7 50. Sheep and tambs—Lambs, choice to extra, \$6 35 to \$5 50; good to choice, \$5 15 to \$6 25; common to fair, \$4 25 to \$4 75; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 50; good to choice, \$4 to \$4 25; common to fair, \$2 50 to \$3 50; Canada lambs opened rather slow; choice to extra sold at \$5 45 to \$5 55; good to choice, \$5 15 to \$5 \$5; the close was lower than the opening on Canada lambs. Hogs-Slow and 50 Canada tambs. Hogs—Elow and 50 lower; heavy hogs, \$5 70 to \$5 75; choice heavy, \$5 80; mixed, \$5 70 to \$5 75; Yorkers, \$5 70 to \$5 75; pigs, \$5 60 to \$5 65; grassers, \$5 40 to \$5 60; roughs, \$4 80 to \$5; stags, \$3 60 to \$4 25; close dull. CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; good to prime steers, \$5 45 to \$5 85; poor to medium, \$4 50 to \$5 40; selected

prices 15c to 25c lower; sheep, \$2 50 to

\$4; choice and export wethers, \$4 25 to \$5 40; oulls, \$2; lambs, \$4 40 to \$5 50; culls, \$3 to \$4; Canada lambs, \$5 371/2.

feeders, choice steady, others weak, at \$3 80 to \$4 50; mixed stockers weak, \$2 50 to \$3 60; cows, \$2 50 to \$4; heifers, \$2 90 to \$4 60; canners, \$2 to \$2 65; bulls weak, \$2 50 to \$4 15; calves, \$4 50 to \$6 50; Texans, receipts, 1,000; Texas fed steers, \$4 15 to \$5; Texas grass steers, \$3 25 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 30 to \$3 25. Hogs— Receipts, 26,000; mixed and butchers, \$5 10 to \$5 521/2; good to choice heavy, \$5 10 to \$5 50; rough heavy, \$4 95 to \$5 05; light, \$5 20 to \$5 50; bulk of sales, \$5 25 to \$5 45. Sheep-Receipts, 6,000; good to choice steady, common 150 lower; good to choice wethers, \$3 90 to \$4 25; fair to choice mixed, \$3 60 to \$3 90; western sheep, \$3 90 to \$4 20; Texas sheep, \$2 50 to \$3 60; native lambs, \$4 25 to \$5 50; western lambs, \$4 75 to \$5 35.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Sept. 28 .- Here and at Liverpool United States cattle are weak and slow, sales at 11c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; sheep are quoted at 11%c to 12%c; refrigerator beef is selling at 9c to 9%c per lb.

The Dairy Markets. CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Butter steady; creameries, 16c to 21½c; dairies, 13c to 18c. Cheese quiet, 10½c to 11¾c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Butter steady; creamery, 17c to 22c; factory, 14c to 16½c; June greamery, 18c to 21½c; imitation creamery, 15c to 18c; state dairy, 15½c to 21c. Cheese firm; large, white, 11½c to 11½c; small, white, 11½c

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ored; sales on the board 120 boxes col-NAPANEE, Ont., Sept. 28 .- At the cheese board today there were 700 boxes boarded; 10 13-16c was bid, but no

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 28 .- Only 30 boxes of cheese were sold today because dealers would not pay more than 10%c, and sellers wanted more; 1,500

boxes were boarded. PERTH, Ont., Sept. 28 .- There were 1,430 boxes of cheese, all white and September make, sold here today. Fowler bought 760; Webster, 846 and Bissell 300 boxes; price paid for all

was 11c. WINCHESTER, Ont., Sept. 28.—The offerings on the cheese board today were 763 boxes colored. The highest bid was made by Ault, who secured 272 boxes at 11c.

Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Sept. 28-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Moderate to fresh winds, shifting to westerly, clearing tonight. Sunday—Generally fair; no decided change in temperature.

This Explains It.

When ladies get together, as they sometimes will, their conversation at this time of the year generally drifts to the housekeeping task of preserving, and comparisons of prices paid for fruit are always in order. Many prudent women have thus been made envious by their friends telling them of "the perfectly beautiful peaches they bought for 25 cents a basket." The economical ones wondered how the others had been so lucky, and the solution will probably be found in the little tale that was told by Health Inspector Hutchinson this morning. He paid his quarter for one of these baskets of peaches, took them away and examined them carefully. The result of his investigations was that he made another trip and in his official capacity lifted a number of baskets, for which, despite the protestations of the dealer, he paid no 25 cent piece. Subsequently he made a tour of the market and seized a drayload of the cheap and very much diseased fruit.

Valuable City Property. On Thursday next Mr. J. W. Jones will sell on the premises, 413 King street, the entire household effects contained in the two story brick house. At 1:30 p.m. the property will be sold. It is in one of the best localities in the city, and one of the choicest properties to be had on King street at the present time. To any one desiring to purchase a home no better selection could be found.

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LITTLE LADS

Work at Hard Jobs for Small Dun's Weekly Review of the State of Pay in the Coal Mines.

Their Puture Status One of the Gravest Questions Raised by the Great Strike.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 29 .- One of the gravest question to be settled by the strike in the anthracite region of Pennsylvania, if the strike is settled on Its merits, is that of the employment of child labor in these mines. Small boys are employed about the mines for various purposes. The chief task is to pick the slate out of the coal as it leaves the breakers. The boys who do this are known as breaker boys.

Then there are drivers in the mines—that is, boys who drive the trains of mule cars from the assembling point in the interior of the mine to the hoisting apparatus that brings the coal to

the surface.

Other boys who bring the individual cars from the remote ends of the mine, where the coal is taken, to the as-Sembling point, are called runners. When the mule car is filled the miner and his laborer and the running boy give it a running start, and as the track generally slopes to the central or assembling portion of the runner has nothing to do but ride on his car until it reaches a point where the mule trains are made up Then he jumps off, and no matter how swiftly his car is moving he stops it with a stick about like a policeman's billy, sharpened, which he sticks into spokes of the wheel.

Another class of boys are called trappers. They attend the doors be-tween the various sections of the mine, opening and closing them for the mule trains. Caution in this business is necessary, because the ventilation of the mine depends on keeping certain doors closed as much as possible.

BOYS DO THE WORK OF MEN. The wages of the little fellows range from 30 to 80 cents a day, depending on age, size, skill and strength, only those who are equal, or practically so,

to a man's work receiving 80 cents. The most interesting boys' work about the mines is that of the breaker boys. A breaker is a very high concern, looking like a cross between a grain elevator and a hooded cobra. The coal, as it comes from the mine, is hoisted to the top of this concern, where the breaking is done. When it is broken the coal descends to the freight cans beneath by way of various chutes, or open troughs, according to the size of the coal. Some of the highest breakers will have a whole switch yard full of chutes coming out of them, part of which carry one size of coal and part of them other sizes. The boys work four or five to a chute. They sit astride the chute and pick out the state as the stream of coal glides down. Sometimes there will be 100 boys employed at one breaker. Sometimes only half a dozen, all depending on the size of the breaker.

CHILDREN SOMETIMES CLUBBED. The boys are supervised by a man who is known as the picker boss. He is armed with a broom, the whisk end of which he uses to stop the flow in a chute that he may make sure that it is being well picked, and the handle end of which comes into play sometimes to lay the weight of authority on a boy. The boys work from 5 to 10 hours a day, but the principal grieyance in their case is that little shavers only 8 and 9 years old are employed, and the administration of the law is so lax that the practice is not stopped. The law says 12 years for outside work and 14 for underground shall be the minimum. The result of this system is to fill the streets of the mining towns with sober-faced little men, who do not look as if they ever heard of a baseball or a kite or a game of marbles. They look like miniature men, they act like it, and beyond doubt

they feel like it. They attend the strike meetings, discuss the speeches and the prospects, and take exactly as serious a view of the grave business in hand as any of their bearded and white-haired elders. It is for the rescue of these innocents that disinterested men like Father Philips and his supporters have urged the strikers to stand firm till they get enough money to live on without sending the babies from the cradles to the

DEAFNESS OF 12 YEARS' STAND-ING.—Protracted Catarrh produces deafness in many cases. Capt. Ben Connor, of Toronto, Canada, was deaf for 12 years from Catarrh. Ail treatments failed to relieve. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder gave him relief in one day, and in a very short while the deafness left him entirely. It will do as much for you. 50 cents. For sale by C. McCallum & Co.-33.

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THE OUTLOOK FOR BUSINESS

Trade.

IN CANADA.

New York, Sept. 29 .- Dun's review of the state of trade says: Conditions in the Dominion of Canada show no important change during the past week. There is a good move-ment of drygoods, groceries and hardware at Montreal, but dullness in leather and shorts, while the export movement of cheese continues satis-

factory.

Trade is quiet at Quebec, with payments promptly met.

No change appears at Toronto and collections continue satisfactory. Unfavorable weather still retards crops at Winnipeg, and trade is depressed in consequence, while collections are slow.

Wholesalers report better business in mining sections at Vancouver, but iocal trade is dull and collections slow. Satisfactory conditions prevail in Victoria, but northern business is dimin-

BANK CLEARINGS.

The bank clearings of the principal cities of the United States for the week ending Sept. 27 show total clear-ances \$1,452,544,465, a decrease of 21.2 per cent, as compared with the corresponding week of last year. Outside of New York the clearances were \$610,897,836, a decrease of 3.2 per cent. For the Dominion of Canada the clearances were as follows: Montreal, \$14,-015,254, decrease, 7.4 per cent; Toronto, \$9,744,799; Winnipeg, \$1,832,952—decrease 14.5 per cent; Halifax, \$1,509,738—increase 9.5 per cent; Hamilton, \$690,883—decrease, 6.1 per cent; St. John, N. B., \$751,214—increase 2.5 per cent; Vancouver, \$1,046,674-increase, 4.3 per cent; Victoria, \$854,095-increase 20.2 per cent.

ON THE OTHER SIDE.

Incomplete returns of failures for the third quarter of 1900, with estimates covering the last day, indicate a total of 2,490 in number and \$27,954,139 in amount. This is a slight increase in number over the second quarter, but a decrease of 400 from the first three months this year. Liabilities are much smaller than in the preceding quarters of this year, but \$10,000,000 larger than in 1899. This week the paralysis of the anthracite industry caused by the strike was more complete than last, and the effect was seen upon the dis tribution of the merchandise in the east and the placing of new orders with manufacturers.

Weather conditions have been favorable for late crops and farm work is progressing rapidly, except for some damage to grain in shock in the Northwest.

Iron and steel products generally unchanged. Wheat again rose to 83c, but failed to maintain the advance. Corn for prompt delivery was scarce, and advanced 10c above the price at this date last year, or over 25 per cent. Another increase of 5,970 cases in shipments of boots and shoes from Boston makes the outlook more encouraging for this industry. Leather is sharing the improvement, but the situation as to hides is rather depressing, because of heavy current receipts of cattle and the probability of still larger arrivals. Sales of wool fall to about one-quarter of last year's, and one hundred grades quoted in the Philadelphia market show a decline of about half a cent. Railroad earnings keep up to last year's record better than expect-Failures for the week were 204 in the United States, against 157 last year, and 18 in Canada, against 21 last

The Condition of Those Afflicted With Indigestion.

Flatulency, Sick Headache, Offensive ach Are Among the Symptoms.

Dyspepsia, or indigestion, as it is frequently called, is one of the most serious ailments that afflicts mankind. When the stomach loses its craving for food, and the power to digest it, the person so afflicted is both mentally and physically in a condition of wretchedness. The symptoms of the disorder are manifold, and among them may be noted, a feeling of weight in the region of the stomach, sick headache, offensive breath, heartburn, a disagreeable taste in the mouth, irritability of temper, disturbed sleep, etc. The condition is in fact one of slow starvation of the blood, nerves and body, and on the first symptoms treatment through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be sought. Mr. William Birt, a well-known black-smith at Pisquid, P. E. I., is one who suffered for years, and relates his ex-perience for the benefit of similar sufferers. Mr. Birt says: "For many years I was a victim of indigestion, accompanied by nervousness, palpitation of the heart and other distressing symptoms. My appetite was irregular. and what I ate felt like a weight in my stomach; this was accompanied by a feeling of stupor or sleepiness, and yet I rarely enjoyed a night's sound sleep. When I would retire a creeping sensation would come over i with pains and fluttering around the heart, and when I arose in the morning I would feel as tired and fatigued as I did before I went to bed. It is needless to say that I was continually taking medicine, I think almost everything recommended for the trouble. Occasionally I got temporary relief, but the trouble always came back, usually in a still more aggra-vated form. All this, of course, cost a great deal of money, and as the expenditure seemed useless I was very much discouraged. One day one of my neighbors who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with much benefit, advised me to try them. I decided to do so, thinking, nevertheless, that it would be but another hopeless experiment. my great gratification, however, I had only been using the pills for a few weeks when I felt decidedly better, and things began to look brighter. I continued taking the pills for several months, with the result that my health was as good and my digestion better than it has ever been. One of the most flattering results of the treatment was my increase in weight from than a year now since I discontinued the use of the pills, and in that time I have not had the slightest return of the trouble. We always keep the pills in the house now, and my family have the house now, and my family have at the recent examination. It was a first-class rather than a second-class certificate, as stated, which Miss Egan of Cara-These pills may be had from any dealer in medicine, or will be sent postpaid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2 50, by addressing the Dr. Williams'

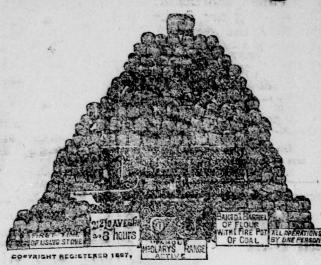
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ATTACK ON TEDDY

Roosevelt Was Clubbed by a Colorado Rough-Rough Riders Protected Him.

Cripple Creek, Col., Sept. 29.—Gov. Roosevelt was attacked Wednesday by a mob of roughs just as he left Armory Hall, where he had declared that the pockets of the Tammany leaders had been stuffed with stock in the ice

Gov. Roosevelt and his party were on foot when a crowd of boys and men began throwing stones and shouting for Bryan. The Rough Riders, mounted and unmounted, closed in around the governor to protect him. One man made a personal attack upon Gov. Roosevelt, and succeeded in striking him a blow in the breast with a stick. The assailant was immediately knocked down by Daniel M. Sullivan, postmaster of Cripple Creek.

A rush was then made by the mob to drag the mounted men in khaki uniforms from their horses. The men on foot, also in khaki, closed around the governor, making a wedge, which pushed through the crowd, and they finally succeeded in gaining the train, which was surrounded by the mob.

By this time there was probably 1,000 or 1,500 excited people in the vicinity, and fisticuffs were exchanged on all sides. Many of the mob were armed with sticks and clubs, some with rotten potatoes, stale eggs and lemons. The entire party regained the train, however, without serious injury, and it pulled out of the place with the Rough Riders on the rear platform. Gov. Roosevelt, while regretting the occurrence, was not disturbed by the incident, and was ready to proceed with his speeches in Cripple Creek.

From Near-By Places.

their anniversary services on Sunday and Monday at 7 and 8. Rev. George Jackson, of London, preaches at both services on Sunday. On Monday evening an "old-time hot supper" will be served, followed by an excellent programme. Addresses will be given by good speakers. Miss Beatrice Burton, the clever elocutionist, has been engaged and first-class music will be pro-

STRATHROY.

[Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.] Strathroy, Sept. 29 .- Mr. Henry Conn, B.A., of Walkerton, has accepted a position on the staff of the Collegiate Institute at a salary of \$900 a year. Last week Wm. Benjamin was arrested by Constable Wilson on a charge of having stolen \$60 from Mrs. Breath and Eructations, Irritability istrate Noble granted a warrant to and a Feeling of Weight on the Stom-Calcut, his grandmother. Police Mag-Whicup, where Benjamin boarded where \$20 of the money was found. Benjamin then confessed to having stolen the money. He was brought before the police magistrate on Thursday and elected summary trial. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to

twelve months in the Central Prison. The marriage of Miss Ethel, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Luscombe, to Mr. George Barth, of Windsor, was solemnized at the residence of the bride's parents, Carrie street, Wednesday afternoon, by Rev. W. F. Cluff, rector of St. John's Church. Miss Ada Barth, of Chatham, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. W. T. Lus-combe, brother of the bride, supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Barth left on the evening train for Windsor. Rt. Rev. Bishop McEway officiates in All Saints' Catholic Church here next Sunday at 10 a.m. and in Watford at Father Gnam, of Wyoming, and Rev. J. Aylward, rector St. Peter's Cathedral, London, are also expected to be present.

Mr. Fred K. Lenfesty, of Detroit, is holidaying with his mother here. Mr. D. Evans, the treasurer of the West Middlesex Fair, will commence paying out prize money on Saturday,

Mrs. (Dr.) Bucke, of the asylum, and Mr. P. E. Bucke, of London, are spending a few days with Mr. H. Pope, Oxford street.

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday morning at St. John's Church, when Mr. W. J. Galloway, of Macon, Mo., was united in marriage to Miss Marion Cook, of this town. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. T.

Mr. Jas. Alexander, of Geddes Bros.' staff, left this week for Detroit, where he will take a dental course.

GLENDALE.

Glendale, Sept. 29.—The lawn social of Friday evening proved to be a success in every way. The ladies who had the affair in hand feel very grateful to those who so kindly assisted in the programme. They were Miss Birch, of Lambeth, Messrs. McLaren, of London township, and Mr. Gray, of the firm of Gray & Parker, London. Last Sunday evening the Epworth League had the pleasure of having with them Mr. Axford, president of the North Street League, and Miss Clara

The late Mr. Wm. Brown, of Caradoc, who died last week from an at-tack of paralysis, was the father of KAY'S-Carpets, Curtains, Furniture and Home Furnishings-KAY'S

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Toronto, Ont., Sept. 28-8 p.m.-The weather has been fine today in all portions of the Dominion. The outlook, however, is now more unfavorable, and rain is generally indicated for Ontanio, and by Sunday in Eastern Canada. Minimum and maxilum temperatures: Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50-58; Kamloops, 38-60; Cal-gary, 30-64; Qu'Appelle, 44-60; Winni-peg, 38-54; Sault Ste. Marie, 36-58; Parry Sound, 40-60; Toronto, 44-64; Ottawa, 50-58; Montreal, 48-58; Quebec, 42-56; Hallifax, 56-66.

Local temperatures-Highest, 67 degrees; lowest, 38 degrees. Today (Saturday) the sun rose at 6:12 a.m. and sets at 6:04 p.m. The moon rose at 11:50 a.m. and sets at 9:14 p.m.

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-Mr. James Egal , of London, is the guest of his brothe r, Mr. Maurice Egs.n, Buller street, We odstock. -Mr. and Mr s. Frank W. Edy are

visiting friends, and relatives in Chicago and Mil waukee. Bishop Mol avay will administer confirmation w, a class at the Church of the How Rosary, Wyoming, on Sun-

day, Oct. 7. -Mess a. J. Read, H. Brewer and A. McVitte e, of Clinton, are in town, attending the Forest City Business and Short rand College.

I he regular meeting of the Misto Lepers will be held in Somer-Hall on Monday afternoon, Oct. 1, half past four.

-Mrs. Rachael Shannon, of Waterford, formerly of this city, was knocked down by a bicycle and killed at Vancouver on Thursday.

-Mrs. R. Blakemore and her mother, Mrs. W. J. Tanner, left on Fri- Signed on behalf of the Distroit Old Cay evening for Hamilton, where in Boys: Dr. F. E. Leys, avendent;

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future they will make their home, Mr. Blakemore having secured a more lucrative position in that city. -The annual meeting of the Conser-

vative Club is to be held in the club rooms next Friday evening. -Rev. J. W. Holmes, city, will preach in the Central Methodist Church, Woodstock, tomorrow.

-Rev. T. S. Johnson, of this city, will preach anniversary services in the East Nissourl Baptist Church on Sunday, Oct. 7.

-Miss Kidd, of the Nordheimer Music House, this city, received word yesterday of the death of her eister, Mrs. Gollop, of Winnipeg.

-Tomorrow evening Dr. Sowerby begins a series of sermons on human triumphs. He will illustrate sin and its oure by chemical experiment.

-Rev. Provost Watkins, M.A., of the Western University, will preach at the harvest thanksgiving in the Church of the Nativity, Dutton, tomorrow evenimg. -Mr. Chas. Abbott, of Exeter, who

has been dealing in produce there for some time, has decided to quit there and will move with his family to this city shortly. -The annual harvest home services in connection with Trinity Church,

Aylmer, will be held tomorrow (Sunday), Rev. Mr. Owen, of the Memorial Church, officiating. -The annual meeting of the Cottam branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be held Wednesday, Oct. 10. Rev. J. Moorhouse, of this

city, will be present. -- The fine new iron bridge near the Heilmuth College is rapidly approaching completion. In the meantime bi-cyclists and foot plassengers can com-fortably cross the river by a foot.

bridge. -At the September meeting of the Ruri-Decanal Chapter of Middlesex Deanery, the following were elected members of the missions committee for the county: Revs. (). R. Gunne and R. S. W. Howard, Mes srs. C. C. Hodgins and J. H. Higgin botham.

-The following ladie s, members of the Detroit Golf Club, arrived in the city last night to play at similar number of London ladles on the Hunt Club links today: Mrs. Mult. Mrs. New-berly, Mrs. Burtenshaw, Mrs. Joy, Miss Muir, Miss Warren and Miss Russell. -St. James' Church, South London, is being appropriately de corated with fruit, flowers and grain, etc., for the thanksgiving services to be held on Sunday. The Rev. W. J. 1 indrew is to prech at the morning services. The choir has been practicing suitable

-- Woodstock Sentinel: "Harrie" Lang. who played hockey here a tth Woodstock College and Woods ock in '98, is in town today. He is an route to London where he has seem ed a good situation. It is expected that he will figure on the forward line of George Black's team this coming st ason.

-The students at the Med ical School

threaten to go on strike un less a certain grievance of theirs is remedied. Mr. Fred Cannom, for some years caretaker of the place, a scently handed in his resignation, be cause the faculty declined to give him an increase in his salary, which was: \$20 a month, and also included quarter as in the basement of the college. lvr. Ash, an elderly man, was appointed to the vacancy, but he does not hitch with the students as well as Mr. Cannom, the former threaters to go on strike if Cannom is not re-engaged. -The passenger department on the Grand Thank Rallway have issued during the past few days wary handsome prochures, descriptive of the new International Limited trains, Nos. 3 and 4, and commemorating the erection of the Victoria Jubilea 13ridge at Montreal. The booklet of the Inter-national Limited trains is printed on beautiful paper with numerous halftones of scenes of interest in the extended districts through which the fast expresses run. The souvening will doubtless be in good demand. Mr. De La Hooke, at the Clock Corner, has

-Hamilton Post: Organizer Sam Landers, of the Garment Workers, has been newified of a man named Appleton, of the London, Ont., Socialist Labor party, making false stamments concerning the Garment Workers' Union label, on the market square of that calty, in the usual Socialist open air meetings on Saturday night. Mr. Appleton is the Socialist who spoke in Hamiliton a week ago on Saturday night, at the Gore. The statements made by Mr. As pleton are that sweating prevailed in this city, and garments were inade in tenement houses and the waten label put on illegitimately. Mr. Landers has challenged Mr. Appleton to meet him on the market square of London this (Saturday) night and substantiate his statements. Mr. Las ders will be accompanied by President Sutherland, of the Dundas lo-

Message of Sympathy

The following resolution, which speaks for itself, has been received from the London Old Boys' Association of Detroit:

Whereas it has come to our knowledge that his worship the mayor of the city of London has suffered an irreparable loss by the death of his wife. It is therefore moved by G. W. Burriss, and seconded by Dr. F. T. Leys, That the sincore sympathy of the London Old Boys of Detroit is by tendered to his worship, F. G. Rumball, mayor of London, Ont., in

his sore affliction. And whereas, during cur last reunion in London in August, the said Mayor Rumball endeared himself to all the "Old Boys" by his hospitality and goodfellowship, we hope that the like happy meeting of old triends which he contributed so much to foster on that occasion may be vouchesafed to himself and his departed one in the great beyond, where the old boys of Detroit trust to meet the old boys of London, in an everlasting reunion.
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Arthur Lashbrook, vice, president; Chas. Sullivan, secretary; E. E. Wil-son, treasurer; J. W. Burriss, John McPherson, executive committee. Resolved, that a copy of the above resolution be sent to his worship the mayor of London, F. G. Rumball, and to the press of London and Detroit.

FELL TO HIS DEATH

Harry Jamieson's Neck Broken by Fall at D. S. Perrin & Co.'s Last Night.

A young man named Harry Jamie-

son was almost instantly killed last night at D. S. Perrin & Co.'s factory, his neck being broken by a fall of about 11 feet. The young man had been employed by the firm for several months, and though working in the candy department upstairs, had often assisted the engineer in his duties. He had stayed after working hours to assist Engineer Foden in repairing one of the boilers, a slight accident having happened during the day. He was standing alone on a box on top of one of the bollers, turning off a steam valve with a wrench. When preparing to descend Jamieson lost his balance and fell into the 25-inch space between the two boilers. Foden at once hurried to his assistance, but so tightly was the body wedged into the narrow space that he could not extricate Jamieson unaided. The injured man groaned once of twice while wedged between the boilers, but when assistance was procured and he was removed from his position life was extinct. The remains were removed to Stephenson's undertaking establish-ment where they were viewed by Coroner Piper. After consulting with the crown attorney, the coroner de-cided that an inquest was unneces-

Young Jamieson was in his 32nd year, and came from Huron county. His father, who lives about two miles from Centralia, was notified of his son's death last night, and came to the city this morning. He will take his son's body home for burial. The young man was quite popular with his fellow-employes and acquaintances.

Amusements.

JOHN GRIFFITH'S ANNUAL VISIT. The production of the great Forrest and McCullough version of "Spartacus, the Gladiator," which Mr. John Griffith will make at the London Opera. House on Tuesday, Oct. 2, will be the most elaborate ever attempted of the play. The scento environment with which he is surrounded, and the company in support of him, have occupied the untiring efforts of his manager, Al Caldwell, for months. It is historically correct, the arena, the

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This is not possible. The only true method is to turn as quickly as can be, from poor food to good. A young lady, Miss Alice Hendricks, employed at the corner of Fourth and Race streets, Cheinnati, O., says: "I was variously treated for my nerves, muscles, lungs, etc., but none of the treatment gave me relief from the pains.

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"Someone suggested that if I found Postum Food Coffee so beneficial I had better use Grape-Nuts Food, as they were both the children of one brain. I commenced on Grape-Nuts Food for breakfast, having Postum Food Coffee with it. I found the food so dainty, delicious, and appetizing that I always looked forward to breakfast with pleasure.

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

Sewer Accounts Discussed-26th Regiment Headquarters Ask for Tax

Exemption-Other Rusiness, A three-quarter-hour session of No. 1 committee was held last night. The members present being Ald. Jolly (chairman), Stevenson, Winder, Dreaney, Barned and Secretary Pope.

A letter was received from Engineer Graydon, drawing attention to certain features of recent sewer construction and repairs. After discussion it was decided to recommend that the sum of \$202 50, which had been charged to sewers and culvert accounts, be charged to sewer debentures. This is the extra cost of substituting a larger pipe from former terminus of sewer to city limits, in the sewer laid to the works of the Canadian Packing Company, The replacing of brick gulleys to old sewers will be charged to sewers and

culverts repair account. Lieut.-Col. McEwen wrote, pointing out that the new headquarters of the 26th Regiment, at 219 Rectory street, are exempt from taxation under the act. The chairman and the assessment commissioner will report.

An application for remission of taxes was received. On motion the taxes will be allowed to stand against the property.

A number of accounts were passed.

LABOR UNIONS AT OTTAWA. Ottawa, Sept. 26 .- Mr. Flett, of Hamilton, organizer for the American Federation of Labor, is not letting the grass grow under his feet in Ottawa. Since the Dominion congress he has organized two new unions, and has two others under way. Last week he organized the bricklayers, and last night the carpenters and joiners decided to go in for an international charter.

TO SAVE LAMBTON'S DEER. Ottawa, Sept. 29.-People of Lambton county want to preserve the few deer still to be found in that district, and the Provincial Government has passed an order-in-council making it a close season for deer in Lambton, for an indefinite number of years. In Esback more than the twenty pounds I lost, and am thoroughly well in every way."

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The Liberal convention held at Delaware yesterday to nominate a candidate for the riding of South Middlesex in the approaching Dominion elections, was attended by a full representation of delegates from all parts of the riding. It was a most enthusiastic gathering, and so large in numbers that for a time it was thought the spacious town hall would not hold them all, but with a little crowding everyone managed to get in, or found standing room in the doorway. The meeting throughout was most harmonious. The bright, pleasant weather made driving a pleasure, and brought the farmers of the constituency out in force. Malcolm McGugan, M. P., the present representative, was again the unanimous choice of the convention, and his election--if there is a contest--is assured. Hon. David Mills delivered a masterly address, and was the admiration of his hearers for his grasp of the subject under consideration, for his clear, reasoning, and for his clever argu-

The meeting was opened at 1:45 with President John McDougall, of the South Middlesex Liberal Association, in the chair, who lost no time in calling for nominations. There was but one nomination made, that of Mr. McGugan, who has represented the riding ably was made by ex-Warden Henry Hardy and seconded by Joseph Howlett, or Delaware, who also moved and seconded the following resolution of confidence in Mr. McGugan:

"That we, the Liberals of South Middlesex, in public meeting assembled, hereby indorse and approve of the course pursued by our Malcolm McGugan, during the time he has represented us, and that we have the fullest confidence that we will consult our best interests by returning him to parliament. To that end we pledge ourselves to support him to the utmost of our ability at the coming

The nomination was unanimously carried by a standing vote amid the greatest enthusiasm.

The Candidate.

Mr. McGugan, on rising to reply, was enthusiastically received with hearty cheers and applause. He expressed his pleasure at seeing so many of the leading Liberals of the riding in attendance, and thanked them most heartily for their renewal of confidence in him. He was exceedingly grateful that his four years' service, as their representative, had met with approv-, and he would at all times try form his duty wisely and well. He had given the Laurier administration his hearty support at all times, believing that the measures they introduced were for the best interests of the Canadian people. If elected-and he had

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no doubts on that score-he would again give his hearty support to the best government that Canada ever had. In referring to the many reasons why the Laurier administration should again be returned to power, Mr. Mc-Gugan spoke of the great advantages to the Canadian farmer from the removal of the quarantine. In 1896, young cattle and stockers were selling in the Dominion for almost nothing, and there was a glut on the market. When the present government came in power they appointed a practical farmer at the head of the agricultural depart-ment, Hon. Sydney Fisher, who saw at once the deplorable state of affairs, into which the cattle market had fallen, and set about at once to have the trouble remedied. Negotiations were started at Washington, and it was not long before the embargo was abolished. Shipments of cattle to the United States followed, and the glut on the market was relieved. This caused prices to increase over \$8 per head, which meant millions of dollars in the pockets of the farmers of the Domin-

Mr. McGugan then touched upon the

cold storage question. Canada now had one of the finest systems in the world, and fruit and dairy products could be sent to the mother country, and land there as fresh as the day they left the Under Conservative rule farm. cold storage system was an utter failon the part of the Conservatives, Dr. Montague undertook to solve the problem of landing the products of the dairy in Liverpool in first-class condi- so they turn to the grave of one who tion, and sent over a trial shipment of did, and ask the community to trust butter, consisting of 57,000 pounds. The them because they are worshipping at result was the same-a failure, and the shrine of a dead leader. the butter had to be sold at away be-low cost, as it was not in first-class criticism in which these gentlemen country \$4,000. Mr. Fisher was a prac- complained tical man, well knowing the needs of ference. They declare that the farmers, and instituted a complete ought to have made no system of cold storage, which had no superior today. The products could now be taken direct from the dairy, and placed before the consumer in any distant land, as good as the day they the electors that they are ready once were shipped. In 1896, under Consermore to levy war against the British vative rule, some 5,000 pounds of butter were shipped to the old country. This was doubled the first year under Liberal rule, which was credited to the splendid system of cold storage inaugurated by Mr. Fisher. The price incents per pound, and last year the shipments amounted to over 5,000 pounds. It was thus plainly seen how greatly the farmer was benefited in butter alone. These benefits also were equally great in other products of a perishable nature. In 1897 Canada had shipped more than double quantity of eggs exported in 1896 under Conservative rule, and the farmers got better prices for them. The department presided over by Mr. Fisher, which had provided this great reform, costing less to run than under Conservative rule. These were some of the many reasons why the Laurier adnainistration should have the confidence and support of the people of Canada for another term.

Mr. McGugan then referred to the government railway, the Intercolonial, pointing out that under Conservative rule it was run at a great loss to the country, with a large deficit at the end of each year. Mr. Blair, the present minister of railways and canals, went to work to remedy the matter, and had the road extended into Montreal, and today there was a substantial surplus instead of a deficit. Another reason why the Laurier administration should be kept in power.

"The Conservatives tell us," said Mr. McGugan, "that the Liberal government have not kept any of its promises to the electors. They have kept all the promises made, with the exception of those blocked by the senate. (Hear, hear.) Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised to settle the Manitoba school question in six months, and it was settled as promised. The abolishment of the superannuation act was made at the first said was business session of the present parlia-ment, and the abolition of the franchise These are some of the promises carried out by the Liberals." (Applause.)

concluding, Mr. McGugan again thanked the Liberals of the riding for the renewed confidence they had placed in him. He trusted and was confident that South Middlesex would send a supporter to the greatest statesman Canada ever had, Sir Wilfrid Laurier. (Hearty cheers.)

HONORED SIR WILFRID. The following resolution was moved let me say a few words with regard to the policy of the Conservative party. by A. M. Hunt, Westminster, and seconded by C. M. Simmons, of Lobo, expressing confidence in Premier Laurier: 'Resolved, that we, the Liberals of South Middlesex, in public meeting assembled, hereby express our hearty approval of the manner in which the affairs of our Dominion have been conducted by the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his able colleagues. We hereby declare our full and perfect con-

to the utmost of our ability at the approaching elections." W. S. Calvert, M.P.

fidence in their administration, and we

hereby pledge ourselves to support him

Mr. Calvert, M.P., was introduced by the chairman as the hero of West Middlesex, and was heartily cheered on rising to speak. He expressed his pleasure at the choice of the convenresult of the election. His which was adopted in 1876, and which of the old friend and colleague, Mr. proved to be the germ of what was proved to be the germ of what was afterwards misnamed the "National this Dominion, or any other portion of dence, 418 Queen's avenue.

large majority. (Cheers.) In the Policy," set forth, that this retaliatory the empire, that it must ultimately house, when parliament was called, it was always necessary for the government to have a certain number of supment number number of supment number num porters on hand, lest the opposition steal a march on them, and he could safely say that no member was more regularly in his place than Mr. McGu-regularly in his place than Mr. McGu-gan. "You have an able and zealous representative," said Mr. Calvert, "one who looks well after the interest of the constituency that he represents." Mr. Calvert referred to Canada's great prosperity, pointing out the growth in the trade of the Dominion since the present government took the reins of power. The Conservatives did not deny that the people of Canada were prosperous, but credited it all to Providence. "Now," said the speaker, "if the Conservatives ruled the country for eighteen years, and Providence would have nothing to do with them, and has been going hand in hand with the Liberals, stand by the men who have Providence on their side." (Hear, hear.)

The speaker further referred to the removal of the embargo on cattle by the present government, a thing which the Conservatives had tried to do for four years without results. He also spoke of the government's able policy in dealing with the railways, and gave a review of the binder twine question, showing clearly that the government had acted in the best interests of the

Hon. David Mills.

Hon. David Mills, in a brilliant speech, reviewed the work of the present Liberal Government, and gave an exposition of the weakness of the opposition and the strength of the Laurier administration. As he rose to speak the applause was deafening, and it was some time before he could make himself heard. He heartily indorsed the nomination of Mr. McGugan. Mr. Mills said:

In the nature of things we must at an early day go to the country, and the people will be called upon to decide whether they desire to continue the present government in power or heart the prosperity of the manufacto recall Sir Charles Tupper and his turing classes as their political opponfriends. I have been perusing the ents, but they maintained, and in my speeches recently delivered by Sir opinion wisely maintained, that that Charles Tupper, by Mr. Foster, and by Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, for the lines, purpose of seeing what they complain WHA of in our conduct, and what they propose to do in case they succeed us in office, and I will venture to say weaker criticisms or a more meager bill of fare were never presented to an electorate. Sir Charles Tupper tells us that the Conservative party are united, and so they are engaged at the present time in refurbishing their arms. I understand that there are some parties who were colleagues of Sir Charles Tupper at the last election whom he had resolved while they were still his colleagues to throw overboard, as soon as the elections were over, and so they are not likely to be his colleagues in the coming contest nor will they all fight on his side. This is to some extent a new troop, but it is

THE SAME OLD COMPANY, dilapidated by time, greatly out of repair and incapable of being put in a presentable condition. No one among them feels that he possesses in any large degree the public confidence, and I need not trouble you with the petty

cessions in favor of the United Kingdom, unless the British people were prepared to make reciprocal concessions in our favor, and so they inform more to levy war against the British public because the people and statesmen of the United Kingdom are not prepared to accept the terms which they propose to offer. Why, they have en making their propositions for a great number of years, and they know well that no English statesman could maintain a paramount position in that country who would subscribe to their views or who would offer to make the concessions which they demand. They were in power for eighteen years and they retired from office without any such agreement as they now decepted. Either they did not honestly support that policy to which they claim to be devoted, or they found that British statesmen dare not countenance it. Mr. Chamberlain has made it

WHAT THEY PROPOSED CANNOT BE DONE.

and yet this scheme which they avow is a matter of so much importance is one upon which they have never ventured to go before the people of this country and to ask for their support. No one pretends to say that Canada would not be benefitted, temporarily, at least, if there was a preference in the English market, but we know as well as we know that twice two make four that no such policy can be adopted, and we must consider what is attainable and meet the condition of things that exists in our own day, and not the condition which may arise when others occupy our places and we are moldering in the cemetery. Sir oper declared that what Sir Wilfrid Laurier said in England with regard to a preferential tariff stands in the way of its accomplishment. There is not a particle of foundation for this contention. What Sir Wilfrid

THE RIGHT THING TO SAY under the circumstances. It was the one thing that arrested the attention people of England and which secured the repeal of the most favored nation clause in the German and Belgian treaties, and it was the first step in establishing those cordial relations between the mother country and Canada which are proving of such inestimable benefit to the people both of the United Kingdom and of this Dominion.

Before I discuss this matter further Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Foster complain that we have not kept our pledges, and Mr. Foster declared that he leaders of the Conservative party fulfilled all the pledges which they had given. Is this so? Now, let us go back for a moment to the time that the Conservative party had not a well defined opinion upon the question trade and commerce. They adopted a resolution in parliament in 1876, not for the purpose of giving to the people of Canada protection by a high tariff, but, as they said, for the purpose of compelling the government of United States to adop't a more liberal policy towards us. Sir Charles Tupper himself declared that he was

NOT IN FAVOR OF PROTECTION that he simply agreed to it for the purpose of forcing the United States gress to its knees, and the resolution

in the resolution of 1876 did not point at the English people at all. It pointed exclusively to the United States. English Government taxes nothing that we send to the United Kingdom. It was impossible that our trade with Great Britain could be made more fa-vorable in this regard than it was, because our products were admitted into the British market free from all tax; but the declaration was one that pointed to the United States solely. From first to last, there was no indication that it was necessary to adopt towards the merchants and manufacturers of the United Kingdom the same policy that was pursued towards our neighbors. But when the tariff came to be framed, those who were very strong protectionists were called in by the government to assist, and that policy which Sir John Macdonald repudiated and asserted that the declaration that he favored it was a calumny, was ultimately adopted, and was applied as rigorously

AGAINST THE UNITED KINGDOM, where our products were admitted free, as it was applied against the United States where great impediments were put in the way of our export trade. That policy was in operation for eighteen years, and the stationary condition of the country shows how inimical it proved to the progress of Canada, in wealth and in population. Those gentlemen came forward and everywhere declared themselves heaven-born statesmenmen born with instincts of government and capable of carrying the country triumphantly over every obstacle in the way of its progress. The leaders the Liberal party, they said, e charlatans in the busiwere ness of government. Whatever could be done to excite the hostility of manufacturers against us was done. Everywhere they were assiduously taught to look upon us as their opponents-as a party hostile to their interests. Now I will venture to say that the Liberal party had as much at prosperity ought to be secured in other WHAT THE LIBERAL GOVERN-MENT HAS DONE.

We singled out no class as our special favorites, and the country has had four years' trial of the experiment of Reform rule, and there can be no doubt, I apprehend, in the mind of any prudent manufacturer, that the course which we pursued was the more statesman-like and wiser course. We have secured the settlement of some of our waste lands. We have successfully invited the development our great natural resources, and the Canadian manufacturer never had so good a market at home as he has at this moment. The large additions that are annually made to the population, for whom the manufacturer has in no small measure to provide has given him year by year a large increase in the number of his customers. we continue to control public affairsas I have no doubt we shall-progress in this direction is not likely to be checked for many years to come. EXPANSION OF CANADA'S COM-

MERCE. I have spoken of the great expansion of the commerce of this country. Let me trouble you with some evidence. In 1874 the trade of Canada Avery Casey. The experiment cost the have recently indulged. They have amounted to \$217,565,510; in 1878 it amounted to \$172,405,454; in 1895—21 years later-it amounted to \$239,025,360; and in the year ended June 30 last it reached \$381,625,855. The increase in the trade of this country between 1878 and 1896 was \$66,619,906. But this is beginning the comparison with a year of extreme commercial depression, and so makes the growth for the Conservative period seem larger than it was; for if we compare the years 1896 with 1874, the growth will be found to be but \$21. 459,850, and not upwards of \$66,600,000; and from 1896 to 1900 the growth was \$142,600,495, being an increase in the four years under Liberal rule at the rate of \$35,500,000 per annum, whereas the increase during 18 years of Conservative government was but the merest fraction of this sum. The mineral products of Canada exported in 1895 were valued at \$6,983,227, and in \$14,301,628. The commerce of England and Canada, exclusive of bullion, was, in 1895, \$57,903,564, and in

AN UNATTAINABLE POLICY. When Sir Charles Tupper says that it is the policy of the Conservative party to found the empire upon mutual preference, he proposes a policy which, if he has considered the subject at all, knows is an unattainable one. the present time the commerce of the mother country with all the British colonies amounts to but £94,249,596, whereas with the rest of the world it is £235.285.062. So that it would be preposterous to expect at this that the imperial government would be prepared to sacrifice the greater trade for the less. Besides the proposal of Sir Charles and others is that the gov ernment of the United Kingdom should increase the burdens of taxation upon its people, provided that we reduce the burdens upon ours. Does not everyone see that there is no mutability in such an arrangement? Besides, our interest, so far as the question of mutual preburdens upon ours. Does not everyone ference is concerned, relates to the natural products of this country, and these natural products constitute the necessities of the manufacturers and of the laborers, and it is, therefore, out of the question, that the masses of the population of the United Kingdom, who are depending upon their daily wages for the daily sustenance of themselves and their families, should be willing to submit to a burden which must come out of their earnings for any future political consideration, however advantageous to the empire. What might be possible for a despotic government to do is wholly impossible to a government as democratic as that of the United Kingdom, and it is unreasonable to expect that the the masses of the population, whose lot at best is a hard one, are going to submit to tax their food for any political advantage whatever. or for any improvement in the lot of those who do not enter the world till they have left it. That is an unattainable thing, at all events, for many years to come, and what we must consider is not what may be a good thing 50 years hence, but what is the best thing attainable in our day, and we have adopted that course which, in my opinion, will be of the greatest possible advantage both to ourselves and to the parent state.

CANADA'S INTERESTS. Sir Charles Tupper has spoken against an imperial legislature, and he shows how large a burden Canada would have if she were embraced in a representative union. No one at the present time is advocating such a union, as Sir Charles Tupper deto come to terms, and to bring Con- nounces. We do maintain that it is

ourselves and the British people an imperial constitution. We are ready to leave it to the events as they arise, and to the experience that time brings to us, to determine what the form of that union shall be. We are determined that it shall not be an artificial contrivance, but a matter of growth, as the British constitution itself has been;

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and we have no doubt that in the progress of time the events with which the executive government in the differparts of the empire have to deal will find a satisfactory solution, But what can be more preposterous than to endeavor to make the speculative opinions upon such a question issues in the elections? What better evidence can the country require to show how hard pressed the leader of the opposi-tion is for any ground of complaint against the administration?

MR.FOSTER'S QUESTIONABLE AD-VICE.

Let me invite your attention to some of the observations made by Mr. Foster with the view of enlisting the electors of this country on his side and In opposition to the government. The arst campaign speech that Mr. Foster made pointing to the coming contest, was delivered at least a year ago in foronto, in which he addressed some portions of his speech to young men, and in it he undertook to give them advice. Now, one with large experiany impropriety, undertake that duty, and so I do not question Mr. Foster's right to do so. But it ought to be advice of such a character that, if followed, would serve to elevate those to whom it is given. It should present to them a course of conduct that will cultivate in them broad views of public affairs, and tolerant feelings in respect to public men, such as will awaken in them a high sense of duty, on their part, towards the state of which they are citizens; that will serve to engrave deeply upon their minds the

men of Toronto to study the history of Canada under the light that the life idea Mr. Foster intended to convey by this advice, I cannot positively say. meaning is not clearly expressed, but the impression which his observathink he intended to convey to those to whom he addressed himself, was, that Sir John Macdonaid was not only a wise statesman, but a disinterested and enlightened patriot, who on all occasions subordinated his own personal interest to the well-being of the Now, while I admit that Sir John Macdonald was an able man, I think those who best understood him,

notion that he is prepared to make

these sacrifices which the highest in-

terest of the state calls for, does for

himself the greatest possible service.

Now, Mr. Foster advised the young

In an eminent degree, AN OPPORTUNIST one who always set his sails to

he might profit, who did not admit that it was any part of his duty to trouble himself about the ethical teaching of his public conduct, or to aim at placbefore the young men of the country any lofty conception of public duty. Is Mr. Foster of opinion that the Indian electoral franchise and the gerrymander act suggest such thoughts, and afford convincing examples of exalted patriotism? I am not saying that the history of the country, in the light of Sir John Macdonald's biography, could not be studied with profit, if one earnestly seeks to form a just estimate facts. What pledges did the leaders character of the influence which he exerted upon those of his own time. But I do not understand that this is what Mr. Foster meant. It was not the moral and political effect of the impartial study of that period of Canadian history as a part of a biography of Sir John Macdonald that Mr. Foster desired. What he intended to recommend was that the career was one that was to be admired and studied with a view to being imitated. It is

too soon to place before the country a just estimate of Sir John Macdonald's career as a public man. It may be that his friends magnified his ability, and that his opponents exaggerated his faults. The time for a fair estimate of his place in Canadian public life is not vet come, and I do not think that we have anything to gain, at the present time, by bringing it into public notice, for it is well-nigh impossible to submit the one view for admiration without submitting the other for con-

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Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all deal-ers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., To-rente.—2 sanction for them was sought, and so an important change was made in our constitutional system, and the country

demnation. That he was an able man, a good judge of human nature, a successful parliamentarian, e skillful leader of a great party, perhaps will not be questioned.

But it appears to me that there are,

NOT A GOOD MODEL.

outside of all these qualifications, some acts of his political life which prevent its being made a model for men to study with a view to imitation. candid biographer, who wishes well to his country, whether he be a Reformer or a Conservative, no matter how high his opinions may be of Sir John Macdonald's abilities, will not desire that the methods which he employed, in order to succeed, should survive in his successor. I am far from saying that a public man should not be ambitious, that he ought not to seek distinction, but I do say that his highest aim should be the well-being of his country, and that his present personal success should always be subordinate to that end; I am ready to admit that young men should make themselves conversant with the history of their own country. It is important that they should place before their minds high ideals. They may find those ideals in the study of the history of their own country, or in the history of some other land. No country has acquired among the nations of the world place of great influence without its having among its statesmen and public men those who are both patriotic and wise, and so I am far from saying that one can acquire broad views and lofty aspirations without extensive reading and careful reflection-without studying the weaknesses and failings as well as the strength and virtues of public men. But Mr. Foster, knowing well the place which Sir John Macdonald held in the minds of his party, hoped, by this tribute to his memory, to secure their goodwill for himself and others whose political fortunes are associated with his own. The oblation was offered for the gain it would bring. But in my opinion.

THE MOST IMPORTANT THING with which a young man man's mind can be imbued with reference to publio affairs, is that he himself owes a of Sir John Macdonald afforded. What duty to the state, and that duty is far above that which he can owe to any leader and to any party. It is his duty, so far as it is in his power, to remove prejudices, to put an end to tion left upon my mind, and which I abuses, to discountenance corruption, and to the utmost of his talents, to promote rectitude, to uphold justice. and to seek for truth. It is in this way that he does his best to keep alive a healthy public spirit, for if it is absent, other institutions are certain to suffer, and no checks or guarantees provided by any written law or constitution will prevent people who are without these qualities enterwho studied most closely his ing upon a downward course, which, public policy, and who observed his urder even the most favorable circummental habits, will admit that he was stances, must prove an effectual bar stances, must prove an effectual bar to genuine national progress. Mr. Foster in that speech discussed pledges which he said the Conservative party had given more than 21 years before catch the slightest breeze by which at the polls. He asserted that when they came into power they carried these pledges into effect. He contrasted the conduct of the Conservative party on that occasion with the conduct of the present administration. Mr. Foster is inaccurate in his history. He has forgotten the pledges which were given and the declarations which were made by those who then led his party. or, if he remembers them, he assumes

that others have forgotten. CONSERVATIVE PLEDGES. Let me call your attention to the of the public conduct of a public man, of the Conservative party give to the country before and at the elections of 1878? It is true that a number of speeches were made. It is true that the policy of Mr. Mackenzie's administration was condemned. It is true that a resolution was offered in parliament. by which it was proposed that Canada should pursue towards the United States a retaliatory policy. In that re-solution it was declared that Canada had been made a sacrifice market; that it was necessary to establish towards the United States a reciprocity of tariffs, not to permanently establish protection, because that was deprecated, but in order to bring about a reciprocity of trade. Any intention to establish a protective tariff as a permanent pol-icy was denied, and even temporarily it was only suggested as against the neighboring republic. It was first proposed by Sir Charles Tupper. It was subsequently taken up by the leaders of the Conservative party. Sir Charles assured the public that such a tariff would at once bring the United States to terms, and secure from that country a reciprocity of trade with Canada. It was not then suggested that if reciprocity could be secured, a policy of protection would be preferred, and continued-not at all; the retaliation was proposed, not as an end of good in itself, but as a useful implement of warfare, to bring the United States Con-Dreadfully Fatal of Disorders- gress to its senses, and to compel it to adopt towards this country a more liberal policy that the one which it was pursuing.

> LIBERAL PREDICTIONS. We contended at the time that this policy could not be successful. It was nevertheless persisted in, and as there was the greatest depression in the commerce of the world that had been known for half a century, circumstances favored this adoption. When Sir John Macdonald was charged with indorsing protection, and a high rate of customs taxation, the late Mr. Boyd. of St. John, N. B., telegraphed him, and pointed out the prejudice that such a policy was awakening in that province against the Conservative Sir John Macdonald replied that the charge was a slander; that the Conservative party had no intention of raising the tariff; that their object was not to increase it, but simply to readjust it. So that when Mr. Foster speaks about pledges being broken, he quite forgets that what was promised in 1878 was not forthcoming, and that what was ultimately adopted as a permanent policy was declared before its adoption to be simply a temporary

THE FRANCHISE. But let me refer to another fact in respect to pledges. What pledge had the Conservatives given in respect to the alteration of the franchise? From 1867 until 1885, the electoral franchise for the Dominion was the same as the electoral franchise for the provinces. On two occasions the prime minister introduced a bill to substitute a Dominion for the provincial franchises; but on both occasions, the bill was abandoned, and at no time was it ever made the subject of a discussion at a general election. The public were in no instance informed that the leader of the Conservative party be-lieved that the franchise of each province should be superseded by a Do-minion franchise. That was never an issue in a general election. The public were in no instance consulted. When did they ask the sanction of the electors to the proposal to include in their been working every day, although a body the unenfranchised Indians, the man nearly 70 years of age. Dr. wards of the crown, and Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have cured swamp twelve consultuencies in this province alone? These were important constitutional changes, but no popular

was put to a great expense in the pre-paration of woters lists an expense that proved so burdensome that the promoters of the measure would only at intervals carry it into operation. Under it, men who had ceased to possess the qualification that the law required remained upon the list, and men who possessed the qualification, and who had acquired the right, after the last preparation, were without the elec-toral franchise. Those who resided in the country, and constituted a part of the community, were without political rights, and those that had left the country, and became residents of another state, returned at a general election to say how the people who reside here should be governed. Let me ask what steps did the leaders of the Conservative party ever take to obtain the judgment of the country before legis-lating upon this subject? The measure was a measure of surprise. Upon it THE LEADERS HAD LAIN IN AM-

BUSH. They employed a majority which they obtained upon another question for the purpose of carrying through parliament a measure in respect to this, and for the purpose of putting an end to an important feature of our constitutional system, which had been in operation for eighteen years, and against which no complaint by any party had been made. In many instances, the men returned to sit in parliament owed their success to a non-resident vote, who, if the law had been properly applied, would not have been upon the list at all, and who had been brought back from a foreign country to give a candidate of the minority a seat in the House of Commons. It may be quite improper to take the opinion of a country upon a matter which you have no intention to legislate upon, but it is not less reprehensible to make changes in the constitution of the country for which you dare not venture to seek popular approbation.

THE GERRYMANDER. Let me ask you, when did Mr. Foster and his friends take the judgment of the country on the gerrymander? In 1872 Sir John Macdonald declared in favor of the inviolability of county boundaries, and maintained that the men who acted together in the municipalities, and who became acquainted with each other in the discharge of municipal duties, and as jurymen, in the administration of justice, were also the proper parties to co-operate in the of a member to par-.. To this doctrine, memreturn liament. on both sides of the house gave in their adhesion, both parties admitted that the political organism within the provinces should be represented-that in federal affairs the union must be regarded as a union of the with their political organism unmutilated. But after the census of 1882 this doctrine which everybody accepted because it was a recog-

nized vital principle in English parliamentary government was disregarded. County boundaries were broken up, fragments of different counties were put together and constituencies were formed which never could become a united body. And all this was done in the face of the declaration of 1872, and a vigorous effort has been put forward to perpetuate the abuse, and yet we are assured by Mr. Foster that the Conservative teaders have paid due respect to their piedges. MR. FOSTER'S FIGURING. Mr. Foster is adopting a new mode

of counting the yearly expenditure of the Dominion. He is including in the ordinary expenditure of the year the e-penditure upon capital account. Let me invite your attention for a few moments to this fact. The ordinary expenditure of 1890-91 amounted to \$36,343,569. This was counted the expenditure for that year by Mr. Foster when he was finance minister, but besides this there was expenditure on capital account of \$4,381,564. When Mr. Foster was discussing at the time the expenditure for the year he did not include the latter account in his expenditure. I look in vain for any state-ment of his by which the expenditure of the year is represented as being \$40,725,131. In 1891-2 the ordinary expenditure was \$36,765,894; the expenditure on capital account was \$3,413,915, or for the year \$40,179,899. In 1892-3 the ordinary expenditure was \$36,814,-0.2; on capital account there was expended \$4,039,673, and the total expenditure for the year was \$40,853,725. In 1893-4 the ordinary expenditure was \$37.585.025: on capital account \$5.094.-003; total \$42,679,028. In 1894-5 the ordthary expenditure was \$38,132,005; on capital account \$3,031,322, and the total expenditure was \$41,163,327. The original estimate for the expenditure of the year 1895-6 made by Mr. Foster was \$30,308,000, and if the obligations which he was prepared to assume, and the expenditures which he was prepared to recommend, had been carried out the expenditure for the year would have been in the neighborhood of \$50,-000.000. And this expenditure had been resolved upon although the revenue proved to be less than \$34,000,000 in 1894-5, and there was a deficit of \$4,-153,875. But this deficit, like every other, while Mr. Foster was finance minister, is exclusive of the expenditure on capital acount. If that is to be included with the ordinary expenditure Mr. Foster's deficit will be increased annually since 1890 by from three millions to five millions a year. DISMISSALS FROM OFFICE.

There is one other matter to which I will refer, as it is quite an possible to do more than to deal with a few of the complaints which have been made against us. I shall refer to the charge that we adopted the policy of wholedismissals from office, and that we have discharged permanent officials they were political opponents in order to replace them by political supporters. Now, let me say no such policy is being adopted. We have recognized the English principle that the public service is permanent and John A. Macdonald years ago had his non-political. Officials under the English system are political and non-politoffice when the confidence of the House of Commons is withdrawn from the The non-political are unaffected by that being the case. But the permanency of the ordinary public official is due to the fact that he is nonpolitical, and that he may be in a position to serve faithfully the minister for the time being, no matter into whose hands the control of public affairs may have fallen. A practice had grown up under our predecessors in office-a most objectionable practice it was—which took it for granted that of stealing the Conservative tariff those who were engaged in the public clothes; but the two tariffs were radservice were engaged to promote the political fortunes of the government of the day. They were withdrawn from the discharge of the Juties which attached to their position and they were sent out to canvass for those who were engaged in the support of the adminis-Now, we protested against

A GROSS ABUSE, and we warned those who lent themselves to any such proceeding that, having become political partisans, they must share the fortunes of the party with which they were themselves actually associated. No permanent of-

serted. Nor have they; but let me say, that those who have loudly complained against the emduct of the government. in this matter, quite forgot the course which they adopted while in control of the government. After the defeat of the Mackenzie administration in 1878, the whole of the appointees for carrying into effect the weights and measures act were legislated out of existence, and a new measure was introduced, seemingly for no other purpose than to get rid of those inspectors, and not one of them was restored to the position from which he had been legislated out. A return was asked for of the dismissals from Oct. 18, 1878, until February, 1879, and although a motion for such return was carried through parliament, it never was brought down, and the information was withheld. A second return was moved for the year ending February 1880, and it was found that the government had dismissed or superannuated 153 Reformers, receiving salaries from \$700 to \$3,000 a year. There were mostly removed because it was declared their services were no longer required, and yet during this same period 533 new appointments were made, being 280 in excess of those who had previously held office. And this refers only to the more prominent officials. In the city of St. John, N. B., a complete sweep was made. Besides the 153 civil servants referred to, very many persons who were receiving smaller remuneration were dismissed, though their unwarranted discharge was not recorded.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY EM-PLOYES.

On the Intercolonial Railway, in February, 1881, there were 3,310 persons employed; in June, 1895, there were 3,940; and in June, 1896, which was at the period of the last general election, there were 5,296 employes on the railway-hundreds having been unnecessarily engaged in the service, merely for the purpose of securing their support to the government. Now, when this enormous increase was got rid of by the present minister of railways, loud complaint was made that the parties were being dismissed because of their political bias, although it was well known that their services were not at all required, and it would heve been impossible, even had Sir Charles Tupper succeeded in the elections, for him to have justified himself in parliament in maintaining so large number of employes,

complaint is made that the present ministration, in making dismissals, have sometimes acted upon evidence that was not conclusive, but the late government sought no evidence beyond this, that the person was objectionable to the candidate or member that supported the government in the district where the official resided. Any government supporter might demand the dismissal of an employe upon the Intercolonial Railway, and it was the duty of the division superintendent to dismiss the man upon such complaint. without any investigation, and without waiting for the sanction of the minister. All that was required was that the member asking for his dismissal was a government supporter. And so the employes upon the Intercolonial Railway became a standing political army, paid out of the public treasury, whose first duty it was to secure the return of members in all the constituencies, through which the Intercolonial Railway ran. We have acted upon no such rule. We have

NO PAID BODY OF POLITICAL RE-TAINERS

in the public service. The men who are required in the work of administration, and the result is that the public

are fairly well served. The country is prosperous, the people are contented, the waste lands are being settled, the mines are being worked, new industries are springing into existence, the commerce of the country has been greatly extended. For these many beneficial changes the government may claim their full share of credit and are entitled to the confidence of the country. Let me say, I think that you ought to be satisfied with the government as they certainly are with the representative whom you sent from this constituency. You have every reason to be proud of the manner in which Mr. McGugan has acquitted himself as your representative in parliament. He is well informed, he is diligent in the discharge of his duties, mindful of your interests, thoroughly upright, and fully competent to judge of the wisdom and propriety of the measures which come before him for consideration in parliament. Ministers are indeed grateful to Mr. McGugan for the efficient support Ministers are indeed grateful to which he has given to their measures in parliament and to you for sending so capable a representative of Reform principles. I trust that Mr. McGugan will receive from the electors that cordial and hearty support which his abilities and high character merit at your hands.

T. H. Purdom, Q.C. Mr. T. H. Purdom, Q. C., was re-

ceived in a very cordial manner. The glorious day, he said, was one in keeping with Laurier's sunny ways. Politically, too, the day was sunny, as the nomination of Mr. McGugan in South Middlesex practically meant his election. And a very admirable member they would have. (Cheers.) He ought to be elected by acclamation, and he believed he would be. (Applause.) A few years ago, said the speaker, there was some talk of the development of New Ontario; but under the auspices of the Liberal party the matter had gone on into the region of things not talked about, but accomplished, and being accomplished. But it was worth while recalling the fact that had Sir way, had not the Liberals fought hard under Mowat for the territorial integ-The political officials retire from rity of this great province, we would have had no splendid and vast New Ontario to develop. (Cheers.) Not alone Ontario, but all Canada, was now in the growing time. The forward movement had now begun, not to stop until one day Canada might equal the mo ther country itself in population. He believed that Canada in the twentieth century would make a progress analogous to that achieved by the United States in the nineteenth century. (Cheers.) Alluding to tariffs, the speaker said the Liberals had been accused ically different and designed for different purposes. One was intended to promote private interests at the expense of the bulk of the people; the other was designed and had been successful in bringing about advantage and prosperity for all classes. (Applause.) It would be a sorry day for Canada were Laurier and his col-leagues not continued in power. The destiny of Canada, with a continuance knocked into smithereens by the record of Mr. Mulock's postal department GET ACQUAINTED WITH

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respect and self-reliance they felt today. (Hear.) Mr. Purdom alluded playfully to the action of Conservatives in calling in the aid of Mr. Hugh John Macdonald to recall the memory of his father. Such tactics were perhaps not to be wondered at, seeing that Sir Charles Tupper possessed the full confidence neither of Conservatives nor of Liberals. (Hear.) Alluding to the gerrymander, Mr. Purdom said the Conservatives often professed a special respect for the judges; yet when the government proposed to submit the redistribution to the judges, the Tories declined to trust the judges. They put more faith in the partisan senate which did not want to restore fair play to the Liberals and threw the measure out. (Hear.) In concluding a vigorous speech, Mr. Purdom advised the electors of Canada that the best service they could render this great land would be to retain the Conservative Opposition in the position they were so well fitted to adorn-the position on the left of the speaker's chair. (Cheers.)

Other Speakers.

Mr. Alex. Stuart, Q.C., was received with cheers. He stated that he would not attempt to make a speech after the able and eloquent addresses listened to. He was convinced that the Liberal party would carry the country, as they had just and progressive principles, and had given the people of the Dominion a new era of prosperity. It was in the best interests of the country that Sir Wilfrid Laurier should again be returned to power, and he hoped to see both South and West Middlesex in line, as they were in 1896. (Cheers.)

Mr. P. Mackenzie, of South London, made a spirited address, with the evident good-will of the audience. He castigated the senate's partisan majority for its action in throwing out the re peal of the gerrymander bill. The gerrymander, all the same, had to go (Cheers.) It would be swept away, and its place taken by a fair distribution. But to that end the Laurier government must be again returned to power. Their oponents would no doubt fight The friends of the government must do the same, in which case he had no doubt of the result. (Cheers.) Mr. John Cameron congratulated the audience on the charming day and

splendid weather selected for this pol-

tical outing; Mr. McGugan on his nomination, and South Middlesex on having so excellent a candidate; Mr. Calvert, on his hearty renomination on the day previous; and the minister of justice on his large and statesman-like address. Mr. Cameron took the supposition that an intelligent visitor are employed are those whose services from Mars or some other inhabited planet had dropped down into Canada to study our political affairs. On inquiry he would find that whereas, before 1896, there was depression, discontent, poor businesss and difficulty in making both ends meet, with racial and religious troubles-there was now, in the year 1900, prosperity, peace, happiness, development and an abatement of racial and religious strife. The visitor from Mars would naturally take for granted that Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues, who had brought about the happier state of affairs, would be retained in power to continue their good work. That, said Mr. Cameron, is exactly what the people of Canada proposed to do at the coming general election. (Cheers.)

Mr. J. M. McEvoy, who was called on by the chairman and audience, humorously declined, saying he was afraid he could not hope to prove a success in a two-minute speech. (Laughter.) Mr. McEvoy, who was cordially received, will no doubt be

heard from during the campaign. Wm. Grieve asked the minister of justice if he could give any information or hold out any hope as to rural mail delivery.

Hon, Mr. Mills said the question of

expense would naturally have to be there might be much to be said for the idea. The subject was being experimented on in the United States, and it might very well at the proper time receive the careful consideration of the postmaster-general. The worthy chairman, who had con-

ducted the highly successful meeting throughout in an agreeable and tactful manner, closed the proceedings in the orthodox method, eliciting hearty cheers for the Queen, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the minister of justice and the candidate who had been unanimously chosen. Finally "God Save the Queen" -and then the drive home on one o those cloudless autumn days in which Canada can give challenge to the world.

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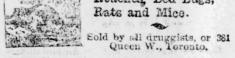
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RISE OF THE YANGT-SE-KIANG.

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There is only one other river in the world longer than the Yang-tse-Kiang, and this is the Amazon. The Yang-tse is about 3,500 miles long and takes its rise in the mysterious mountains of Tibet. Traversing the richest region of China, it has been called the "girdle of the empire," as it belts it from west to east, but owing to the vast accumulations of which it brings down and denosits along its banks and at its mouth it is better known as the Yang-tse-Kiang, or Great Muddy, "kiang" be-

ing the name of a first class river. In China alone it drains an area of 700,000 square miles, containing an estimated population of 180,000,000, mainly pure Chinese, who speak with contempt of "those Mantchoos at Pekin" and hold themselves aloof from intimate intercourse with their

Into the ocean the Yang-tse pours a flood of diluted mud which tinges the sea hundreds of miles from the coast. The tides are felt 300 miles from its mouth, and it is navigable for large steamers 680 miles, for river steamers 1,050 to 2,000 miles, depending upon the season of the

Just now the river is at flood, for



HANKOW.

the mountain snows are melting and

soon prevailing. nter the river is 186 feet lowlung-king, 80 at Ichang and ankow than it is now, makgation impossible above half tance with any craft larger 3 river junks and sampans. province of Szechuan, the tracts of wheat and corn, its fields, mulberries, orange orchards, tea fields, bamboos er semitropical products, and this and the eastern prov-Kiang-su every variety of on may be seen, from palm

en Chung-king and Ichang glorious gorges and rapids he river flows between can- by impure blood

ly pine.

yon walls sometimes 1,000 feet in

height, one great natural spire being called "the Needle of Heaven." At Ichang, which is 1,050 miles from the sea, there are rock inscriptions,

pagodas and cave temples which

show it to be a very ancient city. Chung-king is an important city on

mouth and at the head of navigation

fields extend far back to the hills on

either side, and at Hankow, 680 miles from the sea, is the great tea

This is the headquarters for ten

merchants, peckers and buyers and particularly the Russians, who load

ships and dispatch caravans of cam-

els to far distant Odessa with the

famous brick and caravan teas.

Great ocean steamers may be taken

here for coastwise ports and on the

way pass Kiu-kiang, where famous

At the entrance to Lake Poyang

rises the oriental city of Mu-kan. Near it is the beautiful Orphans'

island, with its pagodas and temples

plastered against almost inaccessible

cliffs, forming one of the world's

most picturesque natural features. At Nankin, the last important city

on the great river going toward the

sea, the Yang-tso is a mile and a half broad and 75 feet deep, with a

current of from three to five miles

This interesting old city was once the southern capital of China, as Pe-

kin is now its northern capital, be-

ing occupied by the Mings, who were

predecessors of the Mantchoos, and though far gone in decay still retains

some relics of its former grandeur. It has a Chinese city and a Tartar city divided by a wall, and there is

the same distinction here as in Pekin

between the ruling and the subject

classes. Its prestige suffered during the Taiping rebellion, for it was held

by the rebels for ten years and its

commerce nearly destroyed, but it is

slowly recovering and if the present rebellion does not extend southward

The province of Huan is richest in

mineral wealth. It is ruled by

YANG-TSE-KIANG AT NANKIN.

'Chang, the Incorruptible,' who is

noted as being one of the few honest

men in China. It is believed that

this viceroy is favorable to foreign-

ers and to all kinds of occidental re-

forms and innovations. If there is

no mistake about this, Chang may

have much to do with the future

LESSONS IN SELF CONTROL.

How Children Should Be Trained to Re-

gard Thunderstorms.

It is a pity to see what terror

assails some nervous children at the

approach of a thunderstorm. It is

not only the vivid flashes of light-

ning which throw them into a panic,

but the long roll of the thunder and

the frequent deafening crashes and

peals which act disastrously upon

their youthful nerves. Of course, it

is well to teach them to be prudent

and avoid getting into a draught

during a thunderstorm, but such pru-

dence is often carried to excess, and

the children endure torments of ap-

prehension of sudden death from

Mothers who have dread of thun-

derstorms should endeavor to govern

their apprehensions, and show self-

control before the children. Teach

them the benefits of electricity in

clearing up a sultry atmosphere,

when the humidity has been unendur-

ably oppressive. There is a bright

side even to a thunderstorm, and it

is our duty to teach little folks les-

Young Americans have nerves not

quite so strong as those of a few gen-

erations ago. Anything which

teaches a child courage, cheerfulness

and self-control should be cultivated

children to understand the benefits

of the thunderstorm in summer, and

not dwell exclusively on the idea of being "struck by lightning," which

is a general impression with the den-

A Trick in Cookie Making.

Every housekeeper knows that to

be good, cookie dough must be han-

dled very little and very lightly; but,

says a writer in What to Eat, many

of us have also found that there are

some cookie doughs that positively

refuse to be coaxed into shape with-

out considerable handling and knead

ing. To such I would offer a sugges

tion that may prove of as much

value as it has to me. Stir your

ingredients in a mixing bowl with

granite spoon only ,and when ready

to roll spread the bread cloth or

other clean white cloth over the

kneading board; dredge thickly with

flour and drop your dough upon this

from the spoon. Flour your rolling

pin, pat the dough into shape with

the spoon, dredge lightly with flour

and roll out. By this little trick

your cakes are ready for the over

and you have not soiled your hands

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ruffed your temper, or, worse

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izens of the nursery.

control of the Yang-tse basin.

will soon regain prosperity.

royal porcelains are made.

an hour.

mart of the empire.

floods.

No Longer Any Doubt of Japan's Military Standing. the Yang-tse, 1,500 miles from its

for large boats during the season of Little Brown Fighters Have Stood the At the mouth of Tung-ling lake, 20 Test of Fire in China-The Japanese miles from Ichang, is the curious "Tommy" Is a Clean Little Fellow-Kinshan, or Golden island, where the First Military Duty Laid on Japan most precious teas, worth more than Found the Country Ready and their weight in gold and reserved Equal to the Emergency. exclusively for the emperor's table, are raised and cured. The fragrant

> The little brown soldier of Japan has undergone his test by fire, and he has come out of it with flying colors. The undoubted gallantry with which the Japanese fought at Tien Tsin has proved them worthy to take their place among the white fighters of the best nations of the world.

We can hardly realize with what anxiety Japan has waited for this trial and with what pride the nation is now hearing the grateful news. It is not that Japan seeks to prove herself superior to the white nations, but that she has been doubtful about

being received on terms of equality. There is no longer any doubt as to Japan's military standing. Her soldiers are not only admitted to be as good fighters as the English, French and German troops, but they have been received as social equals, and this seems to be regarded as the most important feature of the result so far as the Japanese are concerned. The Japanese Tominy is an extremely boyish looking, clean little fellow, but no one new questions his

Nor is the officer nor the little Jap



MAJOR-GENERAL FURUSHIMA

private unworthy by any means to associate with his European or brother-in-arms. His month's salary will hardly be equal, it is true, to paying for a single champagne tiffin; but, on the other hand, many officers know French and German and have private means. Major General Fukushima, for instance, is well acquainted with English, German, French, Russian and Chinese and this combined with his savoir faire and dash and love of athletics ought to make him a general favorite in the camp of the allies.

For several years the great powers of the world have been expecting an international crisis in China, in which perhaps all or nearly all would be compelled to show force. Yet when the crisis did come it was at such an unexpected moment and from such an unlooked for cause that, notwithstanding the fact that European armies are supposed to be kept practically on a war footing, not one of them was ready to at once put an army into the field to defend or avenge its subjects or protect its interests. Russia, which had a force only a few days distant from the Chinese frontier, was unprepared in its commissary department.

The only nation and one not yet wholly recognized as a first-class power which stood ready for the emergency, both on land and water, was Japan, which a century ago was held to be almost as "dark" as China herself. The marvelous thing about the readiness of Japan to take her part in the general movement of the world against China is the rapid development of her military resources in the five years that have elapsed since she thrashed China at home and on the seas. Then she had an army of 25,000 men that gave so good an account of itself chat the unprepared world first gasped with astonishment and then applauded her heartily.

On the water Japan proved that her men were as good sailors as soldiers. The Japanese naval and military force at that time was not large, but it was well equipped, well drilled and composed of fearless and desperate fighters. Japan emerged from her conflict with China in 1895 richer by an indemnity of \$82,500 .-000. Of this she devoted about \$29,000,000 to army expansion and more than \$50,000,000 to the navy.

Thus she used China's money to be-

come prepared to do battle again with her old enemy, while \$10,000 .-000 constitutes a war reserve which is probably being used now. After her war with China Japan laid down an extensive program of army expansion. At the beginning of that war her army on a peace footing comprised 60,000 officers and men. With army expansion the land forces were increased to 145,000 men on a peace footing and between 530 .-000 and 540,000 men on a war footing. So much progress was made that at the end of 1898 there were 120,800 men with the colors, besides 4,520 students in the military schools. The first reserves numbered over 115,000 and the second 75,000 At the present war footing the army is not less than 360,000 men of all

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KING CHRISTIAN OF DENMARK.

tian is not popular. Some of his children have made good marriages, notably Alexandra, the Princess of Wales; Dagmar, who wedded with the late Czar; the crown prince, whose wife is Princess Louisa of Sweden, and the second son of the crown prince, who married Princess Maud of Wales. King Christian married Princess Louisa of Hesse-Cassel, who died Sept. 29, 1898. King George I. of Greece is the second son of King Christian.

HEALING BY X-RAYS.

Skin Humors Said to Be Eradicated by Roontgen Light.

Two Austrain doctore, Schiff and Freund, recently made public the results of their experiments with the X-rays in the curing of certain diseases. At a meeting of physicians in Vi-

enna thirteen patients were shown who had been treated by the X-rays. Two had suffered from ring-worm, three from beard scab, five from lupus (skin tuberculosis), and three from superfluous hair.

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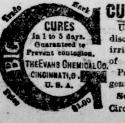
A man whose face was rendered horrible by lupus, and whose nose and mouth mucus membrane scarcely acted, was remarkably improved by a treatment of five weeks, after a surgical operation had failed to give any relief.

The effect in cases of ringworm of the head and beard were still greater. Those who had suffered for years and who had, moreover, tried every known remedy in vain, were completely cured in a few weeks. Doctors Schiff and Freund conclud-

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Louis' would-be-father had made his appearance only once after his release from his imprisonment in Paris. He had entered his office one day, when Louis happened to be there for a few moments alone, and demanded money of him in a somewhat overbearing manner. Louis took no notice at first of it; he was considering what cluded the sum Mr. Forest ha was best for him to do. Finally he, in settlement of Arthur's debts. handed him \$300.

The man had been falsely accused and imprisoned, and he felt that some recompense was due him. But the man looked dissatisfied with

the amount. "Well, what is the matter?" Louis

questioned, observing it. 'I should think a man would feel rather mean to send his own father back to American on a paltry three hundred, especially when he is about to pocket a handsome fortune with the girl he marries," returned the man, with a disagreeable but knowing leer. Louis regarded him a moment in silence, marveling within himself at the different natures there were in the

At last he arose, and looking the man straight in the eye, said quietly: 'John Hicks, you can return to America, or you can go to any other would take a moderate price, provided country you choose, but I warn you he could find some reliable purchaser. that it will be wise in you never to show your face to me again. Your history is known to me, and if you ever come to me again demanding anything of me upon that old bogus claim, you will find yourself handed over to the authorities without cere-

The man stood staring blankly at Louis for a full minute; then, without a word, he turned away and slunk out of his sight, and Louis never saw him again.

Six months after our friends' return from abroad, Ada Parker came to Margaret one morning, her fair face covered with blushes, and a new tenderness chining through it.

She tossed a letter bearing a foreign postmark into her lap, saying, with a

"Read that, you blessed little woman, and tell me what you think of

It was a manly, earnest epistle from the young Marquis De Perrine, telling her of the love he had entertained for her ever since he had made her acquaintance in Paris, and making her a formal offer of his heart, hand and fortune. At the same time he made a full confession of his unmanly treatment of Margaret and her maid upon a certain occasion, and his deep re-pentance for his having been guilty

he had been by Margaret's well merited reproof and scorn. "It was the beginning of a new life to me," he wrote, "and if all women were as true to their sex and their duty as Miss Houghton proved herself to be, there would be fewer bad men in the world."

of so mean an act. He related all

that had occurred, and how humiliated

He closed with an earnest appeal that he might be allowed to come to America to claim the love he sought. 'Are you going to let him come?" Margie asked, regarding her friend

earnestly. Yes, we have been corresponding for some time; but I cannot resist this appeal," Ada responded, with a deeper

"I thought," Margaret began, then

stopped. "You thought that I loved my cousin

'Arthur," Ada said, completing the sentence for her, "and so did I for a time," she went on, "until I came home where I could think quietly by myself. Then I realized what a hollow, pleasureloving nature he had; I knew he hid not care for me, and I gradually found myself forgetting bim."

You are sure that it is not the glitter of a coronet that attracts you now, Ada?' Margaret asked. She was so happy in her husband's

love, and the deep affection she bore him, she could not endure the thought of her friend giving her hand without her heart.

"No, Margle, I feel sure, I should have told August to come if he had still been simply Monsieur Perrine. I admired him when we were in Paris. though I am afraid his suit would have been ruined if I had known of his treatment of you. But his letter's indicate that there is much that is noble and good in him, and I am sure he has truly repented of his errors."
"I am too," Margaret replied, and

then she told her of his sister coming to her the evening before her marriage, of the message he had sent her. together with his beautiful gift.

If you love him, I am glad for you, Ada," she said; "it is a brilliant pros-pect for you, and it will be so much better for him to marry a good, true American girl than some pleasure-lov-ing French lady."

So there was a quiet wedding one morning not long after, in Mrs. Parker's stately mansion, when Ada became the Marquise De Perrine.

When Margaret, who was one of the

gratulations, the young marquis caught her hand, and lifting it to his

ins, said:
"Madam, I thank you for so much, but most of all for my wife; but for you I should never have won her." "How so?" margaret asked, smiling,

yet astonished. "Because I never could have been worthy; an, pardon!" he added, with a fond giance into his bride's flushed "I am not worthy even now, but you taught me to regard life very, differently from what I had ever done before, and saved me from dishonoring the name I bear."

One night five years later, the bell of Margaret Forest's beautiful home rang a resounding peal.

The servant, upon answering it, found a stout, fine-looking man standing outside the door, who inquired for Albert Forest.

He gave no name; he said he had come upon a matter of business, and wished to see the gentleman alone. He was shown into the library, and as he sat there waiting, the sound of happy childish voices came floating down from upstairs, and the man's face kindled with a strange tenderness and love as he heard it. Presently Mr. Forest entered the room, and he did not seem a day older

than when he had returned from abroad several years before, He bowed to his visitor, but regarded him curiously, as if wondering if he had ever seen him before.

The stranger arose and advanced to

meet him. "Uncle Albert," he said, in a low, moved tone, "I do not deserve a welcome from you, but, nevertheless I

yearn for it. "Arthur!" eried Mr. Forest, springing toward him and grasling him warmly by the hand, while something in the open, manly face before him

moved him strangely. "Yes, it is Arthur—the prodigal re-turned," the man replied, sadly, yet with a touch of bitterness in his tone. "You know how the father received the prodigal, Arthur," said Mr. Forest, with a tremble in his voice, "and so I give you the warmest welcome of which I am capable.

"Thank you, Uncle Albert-I did not quite expect that, but I am grateful; and now I will tell you that my chief errand here was to pay you the debt I owe you."

He took a paper from his pocket-book as he spoke and handed it to Mr. Forest. It was a check on a New York bank for fifteen thousand dollars, which in-cluded the sum Mr. Forest had paid "Arthur, you know I did not expect

this," said his uncle, regarding it 'No, but it is right, for all that; and I know you will not refuse me the sat-isfaction that I experience in doing it," Arhur replied, earnestly; and then at his uncle's invitation he sat down and told him how he had spent his life dur-

ing the last six years. After leaving Paris, he said, he had come directly to New York, with the intention of making amends, as far as possible, for the mistakes of his early life. Here he had fallen in with a man who had just returned from the South and whose health was such that he could not return to that enervating climate. He was the owner of a fine orange plantation, the fruit of which was nearly ready to be gathered. He was desirous of selling, and would take a moderate price, provided who would pay part down and give

im security for the rest. Arthur at once said he would go and look at the property, and if he found as represented he would purchase. The result was, he became the owner, and the yield of that year alone, with the ten thousand dollars received from his uncle, enabled him to pay for the plantation entire and to make some improvements besides.

"I have attended strictly to business," he said, in conclusion, "and I have reaped my reward. I have become a successful fruit grower, and I am in a fair way to become a rich man myself in a few years; and so you see, Uncle Albert, I could not feel a proper respect for myself until I had paid this lebt, and expressed my appreciation of your kindness to me."
"It was really no debt, Arthur; you

elcome to it," returned Mr. Forest, heartily, yet he was glad he had paid it, for it raised him greatly in his "I know-but of course you car imagine how I would feel about it," Arthur responded, and there the mat-

"Where are you stopping?" his uncle asked him a few moments later. "We are at Parker's.

ter dropped.

"We?" repeated Mr. Forest, inquir-Yes." with a laugh and a tender light illumining his face. "I have married a nice little Southern lady, and we have a fine boy three years old. 'Well, well; that is good news, truly,

and I am glad with you, Anthur. I



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guests, went forward to offer her con- shall pay my respects to that same little lady tomorrow, and then you must bring her here," said Mr. Forest, cordially, and looking very much pleased over the news.

"I-don't know about that-Arthur began, but was cut short by the entrance of Louis. The meeting was somewhat awk-

ward on Arthur's part, but Louis was very cordial; there was nothing in his manner to remind him of the past and he seemed to be heartily glad to learn of his prosperity. Margaret went with Mr. Forest the

next day, to call upon the Aspinwalls at the Parker House, and Arthur voted her the noblest woman in the universe for the act.

She found Mrs. Aspinwall a refined and lady-like little body, devotedly attached to her husband, and possessing an unbounded influence over him.

Their boy was a promising little fellow, the image of his father, who evidently worshiped his son, although it was patent to his visitors that he did not intend to spoil him by indulgence.

"If I can train him to be anything like you, I shall feel that I have not lived in vain," Arthur remarked to Louis, when, after a month of pleas-

ant intercourse between the families the Aspinwalls were about to leave for

their Southern home. "The memory of your kindness and generosity," he added, "has never left me for a moment; they have helped to make me a better man; and at last I began to feel as if I had earned the right to come and ask you to forgive

It was a hard thing for a proud, high-spirited man to say; but it was a noble thing to do-it was the one thing needful to crown his manhood. "Gladly," Lcuis said, grasping his hand warmly. "Let us remember the past no more; let us be friends hence-

Margret Houghton, by her heroism and courage, unlocked the doors of her lover's prison and conquered the enemy that had so nearly destroyed her happiness. But a nobler victory was won when

kindness and nobility unlocked a wellnigh impenetrable heart; while the demons of enmity and jealousy fled, angels of peace and good will entered in their place, and a human soul was saved, a life of usefulness preserved. [THE END.]

IMPORTANT TO EVERY GIRL. Every girl who is planning to be a housekeeper some time, and is busy learning how to be, wants among other things to learn how to prepare and pack a dainty luncheon. It is an important part of her training. She may want to pack a picnic luncheon, a luncheon for a traveler, or for someone whose daily duties take him away from home and where there is no opportunity to obtain a luncheon, so that he is dependent upon the luncheon basket. There are all these to be provided for occasionally, besides the school child. And she wants to know how to cater to this element. You instinctively know the one who prepared the luncheon by the way the basket is arranged and what it contains .- Woman's Companion.

PLAIN TALK TO A KING.

During his short stay in England, about three years ago, the King of Portugal frequently took various little trips by train secretis, and accompanied by only one of his suite. Traveling down to Hatfield once in a second class compartment, the Portuguese king entered into conversation the king speaks English fluentlywith a typical, plain-spoken "John Bull." "They seem to be making a deal of fuss over the King of Portugal, sir, who is now in London. Have you seen him, might I ask?" "Yes," replied the Englishman, "he ain't much of a king to look at. Why, sir, his stomach ain't no fatter and his face ain't no more intelligent than yours." His majesty said afterward that he could understand why the English people were called "plain-spoken."-

MARKING LINEN. How many odd little trades ingenious women find to earn their bread! fact, as has been said be there is a thing a woman can do bet-ter than her neighbors she needs only to develop it into a specialty to have a sure livelihood. A Chicago girl whose marriage will take place this fall in the east, whence her family came,

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writes that, like all Boston brides of high degree, she is having her linen marked by Mrs. B. This quaint little old lady entirely supports herself by writing names in indelible ink on the underwear; sheets, tablecloths, etc., of Boston swelldom. She has become a fad. Her narrow quarters look like a white goods warehouse, and smell like a chemist's from a preparation she puts on the linen to give it a smooth, paperlike surface. She is to be found any day with her old fingers cramped about the special pen she uses in marking small, neat initials or elabor-

FRILLS OF FASHION.

equal.-Cleveland Plaindealer.

ate monograms which no one else can

White chiffon tucked with gold thread and laid over gold tissue is of the latest and prettiest fancies for vests, collars and the like.

Red hats grow more and more audacious. Red felts or velvet turbans trimmed in scarlet velvet geraniums or sprawling velvet popples flame in almost all of the millinery windows in

New York. Some of the strapped evening slippers have pleated tace fans set in under the straps and pulled out in fan

fashion over the instep. White corduroy skirts are replacing the white pique skirts now that cool days have come, and are more practical than they seem, for the white cor-duroy can be laundered, as easily as It must, however, be washed carefully and pressed upon the wrong side with an iron not too not.

Heavy, lustrous brocades in one tone are once more in fashion, to the un-mixed delight of dowagers as well as younger women. In fact, Madame La Mode is treating the dowagers particularly well this season, and materials and designs are, in the main, well suited to elderly matrons.

Panne velvets, embroidered or stamped in gold dots or other designs, are the latest developments of the gold craze, and a blue panne with gold dots has admirable possibilities in millinery and dress trimmings.

The Aiglon capes, shown in red, blue and white cloths, are effective for autumn wear at the seashore or in the mountains. They are full length, made of fine, heavy cloth and have the tralitional shoulder capes, revers and light turnover collars braided in gold.

Plumes made of cocks' teathers or gleaming iridescent breast feathers are greatly used on the low, broad hats instead of ostrich plumes and form the rim of many of the soft turbans. The narrow buckle of exaggerated length is a conspicuous feature of autumn

Good trimmings have gone up about 50 per cent in price—a striking com-mentary on the lavishness with which dressmakers and milliners are using

Pure white toilets are to be as popular during the winter season as they have been during the summer, and are being prepared in cloth as often as in lighter materials for house and evening wear. The white cloth gown and white felt hat, in combination heavy furs, will be a favorite fad of the woman to whom expense and durability are of no concern.

ECONOMICAL SOUP.

The following is, perhaps, one of the cheapest soups that can be made. In addition to its cheapness, it has the advantage of being substantial, and of being good feeding. Take six large and mealy potatoes, two leeks, three Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc

ounces crushed tapioca, one ounce butter or oil, one-quarter ounce sugar, one pint milk, one quart boiling water. Slice the potatoes and leeks into the boiling water, boil to a pulp, then rub through a sieve, and put back into the stock. Shake in gently the tapioca, boil ten minutes, add the milk and oil.

AMERICAN BREAKFAST OF GRID-DLE CAKES.

Whisk one egg, stir in half pint lukewarm milk, with sufficient Indian maize meal to make a stiff batter. Bake about twenty to thirty minutes in a flat pan, well oiled.

TASTY RISSOLES.

Take the contents of six large floury well baked potatoes, mash them well Then stir in a saucepan a lump of butter and two eggs well beaten, shake in also a little pepper, salt and nutmeg. To this add the mashed potatoes, and stir over the fire, beating it well, until the whole mass leaves the sides of the pan. Take out, and when cold. mold with flour into little flat cakes, and fry in oil a light brown.

OYSTER RECIPES.

Fricasseed Oysters .- Cut two ounces of lean ham into slices and then put them into a saucepan with two ounces of thyme, a sliced onion, a little lemon rind and a few cloves. Simmer gently for ten minutes. Then pour in half a pint of stock or gravy, thickened with a spoonful of flour, and simmer for twenty minutes. Add two dozen oysters, and when they are quite hot draw the saucepan to the side of the fire for a minute or two to cool, then stir in gradually the yoke of an egg beaten up with a tablespoonful of Simmer again for a minute or two and serve the oysters on a hot ish with the sauce strained and poured round them

Scalloped Oysters .- Place in a shallow baking dish a layer of oysters; over this a layer of cracker crumbs sprinkle with salt and pepper and bits of butter; alternate the layers until the dish is full, having crumbs on top well dottted with bits of butter. Pour over the whole enough oyster juice to moisten it. Bake in a hot oven twenty minutes, and serve in the same dish in which it is baked.

Smothered Oysters .- Put one tablespoonful of butter in a covered saucepan with half a teaspoonful of white pepper, one teaspoonful of salt and a dash of cayenne. When hot add on pint of oysters. Cover closely and shake the pan to keep the oysters from sticking. Cook for three minutes. Serve on toasted crackers. Roast Oysters.—Wash the shells well

with a brush and cold water. Place them in a pan with the deep half of the shell down. Put them into a hot oven and bake until the shells open. Remove the top shell carefully so as not to lose the Hquor. Arrange them on plates and on each oyster place a piece of butter and a little salt and pepper.

When Houses Are Reopened.

"Now that the schools are open," said a Chicago physician, "people will be getting back to town from the country. Then I suppose we shall have the usual outbreaks of disease-scarlet fever, typhoid and even diphtheria. We rarely escape a more or less vigorous outbreak of this nature with every returning fall, and usually a number of families are put into mourning in consequence.
"The cause of it is the death dissem-

inator-sewer gas. People shut up their houses tight as drums for weeks and months as the case may be. The only seal to the plumbing apparatus at best is the water held in the S coil. This water during the weeks it stands stagnant becomes tainted and then saturated with emanations from its sewer connections. Then it begins to distribute poison on its own account all through the house. Go into a house of this kind and you will often find even the gilt on the picture frames and the bright metal elsewhere about the rooms stained and discolored by the gas. People in hundreds of cases move right into their houses and apartments and go to living in them on that very day. If the children or any of the family, as is often the case, have summer colds and sensitive throats, there is a fine field for the diphtheria germ to take hold. Other diseases likewise lurk all through the house, particularly in the sleeping apartments. I have known an entire family of four children to be stricken

down within ten days or two weeks. "A house should be opened and thoroughly aired from cellar to garret, not one, but three or four days in succession, before it is occupied after having been shut up for a few weeks or months. And that is not all. The water connections, every one of them, should be thrown open and the entire pipe system thoroughly flushed again and again on every day that the house is thus opened. The blinds or inside shutters, or both, should be flung wide open, and the shades raised so that every bit of sunlight possible may penetrate the house for three or four days before the house is occupied. A vast deal of illness, death and sorrow might be saved by these simple precautions. It is astonishing that so many people will neglect them."

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