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Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births. Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western dvertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and

DIED.

ERNOHAN-In this city, on Thursday, Nov. 7, 1898, Jane Kernohan, relict of the late Wilam Kernohan, aged 75 years.

Funeral on Saturday, from her late residence, 542 Colborne street, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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Peremptory Message From President McKinley

In Regard to the Talk of Sovereignty Over the Philippines

Launch of the World's Biggest Battleship.

The British and American Flags Entwined.

London, Nov. 18 .- The Times, commenting editorially upon the Spanish suggestion of arbitration regarding the Philippines, refers to it as "obviously futile and absurd." "The Spanish cabinet," says the Times, "has no real intention of breaking off the negotiations. It is only prolonging them in order to familiarize the public mind in Spain with the inevitable concessions. Certainly there is no need for the United States to send a fleet to Spain, as they could easily enforce submission without that. Spain would be foolish to sulk and thus lose the money compensation America is now willing to

SAGASTA'S SCHEME.

The Paris correspondent of the Lonstand that Senor Sagasta desires to protract the Paris negotiations to the utmost, because he fears, first, that the signature of a peace treaty will be the end of his public life, and, in the second place, because he desires to stave off if possible the fall of the

MESSAGE FROM MCKINLEY.

A Washington special says: The president cabled a peremptory message to Judge Day that Spanish sovereignty in the Philippines could not be ack-nowledged, and that future negotiations could only be on the amount of the compensation for public improvements, and on the time Spain needs to evacuate. Of course this carried the implied, if not actual, threat that the United States are ready to resume fighting any time negotiations are broken off. The administration is confident Spain will yield before a warlike squadron could leave America's

shores. MAKING SPAIN COUGH.

The Paris Matin, in reviewing the history of the late war, criticises the American attitude in regard to the Philippine Islands, and says Prince Bismarck on one occasion remarked "that when you have your knee on a nation's neck you should make her cough up all you can," adding: "It is possible the United States now remembers this brutal maxim, and it is also possible the United States has forgotten the rancour, hatred and exasperation it involves.'

WILL YIELD UNDER A PROTEST. London, Nov. 18 .- All the special dispatches to the London papers this morning from Paris express the belief that the Spanish commissioners will finally yield, although under protest, to the American demands.

Almost all the Spanish papers deprecate the dilatory proceedings Paris, and urge the government to yield quickly, since it is impossible for Spain to renew the struggle or to expect European assistance

It is rumored that the Italian Government has made representations to the powers regarding the pretensions of the United States in the Philippines.

THE CARLIST SCARE. Madrid, Nov. 18 .- At the cabinet council, the minister of justice, Senor Groilard, declared that the fears inspired by the Carlist agitation were absolutely groundless.

SUCCESSFUL LAUNCH OF THE FORMIDABLE

Portsmouth, England, Nov. 18 .-Thousands of people witnessed the launch of the ram battleship Formidable at the dockyard here. She is said to be the largest warship in the world, being 15,000 tons displacement. She is 400 feet long, has 75 feet beam and draws 26 feet 9 inches of water. She cost over £1,000,000, and is estimated to steam 18 knots. A notable feature of the launch of the battleship was the entwining of the British and American flags on the official stand.

The Marquis of Lansdowne, speaking at Plymouth on general politics, referred to his gratification over the Anglo-American friendship. course of the speech he sketched the proposed large scheme of improving the home defenses by providing a new type of guns, which would require a smaller number. He said he felt sure that when the government had com-pleted its scheme the country would be prepared for the heavy sacrifices it would entail.

Laugh at Percy. See him!

RUSSO-CHINESE

Secret Treaty Said to Have Been Arranged.

British Fleet That Assembled at Wei-Hai-Wei Now Leaving-Attendants on the Chinese Emperor Executed.

Advices from the Orient include the following: Japanese papers contain news of an alleged secret treaty between China and Russia. In this treaty the Chinese Government is stated to have agreed that Russian soldiers are to be employed for the defense of the coast and as military instructors. They are to be commanded by Russian officers. The whole expense is agreed 40 be borne by China.

It is reported that the Japanese Government has decided & co-operate with Great Britain with the object of restoring all things in China to their former status before the recent coup d'etat.

BRITISH FLEET DISPERSING.

A dispatch to the London Nimes from Wei Hai Wei says that the British squadron that assembled there is dispersing. The Undaunted has gone to Nagasaki, and the Hermione and Iphigenia to Chee Foo. The Narcissus is going to Hong Kong, and the Alacrity, with the admiral aboard, is going to the Kang Tse Kiang. The correspondent remarks regretfully on the complete absence of preparations to de-fend Wei Hai Wei. The place has been occupied by the British for six months, yet no fortifications have been begun, and the telegraphs are defective, all of which is in striking contrast to the feverish activity displayed by the Russians at Port Arthur.

CHINESE EMPEROR'S ATTEND-

ANTS EXECUTED. It is learned that no fewer than fourteen eunuchs, who were the emperor's own personal attendants, and on whose devotion he was in the habit of relying, were executed by order of the empress dowager. The reason given why this sanguinary deed has not become widely known is that the executions took place in the court yard of the chief eunuch's office, inside the palace grounds, where refractory and rebellious eunuchs are always attended to. The empress dowager has issued an edict instructing high provincial authorities to diligently protect all places wherever Christian chapels of any nationality may have been built, and ordering that all missiongries in the interior must be properly and politely treated.

RAMPANT REBELS.

The rebels have attacked and looted the town of Kwei Fu, in the Upper Yang Tse Kiang Vailey, and Lave burned the Catholic mission there. No furdon Daily Telegraph says: I under- ther details are obtainable at present. The German armored cruiser Kaiser, flagship of the squadron, under command of Prince Henry of Prussia, in Chinese waters, is ashore in Sam Sah Bay. The other vessels of the squadron are assisting to get her off. It is believed that the Kaiser has not suf-

fered serious injury.
The Marquis of Lansdowne, secretary of state for war, has issued the necessary orders for the enrollment of a battalion of 1,000 Chinese to serve under British officers at Wei Hai Wei, the recently acquired British naval station.

A STRONG TRIO. The London Times halls Mr. Joseph Chamberlain as the "apostle of better understanding with the United States and Germany," admitting that it rejoices that in view of the part the United States are likely to play in the far east, a cause of possible writation has been removed by Emperor William's change of plans as to his homeward journey. With regard to Anglo-American co-operation in the far east. the Times says: "Its effectiveness will largely depend upon our ability to do our own share of work and to protect our own interests, without calling upon

our friends. The Berlin correspondent of the Times says: The German attempts to deny the reality and significance of the Anglo-American friendship are now being abandoned. There are certain imponderabilia—to use an expression of Bismarck's-which the citizens of other countries residing abroad have already begun to appreciate as the first proofs of the united influence of the two powers in the affairs of the world.

CAIRO TO THE CAPE. A move is evidently on foot by Germany to procure the Portuguese colony of Angola, on the west coast of Africa. According to the colonial year book, Angola is on the brink of a strong power. The book adds that a general collapse of the Portuguese power is only a question of months. England is not expected to interfere in such an acquisition by Germany. In return it is proposed to concede to England a strip of territory along Lake Tanganyika, which lies just east of the Congo State, on the south coast of Africa. This juggling of territory would allow England to realize her dream of a British Africa extending from Cairo to the Cape.

WILLIAM'S TOUR.

London, Nov. 18.—The Daily Mail says this morning: "An important re-cult of Emperor William's tour is an agreement on the part of the sultan to give his benevolent sanction to the Zionist movement. This would seem to indicate the friendly intimacy of the two monarchs and its probable in-fluence upon general politics.

It transpires that when Emperor William passed the Island of Rhodes, where the Khedive of Egypt is staying at present, the emperor telegraphed his regrets at being unable to visit Egypt, also thanking the khedive for the preparations made to receive his majesty. The Emperor and Empress of Ger-many have sailed for Pola, from which nort they will travel overland direct for home. It is explanied that the emperor decided upon this course because the temperature of the Mediterranean has become considerably cooler, and the danger to the health of the empress by a sudden change from a northern to a southern clime is thus lessened.

THE FRENCH SHORE QUESTION. London, Nov. 18 .- The French shore

of attention since Mr. Chamberlain's speech on Tuesday last. There is good reason to believe that the report of the commission, which has lately returned, will prove of grave import. The likelihood is that the question will be included with a number of others in the negotiations between France and Great Britain which are approaching.

CABLE NOTES. The Imperial Government, is is understood, has no thought of further considering the question of the Pacific cable until Canada speaks.

Nothing has been done here regarding the fast Atlantic service since the Petersen scheme lapsed.

WASHINGTON Cairneross & Lawrence,

The Press Enthuisastic in His Praises.

Receives an Ovation From a Brilliant Audience-An Elequent Address -Canadian Patriotism.

The Washington press is enthusiastic in praise of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech on Wednesday night at the inauguration of the School of Comparative Jurisprudence and Diplomacy, in connection with Columbia University.

It was a distinguished gathering. deed brilliant. Flags of many nations were quite appropriately draped around the balcony, while the rostrum was a bed of flowers. Many lustrous incandescent globes shone brightly upon the audience and gave a charming effect to the dashing colors in my lady's mil-linery.

One of the speakers, Justice Brewer. had referred in his address to America's expansion, and had said, jocularly that the United States should expand longitudinally, as there was a nice neighbor at the north that would be

welcomed into the union. This gave Sir Wilfrid Laurier an opening. "The Canadian premier," says the Washington Star, "was introduced by President Whitman, and was welcomed with an ovation second only to that extended Mr. McKinley. He is an entertaining and pleasing speaker, diplomatic and adroit, and his references to an alliance between England and the United States awoke the greatest enthusiasm."

Sir Wilfrid declared he could not agree exactly with Justice Brewer that American territorial expansion should proceed at present along the longitud-inal lines and include Canada. Like Dr. Whitman, president of the Columbian University, whose birth on Canadian soil made it impossible for him to eliminate the warm spot in his heart for his native land, notwithstanding the fact, he had become so thoroughly Ameri-Sir Wilfrid declared the Canadian heart would ever be true to its own country. The invitation to speak the opening of a school of comparative jurisprudence and diplomacy was a temptation peculiarly fascinating to him. The establishment of such a school in America, however, he declared must be looked upon in the light of a luxury rather than a necessity, for

the history of diplomacy has shown

that the American diplomats have not been school-trained, but, on the contrary, were to the manor born. "And history has also shown," continued, "that these American diplomats have not only been aways able to hold their own with the trained representatives of foreign countries, but very often, indeed, get the better of the argument. It is no flattery to you to say that no nation on earth has done so much for the advancement of international law and the promotion of the ethics that should prevail between the two great countries as the United States. As the chairman has told you, I am here on a diplomatic mission, thanks to the diplomacy of President McKinley. The sores formerly barring a closer knitting of the people of the United States and England have been eliminated, and a new era is dawning in the relationship between the coun-

tries. FLATTERING AMERICAN DIPLO-

"I am the member of a commission which it is hoped will blot out the last of the differences between us. I know not what the result of our labors will be, for we have to deal with American diplomats. The time has come, how-ever, when war between the United States and England would be as monstrous and criminal as your own civil war of a third of a century ago. In that war you fought for the integrity of the union, for the enfranchisement economic disaster, and should revert to of the slave. Your greatest credit, however, was the moderation shown in victory, an example thus being set to all the world. Not a drop of blood in the civil war was spilled by civil action, but all upon the battlefield. The United States set the first example in thus dealing with its own conquered people, and similar moderation has characterized the English nation ever

"There is a bond of fellowship, friendly feeling and kinship now ex-isting between this country and England that will never be groken. It is my wish that henceforth and forever the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack shall float together, but together they shall fold for no cause other than the defense of freedom and the ad-

vancement of civilization. The Star adds that another ovation followed the Canadian premier's close. He made a lasting impression on all who listened to his eloquent and patriotic remarks. His warm welcome demonstrated the public feeling with regard to friendship with England.

THE DREYFUS CASE

Early Return of the Prisoner to Paris Probable.

Paris, Nov. 18.-In legal circles here the belief is expressed that the court of cassation will shortly order the return of Drevfus to France from his prison on Devil's Island, off the coast of French Guiana, on the ground that it is impossible to carry on the examinaquestion in connection with Newfound- tion of the prisoner by cable, in view son land, has been attracting a good deal of the cost of such a proceeding, as

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well as in view of the necessary delay. La Petite Republique says that during the recent trial of M. Zola for libel, Comte Esterhazy was overheard to say that Gen. Bilot, a former minister of war, gave him 80,000 francs for forging the bordereau.

NEW LIGHT ON THE CZAR'S PLAN

The scene in the lecture hall was in- The Proposal It Is Claimed Is Grounded on National Embarrassment.

> London, Nov. 17 .- The peace conference is to be held, not at Brussels, as proposed by the czar, but at St. Petersburg, and is not likely to meet before the latter part of February or the early part of March. Several foreign governments signified their readiness to take part in the conference in the internationa' peace congress, providing it was held in the Russian capital, rathe than in that of Belgium. The delay in the meeting is due to the fact that the Russian programme for the congress is not fully elaborated, and, secondly, that some of the foreign delegates expected would not be able to

travel to St. Petersburg in midwinter. The world benefits by the delay. For while Russia and her subservient ally, France, are preparing for a peace conference destined to reflect glory upon the young czar, they are debarred from embarking in any war.

NEW LIGHT ON THE CZAR'S

PLANS. A private letter written from the British legation at Tokio to a member of parliament here, says the Japanese Government was not at all convinced of the sincerity of the proposal for the the Japanese mission at St. Petersburg

was instructed to ascertain what was the real reason for its issue. In reply, the Japanee envoy at St. Petersburg reported that the manifesto was designed first to mitigate the anti-Russian feeling in England, and next to enable the Russian Government to retrench in consequence of the impoverished condition of the treasury, and the certainty of one of the most disastrous famines during the coming winter that has ever been known in the do-

The United States collector of customs at Juneau has been arrested for criminal libel.

CABLE NOTES A special cable from London says:

It is reported that additional French troops and supplies have reached Fash-Cables from New York give detailed accounts in a sensational form of the defense arrangement at Halifax, in

view of the possibility of war. highest officials in England discredit the sensational news. Lieut. Gourko, formerly of the Russian havy, who was under arrest for an attempt to murder one of the Russian state secretaries at Monte Carlo, and was awaiting extradition, was

found dead in his cell yesterday morning. A dispatch from Canea says that the appointment of Prince George of Greece as Governor of Crete, is only temporary, the terms of the arrangement being that he shall serve two or three years under the suzerainty of the

Considerable comment is excited in military circles by the Soudan honors. One remarkable omission is that of Lieut. Girard, to whose splendid work in the construction of the Soudan military railway G. W. Stephens, historiographer of the campaign, devotes two pages in his new book. The royal and official authorities have & great disinclination to augment the number of Victoria Crosses, their great aim being to preserve it as the highest rank of distinction.

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St. Thomas is troubled with a Jack the Peeper.

Listowel hockey club has organized for the season.

The Galt Y. M. C. A. will add a gymnasium to its equipment. Three church disturbers were fined \$1

each in Brantford recently. Mrs. Wm. Cureton died at her resi-

dence in Sandwich on Thursday. The court of division has reduced the

assessment of Woodstock \$27,800. Rev. Mr. Hazlewood, of Paris, is recovering from his late serious illness. There is a movement on foot to es-

tablish a local insurance company in Brantford. The Cockburn Creamery Company, Limited, are applying for incorporation

in Woodstock. The death is announced at Cascade, B. C., of Alex. Mason, merchant tailor,

formerly of St. Thomas. The will of Mrs. Jane Bell, South Dumfries, has been probated. The

estate is valued at \$9,000. The will of the late Henry St. Louis, of Sandwich East, has been admitted to probate. The estate inventories

Mrs. Vidal, matron of the Indian school at Elkhorn, Man., and widow of the late William P. Vidal, of Sarnia,

is dead. The trustees of the Wellesley school received 151 applications to fill two vacancies that will occur at the end of Alex. Patterson, of Gananoque, for-

merly of St. Thomas, has been ap-Bank at Tilbury. Fourteen thousand five hundred dol-

lars' worth of Raleigh township debentures have been sold to F Marx. The premium was over \$700.

The students of the Stratford model school will hold their annual "At

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Home" on Friday of this week. Over 250 guests have been invited.

A couple of men have been visiting Hay township, Huron county, swamp to study its possibilities as to peat-bog for manufacture of commercial fuel. The faculty of Assumption College, Sandwich, will extend an invitation to Papal Delegate Martinelli to visit that institution during his stay in De-

The J. D. Moore Company (Limited), Marys-Church Disturbers Fined- of St. Marys, shipped 24,000 dozen of Woodstock Assessment Reduced eggs to Great Britain last week, and 24,000 dozen more to the same destination this week.

One hundred acres of land Chatham Plains were recently sold for \$3,200. Before this district was drained, thousands of acres could be bought for 75 cents an acre.

A company have purchased all the soft timber in the swamps west of Exeter, and intend erecting a stave mill there, which will give employment to a large number of hands.

Richard Jackson, who was accidentally killed on a railway near Buffalo, N. Y., recently, formerly resided in St. Thomas, having married a daughter of Mrs. Bennett, of that city.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at 8:30 Wednesday evening on John street, Ingersoll, when Miss Ellen, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watson, was united in matrimony to

Mr. T. Irvin Dynes. The quarterly official board of the James Street Methodist Church at Exeter have decided to extend an invitation to Rev. Mr. Brown, of Amherstburg to become their pastor for to the lady in Holland. She was conference term, commencing June next.

A happy event took place on Wednesday night at the residence of Mr. Robt. Sutherland, West Zorra. About 30 friends and relatives gathered to witness the marriage of his daughter Lizzie to Mr. Hugh Sutherland, of East Nissouri, son of Mr. John Sutherland.

Paul Killer, of Clifton, was arrested Officer Moyinhan for scraping M. R. coaches with a stick. He was fined \$1 and \$3 costs. The damage done amounted to \$10. People often thoughtlessly hold out sticks while a train is passing and rub off the paint. Detective Heenan is bound to put a stop to the practice.

William Bateman, who was one of the first Yukon traders, is in St. After four months on the Thomas. Bateman arrived in Dawson City early last June with 50 tons of provisions, and had no trouble of getting rid of every pound of stuff at good prices-\$15 per 100 pounds for flour, for instance. He brought several bracelets and a watch chain made of gold nuggets, and plenty of gold dust and loose nuggets, one of them containing \$90 worth of gold.

Stratford Herald: A pretty wed-ding was celebrated Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Dobson, when her only daughter, Miss Evelyn, was united in marriage to Mr. Chas. Dingman, of Chatham. The contracting parties are well known Stratfordites. Mr. Dingman being a brother of Mr. W. S. Dingman, of the Stratfordites. Herald. and formerly of the Gananoque Journal, but now of Chatham. Miss Dobson is one of the most popular young ladies of the city.

On Thursday morning, as M. C. R. train known as "S. N. 2." dairy special, was nearing the station at Attercliffe, a wheel broke on the fifteenth car from the front end. In consequence seven cars were derailed. The cars were thrown across the double track, comblocking traffic for some time. The auxiliary was dispatched to the scene of the accident, and scon cleared up the wreckage. The cars and contents were not badly damaged. So as not to delay passengers, express trains Nos. 14 and 15 were sen; around on the Air Line. No person was hurt.

Prof. Robertson has forwarded Washington seven baskets of Canadian grown grapes so as to show the excellent quality of Canadian fruit.

The Canadian commissioners asked that this be done

SHE MARRIED TO ESCAPE JAIL

ALFRED TAYLOR, Manager,

Girl Who Balked at the Wedding Was Put There by the Bridegroom-Widowed Before Being a Wife-Patti's Penchant.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 18 .- In order to secure her Helena Wende became the wife of Frank Unio, who was bound that she should not break her engagement with

The girl has been in this country only two months. Mutual friends arranged for her to marry Unio, and she agreed. Unio bought her a wedding outfit, and spent \$100 on it. Her sister advised her not to marry him, and she took the clothes and refused to give Unio either the finery or the affections. He had her arrested for false pretense, and kept her in jail over a week. She finally agreed to marry him and secure

LOST HER HUSBAND BEFORE SHE MET HIM.

London, Nov. 18.-The sad and extraordinary position of a woman being a widow before she is a wife, says the Johannesburg Standard, is that held by Mrs. L. G. Koops. A few days before Mr. Koops' deeply-regretted death he was married by the handschoen (glove) have left to join ther husband on the 13th inst., but the cables have apprised her of her misfortune.

The system of marriage by proxy is frequently adopted by bridegrooms in South Africa and Dutch brides in Holland. A friend of the groom represents him in the church, and he is only released from the solemn engagement by a saving clause in the certificate. The aim and object of these innocent mock marriages is to bind the far-away husband to his contract.

PATTI'S PENCHANT.

London, Nov. 18. - Mme. Adelina Patti-Nicolini announces her betrothal to the Baron Cederstrom, a Swedish nobleman. The marriage will take place next February.

Should Mme. Adelina Patti-Nicolini marry again it will surprise many of her admirers. Her whole life seemed to be bound up in Signor Nicolini, who died only last January, and for whom she sacrificed a great social position. Her first marriage was a brilliant one, the Marquis de Caux being the bridegroom in a wedding ceremony in

To Perform an Operation for Piles-Dr. Chase's Ointment Is a Surer, Cheaper, Easier

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London, July 29, 1868, which marked the success of a pet scheme of the Empress Eugenie. Differences in age and temperament, however, caused an estrangement in a few years, and the great singer, at the height of her career, bestowed her affections to Signor Nicolini, who sang Romeo to her Juliet. Their love was shown even on the stage and aristocratic women refused to recognize her. She had been devoted to the tenor singer for almost ten years when the Marquis de Caux obtained a divorce from her in 1884. Signor Nicolini was also divorced from his wife, and they were married in a little Protestant chapel n castle, on June 9, 1896. The devotion of the singers to one another until death separated them served as the basis

POLITICAL POINTS

of many pretty stories.

By an arrangement between the parties, petitions against the return of 26 members of the British Columbia Proally dismissed by Justice Martin.

vincial Legislature have been form-Two election petitions were disposed of on Thursday at Osgoode Hall, North Hastings and North Toronto. were dismissed. In the case of North Hastings, however, W. J. Allen, the member, has resigned his seat. Both are Conservatives. This makes eight vacancies in the legislature. G. F. Marter is confirmed in his seat

as member for North Toronto. THE PETREL AT WORK.

Sandusky, Ohio, Nov. 18 .- The Canadian cruiser Petrel, which is patrolling the fishing grounds in Lake Erie waters in this vicinity, has seized a lot of gill-nets belonging to American fish-ermen, and which, it is claimed, were set in Canadian waters. THE BIG DITCH.

New York, Nov. 18 .- E. D. Cragin, of Chicago, who engineered the purchase of the concession for the building of the Nicaragua Canal in the interest of the Grace syndicate, says that the route of the canal will not be materially changed and that the capital to complete the work has already been subscribed.

Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex. has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klon-For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages, and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, bronchitis, and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Sold at any drug store. Regular size, 50 cents and \$1. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Nature ought to be ashamed of herself if some realistic art casts true reflections. In Reply to Oft-Repeated Questions

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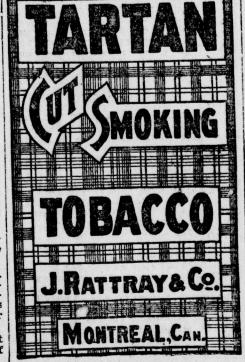
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TURF.

SHERLAND'S SAD FATEL

Nashville, Nov. 18 .- As briefly menioned yesterday, Jockey Sherland was killed in the third race. He was riding Red Monk. Another horse crossed in front of him. Sherland had to pull up, nd was run down by the horses immediately behind. He was thrown into he middle of the mix-up, and was so severely trampled that he died soon ater being taken out. Sherland had een riding on western tracks for five rears, and had become recognized as the est jockey on the western turf. He had contracted to ride for the Seagram cable, on the eastern tracks, for next This year he rode at Highland Park and Windsor.

MR. AND MRS. BECK BOTH WIN-NERS.

New York, Nov. 18 .- Madison Square Garden was thronged again yesterday afternoon and evening. The tandem parade was the occasion of considerable excitement, as the horses were highspirited, and more or less wild. The attendance was large, although the boxes were empty when the bugle sounded for the first class of the night's exhibition. This was ponies in harness, a large number of the little beauties, headed by a midget 24 inches high, trotted into the ring. After this came the high-steppers, and this class was followed by the municipal police horses, the great attraction of the eve-

Following are, the Canadian exhibitors and their horses: Mrs. Adam Beck, of London, Ont., has Fellowship; Mr. Adam Beck has Burford, Westminster Belle, Tecumseh, Fellowcraft, Lady Elgin and Bouncingshot; Wm. Hendrie, Hamilton, is showing his bay stallion Othmar: Mr. Cochran, Hillhurst Station, Quebec, shows Barthorpe, Per- 1:44 2-5. former and Chamberlain; George Pep-per, Toronto, has King Crow, King Crow II., Lord Minto, Glenmore, Molly Morgan. Peacock, Queensbery, Bonnie Lassie. Lady Aberdeen and Klondike; Crow & Murray, Toronto, have Blucher and Minto.

Among the prize-winners were the green hunters, class 104, light-weight green hunters—1, Lady Elgin, ch. m., 4 years, Adam Beck, London, Ont.; 2, King Pin, b. g., Willard Parker, jun., and H. Hurkamp, New York

Corinthian class, class 18, best performance of hunters and jumpers-1. American Beauty, b. m., owned by R. Pulitzer. New York; 2, Chappie, b. owned by J. Halloway, of New Rochelile; 3, Fellowship, b. g., owned by Mrs. Adam Beck, London, Ont.

a newcomer among horse show exhibitors, who drove a bay team of remarkable quality and style, good manners and all round action. In the lead were Lady Ursula and Lady Flavia, and on the wheel Lord Chumley and Lord Chesterfield. The manners of the horses were beyond criticism as they whirled the brand new black-and-red coach about the ring. Bostwick paid \$10,000 for the four dock-tailed trotters, and it would not be very wide of the truth to say that the young New York clubman purchased the four for the purpose of winning \$250 in money and \$9,750 in glory at the greatest of horse His turnout-horses, coach, harness, liveries and all-represented an expenditure of nearly or quite \$15,-000, so the experts said.

\$7,000 FOR A STALLION.

Toronto, Nov. 18.-The famous hackney stallion Royal Standard, that created a sensation at the Chicago horse show last year, has been sold by his owners, Graham Bros., of Claremont, Ont., to A. & W. Mongomery, of Scotland, the price quoted being \$7,000. The Grahams have bought the hackney stallion Lord Rosebery, by Lord Derby, out of a mare by Denmark. Royal



self-sacrifice not only a possibility, but a pleasure.
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WINNINGS OF CANADIANS. The winnings of 1898 of the leading Canadian owners were: Wm. Hendrie, \$48,000; J. E. Seagram, \$13,000; Adam Beck, \$7,000.

AT NASHVILLE Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 18.-Weather cloudy, track slow at Cumberland yes-

First race, selling, 1 mile-Farm Life Howitzer 2, Sir Blaise 3. Time, Second race, selling, 11-16 mile-Topaz

1, Red Admiral 2, Royal Banner 3. Time, 1:11. Third race, selling, 7 furlongs—Damocles 1, Miss Brambie 2, Albert S. 3. Time, 1:17½.

Fourth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Shield Bearer 1, Mamie Callan 2, Violet Parsons 3. Time, 1:19½. Fifth race, selling, 1 mile-Lackman 1, Demosthenes 2, Jim Flood 3. Time,

AT INGLESIDE San Francisco, Nov. 18.-Track fast at Ingleside yesterday. First race, 5 furlongs-Leiter won,

Jerry Hunt 2, Boardman 3. Time, Second race, seiling, 1 mile—Bonnie Ione won, Dr. Bernals 2, Ho 3. Time, 1:43%.
Third race, selling, 6 furlongs-

Kaiser Ludwig won, Yankee Doodle 2, McFarland 3. Time, 1:164. Fourth race, handicap, 7 furlongs— Osler Joe won, Rosinante 2, Satuma 3. Time, 1:281/2. Fifth race, purse, 6 furlongs—Roser-monde won, Novia 2, La Marona 3.

Time, 1:151/4. Sixth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Out-away won, Mamie Scott 2, Durwad 3. so modify or increase excesses or lacks that a most pleasing change is noted. Sixth race, selling, 6 furlongs-Out-Time, 1:15.

AT BENNINGS. Washington, Nov. 18 .- Yesterday's events: won, Tabouret 2, Diminutive 3. Time, First race, 6 furlongs-Boney Boy 1:161/5.

Second race, 5 furlongs-Tyran won, Meddlesome 2, Rare Perfume 3. Time, 1:03 2-5. Third race, 1% miles, hurdles— Floraline won, Arezzo 2, Hurry Up 3. Time, 3:29. Fourth race, 7 furlongs-Trillo won, Loiterer 2, Wordsworth 3. Time, 1:30. Fifth race, 1 mile—Ben Ronald won,

Jefferson 2, Sensational 3. Time, HOCKEY.

PARIS CLUB. The Paris Hockey Club held their annual meeting Tuesday. The following officers were elected: Patrons, D. Adams, sen., and A. H. Baird; honorary president, Mayor Fisher; presi-

The management of the London Juniors have completed arrangements for a game to be played in Simcoe on Thanksgiving Day.

THE KENNEL.

INTERNATIONAL FIELD TRIALS High Steppers, class 51—1, Mucher, ch. g., Crow & Murray, Toronto; 2, Uncle Sam, b. g., O. P. H. Belmont; 3, Sampson, br. g., John H. Bratton, of East St. Louis.

\$15,000 TO WIN \$250.

Some the four-in-hand second; T. B. Steadman's Ticket third, and J. W. Humpidge's London Boy fourth. The all-age stake is bested away and no trace be left the trials will be brought to a close tonight. Birds were not found very plentiful yesterday, although severa the eyes into "crow's-feet" or ruffle the were flushed. A different field was taken from that of the previous day, but without much improvement. The wind and weather were also unfavorable to the sports.

NOTES OF SPORTS.

Joe Choynski and Gus Ruhlin have been practically matched to fight 26 rounds at the Lenox Club in New York about Dec. 26. Despite his bad ankle, Ed. Geers leads the list of winning drivers for the season of 1898. He took 29 firsts, 18 seconds, 7 thirds and 6 fourths.

Kid McCoy and Tommy Ryan will fight again, this time for the middleweight championship and a purse oi The contest will take place before the Lenox A. C., Dec. 12. Nat Butler defeated the guidles pacer Albatross at Philadelphia Wed-

nesday in half-mile and quarter-mile heat races, the horse taking but one heat. Lena N. defeated W. F. Sangster in a mile heat race, taking the first two heats. The time was slow in all the races.

The famous English mastiff Champion Prince Cola, formerly owned by Dr. Lancelot Younghusband, of Detroit, has been sold by F. J. Skinner, of Baltimore, of Baltimore, to Mrs. H. B. Savage, of Belton, Texas. The dog has won many prizes and is recognized by fanciers as being one of the finest English mastiffs in the world.

HARRIETSVILLE.

Harrietsville, Nov. 17 .- Thomas Mc-Kee is re-engaged as principal of the public school, at a salary of \$500, for 1899.

Mrs. James Ewan fell into the cellar yesterday, and was taken up for dead, but revived. Dr. Doan found the spinal column injured, and one of the ankles. Messrs. McLaughan and Connell, the evangelists, concluded their labors here on Sabbath night. There were twelve

B. G. York has sold his stable, and is

remodeling his workshop.

D. D. York has put up a windmill for Samuel Demary, of improved design. Miss Watt, teacher of the Mossley school, retires at the close of the ensuing year, after eleven years of efficient and faithful work.

WENT FAST AGROUND.

Montreal. Que., Nov. 18.—The Allan Line steamship Grecian, which sailed from this port yesterday for Glasgow, went aground before getting very far.A dense fog prevailed and the steamer had proceeded only as far as the St. Lawrence sugar refinery, when she went fast aground. Tugs and lighters were sent down to lighten her.

THE CLOCK WORTHY OF THE FAMILY.

Calvin Whitney died of old age and paralysis this week in the room in which he was born 84 years ago. The old clock in the adjoining room had run 40 years when it struck the hour of his birth, and it has kept good time ever since, and marked the time of his death. He was the youngest of eleven children all born in the same room. His father lived nearly 100 years in the same house. He was married 61 years ago last month.—Westminster letter to

Human Feature,

And Transform Ugliness Into Beauty -The Advance in Dermatology.

[Chicago Chronicle.]

Surgeons may not be able to remove repair and replace internal organs of the human body; they may lack the skill to completely overhaul the machinery which continues life, but they can very nearly accomplish these almost incredible feats of physical engineering. But he who is ugly need not remain so; he whose outward seeming is like unto that of the fabled Caliban need worry no more over the unkindness of the fickle dame, for he can be rebuilt on lines of statuesque beauty. Dermatology has robbed hideousness of its terrors.

Women unfavored of nature with what the world has established as a standard of beauty need not despair. Their features can be remodeled according to the most accepted types and good looks be made to succeed painful plainness. The appearance can be so changed that one's own mother would hesitate before claiming her child. But with all their skill in plastic surgery the operators cannot and do not remodel intellect, so he or she who is plain of face and dense of mind can be fashioned into a pretty doll. No added flashes of wit or intelligence will follow the course of scalpel and bistoury.

With cocaine for local anaesthesia and antiseptic fluids to prevent bad results, the dermatologist is able to And, by the way, one need not go to cultured Boston or to greater New York to have these wonders performed. Chicago dermatologists will perform the feats as skillfully and satisfactorily as elsewhere. There is some choice in the selection of the operator also. What at one time was reviled as a money-mak-ing scheme which could only result in disfigurement or tattooing like that practiced among the savage tribes with their savage ideas of good looks has come to be recognized as a distinct specialty in modern surgery.

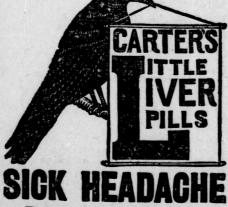
VANITY A MOTIVE. A certain amount of vanity is the attribute of every human mind. But for this the remodeler would have scant opportunities to practice his art. In fact, he has all he can do to keep up with the procession, for here as else-where the wish to be beautiful is dominant, and men and women will suffer temporary pain in order to obtain permanent improvement in facial appearance. Pug noses, the burdens and griefs of many with faces otherwise perfect can be elevated in the scale to resemble those of ancient Greece or Rome. Noses too small and which recede unpleasantly, giving the face the appearance of a convex dish, can be built up into any style most desired or which will best combine with the ruggedness or smoothness of the remaining features. Noses with humps on their backs like that of the truculent dromedary can be filed away until they remind one of Venus or Adonis. They

smoothed away and no trace be left to show they ever existed. Unsightly wrinkles, which curl up the angles of brow into ugly ridges, can be smoothed out and a face of babyish, velvety looks be fashioned. If the chin sticks out in a most combative manner, it can be toned down so that the owner will not seem to be constantly courting trouble. If the upper lip be a veritable Cupid's bow and the underlip sticks out like a tenderion of beef, the latter can be drawn in to resemble the string to the bow and none be the wiser.

NOSES CHANGED WHILE YOU WAIT.

Suppose, for instance, you possess a Roland Reed nose, which is good for stage purposes, but entirely too exhuberant for daily use. May be the rest of your features imperatively demand the Grecian style. Well, the surgeon will jab a lot of cocaine into that hump, lay open the skin and draw it well Then he will keep spraying the wound with antiseptic and anesthetic fluids while he drills at the bone with a tiny electric burr. He will grind off enough of the bridge to reduce the hump to a fine straight line, cut away enough of the skin to make a neat fit, and then sew the parts together. He will bandage the organ, and when you take off the bandage you will not know your own nose.

Practical evidence of what can be done in this matter of nose reduction was recently made in New York. One Richard Smith, formerly a hunter and trapper in the woods of Maine, was possessed of a nose which outnosed that of the fabled Cyrano de Bergerac. It was something awful in its dimensions and brilliancy of coloring. It was prenatal, a blow to the unfortunate man's mother having left him with this hideous birthmark. He had nose enough for half a ward. But this did not disturb the dermatologists in the Smith was conveyed to New York by a hunter who found him in Maine. His awful nose was clipped and trimmed until it was of ordinary dimensions and correct form. He is happy, and nobody who had not known



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him prior to the operation would know the organ had been tampered with at

Is it a pug you are troubled with, which will curl and wrinkle like a pig's snout? Well, the operator jabs more cocaine into the proboscis, makes an incision in the cartilege which divides the two passages, takes cut a small second the two passages, takes out a small section and draws down the upturning organ. He gets the pug idea out of the nose as completely as if it had never existed. And when all is done no scar will tell the tale of artificial interfer-

ence with the provisions of nature. If the nose be too small and flat the skill of the surgeon is not baffled. He will rebuild it to fair proportions. He will open it up, lay back the hide, lay on a gold bridge of the proper size and replace the dermis. Every portion of the artificial bridge is skillfully covered, so that nobody but the wearer knows it. This nose is a good thing for him who stops blows with his nose, for gold will not break as readily

THE CASE OF JOE LANNON. Speaking of blows and their effect on the nose in particular, did you ever see Joe Lannon? Joe thought he was a pugilist. Nature had not been gentle with him in dealing out features. In fact, he looked as if his face had been made up of dead stock which nobody else would use. He had a wondrous nose, which in its encounters with sundry fists had taken on still other unpleasantnesses. Now the dermatologist can or could take the Lannon nose or any other which had been assaulted to its difigurement and make it walk straight to the front instead of showing a shamed intensity of desire to glance over the right or left shoulder. So he that has had his face pushed sidewise or whose early dreams had the same effect, can be remodeled. This is enough about noses.

Now suppose you are bothered by the fact that your chin is dropping, dropping down on your shirt front. Fat is being added to the lower jaw and neck with painful speed. You want that chin cleaned up. All right, the operator will clean her up, remove the adipose tissues, and turn a pig's jowl into a well-rounded, youthful chin. Of course, you must not expect too much of the surgeon. He is operating on the chin, and that is all. He does not contract to remove the aldermanic paunch which frequently travels in company with the double chin. So it sometimes happens that a face as smooth as a baby love is seen following a ponderous paunch. It much resembles a figurehead of Dan Cupid stuck on the bows of a Dutch lugger, which in the lan-guage of the old skipper is "bluff in the bows, with great stowage."

CHINS WHITTLED DOWN. If the chin be of the assertive kind, oking its length well ahead of the other features, there is a superabundance of the front portion of the lower jaw. One need not be "whopper-jawed," as they say in Boston, to have this facial blemish. Nature has merely been too generous in framing the lower part of the face. Here again the surgeon gets in with his drill. He wears away the too protuberant bone, cuts down the chin to mate, and lo, the combative person is changed into a man of noble aspect and dignified pur-

If there is one feature in Chicago which oversets all others it is the matter of wrinkles in the brow. The nervous rush of the citizens has bred a continuous contraction of the muscle which the medicine men call the corrugans frontem. It does it, too. The brow is drawn into a perpetual frown, not because the wearer is ill-natured, but the intensity of life has forced the frown into a majority of faces. need not be that eyes are defective, although this wrinkling is due in many cases to astigmatism or lack of cooperation of the eyes. It is the result of needless worry. Long-continued and has become stretched to such an extent that the owner is no longer able to smooth them out of his own volition.

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the skin becomes filled with wrinkles removing skin enough to cause the remainder to tighten over the frontal bone. The surgeon first deadens the tissues with cocaine-all the operations are performed without having the patient first rendered unconscious-then he takes out a couple of eliptical patches, draws the skin together, and the frown is gone. The patches are taken away under the hair, so that if by chance any sear should remain it is invisible. Of course, if you are bald you have to run a risk which he who has much hair is exempt from.

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have gone with the patches.

If the cheek bones are too much Indian the drill will reduce them. If they aid in giving the face the form of the face in the full moon, they can be built up to look more human. If the lip is disfigured by the defect known as hare-lip, the knife will cure it. Grafting will make it as goodlooking a feature as any other of the face, and none can say where the flesh

was taken from or see any scar. In short, deformed features, naturally so or the result of accident, can be reformed so completely as to entirely change the appearance. If the patient has patience, time, money and endurance, there is practically no limit to the change. Only one limit has been encountered, and the surgeons are sanguine of overcoming this in the end. Dull wits will not be sharpened by facial surgery. But features modeled on the lines of true art and beauty generally carry with them minds as bright and true. This is the theory on which the dermatologists are working. If they fashion beautiful faces of plain they hope in time to what the whits and increase the mental caliber of their patients. Up to date, however, this is but theory.

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A Political Scold.

Mr. Whitney was in fine fettle at Napanee on Wednesday night. He was chock-full of vituperative vim, and bludgeoned the Government with his choicest Billingsgate. It was a superiative effort-Mr. Whitney always deals in superlatives. The Provincial audit system, he said, was "MON-STROUS!" The Government was fighting "DESPERATELY and WICK-EDLY!" It had imported a "HORDE of RASCALS" to "SAP and DE-BAUCH the country!" The Government in talking of purity displayed a "MON-UMENTAL IMPUDENCE!" The school books publishers were subscribing money to "DEBAUCH THE PEO-PLE!" Mr. Hardy's shamelessness in accepting a banquet from his friends also drew Mr. Whitney's thunder. He spoke of the premier as being surrounded on that occasion by "a halo of electric lights." In future Mr. Hardy should avoid such base splendor in his halos and use gas or kerosene. No doubt gas is more congenial to Mr. Whitney's temperament. The leader of the Opposition also thrilled his audience by producing two photographs from his coat-tail pocket. The "phizogs" were those of unblushing bribers, said Mr. Whitney, "and please God we will have the pictures of more of them." A rogues' gallery and Mr. Whitney's rhetoric would make two great circus features for Opposition meetings. Truly Mr. Whitney is doing great work to elevate the tone of public discussion.

A Business-Like Warrior.

The Sirdar has presented his Soudan expedition balance sheet to the British nation, and even his most exacting critics have to confess that he made good use of his opportunities. Here it is:

Cost of campaign against Khalifa\$12,500,000 Cr. To 760 miles of railways 11,400,000 To 2,800 miles of telegraph

wires; six new and very su-

It will be observed that in this neat balance sheet the Sirdar takes no account of the Soudan, with its great rich natural resources. He leaves it to the good, its value to be figured out as its possessors finally find it. What Gen. Kitchener does is to sum up the results in this highly modern commercial fashion: "At three thousand pounds a mile, gentlemen, and the rolling stock is in excellent order. The waiting-rooms are not up to much; but then we don't wait in the Soudan. The bridges, however, are thoroughly substantial and in good repair. The new gunboats are of a most superior kind. The telegraph wires cover 2,800 miles, so we will agree, gentlemen that we have very substantial assets."

Lord Kitchener truly has the making of a chancellor of the exchequer.

Old London Waking Up.

The London County Council has decided to purchase, by agreement or compulsion, the undertakings of the eight companies which at present supply the metropolis with water. It is surprising that the water service of the greatest city in the world has been left so long to private enterprise, but the municipal government of London has been notoriously behind the times, though the Progressives are gardually rescuing it from slothful conservatism. The public was only aroused to the necessity of municipal year, which affected one-fourth of the she was going to sing here!-New population. The present supply is taken from the upper reaches of the River Thames, but such is the growth of the city that this source is deemed Since the Golden Hin1 went 'round inadequate for future needs, and it is proposed to bring the water from Wales -a gigantic and costly process. Attention has been called to the increasing scarcity of fresh water in England, due largely to the growth of the urban population and the consequent drain on the rivers, streams, springs, and other natural sources of supply, to serve the cities and towns. Several populous centers of Northwestern England already draw their water from Wales, and the corporation of London is urged not to delay, or it will find all sources of supply in Wales pre-empted by other places.

Now that London has taken this step in a modern direction, it may emulate Glasgow and go in for the further municipalization of monopolies. Large bodies move slowly, but they have greater force.

· Laurier is becoming the British lion in Washington.

Imperial penny postage will be Mr. Mulock's Christmas present to the na-

It is to be hoped Laurier's sunny ways in Washington will dispel some of the misty conceptions about Canada.

The Conservative press will probably scent treason in the fact that the Canadian commissioners have had their feet under President McKinley's ma-

Mr. Chamberlain seems to be the war trumpet of the British Cabinet. His latest blasts are calculated to send tured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

cold shivers down the official of France and Russia,

Mr. Whitney was not at the Hardy banquet, but it appears to have given him mental dyspepsia.

The Lennox bye-election will be held today, and it will undoubtedly go the way of South Ontario and East Wel-

Great Britain is already forming a Chinese battalion at Wei Hai Wei. The pigtails are far more promising material than the Egyptian fellahs, yet the latter developed into first-class fighting men under British discipline.

Emperor William is fishing for an invitation to the Paris exhibition, and if France is wise, the Kaiser will get it. He would be the greatest spectacular feature of the show.

The Hamilton Spectator does not converse with the Hamilton Herald-in any saponaceous or saccharine observations; but, like Junius of old, abruptly denominates its esteemed contempor-

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Poor Dreyfus.

[Hamilton Herald.] It looks as if the French Government is planning to make the retrial of the Dreyfus case a post-mortem exmination

Whitney's Sour Grapes

[Toronto Telegram.] Instead of gracing the Hardy banquet with his presence, Col. J. P. Whitney was able to sit up in bed and have Mr. Birmingnam read to him about the feast of Belshazzar.

Will Accomplish Much.

[Buffalo Express.] The joint high commission of the United States and Great Britain upon disputes with Canada evidently is sparing no effort to come to an agreement upon the troublesome question of reciprocity. Even if it fails in that respect, it is probable that it will accomplish enough to make its appointment well worth while.

Did Longfellow Steal Hiawatha? [Hamilton Times.]

It has been well said that Longfellow's "Hiawatha," which is purely American in theme, could have been written in a London drawing-room by an author who had never seen an Indian, but had plied himself with an

Indian glossary and a few frontier tales.—London Advertiser. Speaking of "Hiawatha," is it hard for a student of "The Kalevala," the fellow did not take his inspiration, measure and plot from it. Although openly accused of plagiarism in that connection, Longfellow never denied it, nor would he authorize his publisher to reply to the attacks of critics on

The Race War.

[The Bystander.] been once more displayed in a desperate affray between the races in North Carolina, in which several negroes have been killed. At the same time comes the news of the lynching of eight negroes in South Carolina, where there are ominous symptoms of a regular race war. Nor has the conflicts between whites and negroes in llinois yet ceased. It seems inconceivable, if anything in human nature can be, that people who have this tre-mendous problem of antagonistic races to solve at home should be bent on taking upon them further installments of the same problem in other quarters of the world.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

Two Important Periods.

He-There are two periods in a man's life when he never understands "Indeed! And when are they?" "Before he is married and after-

ward.-Life.

Typical Sweetness.

He-There's that Smith girl, she's going to sing "In Old Madrid." She (with that sweetness which is a characteristic of her sex)-Is she, ownership by the water-famine this really? What a relief. I was afraid Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Sea Kings.

the Horn and circled a world unknown, Wherever the tides of God have beat and the winds of God have blown, From the sunrise seas to the sundown seas by the storm and the spindrift whirled,

The sons of the men who sailed with Drake have ruled the water

And whether they sail from Plymouth Hoe or out of the Golden Gate, They are brothers in blood linked heart to heart and to a resistiess fate; For the quenchless ardor to rule the which time can never slake, Makes the same blood race through Dewey's veins that throbbed from the heart of Drake.

And all the way out of Trafalgar, down into Manila Bay, The Anglo-Saxon has sailed and fought and struggled and won his way;

wherever the tides of God may beat and the wind of God may It will be tomorrow as it is today, and it was in the long ago!

Everything Else Exhausted.

-New York Sun.

Preachleigh-Do you think I texhausted the subject in my sermon? Peachleigh-Well-er-I don't se how it could have escaped.—Brooklyn

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Our Growing Time

Sifton's Great Clifford Hon. Speech at the Hardy Banquet.

What the Dominion Government Has Done for the West.

The Enormous Value of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway.

Transportation Problem Which Canada Must Face.

Concessions Secured From the C. P. B. -The Immigration Movement-A Patriotic and Hopeful Address.

Hon, Clifford Sifton, the brilliant young Minister of the Interior, made a notable speech at the Hardy banquet Tuesday evening. It showed his thorough of the questions in his official purview, a broad con-ception of Canada's needs, and hopefulness and confidence in her future which inspired great enthusi-asm. After references to the guest of the evening, Mr. Hardy, and to the settlement of the tariff and the Manitoba school problems, Mr. Sifton con-

But, sir, we have done one thing more in the way of dispelling the illusions, the political illusions of our Conservative friends. They were in the habit of telling us and of telling the people of Canada that the Liberal party had no regard for the national aspirations of the people, that they had not the courage to take hold of the works which are necessary for the development of the great natural resources of Canada. And they said. further, that we were not a safe party to whom could be entrusted the destinies of a new country such as we are living in. I think, sir, that we have succeeded in convincing them that we are not afraid to take hold of those great enterprises which are necessary for the development of our resources. My friend, Mr. Hardy— and it would be unpardonable for me not to acknowledge in a word or two his kind reference to myself, a reference dictated by his generous nature, and which I am far from feeling to be justified by anything that I have done—my friend, Mr. Hardy, referred to the fact that possibly I might say a few words in regard to the development of the great west. (Cheers.) And you will pardon me, gentlemen, if I seem enthusiastic upon this subject, and if I feel as a Canadian that the growth of this great Dominion depends upon the development of the great west—(applause)—and if I think that I am prepared to sacrifice, if need be, my health and strength, in endeavoring to do that which is necessary for the development of that great country. (Cheers.)

CROW'S NEST RAILWAY. finances of Canada are not illimitable, and we have had to confine ourselves to these works, such as they are, and to such an extent as our financial sources will permit. But, sir, we found in one place alone that the great natural wealth of the Kootenays required found that these lately discovered resources were being exploited but very slowly, that they were being developed under the very greatest difficulties, and that progress was necessarily very, very slow. We found, sir, in addition to that, that whatever progress was being made was being made largely for the benefit, the enrichment and ag-grandizement of the American towns which lay to the south. We found that that matter required immediate and careful attention, and we gave it that, with the result that we came to the conclusion that the most important demand of that country was railway connection with Eastern Canada. We ook that question up upon those lines. We took it up believing that the wealth of that country was far beyond what the people of Canada or the world realized, and believing that the trade, the industry and the business

which would rise out of that country was the property of the people, of Canada and ought to be developed for their benefit. It could be done in no other way except by the construction of that railway. I will not disguise the fact that many Liberals of the Province of Ontario did not at first the necessity of the construction of that road. But I will venture to say that when the time of the generelection will come around in two or three years, as the case may be, have had time to show and which terprise, that there the result o al, and very few will not urio who will not ch we have takindorse ' we were called upen. (Cheer ans of transportao do something tion, calle ne means wherefurther, to rurn. by the refractory ores of the Kootenay district and the smelting and treating of the same could be done cheaply. You know that the ores of the Kootenay, as a rule, are low-grade ores. They exist in enormous quantities, but are of low grade, and unless some cheap means of smelting could be de-vised a great proportion of such ores would never be taken out of the ground

We had to provide the means of transportation and cheap treatment. BETTER TERMS SECURED. We decided upon the construction. Various plans were proposed. One was that we should have an independent company, a new company, that would take up the construction of that road. Another was that the government should build it. And the third and last was that the C. P. R. should build it. I do not think that any question that has ever come before the privy council since I have been a member of it has received the same anxious, painful and careful consideration as was given to the question of the construction of that railway. And the conclusion that was arrived at. that the C. P. R. should be given the privilege of building that road, was arrived at in what we believed to be then, and what we know to be now, the best interests of the people of Canada. But, sir, remember this: The first thing that we decided when we came to that conclusion was that the road should not be constructed upon the same terms as the main line of the C. P. R. kad been constructed-(hear, hear)-and that other conditions must be made and other

cured for the people of Canada. (Applause.) Now, sir, what did we find? We found in the C. P. R. Company's charter, as you all know, practically no concessions, no rights, no privileges for the people who furnished the money to build that railway. (Hear, hear.) The Liberal party was not responsible for that fact, the Liberal party in parliament in 1881 raised its voice against these clauses in the control of the contr these clauses in the contract, but when we took office in 1896 we found that contract in force and we had to be governed by it as it was. But we said that the mistakes made in the contract would not be repeated in connection with the Crow's Nest Pass Railway. (Cheere.)

CONCESSIONS GAINED. We provided, first, that the railway should be built upon the condition that any time hereafter the government of Canada might give running powers over the road to any other railway that might apply for them. There should be no monopoly, but practically, to all intents and purposes, the railway, though built by the C. P. R., should be a free railway highway for any company that may hereafter apply for leave to use it. That principle had never been embodied in railway legislation at Ottawa until this government took office. (Cheers.) Then, sir, we went further-we took absolute and unrestricted control of the rates upon that line. Next we took absolute control of the rates from every point upon the C. P. R. to every point on the Crow's Nest Pass Railway and other lines which it may connect in Southern British Columbia. And we took absolute control of all the rates from the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, and every point upon it and other points upon any of its connections, back to the main line of the C. P. R. or any of its branches. So that you will see that we have, first, the right to give any company running powers over it; next, we have absolute control of local rates next, absolute control of all rates into the country and out of it. So that to all intents and purposes it is a govern-ment railway, aithough operated by the C. P. R. And it is under the control of the government, and the people of Canada, whose servants the government are. (Applause.) Now, we went a little further and said: "We want something more than that," and we got from the C. P. R. concessions and reductions in the present rates for the benefit of the people in the Northwest in merchandise and grain going into that country and coming out of it, which upon the present volume of business amounts to \$700,000 per annum. (Cheers.) And as the business increases in volume the value of the concessions yearly will increase. Taking the reductions upon the basis of the present vol-ume of business, in five years from today, I believe Canada will have got back the entire bonus that was paid for that railway. We will have a railway, running rights and the incident privileges, the control of rates, and will actually not have paid a cent for it. (Cheers.) I feel that if the construction The blessed effects of foreign was in producing domestic harmony have in producing domestic harmony have that there were many things in the been once more displayed in a desterms and particulars of that contract, which will form, and properly form, the subject of discussion when the record of this government comes to be discussed. There is nothing that we immediate attention at our hands. We have done that we are more prepared to have discussed, more prepared to defend, and more satisfied will com-

> friends and supporters when it comes to be thoroughly understood. EFFECT OF THE CONSTRUCTION. What is the effect of the construction of that railway, particularly as affects the people of Eastern Canada? In the first place it furnishes a line of communication between Eastern Canada and the Kootenay, and, in the second place, it furnishes transportation for the mines along the line. In the third place—the most important, perhaps—it furnishes cheap coke for the purpose of smelting the refractory ores of British Columbia. Taking into account that the quality is as good as any in the world, and taking into account the quantity in a few weeks from now, there will be laid down coke at just about one-half the price which they have been paying for cokes brought from other parts of the world. It will be Canadian coke mined in Canadian territory. It will go to the smelter and reduce the price of treatment of Caradian ore. The result will be an enormous increase in the production of ore in the Kootenay district. The result of this will be that thousands of men and millions of dollars worth of capital will be employed in connection with that great industry. And, sir, one thing will react upon another. The cheaper smelting will result in the production of more ores, and the production of more ores will result in the greater volume of smelting, and the greater volume of smelting will result in the establishment of a refinery, and we will have within ten years the precious metals mined in Canada, smelted in Canada and minted in Canada to as great an extent as in done in any other

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country in the civilized world. (Prolonged cheers.) We found that the government which came into office avowedly for the purpose of stopping the exodus of people to the United States had not been able to stop that exodus, had not been able to keep within the borders of Canada the natural increase of population, while the hundreds of thousands of immigrants from foreign countries had passed in and out again, and had not added one to our population. I found when I took charge of the department of immigration that the pall of death seemed to have fallen over the officials; that they were not doing anything, and that they seemed to be convinced that it was not worth while to do anything, because they could not succeed. We have enof this railway was a great enterprise, deavored to remedy that. I am not goperhaps one of the greatest enterprises ing to boast about my own work, about Province of Ontario in regard to the results speak for themselves, but I want to say that the exodus of Canadian citizens to the United States has been stopped. (Great cheering.) want to say that we are bringing back from the New England States the French-Canadian people who went from the Province of Quebec under our predecessors, and we are settling them upon the farm lands in the back portions of the Province of Quebec. (Applause.) I want to say that the people of the Province of Ontario who are going westward are not going to the Western States, but they are going to Western Canada—(cheers)—and I want to say, in addition, that instead of the

exodus to the United States, our agents are taking thousands of the best farmers of the Western States today and settling them upon our western prairies. (Applause.) I wanted to say one or two words on the question of transportation, of wrestling with the loss of trade which Canada has been suffering, particularly in the last few years, on account of the failure to take hold successfully of the problem of lake transportation.

THE TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM Everybody knows that Canada pos-That waterway is directly between Chicago, Duluth, Port Arthur and the points of shipment from which enormous quantities of grain are shipped from the Northwestern States-quantitles that are increasing every year, and that are going to increase year by year. Now, what is the position of affairs? Mr. Wilkie, the president of the Bankers' Association, said the other day that the greater portion of our grain was not going by the St. Lawrence at all, that it was going by the the seaboard by American channels, and that while we stand in the direct comes from those two great ports. Sir, there is no problem before the government of Canada today that is as important as taking for the people of Canada the carrying trade of the great lakes. (Hear, hear, and applause.) I venture to ear that if you will think of the aggregation of trade that we would get by following that policy successfully, you will agree with me that no sacrifice is too great on the part of the people of Canada to accomplish that great result. Hundreds of millions of bushels of grain come annually from the cities of Chicago and Duluth. Large quantities of grain come from our own Northwest. They could go down the St. Lawrence, they could be carried in a Canadian marine built upon Canadian soil. (Hear, hear.) That is what ought to have been done, and instead of that year by year we have been losing this trade, we have not been capturing any American trade, bago, and similar Kidney troubles, are we have been losing our own, the Canadian trade has been going by the Erie Canal instead of by the Canadian route. Think for a moment of what our predecessors in office were doing. They were trying in a desperate way, by keeping up the tariff and putting it Canada for their manufacturers, when they were trying to get an increased

revenue out of a stationary business,

competition with the city of New York, with a port in the state in which the port of Montreal is? Anyone who visits the Atlantic cities and compares them with the port of Montreal need not ask why it is that the business goes to the American cities and not to Montreal. SHIPPING IMPROVEMENTS.

Sir, the port of Montreal and the sea-

ports of Canada must be put in condition to cope with the requirements of modern commerce. (Cheers.) Our canals are about completed to the depth of fourteen feet, and, gentlemen, that whole route must be put in such a position that a Canadian marine can haul the products of the west to the seaboard cheaper than it can be hauled by any other route. (Hear, hear.) That is the problem before the people of Canada today, and if I were a private elector my politics would be to support the government that took hold of that problem and pushed it with all the power that they possess. I think I can say that the government of Canada today realizes the necessity of that great work being done. We have spent some millions of dollars in deepening the canals; we have taken hold of the work which was slowly done by our predecessors, done slowly, some people said, because they always wanted to have some contracts to let about election time. (Hear, hear, and laughter.) I do not know whether that would be the real reason or not. Anyway, we have not followed that course. let the contracts, and those canals will be completed and fourteen feet of water will be available when the grain is moved next season. Then we have to take hold of the questions of harbor improvements and of canal dues, and everything necessary for making the Canadian route the best route. As a western man I am interested, because every cent taken off the cost of carrying a bushel of grain to the seaboard means \$100,000 in the pockets of the men who grow the million bushels of grain on the western prairie. (Applause.) When you are told that the government is not cutting down expenses you may reply that we are not spending the money sesses the finest waterway in the world. in useless extravagance, but for necessary public works, to enable the people of Canada to reap the largest result sea. Chicago and Duluth are the great from the resources they possess—points of shipment from which enor- (cheers)—and for every dollar spent in the improvement of our routes for commerce we will get a hundred-fold return in due time. The Globe, the organ of the Liberal party, which any party would have a right to be proud of-(hear, hear)-has told us within the last few days that this is Canada's "growing time," and it is true. Our commerce is expanding; our industries are prospering; our population is in-Erie Canal. It is true. He might have said, moreover, that a great portion of our produce, not only from the Northwest, but from Ontario, goes to the seafboard by American shaped. imperial sentiment, let us remember that there is no service that we can perform to Britain or to civilizationpractically get none of the trade which of which Britain is the noblest defender-than by building up upon this continent a great Canadian community, which will serve as a granary from which Great Britain will draw her food supplies, and from which, if need be, she will recruit her armies with men of good northern brawn and good northern brain-(cheers)-a community which will be the pride of the empire in time of peace, and its right arm in (Loud and continued time of war. cheering, the audience rising.)

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they were forgetting all the time that trade was going away from us, and that there were no proper facili-ties being provided for our foreign A dumb-waiter is better than

trade. Can we expect to do business in stupid man

THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks.

Toronto, Nov. 17.—Following dosing quotations on the Toron	g are	today's
addistrial Exchange:		
Olive	Asked.	86
Foley		•
Hammond Reef	19%	1516
Hiawatha	. 28	26
HiawathaSup. Gold and Copper	7	61/2
Sawbill	50	
Uariboo	109	1071/2
Minnehaha	23	171/2
Cariboo Hydraulic	111	105
In Horn	12	::
Smuggler	19%	1814
Winchester	12	60
Old Ironsides	45	60
Dundee	7	5
Golden Cache	3	
Kelly CreekAthabasca		40
Dardanellas	. 85	45
Dardanelles Fern Gold M. & M. Co	. 55	45
Noble Five	181/2	16
Van Anda	5	4
Alf	11	
Alberta	0	
Big Three		13
Commander	12	10
Deer Park	18	15
Evening Star	53/4	*78
Giant	8	
Good Hope	. 41/2	
Grand Prize		9
Iron Mask.		65
Keystone		
Juliet	13	
Jumbo		
Montreal Gold Fields	22	
Monte Cristo Con		91/4
R. E. Lee	7	
Northern Belle	3	·
Novelty	5	31/2
St. Paul		5
Si r Bell Con		
S Imo	41/2	30
Victory-Triumph	81/2	
White Bear		8
Can. G. F. S.	7	4
B. C. Gold Fields	5%	5

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Local Market.
London, Friday, Nov. 18.
Wheat, white fall, per bu69c to 72c
Wheat, red fall, per bu69c to 72c
Wheat, spring, per bu72c
Oats, per bu
Peas, per bu54c to 60c
Corn, per bu44c to 45c
Barley, per bu36c to 44c
my manager want light No change

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PROVISIONS.			
Honey, comb		0	12
Honey, extracted		œ	10
Cheese, per lb. wholesale		@	10
Eggs, single dozen	20 .	@	22
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	18	@	19
Eggs, per dozen. basket, p'kd.	15	(d	15
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	16	60	18
Butter, per lb, retail	18	a	20
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	15	@	16
Butter, ib, large rolls or crocks	14	@	16
Butter, per 1b, tubs or firkins.	10	a	14
Lard, per lb	9	@	10
Chickens, per pair	35	a	75
Ducks, per pair	50	(00	75
Turkeys, per lb	7	(0)	10
VEGETABLES AND F			
Pumpkins, per doz	50	(0)	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	55	(cr	70
Apples, per bag	25	0	50
Apples, per basket	5	a	20
Apples, per barrel	75	0	1 50
Poets por dozon bunches	20	(0)	20
Beets, per dozen bunches	60	(0)	90
Onions, per bu	30	(0)	50
Celery, per doz bunches	2	(0)	3
Grapes, per lb	20	@	30
Grapes, basket	30	(cc	1 50
Squashes, per doz	25	@	30
Turnips, per bag	25	@	40
Quinces, per basket	00	(0)	2 75
Chestnuts, per bu	121/2	@	25
Carrots, per ou	40	(0)	40
Parsnips, per doz. bunches	40	69	30
LIVE STOCK.		_	0 -0
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Cows. eac'1 20	00	@	40 00
Reef per lb	21/4	@	4
Hogs, per 100 lbs	90	@	3 90

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Quinces, per basket	25	0	40
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Hogs heavy, per 100 lbs	2.05	@	3 25
Sows, per 100	50	@	65
Ducks, per pair	45	@	60
Chickens, per pair	40	@	50
Hens, per pair		64	
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Beef, quarters, per lb	17	6 0	6
Mutton, quarters, per lb	9	@	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	54		37 W N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N
Lamb, quarter		@	5 35
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light	20		4 75
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy .	1 20	(0)	71/2
Hides, No. 1, per lb	6.7	6 @	61/2
Hides, No. 2, per lb	65		51/2
Hides, No. 3, per lb	63	2 0	8
Calfskins, green	8		17
Wool, washed, per lb	16	@	ii
Wool, unwashed per lb	9	8	60
Lambskins	55	(4)	00

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St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, Nov. 15 .- Wheat, per bu, 67c to 68c; oats, 23c to 25c; peas. 40c to 45c; barley, 38c to 40c; corn, 30c to 35c; beans, 60c to 80c.

The Oil Market PITTSBURG, Nov. 17.—Oil closed at \$1 15. PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 18.—Oil opened \$1 15. PETROLIA, Nov. 18.-Oil opened and closed

Dairy Markets.

KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 17 .- At the cheese board today 550 colored were boarded, October and November make; sales, 125 at 8%c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17 .- Butter steady creameries, 15c to 22c; dairy, 12c to 19c. Cheese quiet, at 8c to 93/4c. NEW YORK, Nov. 17 .- Butter firm;

western creamery, 15½c to 23½c; do. factory, 11c to 14½c; Elgins, 23½c; imitation creamery, 13½c to 17½c; state dairy, 16c to 20c; do. creamery, 13½c to 17½c; state dairy, 16c to to a trial, as I was recovered to a creamery, 15½c to 23c. Cheese state that I doubted the steady; large white, 9½c; small white, remedy to do me good

9½c to 9%c; large colored, 9½c; small colored, 9½c to 9%c; light skims, 6%c to 7c; part skims, 5%c to 6½c; full skims, 2c to 3c.

The Hide Market

Toronto, Nov. 16 .- The receipts are not large and there is no acumulation of stocks here. Local consumers are taking all the buff hides offering and 9c; No. 1 green are quoted at

8½c to 8%c. Shepskins—Are in fair demand, but local dealers consider the price too high to expect much activity in the de-mand. They are quoted at 75c to 80c for fresh slaughtered. Calfskins-Are dull and nominal for

No. 1 and No. 2.
Tallow—Is quiet; local dealers are offering 3½c and asking 4c.

American Markets. American Markets.

CHICAGO. Nov. 17.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Nov., 66½c; Dec., 66½c to 66½c; May, 65½c. Corn—Nov., 32c; Dec., 32½c to 32½c; May, 33½c to 33¾c. Oats—Dec., 24½c to 24½c; May, 25¾c. Mess pork—Dec., 37 77½; Jan., 83 90; May, 85 10. Lard—Dec., \$4 85; Jan., \$4 92½; May, \$5 05. Ribs—Dec., \$4 42½; Jan., \$4 52½. Cash quotations: Flour steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 65c to 65½c; No. 2 red. 68½c. No. 2 corn. 32½c to 32½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 32½c to 32½c. No. 2 oats, 26c to 26½c; No. 2 white, 29c; No. 3 white, 26½c to 28½c. No. 2 rye, 52c. No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 35c to 49c. No. 1 flaxseed, 97c. Prime timothy seed, \$2 25. Mess pork, \$7 80 to \$7 85. Lard, \$4 90 to \$4 92½. Short ribs, \$4 70 to \$4 90. Shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$4 75 to \$4 85. Sugar, unchanged. Regs, firm; fresh, 21c to 21½c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 13,000 barrels; wheat, 217,000 bushels; corn, 346,000 bushels; oats, 347,000 bushels; rye, 39,000 bushels; barley, 96,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS-Flour, 16,000 barrels; wheat, 334,000 bushels; corn, 621,000 bushels; oats, 228,000 bushels; rye, 105,000 bushels; barley, 106,000 bushels. CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Opening—Wheat, Dec., 66½; May, 65½c. Corn, Dec., 32½c; May, 33½c; Oats, May, 25½c. Pork, Jan., \$8 90. Lard, Jan., \$4 90; Dec., \$4 82½. Ribs, Jan., \$4 50; Dec.,

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

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Geo. McBean & Son.	Cheese, colored BRITISH A	APPI	144 0 E MA	44 6 RKE	144 6 T.

Mr. Frank Hamilton, of Montreal, received this cablegram from Messrs. Hamilton & Pritchard, of Liverpool: "Fifteen thousand barrels sold today." The market is a shade higher and advancing.' Thomas Russell, of Glasgow, has no

change to report.

Live Stock Markets. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.-Beeves-Receipts, 791; none offered for sale; feeling steady. Cable firm; live cattle, 10%c to 11%c; refrigerator beef, 9c to 9%c per lb. Exports, 56 cattle and 60 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 180; 375 on sale; yeals and grassers quiet but steady; no demand for western and southern calves, and 4 cars unsold; veals, \$5 to \$8 25; tops, \$8 50; grassers, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,259; 32 cars on sale; very little demand; sheep weak; lambs, 15c lower; 23 cars unsold; sheep, \$3 to \$4 25; lambs, \$5 to \$5 75; mainly \$5 30 to \$5 55. Hogs-Receipts, 2,541; 11/2 cars on sale; dull, at \$3 65 to \$3 80. MONTREAL, Nov. 17.-There were about 800 head of butchers' cattle, 40

calves and 800 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. The butchers were present in large numbers and trade was fair, but the prices have not improved to any extent since Monday. Prime beeves sold about 4c per 1b, but there were no choice animals on the market; pretty good cattle sold at 3c to 31/4c; common dry cows and thrifty young stock at 24c to 24c per lb. There was a brisk demand for Buffalo bulls, and over 100 of them were bought at 2c per lb. A number of lean, small heifers were also bought for the Buffalo market, at 2c to 21/4c per 1b. Calves sold at \$3 to \$11 each, 3c to 4½c per lb. Shippers are still buying sheep at 3c to 3½c per lb; common lambs selling about 4c per lb; good lambs bring from 44c to 44c

per lb. off the cars.

CHICAGO. Nov. 17.-Trade in cattle today was no more than moderate at unchanged prices, beef steers mostly selling at \$4 60 to \$5 30; the stocker and feeder trade was very dull, with sales mostly below \$4; western rangers sales were largely at \$2 90 to \$4 30. There was an active demand for hogs, early, and sales were largely higher; later, trade became dull and the market weakened, the advance being lost; hoge, \$3 15 to \$3 25 for the commonest lots, and \$3 45 to \$3 55 for the best consignments, the bulk of the sales being at \$3 37½ to \$3 47½; pigs sold largely at \$3 to \$3 25. Prices for sheep and lambe were weak at Wednesday's closing figures: lambs were very hard to sell at \$3 50 to \$3 75 for the poorest, up to \$5 to \$5 25 for choice flocks, feeders selling at \$4 50 to \$4 75; sheep were extremely dull at \$2 25 to 34 20 for inferior to choice, with yearlings selling at \$4 25 to \$4 40; feeding sheep sold at \$3 50 to \$3 90. Receipts-Cattle,

8,000; hogs, 34,000; sheep, 12,000. EAST BUFFALO, Nov. 17 .- Cattle-The market showed no change in tone in the absence of sale receipts. The Canadian stockers seized by the customs officials will be sold next Tuesday at auction under the usual rule. Calves were in fair supply, light demand and lower; choice to extra were quotable at \$7 to \$7 50; good to choice, \$6 50 to \$7. Sheep and lambs-The continued accumulation of lambs under the slow demand since Monday has de moralized the market: total offerings were 34 loads, including 15 loads left over and 7 loads of Canada lambs fresh arrivals; there is simply no de-mand here or in the east, while the west is reported well filled with offerings and no demand; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$5 20 to \$5 35: good to choice. \$5 to \$5 20; common to fair, \$4 75 to \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4 25; good to choice, \$4 to \$4 25; common to fair, \$3 to \$3 25. Hogs-The offerings were light for shipping-22 loads; active demand and 5c higher; heavy were quotable at \$3 50; medium \$3 45 to \$3 50: Yorkers,\$3 45; Light York ers. \$3 40 to \$3 421/2; pigs, \$3 40 to \$3 45; roughs. \$3 10 to \$3 15: stags, \$2 75 to \$2 85: there was a good clearance and a steady close.

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

COLLISION!

On the G. T. R. Between Rectory and Egerton Streets.

Two Freight Trains Badly Smashed -One Engine and a Number of Cars Wrecked - Brakeman Georgeson

A serious and costly smashup occurred in the G. T. R. yard between Rectory and Egerton streets about one o'clock this morning, when two way freights, one coming west, the other going east, were badly wrecked.

Engineer Ball, engine No. 373, and Conductor William Bright, of Stratford, were in charge of the Stratford way freight. No. 70, east-bound, and had just pulled out of the yard, and were nicely going round the curve to the Stratford line, when the crash occurred. Engineer Wm. Steer (engine No. 220), of 170 Hamilton road, and Conductor John McAuliffe, of 399 Grey street, were in charge of the incom-

ing way freight from Hamilton.

The train rolled down the grade towards the city, and as the engineer approached the semaphore near Rectory street he whistled loudly for brakes, and reversed the action of the engine, but the rail was bad, and on the engine skidded, propelled by the 25 cars

LEAP FOR LIFE.

The moment was an awful one, Fireman James Georgeson, of 146 Hamilton road, jumped when he saw the acci-

dent could not be averted. Engineer Steer, lever in hand, remained for a moment or two longer, when he, to save his life, jumped from the doomed engine. The locomotive struck the outgoing Stratford train between the fifth and sixth cars, and one of the worst wrecks ever seen in London resulted. Mr. Steer's engine, No. 220, was a total ruin, no part of it being left intact. Eight cars were smashed to atoms, and the merchandise scattered over the track for several hundred yards. The pie of debris was immense. Cars were thrown 60 feet from the track, and piled one upon the other. In all, some 12 or 15 cars were

A CLOSE CALL.

Robert Howard, the watchman, whose shanty is at the end of the high board fence that separates the branch from the main line property, had a close call for his life. He had left the shanty but a moment before, and was walking along by the fence when two box cars fell on the cabin, and smashed it to matchwood. watchman, terror-stricken, started to run, but was knocked down and covered up with debris, from which he was extricated, badly bruised and slightly cut.

Engineer Ball was dispatched with his engine to Stratford for the Stratthe London auxiliary, soon cleared the

FIREMAN GEORGESON HURT. Fireman Georgeson, in jumping, sustained a severe cut over the eye and was otherwise, but not fatally, injured. Dr. English was called, and dressed the wound.

The wreck was visited by thousands of people this morning, who helped themselves to the apples which lay rels all around the place. children loaded down were seen in every direction. The accident delayed the early

morning express, both east bound and west bound. The dense fog and the slippery rails was the cause of the accident, so the

THE M'GOWAN CASE AGAIN

railway men say.

He, His Wife and Dr. Wynne Arrested at Erie, Pa.-The Wife a Toronto Woman.

Erie, Pa., Nov. 18.-Another chapter in the famous Barnes-McGowan damage case, of Trenton, N. J., in which McGowan alienated the affections of Barnes' wife, occurred in this city, Wednesday afternoon, when Frank D. McGowan and wife, and Mrs. Dr. R. H. Wynne, were arrested on the charge of being fugitives from justice for having stolen Edith Berul Barnes from

a Cleveland private school. Sam Woods, chief of police, received a telegram from Superintendent of Police Coronor, of Cleveland, and officers met the train and placed them under arrest, when it is alleged that McGowan pulled out a roll of and said to the detective: "Take this and begone." All the parties were and begone." taken to police headquarters.

The stolen girl's father is superintendent of a big rubber works in Cleveland, Ohio. Defendants were held pending the arrival of officers from

Frank McGowan was twice mayor of Trenton, N. J., and is a prominent rubber manufacturer in that city. Mc. Gowan said he came to Erie for the purpose of purchasing the Erie Rubber works, but would not talk about the kidnapping case. Detective Watt, of Cleveland, and W. H. Barnes arrived in the city last evening with a warrant charging the woman with child-stealing, which is a felony in

McGOWAN IN COURT. Buffalo, N. J., Nov. 18.—A special from Erie, Pa., says: Before Ald. Mc-Andrew, ex-Mayor R. A. McGowan, of Trenton, N. J., his wife, and Mrs. Constance Wynne, sister of the latter, were each held in \$1,000 bail for their appearance in general court, Dec. 1, by which time requisition papers, compelling them to return to Cleveland,

will have been issued. Wm. Barnes identified little Edith Barnes and declared that she was abducted from his custody. No attempt at a defense was made beyond objections by McGowan's attorney, on the question of jurisdiction of the

lower court.
Mrs. Frank McGowan (nee Miss Edith Riddell), who figures in this case, is well-known in Toronto, her father at one time being a prominent physician of Parkdale. Just after the alderman had pronounced his decision to held the three defendants for court to hold the three defendants for court, a deputy sheriff arrived with a sum-mons to appear before Judge Walling in the afternoon to answer to a writ of habeas corpus regarding the custody of the child.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. fails to cure. 25 cents.



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Best Embroidery silks, all colors, 3c. 10c Initial Hem-Stitched Handkerchiefs, 5c. \$5 Plaid Silk Shirt Waists, \$3 95. 50c Knotted Fringed Towels, 25c. Wide Ribbon for Fancy Work, all colors, 5c. \$1 Sailor Hats, 49c.

\$1 25 Kid Gloves, all new colors, two dome fas-teners, Saturday 79c.

7c Linen Toweling, Saturday 5c. 75c Silk Velvet, new colors, Saturday 50c. 10c Pink and Blue Shaker Flannel, 5c. Best Embroidery Silks, per quill. 2 for 1c. 15c Art Muslins, all colors, 10c.

75c Black All-Wool Henrietta, Saturday, 49c. Another lot of odd Napkins, worth \$1 50 to \$1 75
per dozen, selling one-half dozen for 59c.
One lot of Heavy Black Dress Goods, very fine
for skirts, regular \$1 quality, 50 inches
wide, Saturday 35c.

Table of Trimmed Hats, chance Saturday, 65 Colored Taffeta Silks, all shades, Saturday

Lot of 25c and 50c Wings, Saturday, 15c. 75c, \$1 and \$1 25 fine Dress material for quick selling, Saturday 39c.



Gang of Workemen Run Down During a Fog.

Eleven Men Killed and Six Injured-No Warning Whistle Sounded.

New York, Nov. 18 .- The police headquarters at Jersey City report that eleven trackmen were killed and six injured by being struck by an east ford auxiliary, which, together with bound Pennsylvania railroad train at the Hackensack iron bridge, just outside of Jersey this morning. The men were hit by the train during a thick

ELEVEN WORKMEN SLAUGHTER-Two bodies have been brought here. They are either Poles or Italians. Their names are not yet known. Some

of the injured have also arrived and have been sent to the different hospitals. Frank Wahgan is in St. Francis' Hospital, badly hurt about the side. Frank Schwaskie is in the same hos-

pital, and so badly damaged that he will probably die. Lawrence Hoffman was struck by the body of one of the men who was killed.

He was hurled to one side and was badly injured internally. IN A FOG.

The train which ran down the gang of workmen was a local from Milltown to Jersey City. It was due in Jersey City at 8:20 a.m. The fog this morning delayed the train, and Engineer John Van Ostrand was endeavoring to make up time. His train was running at a high rate of speed. He did not suppose that men were at work in the log, and thought nothing would obstruct a quick run to Jersey City. The first he knew that his train had run into men was when the engine jarred. He heard the cries of the wounded, and as soon as possible he brought his train to a stop. The men passengers got out and aided the trainmen in searching for the bodies of the victims. The fog had

not lifted, and the searchers HAD TO FEEL THEIR WAY. A train had passed on the westbound track a few minutes before the eastbound train ran the men down. The smoke from the engine of the westbound train went over on the eastbound track. The noise of the westbound train prevented the workmen on the eastbound track from hearing the approach of the eastbound train. They were not aware that the train was near them until they had been run down. Altogether there were twenty men in

the gang THE LOSS OF LIFE. It is now definitely known that eleven men were killed, six injured, and that three escaped unhurt.

HURLED NINETY FEET. Ne wYork, Nov. 18 .- The men killed on the Pennsylvania road this morning

all live in Jersey City. Three were Irish, and the other victims were either Poles or Italians. Dougherty, the man supposed to be

on guard to look out for approaching trains, was a considerable distance up the track from the gang of laborers, and he evidently did not see the train, for he gave no warning. His body was hurled 90 feet through the air. unknown man who was killed had only been put to work this morning. He took the place of one of the men who had reported for work. The foreman escaped unhurt. He said he did not know the name of the new hand. Those who were not injured escaped because they were not working on the track, but they were close to it.

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live There, however, is a cure-one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

James C. Bates, a Toronto dentist at 112 Yonge street, has been arrested on a charge of seduction. It is alleged he advertised for a female assistant, and a young lady from the country made a All druggists refund the money if it personal application, whose ruin he ac-

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OUR FISHERIES

The Question Being Discussed at Washington.

Will the Conference Agree?-Canada Asking Just Rights.

Washington. Nov. 18 .- The reciprocity negotiations are progressing very well, and yesterday the most difficult and delicate question in the protocol, that of the Atlantic fisheries, was taken up by the fisheries sub-committee. That the negotiations may fall to the ground as a result of serious disagreement on this issue is a possibility, but one that the British commissioners do not care to discuss or even to refer to. So far nothing has been done that would give sufficient ground for predicting either success or failure, and much is hoped for from the efforts on this special subject of two such calm, judicial representatives as the premier and Lord Herschell, and from the very thorough acquaintance of Sir Louis Davies with the points at issue. The rather wild stories sent out from Boston and other New England regarding disputed rights in the fisheries have somewhat prejudiced the Canadian case in the public mind there.

A statement has been issued by a gentleman connected with the Canadian commission with a view to correcting these false impressions. It shows that in 1854 the United States granted free admission of Canadian fish to American markets, and in return American fishermen were allowed to land their cargoes in Canada for transshipment to the United States. The American Senate in 1888 refused to ratify the Bayard-Chamberlain treaty which provided for a continuance of the above arrangements. A duty was clapped on Canadian fish entering the United States, yet American fishermen continue to enjoy the same privileges as before, and to have all the accommodation that the proximity of Canada affords. The Canadians ask that in return for these concessions the Americans again grant Canadians fish free

COUNTING UP THE COST

Official Functions for the Peace Commissioners-Speculating on the Final Terms.

Paris, Nov. 18 .- There were three official functions yesterday afternoon which aroused considerable interest among the American peace commissioners. The first was the bestowal of the Order of the Golden Fleece upon President Faure by the Queen Regent of Spain, through the president of the Spanish peace commissioner, Senor Montero Rios. The second was a dinner given by President Faure to Senor Montero Rios and his fellow-commissioners. Finally, at 9 o'clock last night, President Faure received the American commissioners at the Elysee Palace, where there was a comic opera entertainment in their honor. There is some surprise ex-pressed among the members of the American colony at the bestowal of the decoration upon the French president at the hands of the president of the Spanish peace commission at this moment, and others are asking themselves whether the entertainment at the Elysee Palace was to be regarded as a sort of compensation to the Americans, whose sensibilities may have been wounded by the bestowal of a Spanish decoration upon M. Faure before the conclusion of the peace negotiations. THE TERMS OF PEACE.

The United States commissioners are devoting today, as they did yesterday, to formulating their next presentation for the consideration of the Spanish commissioners. While the Americans are reticent as to their intentions, it may be said without reserve, that the occasion is near upon which the exact peace terms acceptable to the American commissioners will be laid before the Spaniards with a time limit for their acceptance.

As previously indicated in these dispatches, the American commissioners will not involve the United States in any obligation to the creditors of Spain in any shape or form. In other words, the Americans will not guarantee any of the Spanish bonds, even though Spain may have mortgaged as security the revenues of territories to be taken by the United States. The United States may now balance its war ledger, debiting to Spain the value of the battleship Maine, the cost of the naval and military operations, the losses incurred by American commerce, and the future pension roll, etc., while on the other side of the sheet may be placed Spain's equities and values in the Philippine Islands. difference is found to exist in favor of Spain, this amount in cash, may be offered her by the American com-missioners at the next joint ses-

ion here. What this balance may be is not \$20,000,000, or possibly less. The Americans may also require until next was understood at the adjournment of inward specific, possesses must sub-Wednesday last. Wednesday last.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Hall Caine is in Toronte

President Dwight, of Yale University, has resigned. The new governor-general will attend the St. Andrew's dinner at Ottawa.

The million dollars for the new Toronto palace hotel is nearly subscribed, Toronto looks anything but vinegary over its now accomplished Vinegar Trust.

The rumor that Lieut.-Gov. Patterson was likely to resign his position is generally discredited. Hon. R. W. Scott is acting premier

during the absence of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright. Herr H. H. Meier, founder of the

North German Lloyd Steamship Company, is dead. He was 89 years old. A riot occurred in the penitentiary, at Columbus, Ohio, this (Friday) morning. One guard was killed and two convicts fatally shot.

Thomas Moffat, a constable of Orillia, was fined \$50 by Judge Ardah for abusing a drunk and disorderly man whom he was arresting last August. Under the wise legislation of the Mowat-Hardy Government, the estate of Sir C. Gzowski has paid \$24,000 of succession duties into the provincial

Frank Harvey, the tramp, who shot Mr. Robert Perry at Tweed a short time ago, was sentenced by Judge Lazier, of Belleville, to months in the Central Prison. to eighteen

Two Toronto boys named Wordley and Talbot, aged 14 and 13 respectively, set fire to a vacant dwelling at 506 King street east on Nov. 5, causing \$200 damage. The boys were sent to Penetanguishene for three and two years, re-

spectively. At the assizes in Chatham on Thursday, Keshie, of Cedar Springs, was found guilty of providing and supplying an obnoxious drug, and sentenced to two years in Kingston Penitentiary. The prisoner is well connected, and was married but a few weeks ago. A

girl named Jenner was the victim. Fred Bechel, who for 18 years was chief auditor for the Pacific Express Company, at Omaha, Neb., has been placed on trial for embezzling the funds of that company. It appears that about \$150,000 of the company's funds had been squandered. Irregularities have been going on for ten

vears. At the trial of Gerald Link and Jos. Gibson for highway robbery, at St. Catherines, Link was convicted and sentenced to five years in Kingston penitentiary, while Gibson was acquitted. Mr. Joy, a merchant, was the victim, being knocked down, beaten, and celieved of a sum of money, besides his gold watch and rings.

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size or price is desired. Better styles, better qualities, or a better assortment would be hard to find. The stock represents the best that money, skill and experience can provide. In order to make room for large shipments of Christmas noveities, everything has been marked away But why dwell on the many attractive features when it is the privilege of Advertiser readers to make a personal investigation? That's all Manager Taylor asks, and he offers the following inducements to visitors tomorrow (Saturday): Youths' Single and Double-Breasted All-Wool Tweed Ulsters and Overcoats, regular price, \$5 50, \$6 50 and \$10 50, now \$3 50, \$4 and \$6 50. Youths' Heavy All-Wool Overcoats, regular price \$6 50, \$7 and \$7 50, now. \$4, \$4 50 and \$5. Men's Single and Doublea-Breasted Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats, now \$4 50, \$5, \$6 and \$8 50. Children's Blouse Suits, regular price \$1 65. \$2 25, \$3 and \$4; now \$1 45, \$1 75. \$2 and \$3.

There is also a lot of men's suits at greatly reduced prices. A visit to the large, well-lighted showrooms of Oak Hall will well repay anyone. It is one of the shopping sights of the city.
Oak Hull's motto is "Clothes cut to fit, made to wear, hold their shape; reliable fabrics, best of trimmings; guar, anteed colors, newest styles and goods." There is a moral in this. Profit by it.

POLITICAL POINTS

The Lennox bye-election takes place today.
No evidence was offered when the North Renfrew protest was called a Osgoode Hall yesterday, and it was

dismissed. It is understood that the North Toronto protest will be dropped.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this definitely known; but, it may be about danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil -a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when Monday or Tuesday to prepare the applied externally, as well as swelled final presentation of their case, which neck and crick in the back; and, as ar

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Montreal Telegraph180	175
Richelleu and Ontario	9534
Montreal Street Railway 279	278
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Toronto Railway 1051/2	1053%
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Toronto Produce Market.

N. P., Pfd...... 75% 75% 75%

Toronto, Nov. 18.—Wheat—Steady, with sales of red and white at 69c west; goose wheat, 70c west; Manitoba wheat steady and No. 1 sold on the track at Owen Sound at 78c. Flour-Dull, at \$3 15 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Millfeed-Firm, at \$11 to \$13 for shorts, and \$10 to \$11 for bran west. Barley-Firm, at 50c to 501/2c for No. 1 west. Buckwheat-Firmer, at 42c west, there being a demand for shipment to Chicago. Rye-Firm, at 50c to 51c west. Corn-Steady, at 32c for Canada yellow west, and 40c to 41c for American at Toronto. Oats-Steady, at 26c to 261/2c for white west. Peas—Steady, at 59c to 60c west. Eggs—Firm, at 18c for new laid, and 14c to 16c for fresh gathered. Butter-Steady, at 13c to 14c for choice dairy tub, and 13c to 131/2c for large rolls. Dressed hogs-Firm in the west, with holders asking \$5 50 and local packers bidding \$5 40. for cars of mixed weights delivered here: on the street market here today dressed hogs sold at \$5 50 to \$5 60.

English Markets.

Liverpool. Nov. 18—Closing.

Wheat—Spot. dull; No. 1 red northern,
spring. 6s2%d; No. 2 red western winter. steady;
6s 1d; No. 1 Cal. 7s 10%d to 7s 11%d; No. 1
cash, firm. 3s 3%d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 8s.
Peas—Canadian, 6s.
Pork—Firm. prime mess, fine western, 50s;
6c, medium. western, firm, 47s 6d.
Beef—Prime mess, firm, 63s 9d; extra India
mess, firm, 63s 9d; do, medium. western,
steady, 47s 6d.
Hams—Short cut, steady, 14 to 15 lbs.

Hams—Short cut, steady, 14 to 16 lbs., 33s.

Bacon—Dull; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30, lbs.,
dull, 33s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, steady, 32s 6d;
long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, 29s 6d;
long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady
Se; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 30s; clear bel
lies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 33s 6d.
Corn—Spot American mixed, quiet, 3s 10½d;
No. 1, 3e 9½d; futures, quiet, Nov., 3s 10d;
Dec., 3s 8½d; March, 3s 6½d.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 22s.
Lard—Prime western, firm, 25s 9d.
Butter—Finest American, 94s; good, 68s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 3d.
Chesse—American finest white. Sept., firm,
43s; colored, Sept., firm, 44s.
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 19s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, dull, 15s.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 27s 3d.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, 25 5s
to 25 lbs. ms-Short cut, steady, 14 to 16 lbs., 33s.

Petroleum—Refined, 55-16d.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Cal., 6s 10d to 6s 104d; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 2½d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 11½d. Stern winter, os 11%d.

Spot, steady; American mixed, 3s 10%d;
, nominal; Oct., 3s 7%d; Nov., 3s 7%d;

p. old, nominal; Oct., 58 1% u; Nov., 58 1% u; ec., 38 7% d. Peas—Canadian, 58 9d. Beef—Extra India mess, 68s 9d; prime mess, Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm;

soi; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs,

s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 29s; long

ar middles, light, 36 to 38 lbs, 28s;
lort ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, firm, 32s 6d; clear bellies,

to 16 lbs, firm

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

Hams—Short out, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 37s.

Lard—Prime western, 27s.

Butter—Finest United States, 86s; good, 66s.

Cheese—American, finest white 43s 6d; do, colored (Sept.), 44s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, 19s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—23s 3d.

Rosin—Common, 4s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined, 65%d.

Linseed oil—18s.

eed oil—18s. onseed oil—Liverpool refined, 15s. American Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.-Flour-Receipts, 37,706 bbls; sales, 3,100 packages; quiet and easier. Rye flour-Easy, at \$2 90 to \$3 30. Wheat-Receipts, 287,250 bu; sales, 475,000 bu; options dull and weak, under bearish cables and Argen-tine news, liquidation and big spring Wheat receipts; May, 70 9-16c to 71 1-16c; out flower stock is also superb.

tions dull; on track, white, 30c to 341/2c. Butter—Receipts, 3,733 packages; firm; western creamery, 18c to 23½c. Cheese western creamery, 18c to 23½c. Cheese—Receipts, 5,602 packages; very firm; large white, 9½c; small white, 9½c; large colored, 9½c; small colored, 9¾c. Eggs—Receipts, 5,762 packages; firm; Sugar—Raw strong; held higher; fair refining, 3 15-16c; refined strong but quiet. Coffee—Steady. Hops—Firm. Lead—Ouiet.

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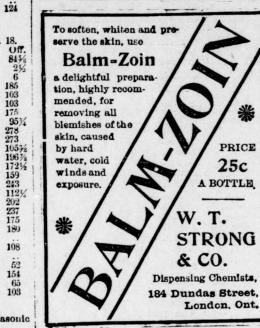
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Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.-Hogs-Estimated receipts for today, 26,000; left over, 6,739; slow; turned weak after opening; light, \$3 16 to \$3 47½; mixed, \$3 30 to \$3 52½; heavy, \$3 20 to \$3 56; rough, \$3 20 to \$3 30; Yorkers, \$3 40 to \$3 45. Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; steady to strong; beeves, \$4 to \$5 50; cows and heifers, \$1 75 to \$4 60; Texas steers, \$2 90 to \$4; westerns, \$3 50 to \$4 50; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 50.



CITY HALL NOTES

Mayor Wilson says the statement that he is going to be in the field for mayor next year, is incorrect.

An alderman says Mr. W. H. Bartram will be in the race for the mayor's chair next year. Mr. Bartram had told him so.

A well-known citizen, speaking of the work of the members of the court of revision, said it was unreasonable to expect competent men to perform such important and responsible work for \$25

Victoria Hospital will be entirely roofed over in a couple of weeks. The building presents a very fine appear-

The corporation laborers were paid today, the roll amounting to 4325 43.

The city council will meet next Monday, after which there will be but two more regular meetings. The aldermen have had more opportunity than usual for talking this year. Already they have held 38 meetings, while the total number last year was 33. No wonder the council this year, with its additional oratorical practice, found such LONDONER INJURED. self-congratulation warranted.

It is a mistake to think that the way of an alderman is more plentifully strewn with roses than is many another path in this rocky world. Ald. Cooper grew quite eloquent when speaking of this subject this morning. He told how he had been inconvenienced by having to close his store in business hours to investigate the complaints of ratepayers, or attend some meetings, and of the hundred and one ways that he and the aldermen are harassed. It was no snap, he said, and he would not run again were it not for people saying he could not be re-elected. The part this sort of pique plays in

EXCELLENT MEETING

municipal politics is interesting.

St. Andrew's Literary Society Becoming a Very Popular Organization.

The regular meeting of the St. Andrew's Literary Society was held last evening instead of this evening, on account of another service being held in the differences between the Grand the church tonight. The meeting prov- Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways ed a success in every sense of the word. are in a fair way to adjustment, and The critic's remarks, read by Miss that a short time will see the end of Annie Hodges, were exceedingly well the local rate war, which has existed chosen. Miss Love favored the society with a pleasing instrumental, which was heartily encored. "The Parrot," the official organ of the society, was read by the editor, Mr. W. R. Vining. Then followed a song by Mr. Alf Marriott, which elicited much applause. Papers on the lives of Rudyard Kipling and Tennyson were read by Messrs. Smith and Carson respectively, and

proved both interesting and instructive. It was decided that in the future every second meeting should be of a parliamentary nature, with the Dominion House of Commons as a model. Among the official members so far chosen are the following: Leader of the government, George E. Taylor; leader of the opposition, George Kendrick; speaker, Mr. Sanderson; clerk of the house, Miss Irene Love; sergeant-atarms, Mr. McEwen. The leaders are authorized to choose the other officers. It was also announced that there would be an open meeting on Dec. 9, to which all the members of the church

promised and a full house is expected. Come Where the Flowers Bloom. And buy something nice and sweet, and send it to your wife, just as you did before you were married. Tomorrow will be your chance to send some of those Glorious Chrysanthemums. Gammage & Sons have a special display of these beauties. The general cut flower stock is also superb.

mate Things); O. T. Miller, Upon the Tree-Tops: C. T. Hill, Fighting a Fire; C. A. Carus-Wilson, Electro-Dynamics Gammage & Sons have a special dis-

are invited. A good programme is

cloudy to fair, with some local showers; not much change in temperature; continued mild weather.

-The regular sittings of the high court will be held tomorrow.

-T. S. Somerville, C.E., of the G. T. R., Toronto, is at the Tecumseh House. -A report from Mr. Thos. Dickison, who is still at Easton, Pa., states that

he is progressing favorably. -The London junior Rugby football club, champions of Canada, will be banqueted at the kennels, Glenmore, tomorrow evening.

-The regular sitting of the first division court was held this morning, Judge Edward Elliott presiding. Forty cases were disposed of. -The remains of the late Mrs. A.

Stewart, of Brantford, who died yesterday, will be brought to this city tomorrow for interment in Woodland Cemetery. -Mr. Georgeius Zegeer, a Syrian, is in the city. He has been touring the

United States and Canada, lecturing on "Sketches of Syrian Life." He will remain in this city for some time, and will give a lecture at an early date. -One of the little boys said to have been ill-treated at the Protestant Orphans' Home was this morning removed to the city hospital. This was done, it is said, not because of the ill-treatment, but owing to a constitutional weakness

in the boy. -Special Christmas excursions will be run via the Cunard Line to England. This line has a wonderful record for safety, having never lost the life of a passenger, so F. B. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next door to The Advertiser office, informs us.

-The annual missionary meeting of the Arva Methodist Church will be held on Monday evening, Nov. 21, and will be addressed by Rev. Dr. Henderson, of Toronto, associate missionary secretary; service to commence at 7:30. A time of unusual interest is expected.

-The firemen were given another run through the mud today to the corner of William and Hill streets, by the practical "joker." This trick of some, and the joke, when turned on the joker, as it will be one of these days, will prove rather an expensive

-A large number of sorrowing relatives and friends gathered at the G. T. R. station yesterday on the arrival of the 11:25 wain, to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. A. L. Haight, whose remains were brought here for interment in Woodland Cemetery Rev. Thomas S. Johnson, of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, conducted the services. A number of beautiful floral mementoes were sent.

-The death of Mrs. Jane Kernohan, of 542 Colborne street, occurred yesterday after an illness of about a year She was widely known and highly esteemed. Her husband, the late Wm. Kernohan, died a year ago. Two brothers-Messrs. Alex. and John Rusall of this city, survive.

-The teachers and officers of West London Methodist Church Sunday school met in the school room last perintendent, where the report of the delegates to the Peterboro convention was submitted by Miss E. Woodward and Miss Harris, after which a hearty good time was indulged in, and the refreshments very much enjoyed.

MRS. LEDYARD DEAD. A telegram from New York yester. day announced the death of Mrs. Matilda Cass Ledyard, daughter of Gen. Cass, and mother of Henry B. Ledyard, of the Michigan Central. She passed away in London, England, from heart

A special dispatch from Winnipeg, dated yesterday, says: Lieut. S. P. Layborn, First Hussars, of London, Ont., was injured today by his horse falling on him while doing outpost duty with the Royal Canadian Dragoons here, to which he is attached. His injuries, while not serious, will lay him up for a time.

POLICE COURT CASES.

At the police court this morning, two young men were charged with fighting as a result of the street car strike. Two others, charged with obstructing the street, were fined \$1 each. Frank Tinsley, Leo Dowling, Thos. Pritchard, Harry Mosley. Fred Dowling and Frank Williams were all charged with disorderly conduct. They were allowed to go with a warning. Joseph Irwin, charged with theft by David Cowan, was remanded until Monday. Fred Go-ing was fined \$1 for assaulting C. W. the peace for one year.

THE TIME TO TRAVEL. Toronto Globe: There is a belief in railway circles at the present time that now for about nine months. Several conferences between the officials of the two companies have been held at Montreal recently, and it would surprise no one to see the announcement made that local rates have been restored. "I believe there is some foundation for the stories that a settlement is likely to be reached," remarked Mr. W. D. Matthews, a director of the Canadian Pacific, to a Globe reporter yesterday morn-An advance in rates, however, will come as a shock to the traveling public, which has become so used to the cheap fares that it has forgotten

what the old rates used to be. In many cases they were double the present rates. MORE BOOKS.

The additions to the Public Library this week are: Dr. G. Kruger, History of the Early Christian Literature; Bennett, Christian Archaeology; E. Stapfer. Jesus Christ During His Resurrection of Jesus Christ; Rev. T. K. Cheyne. Jewish Religious Life Af-Earth's History; E. B. Tylor, Anthropology; W. H. Gibson, Eye Spy (Affield with Nature, Among Flowers, and Ani-

Dec., 73% to 7311-16c. Rye—Dull; state, 54c; No. 2 western, 54c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Corn—Receipts, 141,500 bu; sales, 55,000 bu; options quiet but steadfer on light receipts and bad weather; May, 38%c to 39c; Dec., 38c to 38%c. Oats—Receipts, 83,900 bu; options dull: on track white 30c to 34%c. S. Baring-Gould, Domitia; C. L. Burn ham, A Great Love; B. M. Croker, Peggy of the Bartons; F. Gras, The Terror; M. Gray, The House of Hidden Treasure; H. S. Merriam, Roden's Corner; S. W. Mitchell, The Adventures of Francois: E. P. Roe, Nature's Serial Story; W. C. Russell, The Romance of dshipman. New books are ready for circulation at 9 a.m. every Saturday. First come. first served.

NON-JURY SITTINGS

Cases Entered for Hearing Before Mr. Chancellor Boyd.

The following cases have been entered for hearing at the non-jury sittings of the high court, which opens here on Tuesday next, before Mr. Chancellor Boyd:

J. E. Patmore, London, vs. Crane & Baird, commission merchants, Toronto - Action for \$235 97, alleged loss through breach of contract. Hellmuth, for plaintiff; Miller, Ferguson &

Hughes, Toronto. Elizabeth Faulds vs. John Beacham, and Andrew Faulds-Action to set aside a lease. Stuart & Ross, for plaintiff; W. C. Fitzgerald, for defendant. J H. Brown, of Kerwood, vs. the Township of Adelaide-Action for \$5,000 for injury sustainted through alleged careleseness of defendants. Folinspee, Strathroy, for plaintiff; Meredith & Fisher, for defendants.

Wm. Linton, et al., vs. Lavina Daniels, et al.-Action to set aside a will. Folinsbee, for plaintiff; Stuart, Stuart & Ross, for defendant.

R. C. Struthers & Co., et al., vs. Young & Co. and W. C. Young—Action to set aside judgment for \$950 and costs. Gibbons & Co., for plaintiff; Hanna &

Burnham, Sarnia, for defendant. R. C. Struthers & Co. vs. I. Grossman, et al.-Action to set aside transfer of goods. G. C. Gibbons & Co., for plaintiff: DuVernett, Jones & Wood, Toronto, for defendant.

Fred and Hattie Husser vs. Township of Caradoc and D. McEvoy-Action for \$500 for injuries received, alleged to be due to the negligence of the township. Folinsbee, for plaintiff; McEvoy, Pope & Perrin, for defend-

ant. W. G. St. John vs. Wortman & Ward breaking the boxes is becoming tire- Manufacturing Company-Action for injunction to restrain defendants from infringing upon a certain patent. St John & Thompson, Toronto, for plaintiff; Thomas H. Luscombe, for defend-

The Rectorship of Arva.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: I notice in your evening paper a report of a meeting of the congregation of St. George's Church, West London, where they very much regret the loss of Mr. Sage to our church in St. Johns. They seem to think our people have acted unfairly. "Sharp practice." I think, is the term they used, but I am in a position to know that such is not and a haif. Deceased was 75 years of the case, as the reverend gentleman is age and a native of London township. accuse us of being envious of their prosperity. That is another thing we know nothing of, and it is our constant prayer to be delivered from envy, sell, and one sister, Mrs. Wm. Scott, hatred, malice and all uncharitable ness. They need not fear for the life of Mr. Sage, as those who have been with us are noted for their longevity, Ven. Archdeacon Brough having evening, and were driven to the home of Mr. Robert Greene, the popular suis still strong and hearty; so that goes to show that this is a healthy place to live in. Hoping that our congregation will be greatly blessed by the change, and also that St. George's may be as prosperous as ever it was, and that they may get a good, capable man to fill Mr. Sage's place in their church, which ought to be easy enough, as there is always talent to be found. As for the small congregation of St. Johns, there are more attend here from a distance of miles around than any other church I know of, and yet we are not boastful of our prosperity. Thanking you for your space, Mr. Editor, I am, one of the half-dozen

MRS. T. A. SHOEBOTHAM. Arva, Ont., Nov. 17.

TERSELY TOLD

The movement of United States troops in Havana Province will begin within ten days.

Denver proposes to build its own waterworks at a cost of \$6,000,000, instead of paying the Union Water Company \$9,000,000 for their plant. Walter A. Saltman, furrier, has vanished and a host of Chicago society women mourn-for \$15,000 worth of their furs intrusted to Saltman's care. Police have found \$4,000 worth of their goods in pawn shops.

Wm. R. Frazier, one of the editors of the Keystone, and grand marshal Pennsylvania Grand Lodge of Masons, is mysteriously missing from Young, and bound over in \$100 to keep | Philadelphia. He is about 64 years old, of exemplary habits, and leaves his financial affairs in good shape. It will be news to some people that

the famous Plains of Abraham at Quebec are held only on lease by the Dominion Government. This lease is about to expire, and the Sisters of the Hotel Dieu of Quebec, who are the owners, propose to sell the property.

TERRIFIED THE WHOLE TOWN

Elephant Escapes From a Circus at Argentine, Kas.-Had To Be Shot.

Argentine, Kan., Nov. 18.-Rajah, the big elephant that escaped from the winter quarters of a circus here on Tuesday morning, was captured at 4 clock the same afternoon after 30 bullets had been fired into his body. None of the bullets penetrated a vital spot, and the animal will survive his injuries.

Rajah spent the night in a cornfield, and the people remained awake behind securely-bolted doors. Early in the morning the circus employes and a large posse of citizens renewed the attempt to capture him. So vicious was the brute that it was impossible to get near him. After wallowing for an hour in the Kaw River, Rajah charged Ministry; E. Stapfer, The Death and a crowd that had gathered on the bank, and several persons were severely bruised in the scramble that followed. He then started for the business part ter the Exile; B. Kidd, Social Evolution; F. J. Goodnow, Municipal Problems; N. S. Shaler, Outlines of the him. Thirty shots were fired, but it was not until one bullet entered Rajah's knee, severely wounding him, that he allowed his keeper to approach him. He was returned to his quarters, where he is now heavily loaded with

WITH CONVICTS

A Guard

Shot Down and Killed.

Fusillade Lasted Till the Pistols Were Empty-One Prisoner Nearly Beaten To Death With a Cane-Two of Them in Hospital.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 18.-There was a desperate attempt made by two convicts to escape from the penitentiary about eight o'clock this morning, as a result of which Guard Charles B. Lauterbaugh, of Mount Vernon, was shot and killed, while Convicts O'Neill and Atkinson received injuries of a serious nature, and both are now in the

prison hospital. Atkinson, who are serving 15 years each for robbery committed in Cleveland, obtained possession of a revolver and proceeded to carry out a bold plan to escape. One covered his face with a handkerchief, and went into the broom shop, where he held up Guard Lime, and took his revolver. He then returned to the hoe shop, where the other man joined him, and they opened fire on Guard Lauterbaugh, who was in charge of that department. The guard Was

SHOT THREE TIMES, and almost instantly killed. The sound of the shooting reached the other officials in the prison, who came on the run to investigate. Guard Gump was the first on the scene, and taking the situation at a glance, opened fire on the two prisoners. This was returned, and a regular battle was in progress, until the revolvers of the participants were emptied.

In the fray, Convict Atkinson was shot down and seriously injured. As soon as the guns were emptied, Guard Gump rushed in with his came and almost beat O'Neill to death before the prisoner would surrender.

The other prisoners in the shop where the shooting occurred took no part in the affair. Previous to mak-ing the outbreak one of the two prisoners forced a third man to place a ladder against the outside of the penitentiary wall, so that when they had fought their way out of the shop they could shoot down the wall guard and make their escape by that route.

MAY BE LAID OVER

The Fisheries Question-Proposal to Refer It to Legal Opinion.

Washington, Nov. 18.—At yester-day's session of the international commission Lord Herschell proposed that the question of the proper construction of the treaty of 1818 should be referred to a tribunal composed of British, United States and Canadian lawyers, so that an agreement could be arrived at as to the disputed points. tric lights in the church at once. If this proposal, which seems to be Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith, of rather acceptable to the Americans, is adopted, the fisheries question will be laid over until the tribunal gives its findings, which might not be for a year or more. The other matters before the commission would, of course, be closed up before the present sittings end.

AN ELECTRIC "GOAT"

Serious Results of Initiation Pranks in a Fraternity Lodge.

Moline, Ill., Nov. 18 .- Dr. William P. Sensibaugh, a dentist, of Port Byron, just east of this city, is in a serious condition, as a result of pranks played upon him while being initiated in a fraternal lodge in that village. During the initiatory ceremonies he was blindfolded and given several slight shocks from a live wire. The bandage over his eyes having become loosened, he sought to outwit those having fun at his expense by locating the wire and attempting to avoid it. One of the initiating team, seeing the candidate was about to evade the wire, gave him a little shove, which unfortunately proved sufficient to throw him off his balance, and he fell with his hands upon the battery itself, receiving a shock which rendered him unconscious. After working over him for two hours and finally reviving him, it was discovered that his right arm hung limp and loose, and in this condition it has remained ever since. A week ago the doctor was stricken with an affection of the pneumogastric nerve. Since then he has been kept up mainly through electrical treatment. One of the attending plysicians says that paralysis of the nerves is threatened, in which event the sufferer cannot live.

MIDDLESEX MATTERS

Death of a Caradoc Pioneer-Mr. Daniel Steele not Candidate for the Reeveship in Lobo Township.

Mr. Daniel Steele, of Lobo, announces that he is not a candidate for the reeveship of that township. This leaves the contest between A. McIntyre, of Komoka; A. McGugan, of Lobo, and B. B. Harris, of Poplar Hill. Rev. J. Anderson, B.D., who has been

for the last three months occupying the pulpits of the Parkhill and Lieury Presbyterian congregations, left on Wednesday morning. Mr. Anderson is one of the ablest ministers in the church, and the services conducted by him were largely attended and his sermons were much appreciated. The congregations consider they were very fortunate in having him during the long illness of their own pastor. No one could have more ably and satisfactorily performed the duties of the position.

After seven years' service in the Caradoc township council, Mr. J. P. Grigg, the present reeve, intends retiring at the expiration of the present term. Mr. D. McGugan, the present first deputy reeve, will seek advancement, and will be opposed by Mr. William Young. For councilors, Messrs. S. Oaks, D. Lamont, W. W. Faulds, Wm. Courtis and Robert Lucas are mentioned.

STRATHROY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison. Strathroy, Nov. 18.—A grand enter-tainment will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Lobo, on Friday, Nov. 25, in connection with school section No. Lobo. Beside other attractions Miss Gunn, graduate of Toronto

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gramme. Vocal and instrumental music will be furnished by the Male Quartet of Strathroy and others. Mr. Duncan C. Ross, barrister, of Strathroy, will occupy the chair. The proceeds will be devoted to purchasing new furniture for the school Dr. T. H. Morgan, son of Mr. Robt. Morgan, of Kerwood, has successfully passed his final examination before

the Ontario Council of Physicians and The union thanksgiving service will be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Thursday morning, Nov. 24, at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. J. R. Gundy, of the Front Street Methodist Church, will occupy the pulpit. There will be the usual annual offering for the poor. Mr. W. G. Meekison has returned home after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. J. D. Sullivan, Chat-

Miss Mary German is visiting her sister Miss Clara German, Grand

Mr. J. R. Buttery has taken charge of the choir of the Baptist Church.
Mr. J. Lamont has purchased the
business formerly carried on by his father, and will continue the same at the old stand.

The members of the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church intend putting elec-Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith, of the 2nd line, South Adelaide, who intend coming to Strathroy to reside, last week were presented by their friends with two handsome chairs. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have been residents of

Adelaide for 40 years. The C. E. Society of St. Andrew's Church will meet as usual on Friday evening. The topic will be "Thanksgiving." A paper will be read by Mr. Grant McIntyre. There will an attractive bright music and programme. A thanksoffering will be

taken up during the evening.

The death occurred in Ypsilanti, Mich., of Malone B. McGregor, aged 66 years. Deceased was born in London, Ont., and had been a resident of Ypsilanti for some years. Mr. Mc-Gregor was well-known in Strathrey, having married a daughter of the late Mr. Banghart, of this town. Besides his widow five sons survive him. The interment took place at Strathroy.

WARDSVILLE. Wardsville, Nov. 18.-Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hull, of London, who have been visiting relatives in the village for some weeks, return to their home this week. Miss Lizzie Dykes has returned home after an extended visit with relatives in

Mandan, Dakota. Mrs. George McDonald, of Michigan, is visiting her brother here, Sidney

Miss Russell, of 912 Dundas street, and Miss Nora Wiggins, of Goderich, are visiting friends in the village. The choir of the Wardsville Methodist Church furnished the music at an entertainment and lecture at the Plains Baptist Church, in Aldborough, on

Mrs. F. A. Murphy is spending some days in London. The representative of the Heintzman Piano Company was in the village this week, assisting their local agent here, Austin O'Hara. Bills are out announcing the enter-

tainment on Thanksgiving night, given under the auspices of the league of the Methodist Church.

Monday, evening, Nov. 14.

TURNED DOWN. St. Paul, Nov. 18 .- Mrs. Matilde Carse, of Chicago, announced at the closing session of the National W. C. T. U. convention that she wouldn't attend any more conventions until the Woman's Temple, Chicago, repudiated by the union, is paid for. There were two factions in the present convention, and Mrs. Carse and her friends were turned down. Last year the associa-tion received \$136,180 and spent \$135,780.

MARRIAGE OF THE DEAD. A Shansi missionary who went to conduct a funeral the other day narrowly escaped being present at a mar-The dead man was a bachelor of 50, and fearing that his spirit would wander companionless in the world of shades, relatives had scoured the countryside for a dead maiden to marry to him and bury with him. A desirable bride had been found some seven miles away, and was encoffined and prepared for the double ceremony of marriage and burial. As soon as the Christian service was concluded, and the missionary and his friends had left, the other ceremonies began. Marriages of the dead by interested friends are common in Shansi.-North China

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THE SEASON

"Nay, I will not have you find fault ith Esselyn for his generous, unselfish adiness to think better of others than hey deserve," he exclaimed, with proud umility. "Indeed, Lady Vivien, I wish here were more of such enthusiasm mongst us. To know that a friend edits us with any good quality, and admires us for possessing it, often makes one strive to deserve his admira-

"You think so," she answered, trifling with her fan. Her heart throbbed with pleasure as she heard her brother's praises sounded, but she would not let Sir Innis guess this. On the contrary, she chose to take umbrage at what she called his attempt to patronize Aymer on the strength of his own seniority. "You really think so? The idea sounds very charming, but it's rather theor-etical, isn't it? If Lady Esselyn were to assure me that I am a pattern wo-man, like herself, I don't believe that I should ever be stimulated into verifying her prediction."

"But what is the countess' definition of a pattern woman? May I know?" "Ah, pray, don't ask me to inflict it on you. In the country, it may be summed up in tracts, flannel and lectures to the rustics, energetically idministered; in town, the tracts and flannel are omitted, and the lectures confined to the members of her own

"If this is Lady Esselyn's ideal of what woman should be, may I hear what is Lady Vivien's?" was the significant query now put to her; and she knew that the dark gray eyes whose scrutiny she resented, were watching her, as with a disdainful gesture, she

"I have never set up one. I like myself, faults and all, too well as I am to copy anyone." "Then you have never craved the gift of which the poet speaks?"

"Of 'seeing ourselves as others se us'? Oh, dear, no! Nor have I much sympathy with people who are easily led by the opinions of others. But I think you were saying that it was good for us to be thus influenced? Am I, then, demolishing one of your pet theo-

Sir Innis smiled. "I don't think so; attacking it, per-

haps."
Vivien's eyes were riveted on her fan, but they flashed fire beneath the curled lashes that concealed them. going to take a tone of superiority with me as well as with Aymer?" she asked herself; and with covert hostility she renewed the conversation:

"Are you sure that you are strong enough to defend your position, Sir

"I will not ask myself that question,"
answered, gallantly, "I cannot he answered, gallantly. "I cannot bring up my forces in array against a lady."
"But why not?" asked Vivien. "I

for one, should scorn to sue for quar-

"If I must answer, I can only say that arguing with the gentler sex is always so unsatisfactory, that it is

prudent to avoid it." "Ah!" said the annoyed demoiselle, now eyeing him defiantly, but unable to deny that this stately, intelligent-looking baronet was no despicable an-tagonist, "you are too courteous to acknowledge it, but I know you have in your mind the well-worn axiom that my sex is inferior in intellect to your own. I hear this repeated or hinted

continually. Then I'll not shield myself behind the old slander," Sir Innis laughingly assured her.

"Is that a confession that you meant to have done so?" she questioned.
"No, Lady Vivien. My meaning was simply this: arguing with a lady always ends in discomfiture."

"I understand you," she interposed. "The wordy battle fought as some gentlemen play me at chess. If I am likely to be the winner, they smile and assert that it would not have been polite to press a lady too closely; and if I lose, why they smile still, but compassionately, as if to say how could I have expected anything else when I competed with the lords of creationthose superior beings who monopolize the largest share of intellect as well as everything else."

"Still, you fail to interpret my mean-ing correctly," said Sir Innis, with an amused look that Vivien resented. "My experience is, that in a contest with a lady, it is my sex, not hers, that al-ways gets the worst of it. If she is fairly conquered, she confides to some one or other of her dear friends that Innis Hatherfield is the most conceited,

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disputatious fellow she ever encountered; if she comes off victor, ah! heaven defend me, how merciless she is in her

"Doesn't the arrogance of man peep out there?" Vivien demurely queried. "Read your words aright, and they im-ply that the sting of defeat is always so intolerable that he cannot bear it, especially when inflicted by one of Eve's despised daughters." "Am I expected to plead guilty?" Sir

Innis inquired.
"To me?" said Vivien. "Oh, no; al though the confession might be safely made, for I have a most convenient memory; it retains so few things that

"Only the grains of gold, I suppose, that are found here and there in conversation. I congratulate you, Lady Vivien, on the power of storing your mind with none but pleasant recollec tions of your talks with your friends. You should try to impart the sccret to less fortunate individuals.'

"Did I boast of any especial power?" she said languidly, and began to move towards the drawing-room.

But Sir Innis did not follow, nor did

he attempt to approach her again that evening. His tall figure made it casy to discern wherever he went, and Vivien saw him at one time in the center of a knot of earnest talkers; at another, gatly joining in a noisy round game; but he paid no homage to the reigning queen. He might have been supposed to have forgotten her very existence, for never did a glance stray towards

Vivien went to her room without having interchanged another word with her brother's friend; and—what was really provoking—she went thither haunted with a consciousness that in trying to show him how utterly indifferent she felt to his admiration or dislike, she had been both flippant and impertinent.

CHAPTER XVI.

Lady Vivien St. Orme was always an early riser, and long before the countess or any of her guests thought of stirring from their pillows, she had donned her furs, and waiked so long and briskly in the clear, frosty air, that she returned to the house rosy with the exercise.

"No. don't. Viva!" eried her brother. who encountered her in the hall. "Don't inflict on me a prose on the advantages of getting up with the lark. I'm not as hardy as you are. I should catch coughs and chilblains, and be shiver-

ing and disagreeable all day.
"How well you remember all these objections on hunting mornings! But I am not going to prose," said Vivien as he put his arm round and waltzed with her into the study, where he whirled her into a cosy chair beside the fire. "I gave you up long ago as an incorrigible idler."

[To be Continued.]

THE MURRAY MURDER

Edward Elliott, the Accused Boy, De nies All Connection With the Crime.

Beaverton, Nov. 18 .- At the Murray murder inquest Joseph Elliott, father of the suspected boy, stated that his son was at home Saturday wight.

In the course of the evidence it was adduced that the boy, Edward Elliott, who is supposed to be the murderer, had confessed to Constable Smith, and also to Reeve McMillan, to having committed the deed, having first struck the old man with a poker, then with a heavy piece of stovewood. Elliott's story as given to these witnesses is that he had an altercation with Murray over the character of his (Elliott's) siswhen Murray used an approbriou epithet in reference to her, which the boy resented. This he now denies, as well as the other statements made by him in reference to the matter, but which sworn evidence appears to substantiate. Much of the day was occupied in the examination of Elliott, with the only result of a sweeping de-nial of all knowledge of the crime.

AN HEROIC COOK

Crew of a Wrecked Steamer Tell of Anna Myers' Bravery.

Detroit, Nov. 17.-Half-sick from exposure, and without money or work, two sailors of the wrecked schooner Ishpheming arrived in Detroit yesterday morning. They are W. A. Campbell and Charles Stevenson.

"The Ishpheming left Buffalo," said Campbell, "in an unseaworthy condition. When the gale struck us we were about forty miles out from Cleveland, and it was a pitch black night. The wind howled through the rigging, and every little while we could hear the lines enapping. The waves came high, and the rolling motion of the vessel opened her in places and she com-

"There were eight of us in the crew and the cook was the only woman aboard. She is the nerviest woman I ever saw. Her name is Anna Myers.

"About midnight the gale grew stronger, and in a sudden puff the mast was torn from its fastenings, snap-ped at the bottom, and crashed through the rigging. As it fell the side lights were also taken away. Then it was that Anna Myers showed her nerve. "She loosened all the life preservers,

and with every wave washing over us she lighted torches and stood on the deck, helping us in our efforts to save the boat. It was thrilling to see her standing in the stern holding the torches high above her head with the raging waters all around her. After hours of fighting the exhausted crew saw the life-savers coming. They had been notified of the wreck by a passing D. and C. steamer.

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Amateur Hunter Killed by His Brother-in-Law.

Tramp's Stolen Ride Costs Him Foot-Sudden Deaths at Chatham and Galt.

HUNTER SHOT DEAD. Mattawa, Nov. 18.—The body of Edward Miner, of Kingsville, was brought here on Wednesday evening from Kippewa. Mr. Miner was accidentally shot by his brother-in-law, while moose-hunting 25 miles north of Kippewa.

COSTLY STOLEN RIDE. Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 18.-Robert Spinning, a tramp, who hails from the Province of Nova Scotia, while jumping from a C. P. R. train from Toronto, on which he was stealing a ride, slipped, and his right foot was run over. He was taken to the city hospital, where the foot was amputated. Spinning is about 30 years of

age. SUDDEN DEATH AT CHATHAM. Chatham, Ont., Nov. 18.-The sudden death took place at an early hour yesterday morning of Miss Mary Chevalier, sister-in-law of J. C. Weir, secretary of the water commissioners. Deceased was seized with a severe attack of congestion of the lungs, and death ensued within 36 hours.

FOUND DEAD.

Galt. Ont., Nov. 18 .- Edwin Morish, grocer, was found dead in his store early yesterday morning. He had been in Hamilton all day, and on returning was apparently in good health. The family retired, leaving Mr. Morish in the store, where he was 'n the labit of staying late. In the morning he was found dead in his chair, his hit overcoat and gloves not having been removed. Deceased was 65 years of age, and an active member of the Baptist

MURRAY HILL CATASTROPHE

The Dead Engineer Brady Blamed-The Jury Censure the Company.

Brighton, Ont., Nov. 16 .- In the inquest as to the Murray Hill disaster, Murphy, the night operator at Murray Hill, stated that Driver Brady, seeing the red light, had peremptory orders to come to a standstill. Witness did not know when No. 5 left Trenton, nor when No. 96 left Brighton. He admitted having overlooked turning the switch, which would have turned the express on to the south track.

Mr. Purdon, conductor on the express train, gave evidence as to the rules of the company, and a minute account of what he did after the accident. Alex. Tappin said that he heard the brakes applied, and then jumped. He

said Brady was one of the most careful drivers on the road. George Happer, train dispatcher, gave a very full account of the methods followed for the guidance of agents showing clearly that if instructions are followed there can be no accidents. He said that train No. 5 arrived at Belleville at 3:37, and left at 3:39, and that Switchman Murphy ought to have

Mr. Hayne, of Belleville, said that Brady had been off duty over sixteen

The jury were locked up, and in about an hour brought in a unanimous verdict, as follows: "We hereby find the responsibility for the death of those ten dead bodies rests on Engineer Brady, of No. 5 express, for passing signals set at danger at Murray Hill on the morning of Nov. 15. We also centure the G. T. R. Company for the actions of their present management."

RAILROAD

RUMBLINGS

A Question That the C. P. R. Will Not Submit to Arbitration-Rumors of G. T. R. and C. P. R. Changes.

It is rumored in Winnipeg that the Northern Pacific will build a direct line from Winnipeg to Duluth, bonus or no bonus, and that other important extensions on the Manitoba division

are in contemplation. A Toronto press dispatch says: There is a rumor that the G. T. R. is going to sell its three Michigan branches viz., the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee, the Toledo, Saginaw and Muskegon and the Cincinnati, Saginaw and Mackinaw. These roads have a mileage in all of 339 miles, and were bought some years ago to act as feeders to the Grand Trunk. It is said

the Wabash is going to buy the lines. It is reported also that the Canadian Pacific is proposing to abandon its arrangements with the Wabash for running privileges over the latter road from Detroit to Chicago. As this is the only access it has into Chicago, the C. P. R., if the report is correct, will have to make arrangements with some other road running to Chicago, or else build its own line there.

Sir William Van Horne, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, in a letter addressed to Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, on the matter of passenger rates in Canada, says there is but one question at issue which he declines to submit to arbitration. The C. P. R. maintains its rights to quote a lower rate through Canada to Manitoba and the West than the Grand Trunk can through the United States.

About Catarrh.

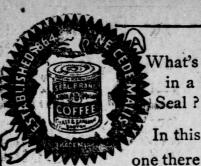
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Assessment Confirmed at \$802,542-The Case Will Go to the Court of Appeals-Interesting |Questions of Law-Court of Revision Over.

The final session of the court of revision was held yesterday afternoon, the street railway company's appeal and some minor cases being dealt with. The court confirmed the assessment of \$302,542 against the street railway company, without going minutely into details, as the objection offered was as to the principle on which the assessment was based. The company contended that instead of valuing the road and plant at an assumed cost of construction, the rails, poles, wires, etc., should be assessed on the basis of the price they would bring if removed and sold. No objection was taken to the assessment of \$73,725 on the power house, car barns and other realty, but to the following: Rails, poles and wires, \$136,780; bridges, \$19,220; asphalt pavement, \$22,817; personal property (rolling stock), \$50,000.

The rails, poles and wires last year were assessed at about \$80,000, and the bridges and asphalt pavement were not assessed at all. As the question is one of legality, the case will doubtless go

to the court of appeals eventually.

Mr. I. F. Hellmuth explained the company's position. He referred to the case of the Bell Telephone Company in Hamilton, in which the court of appeals gave its decision that the poles and wires were not to be assessed as part of a "going concern," but at what they would sell for if removed and disposed of. On this ground he said the street railway company's assessment was erroneous. The asphalt pavement, if taken up, would be valueless. Another argument he advanced was, that the parts of the system in the different wards should be assessed independently

of the whole system. City Solicitor Meredith pointed out that the difference was one of legality, and advised the court to confirm the assessment made, as there was no hope of a settlement, and let it go to appeal. The Bell Telephone case did not govern this one at all, he said. He was amused to hear Mr. Hellmuth say the property should be placed at its marvalue. They would have no difficulty in seiling it at twice the price. If the franchise were to be assessed he would claim \$500,000 as the assess-

Mr. C. Ferguson's appeal against \$5,000 on Sleeman brewery stock was dismissed.

Mr. J. A. Thomas' assessment on his South London property was reduced

Messrs. Fraser & Fraser appealed against an assessment of \$4,000 on No. 346 Dufferin avenue. The owner will accept \$3,000 for it. Reduced to \$3,000. A second appeal by Mr. Duncan Stuart on behalf of the Queen City Oil Company was heard, and the assessment reduced from \$4,200 to \$2,800.

Mr. D. McLeod's Becher street property was reduced from \$1,000 to \$700. Mr. Depper's assessment on three lots on Nightingale avenue was confirmed at \$1,000.

The members of the court present were Mr. J. W. Jones (in the chair), Mr. MacMahen and Sheriff Cameron, City Clerk Kingston, Commissioner Grant and Assessors Toll and Mc-Coubrey.

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Toronto, Ont., Nov. 17, 11 p.m.—Pressure continued low over the northwestern portion of the continent, and high in eastern Canada. The weather has been fair in all portions of the Dominion. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 46—52; Kamloops, 32—40; Calgary, 18—42; Qu'Appelle, 26—34; Winnipeg, 24—32; Port Arthur, 26—40; Parry Sound, 34—42; Toronto, 30—46; Ottawa, 30—34; Montreal, 30—40; Quebec, 20-34; Halifax, 32-44.

Probabilities—Lower Lakes—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds; mostly fair; not much change in temperature; a few local showers chiefly in the southwestern portion.

Local temperatures-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Thursday, Nov. 17, were 48 and 20.5 degrees.

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-Mr. Robb, of the G. T. R., this city, was at Point Edward yesterday examining a number of young firemen. -Chatham Banner: Chief A. H. Skirving left for London this afternoon, accompanying a patient for the asylum.

-Mr. Charles Sales, of this city, has been engaged by the trustees of the Napier public school as principal for the coming year. -Henry Gatecliff, for many years employed by Mr. T. D. Hodgins, M.P.P.,

has leased the farm of Mrs. Thomas oster, of Granton. -Eugene Lockhart, the little Scotch dancer and singer has been engaged called. for the Scotch concert at Guelph, on

the 30th of the month. -Miss Katie Howe, of the Atlantic House, London, is spending a week's vacation at Ingersoll. Her many friends wish her a pleasant time.

-The Maple Leaf Indoor Baseball Club, have been asked to play games in this city and Woodstock on Thursday next (Thanksgiving Day). It is expected that the London invitation will be accepted.

-It is understood the Askin Street Methodist congregation have one or two strong names in view, to succeed Rev. Richard Hobbs, whose term expires with the close of the present conference wear.

-The management of the Wabash Railway has sent a check for \$50 to Superintendent Jones, of St. Thomas, to be distributed among the crews who took the inspection train over the Air Line in record-breaking time recently. -A correspondent, signing "Madam, Woodstock." is anxious to know how to invest \$150 in such a way as to be sure to make \$2,000 out of it. We are afraid there is no very certain way of doing what our correspondent desires. Our advice to her is to hang on to her

-The Baconian Club has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mr. Jared Vining; vice-president, Mr. F. E. Perrin; secretarytreasurer, Mr. P. E. Mackenzie; executive, Messrs. R. A. Little, F. W. Daly and McKee. The club is promised a very successful season.

-Miss Jessie A. Munroe, corresponding secretary of the Provincial Sabbath School Association will spend Saturday and Sunday in the city in the interest of Sabbath school work. On Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, she will address a meeting of primary workers in the Y. M. C. A. lecure hall, to which the mothers are cordially invited. On Sunday afternoon she will take part in the anniversary services of Dundas Center Methodist Sunday school and deliver an address.

-The annual concert and oyster supper of Court Welcome, No. 12, J. C. F., was held in Foresters' Hall, East London, last night, and proved a most Telephone 997.

ANDREWS' PLUGS should be in everybody's mouth—who have decayed range immensely. Bro. W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, high chief rangements of the successful affair. There was a large audience, who enjoyed the fine property immensely. Bro. W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, high chief rangements. er of the order, occupied the chair, and in his address congratulated Court Welcome on its success and work in hand. He then introduced the programme which included lime-light views; piano solos by Miss Fox; comic songs, Sandy Drennan; recitations, Miss Proctor; club swinging, Miss Perkins; instrumental, Mr. Fitzgerald; trios, the Misses McLeod: recitations,

Miss Metcalfe. PLEASANT ASSEMBLY.

Germania Hall, Richmond street. presented a gay and festive appearance last night, when some 60 couples attended the assembly under the auspices of Union No. 32, of the metal polishers, buffers, platers and brass workers. Mr. S. Taylor was master of ceremonies, and the music was furnished by an orchestra. Supper was served at midnight. The general committee comprised Messrs. G. Hills, F. Lyons, C. Smythe, W. Lyons, G. Mc-Fadden, F. C. Higman, H. Howard, H. Snowden. G. McFadden, chairman; F. C. Higman, secretary; G. Hills, treasurer. Reception committee, G.

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JACKSON-RUSSELL. In the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, Mr. W. A. H. Jackson, of London township, and Miss Clara Russell, of Dufferin avenue, were married by Rev. W. J. Clark. The groom was assisted by Mr. Alf. Russell, brother of the bride, while Miss Patterson, of Denfield, acted as bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson left for their home amid the good wishes of their many friends.

SAVED FROM DEATH The Toronto News tells the followng story of how two Londoners saved a 7-year-old child and its mother from death by asphyxiation: At four o'clock Wednesday morning, A. Jeffrey, of London, a guest at the Hotel Gladstone, occupying room 52, heard someone moaning in an adjacent chamber. His friend, Thomas McEntee, also of London, occupying room 53, heard the same noise, and the two discussed the matter and came to the conclusion that some lady was ill. Nothing much was thought further of the affair, until nearly 6 o'clock, when the two gentlemen arose to catch an early train. They again heard the moaning, and the circumstance was reported to the hotel porter, who made an investigation, and discovered that room 54. occupied by Mrs. W. H. Harvey, of Alliston, and her little 7-year-old daughter, was full of gas. An employe of the hotel hastily scaled the transom and opened the door. On the floor, almost under the bed, lay the little one and in the bed was the mother,

A PECULIAR REMEDY.

Something About the New Discovery for Curing Dyspepsia.

The Rev. F. I. Bell, a highly esteemed minister, residing in Weedsport, Cayuga county, N. Y., in a recent letter, writes as follows: "There has never been anything that I have taken that has relieved the dyspepsia from which I have suffered for ten Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Since taking them I have had no distress at all after eating, and again after long years CAN SLEEP WELL. Rev. F. I. Bell, Weedsport, N. Y., formerly Idalia,

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Warm Words at the Meeting of the Board of Works.

Sewer Difficulties Requiring Judicial Treatment - Engineer Chipman's Services To Be Dispensed With.

The board of works had some knotty questions to consider last night, and they weighed the scales of justice with great care. The three most important matters arose out of drainage and sewer difficulties, and two of them took two hours to decide. The citizens interested were greatly incensed in each case during the discussion by the oriticisms offered, and the session was exceedingly stormy. The members present were Ald. Douglass (chairman), Greenless, Cooper, Carrothers and Dreaney City Engineer Graydon and Secretary Bell.

Mr. Vincent and other Wreay street ratepayers petitioned to have Richard Stevens, a resident of Westminster township, prevented from tapping the sewer on Wreay street. The petition-ers claimed that the drain was not sufficiently large to carry away the present drainage, and that the addition of the water from the township would cause an overflow into their cellars. The city engineer explained that the

permission given to Mr. Stevens was to lower the Wreay street drain 18 inches on the strength of permission given before South London became a part of the city. The only thing for the committee to do was to rescind their motion. Owing to lack of money the only feasible scheme to relieve the drain in question, as favored by ex-Ald. Parnell, had not yet been carried out, Mr. Graydon explained.

Ald. Gerry said he had visited the property, and strongly urged that a remedy be furnished. Ald. Dreaney moved to rescind the privilege previously given Mr. Stevens.

Ald. Carrothers contended that Mr. Stevens had obtained the permission from the township, and moved to refer the matter to the engineer to report. Some residents from the vicinity of Adelaide and Piccadilly streets complanied that a large volume of water comes down through a 6-inch drain from the Carling farm and property owned by Col. Dawson, overflows and

spreads over their property. Mr. Wm. Webster was the chief complainant. The city engineer reported that the drain in question did not cause the injury to Mr. Webster's property, as he claimed. The only remedy was to put in a sewer from Elizabeth or Adelaide streets to Piccadilly street.
Mr. L. Meredith objected to this, on

the ground that the William street sewer was now too small to do its work.

Mr. Webster was pretty hot when Ald. Carrothers told him his property was a swamp, and that he should not expect the city to drain it. It would be a case of "sue," said Mr. Webster, if the flooding of his property was not

The city engineer offered to cut off the Carling farm drain for two weeks to prove that the water complained of did not come from the drain. The committee agreed to this, and ordered as well that it be also ascertained if the drain is blocked up.

both unconscious, the room filled with the deadly fumes, and the gas turned on full. The windows were thrown to Wellington street. The sewer will have to be advertised in the usual

open instantly and a doctor was Messrs. A. Barclay and L. Leitch, of Talbot street, asked a refund of about \$20 on a short sewer on Talbot street, and also that the chairman and en gineer be empowered to assist them in settling with Mr. Mills as to what division of the cost should be made. Ald. Carrothers objected, and some warm words were passed. The committee will recommend the council to

grant the petition.

Mr. W. H. Bartram threatened to bring action against the city for alleged misdoings in West London. Referred to the city engineer.

The action of the snow plow men at years except the new remedy called the time of the recent storm was unsatisfactory. The committee decided to warn them that if they come out before there is a fall of four inches of snow they will not be paid for their work.

Adjourned. SEWER COMMITTEE.

The sewer committee met subsequently, with ex-Ald. Skinner present and Ald. Cooper in the chair. The chairman was taken to task for giving permission to Miss Dunnett to move old buildings off the Dunnett property. The committee canceled the

permission. Ald. Douglass moved that Mr. Chipman's services as consulting engineer on the construction of the new sewer system be dispensed with at the expiration of the two years for which he was engaged. The time is about Adjourned.

ANGLO-AMERICAN COMMISSION. Washington, Nov. 17.-The joint session of the Anglo-American commission today was the longest held since the sessions began in Washington. This led to the inference that the two sides had made sufficient progress on their reciprocity lists to permit joint discussion of the articles on which reciprocal tariff reductions will be made. joint session then went over until tomorrow, and the American and British commissioners held separate conferences to determine their further course before the joint commission. Senator Fairbanks stated at the close of the meetings that it was still too early to make any announcement on the status of the work, except that it was progressing satisfactorily.

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