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JURY OF TWELVE KENT YEOMEN GIVE VERDICT FOR THE PLANET

Decision in the Alleged Libel Case Unanimously Reached in Seven Short Minutes-Finding Was " No Libel."

Addresses of His Lordship and Counsel

Resume of the Evidence of Witnesses Called—Statements of the Officers-Planet had no Quarrel with Plaintiff But Believed He was Instigated by Individuals with Personal Animosity Against the Paper-Colonel Rankin Testifies that He Was Ill-Advised-Comment of His Lordship to the Jury.

It to & a jury of twelve sturdy and himself seriously. aprig tyeomen of the county of Kent just (200 minutes last evening to R. Riddell, K. C., Toronto, and O. L.

decide that The Planet committed no libel in giving to the public interested a full, fair, accurate and unprejudiced account of the facts in connection with the recent Regimental difficulties when the then Regimental Band was disciplined and penalized and certain bandmen reduced to the ranks, while others were summarily dealt with and dism'ssed as a result of certain conduct on their part.

The action aross from a writ charging libel, served on this journal by one J. G. Kerr, acting as solicitor for Harry C. Philp, bandmaster of the ex-Regimental Band, complaining of the following report of an officers' plained of. meeting which appeared in The Planet of July 10 last, alleging it to be libellous and asking therefor damages to the amount of one thousand dollars

The full text of this report was as

BAND TROUBLE.

The band embroglio, which has created such manifest interest through-out the city, was the subject of dis-cussion at last evening's adjourned meeting of the officers of the 24th Regiment. Lieut.-Col. Rankin pre-sided, and there was a large attend-

ance of the officers present.

A number of applications for the position of regimental bandmaster and for membership in the band were laid

for membership in the band were laid over, also letters from former bandsmen, now out of the city, relative to their instruments.

There was a strong sentiment evidenced in favor of the reinstatement of Bandmaster H. C. Philp. The Colonel pointed out that, while there were several grave inaccuracies in his published statement, he believed the ex-bandmaster was more sinned agains than sinning. Lieut.-Surgeon Dr. Tye, Quartermaster Dr. Cornell, Adjutant Coltart and others spoke in the same strain and expressed their belief that Mr. Philp had been led into his present position against his better judgment by the unwise counsel of others.

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was pointed out, however, that in v of the recent action, instigated view of the recent action, instigated by the ex-bandmaster, of breaking in and forcibly entering the armory as King's property, nothing could be done pending the action of the military authorities at Ottawa. In accordance with, the military law the matter will be to-day reported to Lieut.-Col. Peters, D. O. C., and thence to the Adjutant-General at Ottawa. The matter was now entirely out of the hands of the local milita and they could take no action pending instructions from headquarters.

It was decided, upon advice from headquarters, to at once proceed, in

It was decided, upon advice from headquarters, to at once proceed, in co-operation with the old Bind Association, to replevin all instruments owned by the Regiment and the Association and now in use by the Bind, and hold them pending the decision of the Adjutant-General.

In view of the expulsion of ex-Bindman W. B. Bending and and and are in the second sec

the Adjutant-General.

In view of the expulsion of ex-Bundman W. H. Brackin from the Bund and Regiment, it was decided to proceed against him under the civil law. The officers were very severe in condemnation of the reported conduct, actions and subsequent behavior of the young man, and it was decided to make an example of him. The officers instructed the laying of four serious Police Court charges against the exhandman, viz., the using of profane and insolent language to the soldiers while on parade, the threatened mutilation of the Regiment's property, the detention of the King's uniform, and the using, while in a public barroom, of obscene and profane language concerning Col. Rankin, Major Scholfield and Adjutant Coltart.

licitor throughout, and R. L. Brackin, pable musician if he wouldn't allow a young man who apparently took others to influence and use him.

The Planet was represented by

Lewis, of this city. In opening the case Mr. Mabee addiessed the jury, presenting the plaintiff's view of the case. He alleged that in speaking of the plaintiff's in-

stigating the breaking in and forcibly entering in connection with the report The Planet had libelled the plaintiff. He also briefly traced the history of the band trouble resulting in the replevin action of the plaintiff against Col. Rankin, in the course of which the breaking in alluded to took

Mr. Mabee asked if The Planet adnitted publication of the article com-

Mr. Riddell-We admit publication of everything in our paper. The Planet has nothing to evade or con-

Mr. Mabee then fyled with the 10th, containing the article complained of, also other copies of this great nome journal which he expressed intention of using later, and closed his Mesers. Riddell and Lewis then took

up the defence of The Planet, which was set forth in the statement of pleading prepared and fyled by Mr. O. L. Lewis. It set forth that the article was a fair, truthful and accurate report of a meeting held on a matter of general public interest and was published in the public interests and without malice.

COL. J. B. RANKIN.

Colonel J. B. Rankin, K. C., was the first witness for The Planet. He testified that the reports of the officers meetings had always been published in the city papers. The report complained of was a perfectly fair and accurate account of what took place, take their course." at the meeting.

Plaintiff's solicitor objected to this statement.

Col. Rankin, continuing, testified that he had expressed himself at the meeting as being very sorry indeed that Mr. Philp had acted as he had done. Witness had said that he thought that a settlement of the trouble could have been arranged had Mr. Philp not instituted the recent action in reference to breaking into the drill shed. Witness thought that plaintiff. Philp, had been very badly advised. It was witness' duty to report the matter to the military au-

Mr. Riddell-Is there a regular means provided for members of the militia to gain redress?

Col. Rankin-There is, through the King's regulations.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mabee, Col. Rankin said that the trouble with the band had started on the trip to St. Thomas, but the recent trouble had been caused by the bandsmen dropping out on the occasion of the Regiment visiting Holy Trinity Church on Sun-

ADJT. W. A. COLTART. William A Coltart, late adjutant in

the 24th Kent Regiment, said he was at the meeting in question, and corroborated Col. Rankin's evidence as to what had taken place. He had also surrendered H. C. Philp's clarionet to him without replevin order being served on him.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mabee, witness said he had spoken at the meeting exactly along the lines reported in The Planet.

MAJOR SCHOLFIELD.

Major G. P. Scholfield, Manager of the Standard Bank, was the next witness. He said he had met the deputy sheriff, the plaintiff and J. G. Kerr in Harrison Hall on the day the drill shed had been broken into. Mr. Beeston said that he had been instructed to break into the armory and witness asked him to wait till the Colonel returned from attending court at Wallaceburg that evening. The solicitor for the plaintiff had refused to do so. Witness had asked that a stay of proceedings be granted, advancing many reasons. He said that one banker would wait for another if ne gave his word of honor in such a matter, and he appealed to Kerr as to whether lawyers would not treat each other similarly. The solicitor, however, declined to wait even on the representations he made. He had aferwards attended the adjourned meeting of the officers and had heard what the Colonel had said. He corroborated the Colonel's statements in reference thereto. He had read the eport of that meeting in The Planet, hich was the article complained of Witness had assured Mr. Kerr in Harmison Hall that nothing would be disturbed in the drill shed if he would wait uctil Colonel Rankin came home, but his assurances were of no avail.

CAPT. FRED. STONE.

Capt. Fred. Stone, of the firm of Houston, Stone & Scane, was the next witness. He corroborated previous witness. Capt Stone said he was also present at the meeting in question and had read the report complained of in The Planet. The Colonel had given a fair and accurate statecourt a copy of The Planet of July ment of the facts in connection with the meeting and the report.

CROWN ATTORNEY SMITH.

Lieut. Herbert D. Smith, Crown At orney, said he had been present at he meeting in Harrison Hall when Major Scholfield said that the plaintiff had a writ of replevin issued and the sheriff wanted to go into the armory. Witness said he didn't think that the Major could give permission. The Colonel was out of the cics. He would no doubt be back that night, and witness asked Mr. Kerr to let the matter wait until morning. If the private property was not returned hen, there would be plenty of time in he morning to break into the drill shed. Witness also questioned the right of the sheriff to break, into the King's property. He said he did not believe he had that right. Mr. Kerr refused to wait and said, "Let matters take their course." Witness also stated that at the officers' meeting in question a committee had been uppointed, composed of Dr. Tye and Harry Anderson, editor of The Plan-The committee had been named for the purpose of interviewing Mr. Philp with a view of securing his re-instatement in the Regiment. Both of these gentlemen had been specially selected because of their friendship for Mr. Philp.

Cross-examined, witness said that he thought that if Mr. Philp had any complaint he should have made it under military law, that he was not justified in taking the course he did. HAD WRITTEN REPORT.

Harry W. Anderson, editor of The Planet, was the next witness. He said he was the Harry Anderson mentioned in the previous examination, and he was always very friendly towards plaintiff. He only knew of the proceedings under the writ of replevin from what the reporters brought in. He had written the re-port of the officers' meeting com-plained of. It was a fair, full and ac-curate report in every particular. He thought it a pity to detail other members of the staff to do the work when he himself was argent at the Police Court charges against the exbandman, viz., the using of profane and insolent language to the soldiers while on parade, the threatened mutilation of the Regiment's property, the detention of the Ring's uniform, and the using, while in a public barroom of obscene and profane language concerning Col. Rankin, Major Scholfield and Adjutant Coltart.

The case came up before Chief Justice Sir William R. Meredith at High Court yesterday morning. A jury was empanelled and the case proceeded. For the plaintiff, Philp, were J. T. Mabee, K. C., of Stratford, as counsel; J. G. Kerr, who had acted as solicitor throughout, and R. L. Brackin, a young man who apparently took

hand in the Brack n Police Court case. It was only fair to Mr. Philp to say that at the same interview he had complained about an article in The Planet in which it had been stated that his band had been enabled to fulfil their engagement at the Eau they borrowing instruments from the Peninsular Band. This report, however, was quite true, although wittens. remisurar Band. This report, however, was quite true, although witness had assured Mr. Philp he regretted any annoyance it might have caused him. Mr. Frank D. Laurie, Manager of the Bil Telephone Co., had seen Mr. Philp and witness have the interview in question.

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Some time afterwards Mr. Philp had telephoned asking Mr. Anderson to insert a notice of the first band concert on the Park. Witness had sent Mr. Angus to get the program and had printed it.

Mr. Kerr had telephoned him asking that Mr. Brackin's apology be not printed. He had assured witness that all proceedings against the paper had been dropped.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mabee, witness said that he didn't want anybody misled as to what had occurred at the officers' meeting and he was

body misled as to what had occurred at the officers' meeting and he was anxious that the public should have it just as it had occurred. Witness had seen plaintiff and the latter had assured witness that he did not want to sue The Planet for libel. He was urged into it by Mr. Kerr. The writ came about two months after the vetter.

Witness acknowledged writing the Witness acknowledged writing the article in The Planet of September 1st, in which it stated that The Planet had been served with a writ alleging libel. He did not write item in the Satchel of the Satellite of July 4th to this effect, "Harry C. Philp is manly and straightforward. It's too bad there isn't some more dike him. Of course, while thousands like him, there are not so many like him."

THE BRACKIN CASE.

Witness had probably seen it before was printed. Witness had written withess had probary seem to be to the way printed. Witness had written the paragraph beginning "By Proxy" in the issue of October 3rd. Witness had seen Harry C. Philp about the 13th or 14th of July. Witness had commenced the conversation. He had asked plaintiff what the difficulty was. Plaintiff claimed the only reason for the notices of writ was the desire of Mr. Kerr to strengthen his hand in the Brackin case. The Brackin police court case was disposed of about the 20th of July. The writ was issued on August 31st inthis case, but after The Planet received the writ witness had never this case, but after The Planet received the writ witness had never seen Mr. Philp. He knew that if confidence could be broken once it could be broken again. He also knew from what Mr. Philp said that the writ had resulted from some individuals with personal animosity against the paper and not voluntarily from Mr. Philp, and he felt, accordingly, that it would do no good to see Mr. Philp again. Mr. Kerr, solicitor for plaintiff, had also personally assured witness that the actions against the paper had been sonally assured witness that the actions against the paper had been stopped. Mr. Kerr had made this statement at noontide on the day that the Brackin case came up in the police court. The interview had taken place in the doorway of E. J. MacIntyre's store and was at Mr. Kerr's request. Mr. Kerr was pleading with witness to use his influence with Mr. Stephenson not to have the Kerr's request. Mr. Kerr was pleading with witness to use his influence with Mr. Stephenson not to have the apology of Bandman W. H. Brackin, which, he said, was a very abject one, published. Witness told Mr. Kerr that he had not yet seen the apology but would speak to Mr. Stephenson about it. In so doing, Mr. Kerr presented as a reason for asking this that the proposed actions for alleged libel both by Messrs. Brackin and Philp had been abandoned and he gave his word of honor to that effect. Plaintiff had not dictated any notice about the band concert but had simply telephoned witness.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mabee—Didn't Mr. Philp ask you specially to print it Citizens Band?

Witness-He did not.

Witness—He did not.
Mr. Måbee—You printed it ex-Regimental Band?
Witness—I can't say, but I think it was so printed.
Re-examined by Mr. Riddell. Mr. Riddell—It had been in your paper about the breaking open of the armory ? Mr. Mabee objected to this ques-

The Judge ruled that this evidence should be put in to show that the breaking into the armory was a matter of common knowledge. It would be primary evidence in connection with the article complained of Mr. Riddell didn't press the point.

AN OUTSIDE ANIMOSITY.

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Witness, continuing, said that he hadn't sought Mr. Philp after the writ had been issued because there had been a breach of faith and agreement and he had consequently no confidence in any further negotiations. In the second place, he was quite confident that Mr. Philp was not taking the action voluntarily, but that other outside influence resulting from the Brackin matter was urging and prodding him on.

Mr. Riddell—This W. H. Brackin is the young man who with Philp had issued notices of writ against The Planet through Mr. Kerr?

Witness—Yes, sir.

Mr. Riddell then read the Regimental Orders published in The Planet of June 30th and asked jwitness if the man Brackin mentioned

ness if the man Brackin mentioned as being dismissed for having acted in an unsoldierly and insolent man-ner while on parade was the same

person.

Witness—Yes.

Mr. Riddell—In view of the expulsion, the officers decided to proceed against Brackin under the civil ceed agams
law ?
Witness—Yes.
Mr. Riddell—They laid four serious
charges against him in the police
court, didn't they, for using profane

language, flithy and
guage and all that sor
Witness—Yes.
Mr. Riddell—And he e
viction by making an abje
Witness—He apologised
cases were then withdrawn
Mr. Riddell—You didn't p
apology as a news item in p
port?
Witness—No. We excluded it as
result of Mr. Kerr's request:
Mr. Riddell—The Regiment inserted the apology in The Planet as a
paid advertisement and you had nothing to do with it?
Witness—Yes.
CORROBORATIVE EVIDENCE.

NO.

CORROBORATIVE EVIDENCE. J. W. Young, of The Planet staff,

J. W. Young, of The Planet staff, was sworn to prove that J. G. Kerr, solicitor for plaintiff, had said that the notices of writ were all a bluff. The Judge, however, ruled this evidence out as irrelevant. He said that what Mr. Kerr had said had no bearing on the case and he would so instruct the jury.

Mr. Riddell said he had other evidence to offer rewarding Mr. Kerr's

dence to offer regarding Mr. Kerr's statements but the Judge ruled it

THE PROPRIETOR.

S. Stephenson, proprietor of The Planet, was the next witness. He did not see the article complained of until it was in print. He was out of the city at the time and knew nothing of it. The matter was in the hands of his editor.

Frank D. Laurie, manager of the Frank D. Laurie, manager of the Sell Telephone Co., had seen Mr. Philp and Mr. Anderson talking in rout of the Bell Telephone office some time in July. This was after the Brackin trouble had started and pefore Mr. Laurie left on his holidays in July 23rd.

This closed the case for The Planet. THE PLAINTIFF CALLED.

Harry C. Philp, the plaintiff, then went in the box on his own behalf. Witness first made a correction in his examination for discovery. He had said that he unlocked the outside door of the drill shed. He had mot done so but had given the (key to Mr. Besston.

Mr. Beston.
Mr. Mabee—It's been sworn by Col.
Rankin that when you came to his
office on the 4th of July he promised
to go over to the drill shed?
Witness—That's not true.

Q.-Do you know wheth it he went o the drill shed or not?

A.—I don't know.
Q.—Had you seen the Colonel at is office previous to that time? A.—Yes. Q.—Was it material to you to have

our instrument?
A.—Yes.
Q.—State your reasons for winting the instruments?
A.—We were under contract to the Lake Erie R. R. and we had to have the instruments to play.
Q.—You know Harry Anderson, the man who wrote this article?
A.—Yes.

Q.—He says that he met you on the street in front of the telephone office. You heard what he said? A.—I don't remember meeting Mr. Anderson in front of the telephone ffice. Cross-examined by Mr. Riddell:

Q.-Brackin was never a memb your band?

Q.—Was he not a member,?
A.—No.

Q.—Did he wear bandsmen's clothes
and play in the band?
A.—Yes, he played a cornet.
Q.—What was his position in the
Regiment outside of that?
A.—I don't know.
Q.—Why was he expelled from the
Regiment, then?
O.—I don't know.

Q.—I don't know. Witness stated that when he pre-Witness stated that when he presented the demand to Colonel Rankin for his instrument he didn't wait for an answer but went right across the coad to his lawyer's. He didn't think it necessary to wait to sea-if he was going to get his instrument. Witness had served the demand so as to get a writ of replevin. He did not have an interview with Mr. Anderson in front of the telephone office, and both Mr. Anderson and Mr. Laurie must be mistaken about it. He had never told Col. Rankin, Major Scholfield or Crown Attorney Smith that he was in a hurry. He had dold Dr. Cornell.

Q.—The Planet is a paper of considerable daily circulation?

A.—I take it.

Q.—You saw that the band trouble was creating considerable public excitement?

lic excitement? THOMAS MAISONVILLE.

Thomas Maisonville was the next

Thomas Maisonville was the next witness.
Witness began to tell what Col. Rankin had done.
The Judge—We are not trying whether Colonel Rankin is right or wrong. Only give evidence, please.
Witness said that Col. Rankin had said that they could have their instruments and he issued orders to that effect. Witness went back again on July 4th with a written demand. His version of what occurred in the Colonel's office varied from previous witness.
A. E. Jones was the next witness. He gave his version of what occurred in the office of the Colonel on July 4th.
When Mr. Riddell rose to crossexamine a short interchange occurred.

Mr. Mabee offered some sugge

Riddell-Don't trouble.
Mabee-I don't intend to
Riddell-We'll see that

Planet.

EPHENSON - Proprietor. usiness Office

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THE "LIBEL" A TION.

The Planet need scarcely say that it received with sincere satisfaction the verdict of the jury at the High Court yesterday completely vindicating this journal in the course it pursued in reporting in the public interests certain matters appertaining to the recent Regimental Band embroglio in a full, fearless and accurate manner, which it did in good faith, and solely in its desire to acquaint the public with the true facts concerning the same.

/ Such an emphatic, unanimous and prompt endorsation from a jury of his peers is thoroughly appreciated by the publisher of this journal. It is an incentive and encouragement to straight-forward and honorable journalism in dealing with public events in the public interests. It will be, moreover, appreciated by the whole Canadian press. It testifies eloquently to the fact that Canadian juries are going to administer Canadian justice fully and unfalteringly -and that, in so far as the Canadian press conducts itself worthily and honestly in the public interests, it is to be firmly fortified and protect ed from the miscellaneous and annov ing attacks, which, perhaps, must occasionally result at the hands of in dividuals to whom this straight-forward course may prove distasteful, or in whom it may engender bitter personal animosity.

And in so saying The Planet has no

reference to Mr. Philp, the plaintiff in yesterday's action against this journal. The Planet has no feeling of antagonism or improper motive towards Mr. Philp-never had. I has always sought to treat him fair. ly and generously-and will continue to do so. It only regrets that he permitted himself to get into the unfortunate position in which he found himself at the conclusion of the trial.

To The Planet the verdict of the jury will be an inspiration to increased loyalty and devotion to the interests of the public at large and the constituency it serves. The newspaper should have no interests of its own antagonistic to its public function-it should have no secret consideration for advocating the cause of individuals under pretense of serving the public good. It must ever remember it is in a confidential relation with the people it serves, and it owes to them all that relation

The importance of absolute sin cerity, truthfulness and impartiality in presenting and discussing public questions will be appreciated when the tremendous influence of the press is considered. People look to the press for information upon all current affairs, and their actions are governed, more or less, by what they learn from this source. That these actions may be intelligent and effec tive, the information must be correct and the discussion fair and honest. Otherwise the people are lulled into a false security in their dearest concerns or are wrongly led to their injury in their most important affairs.

A newspaper-as The Planet takes it-voluntarily assuming these obligations and receiving support upon that assumption has no moral right to falsify or suppress the truth, or explicitly or by indirection mislead the public concerning any public

It cannot ignore any such matter as not being its business, because this is what the nature of its function obliges it to know-at the peril of failing in the very cause and excuse for its being at all. Not to know is to be delinquent-and, knowing, to be silent, is to be derelict

And, above all, the fact should never be overlooked that the newspaper man is in confidential relation with the public and therefore he should never compromise that relation by advocating the cause of single individuals who endeavor to make use of him for their own gain. He should never compromise his better judgment by neglecting his full duty to the public.

This is, at least, the view that The Planet holds and the conviction upon which it proposes to act. It may be that it must result in vindictive animosity on the part of those against whom it militates. If so, we regret it-but it does not make our duty the less plain and imperative. And we have confidence in the support and endorsation of the people themselves, whose interests it is our aim to safe-

guard and conserve.

The Planet sincerely appreciates the splendid verdict of vindication awarded by the jury yesterday. It will seek to prove itself-in the future as in the past-worthy of the public confi-

dence it enjoys, and its actions will be guided solely by its devotion to the public weal and the public right.

In concluding, The Planet desires to further express its appreciation of many kind friends who generously gave their time and assistance to this journal in the action which concluded yesterday. To Mr. O. L. Lewis it is particularly indebted From the outset Mr. Lewis has had complete charge of The Planet's case, and the thorough, effectual and successful manner in which the preparation of it was conducted-calling for the complimentary comment of his lordship at the close-is a high tribute to Mr. Lewis' forensic and well-known ability. To Mr. W. R. Riddell, K. C., of Toronto, who so capably performed the important functions of counsel, and to Lieut, Colonel J. B. Rankin, Major G. P. Scholfield, Capt. Fred. Stone, Crown Attorney H. D. Smith, Messrs. W. A. Coltart, F. D. Laurie, G. W. Cornell, Geo. Embrey and many other citizens who, at inconvenience to themselves, placed their services at our disposal, the thanks of The Planet are very heartily tendered.

> SURE. Toronto Telegram.

The New York Sun will pardon the Canadian belief that the best way to retain the friendship of the United States is to be able to get along with-

CAN PROVE THE CONTRARY.

Baltimore American. With regard to the worrisome "decline of British trade," it might be said truthfully that America has de-clined none of it that was available.

WHAT US THINKS ABOUT IT. Hamilton Times.

The presentation of petitions by the opposition asking for delay of the passage of the Grand Trunk Pacific bill was regarded by us as a foolish, if not childish, proceeding.

CRISIS IN FAR EAST.

BRITAIN MAY BE INVOLVED IN CASE OF WAR.

All Reports Indicate that a Crisis is at Hand-Reinforcements For Russian Fleets

London, Oct. 13.-It was announced at the Foreign Office relative to the situation in the far east, that the powers having treaty rights with China will require such rights to o maintained unimpaired, whatever are rangement Russia makes with China If these rights are respected the British officials consider it improbable that either Japan or any other power will do anything which may threaten peace in the far east. In spite of the reassuring statements of the Foreign Office and Baron Hayaski, the frequent itera tion that hostilities between Russia and Japan are imminent, the mysterious movements of the Russian and Japan ese fleets, and the excited state of pub lic opinion in Japan are beginning to cause disquiet in Great Britain. Only the most sanguine persons believe that in the event of hostilities they could be kept within the limits which would free Great Britain from her obliga-

on to support her Japanese ally.

Baron Hayashi, the Japanese repreentative to Britain, is not so optimisc.

Indirectly he admits the tic. Indirectly he admits the possibility of war by expressing the hope that in the event of a crisis Japan will have the active sympathy of Great Britain. Baron Hayashi admittant the dislocation of the sympathy of the sym changed since October 8. He, how ever, had heard nothing from his Gov

rnment on the subject.

Despatches from Chefoo report that
Russian warship and a transport
ith 500 troops left Port Arthur a Russian waise left Port Policy with 500 troops left Port Arthur October 4 for Corea. Sixty Japanese civilians left Port Arthur October for Nagasaki. The Russian forces for Nagasaki.

ese civilians left Port Arthur October 10 for Nagasaki. The Russian forces at Newthwang are reported to have been increased.

General Kodama, the Japanese home Minister, has been appointed chief assistant to the military staff. The Premier will assume General Kodama's portfolio. The Premier and the Ministers for War, Navy and Foreign Affairs had a simultaneous audience of the Emperor to-day. Baron Von Rosen, the Russian Minister, and Baron Komura, the Japanese Foreign Minister, have not yet had a conference.

Berlin, Oct. 13.—The relations between Japan and Russia have reached a crisis according to the official views here. The exact nature of the diplomatic acchanges between the two constitutions. a crisis according to the official views here. The exact nature of the diplomatic exchanges between the two Governments have brought out the present tensity appears to be unknown at the legations of the two countries here or at the German legations at St. Petersburg and Tokio, although it is understood that Great Britain is privy to Japan's movements.

Berlin, Oct. 13.—A despatch from Shanghai to the Frankfurter Zeitung states that news has reached there from Chefoo to the effect that Japanese have occupied Masanpho, and that an official declaration of war is expected.

expected.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 13.—Significance is attached here to the fact that The Official Messenger and The Journal de St. Petersburg print The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger's despatch relating to the movement of the Russian fleet and the possible coincident landing of Russian and Japanese troops in different parts of Corea. Several newspapers publish reviews of Japan's military and naval strength. tary and naval strength.

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The Raleigh council met as a court of revision on the Snell and Ginnia drain on October 7th with all mem-

bers present. The necessary statutory oaths were subscribed and filed with the clerk.

Several appeals were received and

the clerk reported that he had noti-fied all parties appealed against. All interested parties present were heard in evidence

Wellington Wallace submitted the "Take notice that I hereby appeal against the assessment of W. G. Mc-George for the proposed repair of the Snell and Gilnula drain for the fol-

issessed for outlet.
Randall—Irwin—That the appeal

of W. Wallace Leentertained and this court of revision adjourn until the 19th day of Oct. inst., and the clerk notify all parties appealed against to attend the court at that date to show cause why their assessment should not be increased.—Carried. Council met with same members

present.
A petition was received from D.
Legue and J. Fleming to clean out
the Payne drain.
Dillon—Stringer— That the petition of D. Legue and J. Fleming be
entertained and referred to the commissioner of div. No. 1 to repair said
drain under section 74 of the Drain. drain under section 74 of the Drain-age act, if the cost of such repair will not exceed one fifth of the original cost.-Carried.

cost.—Carried.

In reference to the enlargement of the bridge on the east side of the town line in Merlin under the siding the L. E. & D. R. wrote that the same would have their careful atten-

drain, that the engineer's reports for the proposed repair of these drains would be read and considerd at next meeting.

On motion, the council adjourned to the 19th day of Oct.inst.

A. E. ROBINSON,

CAMDEN COUNCIL.

Camden council met on Monday Oct. 5th, as court of revision on Har-ris drain, South Branch Pikes Creek drain, and Scott-Bedford-Ellis drain and as an adjourned court on Helsome drain and for general business. All members were present, accounts and communications read.

Commissioner Paul reported comple tion of George Drain Outlet—Adopt ed.

Commissioner Brown reported com-pletion of Mason-Hawkins drain. — Adopted.

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The court on the Harris drain was

The court on the Harris drain was opened at eleven o'clock, a.m., with the reeve in the chair.

Appeals were read from W. Holmes and M. Babcock. The evidence was taken and the following changes made in engineer's assessment: Assessment on e. pt., lot 4, con.6, reduced \$5; assessment on w. p.e. pt., lot 4, con.6, reduced \$5; assessment on 6 and 7 con. road, raised \$70. The engineer's assessment as amended was confirmed assessment as amended was confirmed. assessment as amended was confirm

and the court closed. The court on Baxter drain was ad-ourned until Oct. 19th at five o'lock p.m.

The court on South Branch Pike's Creek drain was opened and there being no appeals the engineer's assessment was confirmed and court closed The court on Scott-Bedford-Ellis drain was opened, the appeals were read and court adjourned to meet on Monday, October 19th at ten o'clock

a.m.,
Court on Helsome drain was again
adjourned until Monday, Oct. 19th.,

In reference to the enlargement of the bridge on the east side of the town line in Merlin under the siding the L. E. & D. R. wrote that the same would have their careful attention.

W. G. Mc. George submitted his award on the LeCocq ditch No. 2. Cost of survey award, etc., \$19. Assistants in survey, \$3. Ordered paid.

Account of B. G. Burk, stationery \$3.25 and account Merlin airror, \$14.07. Ordered paid.

Randall—frwin—That Alex. McKay be paid \$8, two-thirds value of two sheep killed by dogs as per certificate of sheep inspector.—Carried.

The clerk was instructed to notify all parties on the Pardo and Sullivan drain, that the engineer's reports for the proposed repair of these drains.

Account of R. Dunlop for damages

adjourned until Monday, Oct. 19th., at five-thirty o'clock.

The following accounts were ordered paid at five-thirty o'clock.

The following accounts were ordered paid.

J. Paul, commissioner George paid, at is of outlet, \$15; S. Farnsworth, repairs to road grader, \$2.55; J. W. Shackleton, services surveying various drains, \$86; J. S. Hughson, for hire of men on 5 and 6 Side Road drain, \$3.75; James W. Stewart, hire of men on Ferguson drain, \$5; James W. Stewart, hire of men on Healey award, \$4; Geo. W. Stewart, hire of men on Healey award, \$4; Geo. W. Brown, commissioner on Mason-Hawwins drain, \$15; F. Dunlop, salary six months' running King's ferry, \$30.

The clerk was instructed to notify all parties on the Pardo and Sullivan drain, that the engineer's reports for the proposed repair of these drains.

Account of Dr. J. Becket for medicine and attendance on indigents wards left with Commissioner Stewart to suffering."

Account of S. Dunlop for damages

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Account of R. Dunlop for damages sustained to harness and buggy left with Commissioner Hughson to settle. Report of J. W. Shackleton on and 6 Side Road drain, con. 7, was read and adopted and clerk instructed to prepare by-law.

to prepare by-law.
The reeve, clerk and Commissioner
Hughson were appointed a committee
to meet Messrs. S. P. Sturgis and D. V. Hicks to arrange a settlement reclosing part 5 and 6 side road, con-

Thomas Robertson applied for tilto place in ditch along road-Left with Commissioner Brown. Council adjourned to meet again on Monday, October 19th, 1903. M. S. BLACKBURN, Township Clerk.

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Sympathetic Brigands.

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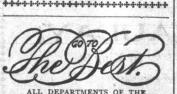
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Abov. Young men, said the uncle, as he rose from the breakfast table, of you intend to get to church this morning, it is high time you began to shink about it."

CHATHAM.

The next day was Sunday, and St. Valentine's Eve.

Mr. Hyde, who had, of course, been deeply concerned at hearing of the ico accident, which might so easily have been fatal, would not hear of either Madeline or Marjorle attending Devine service at the church.

He himself went, and his nephews,



ENAMEL

TRACED BY A VALENITNE

Mariorie was looking at her with ad-

miration, and marvelling how Edgar Hyde could be so cold to her—for cold

he undoubtedly was.

She was thinking of this so very carnestly that she forgot to notice her

own progress across the ice.

There was one part which was ad-

mittedly dangerous, and to this part, in her abstraction, she had skated.

She was half-way across the treacher-

ous bit before she remembered where she was; and even then it was only

an ominous cracking sound which aroused her to a sense of her danger.

to safety, but it was too late.

other side.

chilling water.

Alarmed, she tried to skate back in-

The treacherous ice was breaking up

all directions.

A piece of water two yards wide, and

cold, and dark, and cruel, stretched it-self between her and the firm ice on the

The piece on which she stood bent

forribly beneath her weight.

Another moment, and, with a pitful

ery for help, she was engulfed in the

was but a momentary reprieve.

fine knelt down at the very edge of the ice, and, regardless of the danger to herself, stretched out her hand to the

In a moment the ice gave way be-

If help had not been at hand, neither

of the two would have emerged alive.

By the aid of this they were rescued

vants advised, and go to bed.

They should do quite well, they de-

clared, if they sat warmly wrapped up

Majorie had not said much while the

she was alone with her friend, she

knelt on the floor at her feet, and, tak-

ing her hand, kissed it with overflow-

"Madeline, how can I ever repay

Suddenly Madeline bent forward, and

clasped her in her arms.
"Do you think so, dear? Then remember the debt until I ask for pay-

ment. Some day Marjorie, I may ask a

life from you."

She tried to speak with affected

fightness, but there was a touch of real, of almost terrible earnesstness in

her tone, which would not be suppress

bent so that Marjorie might not see the

flush on her cheek—the strange, excited glitter in her eye.

CHAPTER IX.
St. Valentine's Eve.

though not without some little demur,

accompanied him.

Out of this a little incident arose,

which rather discomposed Marjorie.
"Now, young men," said the uncle,

think about it."

Edgar made a slight grimmace behind his uncle's back.

Edgar hesitated, and said something about its being lonely for the ladies to

ed, and she kept her head resolu

you?" she whispered, while her glowing cheek and shininfg eye testified to the depth of her emotion. "I owe my,

ly the worse for their wetting.

by the fire in Madeline's own roo

reach of human aid."

drowning girl.

ter with her.

ing gratitude.

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be left at home by themselves. "Don't you trouble about the ladies, my boy," said Mr. Hyde, cheerily, and yet with a look of slight vexation on his rudy, good-humoured face. "You'll excuse them-eh, my dears?" Madeline assented languidly.

Marjorie looked up, and said, with "Oh, please don't stay at home on

our account. We would much rather you went to church, wouldn't we, Mad-

"That settles it. Come, my boys. Let us make a start." said Mr. Hyde, cheerily still but with an air which showed he expected to be obeyed. He left the room the next moment. and his eldest nephew very cooly made a gesture of devision behind his

This did not greatly surprise Marorie. She was prejudiced against Edcar, and expected nothing better from danger with horror skated up to the verge of the fatal spot, at the same time uttering loud cries for help.

what did surprise, and grieve er too, was that Charles should laugh Marjorie's clothes had kept her from tinking as yet, but it was evident it at the gesture, as if he approved of it, clapping his brother on the back the while, and muttering something in his Unless help was given her speedily she would disappear beyond the ear which convulsed them both with laughter. "A pottering old Puritan!" said Ed-White as death with agitation, Made-

car, beneath his breath. "Why can't he leave us alone? Goodness knows he does enough psalm-singing for the family!"

Charles laughed again at this, and then, still jesting and grumbling, they neath her weight, and she clutched at guitted the room. Marjorie, only to be drawn into the wa-

Madeline glanced at Marjorie to see If she had noticed this bit of by-play, and perceiving from her face that she had, she sighed faintly, and said— "You see, Marjorie, all is not gold that glitters. My cousins usually pass

But the gardener had seen the accident, and was hurrying to the lake with a ladder, which was providentially for very well-behaved young men. I daresay you have thought them so. But you observe they can on occasion and were removed to the house, pale and shivering indeed, but not seriousbe disrespectful to their uncle, and make a jest of sacred things. Did you notice. Mariorie?" They changed their clothes, but would not do as the frightened ser-

"I saw Edgar was very—"began Marjorie but Madeline stopped her,

rather sharply.
"It was not Edgar alone," she cried, adding, after a moment, with great

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energy and significance: "Whatever Edgar's faults may be, Charles has

Mariorie made no reply to this. Knowing how passionately Madeline foved Edgar, she was far too generousnatured to say another word against him; and, moreover, her heart was heavy as she thought of her own lover.

Loyal, loving little soul though she was, she could not help feeling that he had lowered himself greatly in her Marjorie was no Puritan.

Her religion was of a sweet, simple, cheerful kind, with no admixture of gloom or bitterness about it.
She was the last in the world to be

evere on other people's faults. But it hurt her to think her lover could make an open jest—even in her presence—of sacred things, and it hurt her still more that he should sneer at his uncle who, she felt sure, had been the best and kindest of friends to both him and Edgar.

Madeline had once remarked that

they owed all they had to him. Marjorie's whole soul revolted against anything like ingratitude. And so she sat secretly mourning het fover's shortcomings, though not loving him one whit the less because of

There had been such a charm in that frank smile and sunny glance of his as had completely won her heart. She could not take back lightly what

she had so fully given.

She and Madeline spent a great part of the morning with their prayer-books, but it may be questioned whether either of them was really able to fix her thoughts on what she read.

Certainly it was a relief to both when the gentlemen came home for luncheon. Early in the afternoon, the sky which had been fairly bright in the morning, clouded over, and became a dull, dreary grey, while a soaking rain

It rained without intermission all through the afternoon and evening.

The dullness of the day seemed cast a shadow on the spirits of almost everybody at Denelands.

Madeline spent the greater part of the afternoon sitting at the window, watching the rain as it poured in a pitiless deluge upon the wood.

The dark mass of trees, stripped of

all foliage looked unspeakably sombre through the grey, wet mist; but Madeline seemed to find a sort of melancholy satisfaction in gazing at it.

Marjorie stole a glance at her more

than once, and saw she was not in-She was paler than usual, and there was a look of brooding melancholy in

her eyes. Edgar Hyde kept getting up from his chair and pacing about the room in impatient restlessness, occasionally venting an objurgation against the

weather. His uncle sat absorbed in thought. Marjorie felt strangely sad and out of sorts, and of all the party Charley Hyde alone retained any vestige of cheerfulness on that dull, dreary Feb-

ruary afternoon.

He kept talking genially to each one in turn, and it was only when he found that no one—not even Marjorie -was in the mood for conversation, that he took refuge in a book.
"I feel just as though something

were going to happen—something dreadfull" thought marjorie, with a netle shiver of apprehension, as sho watched the cold, driving rain

Then she remembered that to-more fow was St. Valentine's Day, the anniversary of her father's awful death; and at the recollection she shiveres again, though she could scarce tell why.
Dinner at Denelands was served earlier on Sundays than on other days.

The rain continuing, no one attempt

ed to go to church, and the evening to be as dreary as the afternoon. "I think I'll go round to the stables and have a look at that horse," re-marked Charles getting up with a

The horse he alluded to was the one they had purchased yesterday.

He was away about ten minutes, and hen he came back he limped badly. and was evidently in pain. "The brute has kicked me!" he said,

inking into a chair.
"Why, what the ——" began Edgar, angrily; but stopped at a reproving look from his uncle. "Do you mean to say you can't walk any better than that?' he demanded, after a pause. "If you'd got my foot, I question whether you'd walk as well," retorted

Charles, with perfect good humor. "There's a bruise on it, I'll wager, as black as my hat." "Come upstairs and let's have a look

at it," said his brother, impatiently.

I never knew such a careless fellow.

The horse would have been right enough if you'd let it alone." And he cast an almost savage look All three gentlemen left the room

together, Charles, leaning on his brother's arm. In about ten minutes Edgar came

flown, looking cross and sullen.
"Is his foot really much hurt?" askad Madeline, while Marjorie was consumed with the secret anxiety she sumed with the secret anxiety sub-dared not show.

"Oh, yes, he's hurt right enough," replied Edgar, crossly. "What did he want to go meddling with the horse for? His cursed folly may—"

He stopped short, biting his lip in some confusion, as the door opened to admit his uncle, and, behind him, Charles, with his injured foot in a large slipper and his face a trifle paler than

slipper and his face a trifle paler than

usual.

Marjorle sent a glance of sympathy towards him, and he acknowledged it. The horse would have been right enough if you'd let it alone."

And he cast an almost savage look by getting mear her presently, and taking her band for a moment with a gently reassuring pressure.

To Be Continued.

SHAKESPEARE ON THE HORSE. Plays of Great Poet Teem With Pointer

A few extracts from the plays o William Shakespears reveal the great poet in the novel light of an accom-plished horse reporter. One of his characters indulges in the following

ranegyric:

"I will not change my horse with any that treads but on four pasterns. Ca hal he bounds from the earth as if his entrails were hairs; le chevel volant, the Pegasus, chez les narines de feu! When I bestride him, I soar, I am a hawk; he trots the

I soar, I am a hawk; he trots the air; the earth sings when he touches it; the basest horn of his hoof is more musical than the pipe of Hermes.

"I so of the color of nutmeg—and of the heat of ginger. It is a beast for Parsous; he is pure air and fire; and the dull elements of earth and water never appear in him: he is, indeed, a horse; and all other iades deed, a horse; and all other jades you may call beasts. Indeed, my lord, it is a most absolute and ex-

ord, it is a most absolute and excellent horse.

"It is the prince of palfreys; his neigh is like the bidding of a monarch, and his countenance enforces homage. No more, cousin! Nay, the man hath no wit that cannot from the rising of the lark to the lodging of the lamb vary deserved praise on my palfrey; it is a theme fluent as the sea; turn the sands into eloquent tongues, and my horse is eloquent tongues, and my horse is argument for them all; 'tis a subject for a sovereign to reason on and for a sovereign to ride on; and for the world familiar to us and unknown to lay apart their particular functions and wonder at him. I once writ a sonnet in his praise, and begun thus: 'Wonder of nature,' 2'

otc.
The lines above quoted are uttered by the Dauphlin and Orleans in the third act of "King Henry V." (first part).

In the course of the word fencing

between Benedick and Beatrice in "Measure for Measure," the former bserves:

"I would my horse had the speed

of your tongue and so good a con-

In the same play Dogberry sagely notes: "And two men ride a horse, one must ride behind."
"Love's Labor Lost": "The hobby horse is forgot. Callest thou my love a hobby horse? No, master, the hobby horse is hit and your hobby horse is but a colt, and your hobby horse is but a colt, and your love perhaps a hackney. Fetch hithor the swain, he must carry me a letter. A message well sympathized; a horse to be ambassador for an ass. Marry, sir, you must send me the ass upon the horse, for he is very slow-gaited."

"Taming of the Shrew": "As many disease as two and fifty horse

many diseases as two and fifty hors-"Henry VIII."; "Anger is like a

full, hot horse."
"King Richard III.": "A horse, a horse!" horse, my kingdom for a horse!"
"Hamlet": "Six Barbary horses

against six French swords."

"King Lear": "In pure kindness
to his horse, buttered his hay."

Hundreds of similar allusions to horses may be traced with the aid of Shakespearian concordances, and perhaps will afford the amatuer cryptographic plants of the same translation. togramist plenty of material to prove that Shakespeare was a host-ler. Evidently it was not for noth-ing that the poet, as a youth, held horses at the theatre door.

Eliza Cook, Victorian Poetess

In the progress of popular literature, a feature of the early Victorian days, no writer of poetry seized the

fancy of the masses more strongly than Eliza Cook. Eliza Cook, born in 1812, was the daughter of a tradesman in the Lon-don road, Southwark. Prosperity enabled the family to give her a superi-or education, and it drew forth con-siderable literary ability. As in the case of L.E.L., William Jordan, editor of The Literary Gazette, encouraged the authoress in her work, which in a few years attained re-

markable popularity.

Eliza Cook's muse touched the hearts of the people. She possessed a genuine lyrical faculty, witnessed in a number of songs like "The Englishman," "I'm Afloat" (composed by the late Henry Russell), "The Old Arm Chair," "Star of Glenzarry." markable popularity. Arm Chair," "Star of Glengarry," and "The Ploughshare of Old England." Among the writer's higher efforts are "The Mourners," "Tis a Wild Night at Sea," and "Love On," an eloquent answer to the Hon. Mrs. Norton's melancholy "Love Not," ewing its success to John Blockley's fine air. It was Eliza Coek's effusion. "Toor Hood," that created public sympathy to erect a monument over his remains in Kensal-green cemetery.

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The poetess died in 1889.

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about it. The band had been reduced to the ranks. They had misbehaved

Mr. Riddell—I am glad of that. We can only have three different stories, then.

J. G. Kerr, solicitor for the defense, wanted to go into the fox in irrobuttal of the evidence which the The Chief Justices said that, if Mr. Riddell desired, he would withdraw his ruling and admit the evidence he had previously ruled against. Mr. Riddell desired, he would withdraw his ruling and admit the evidence he had previously ruled against. Mr. Riddell desired, he would withdraw his ruling and admit the evidence he had previously ruled against. Mr. Riddell said that he was content to abide by His Lordship's ruling. Chief Justices and destration all that had been said about Mr. Kerr as it was not evidence against the palaintiff and so instructed the jurys.

Mr. Riddell said that he died to the condit the palaintiff and so instructed to have were content to contend that there was no libel, it being a matter of public interest.

Mr. ERUSI COMPLIMENTED.

Chief Justices Meredith somplimented Mr. O. L. Lewis, The Planet's counsel. His 'Lordship said that whoever drew the pleadings did it exceptionally well.

MR. RIDDELL'S ADDRESS.
Mr. W. R. Riddell, K. C., then addressed the fury onabehal of the defendent of the de

didn't know. Perhaps his lawyer didn't know what ought to be done. The officers said, "Wait for a day. The Colonel is out of the city," but the plaintiff and his lawyer go on. They ask them to let the matter stand, but not a bit of it, they are going ahead. The solicitor and his client make up their minds, then the plaintiff goes with the civil officer and smashes in the door. Whather it was good advice or not, it is not for me to say. ne to say.

I think the law ought to be that

it was good advice or not, it is not for me to say.

I think the law ought to be that the sheriff, an officer of the King, should not interfere with property already in the person of Colonel Rankin, an officer of the King. Whether that was right or not, it was an offense, as the officers thought. Mr. Philp, discharged and brought down to the ranks, still kept the key of the armory. The sheriff had to act. He was compelled to smash in the King's property and search for the goods.

On the 9th of July there was an adjourned special meeting in the Sergeant's mess room at eight o'clock. The meeting is held. Colonel Rankin, Captain Stone, Major Scholfield and others all knew that the building had been broken open. There was an officer there, Lieut. Anderson, who was also there as a reporter. He makes a fair report. It was a matter of public interest. The plaintiff says it was and that everybody was talking about it. If a man makes himself a public character and invites discussion in the newspaper, he should abide by it. There is not the slightest spite or ill-will against him on the part of the paper. Technically, he wants to get damages. He doesn't pretend that the article has injured him five cents' worth. What he says is that The Planet thas made a technical breach and I want to salt you for damages on that taccount.

What we do is to bring before you what took place at the officers' meeting. Lots of things might happen at these meetings of vital interest for the people to know. We didn't look lightly on the Regiment at the time of the Northwest we bellion.

Nobody ever charged Mr. Philp with housebreaking. You can make forcible entry into a private in plaintiff and that the article preferred an unwarranted charge against the plaintiff and that the article preferred an unwarranted charge against the plaintiff and that the article preferred an unwarranted charge against the plaintiff and that the article preferred an unwarranted charge against the plaintiff and that the article preferred an unwarranted charge again

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Nobody ever charged Mr. Philp with housebreaking. You can make foreible entry into a private individual's property but not into public the state of december of the statute so december of the statute s lic property. The statute so de-fines forcible entry. There was no intention to charge Mr. Philp with any crime; nothing was farther from our thoughts. Isn't it true that he instigated that action? He insti-

instigated that action? He instigated the breaking open of the King's property. Didn't he do so on his own admission?

There is one more point: The Planet reported the meeting fairly. What more could the paper do? The plaintiff could not bring one witness from the whole city of Chatham or County of Kent who would swear that the article meant anything else than a fair report. I ask you what you believe is meant. Off Mr. Philp goes to the lawyer. On July 11th he serves notice. He complains of that article being libellous and defamatory. Two nights before, by rea-

He claimed that the article preferred an unwarranted charge against the plaintiff and that the latter was ren-titled to vindication from the jury. The amount of damages he would leave in their hands. The plaintiff would be satisfied with a nominal verdict and he had no doubt the jury would vindicate him.

HIS LORDSHIP'S ADDRESS

Chief Justice Meredith charged the jury at some length. He said in part,— This action differs from other acrions. You are judges both of the law and the fact. The jury has to deter-mine whether the substance is libel-leus. It is not necessary for a per-son libelled to prove that he has been son libelied to prove that ne has been damaged. The press has its rights. It has long been recognized that in matters of public interest, fair comment is permitted. The press has the right to discuss the conduct of public men, but it has no right to invert facts. Newspapers have the right to express their opinion an pub-

the right to discuss the conduct of public men, but it has no right to famatory. Two nights before, by reason of his friendship—and the plaintiff swore that they were friends—the writer of the article was appointed to see Mr. Philp because he was a friend. You saw Mr. Philp. You saw Mr. Anderson. I ask you which you believe and leave it at that. There is also the fact that another witness, Mr. Laurie, saw the interview.

Then Mr. Philp sits up patient and long suffering for six weeks. That doesn't heat up Mr. Philp's blood. He sits quiet until the 31st of Aug. Put yourself in Mr. Anderson's place. I'm not saying what Mr. Kerr 6s alleged to have said. I'm not going to say a word about it. You head what was said as well as I and you may perhaps arrive at a better conclusion. It is conceded that it was within the right of the editor of The Planet newspaper to comment fairly. The defence, in addition to saying that it is not a libel, say that it is true in fact. If it is true, then the defendant is entitled to your verdict. You should know all the surrounding circumstances. If wouldn't be fair for you will have a do do that the plaintiff. The defence, in addition to saying that it is not a libel, say that it is true in fact. If it is true, then the defendant is entitled to your verdict. You should know all the surrounding circumstances. If wouldn't be fair for you when the delitor says if that is the kind of man he 6s, I'll have to let him go ahead. Early in the game when everybody is talking about the kinding up a ruction, Mr. Philp goes to his lawser and ceets his flawer has been given in this case as to the actions of the plaintiff. That has nothing to do with the question when the results of the plaintiff. That has nothing to do with the question when the plaintiff. That has nothing to do with the question when the plaintiff. That has nothing to do with the question when the plaintiff is only a surface and the plaintiff. The transfer of public interest. It is conceded that it was within the right of the public arose Sunday morning and the Col-onel thought he was justified in what he did. It appears that some mem-bers of the band had instruments be-longing to themselves. For some rea-son the Quartermaster did not obey the Colonel's orders. There was also

property. Mr. Philp didn't know who the inspecting officer was and couldn't refer his grievance to the military authorities. The whole case was, was there anything in the article which reflected on the young man's character. If, in their report, they had said that the young man had obtained a replevin order, there would have been no complaint. The article would not have been an injury where one knew all the facts, but The Pianter to goes out on the trains, all over the province, all over the Domnion. A stranger reading the article would think that the young man had made a pretty serious mistake. He asked the jury if they didn't think that upon reading the article thip would have formed a different opinion of Harry Philp.

The defendant alleged that the action was brought for an ulterior purpose, namely, to help Brackin. But it was merely a question of was Philp libelled,

He asked the jury to disbelieve that portion of the evidence of the witness.

It is not necessary for the plaintiff to show damages. If you think there has been a libel, he is entitled to a wordict. If you think, after weighing it fairly, that the paper is not maked as the part of early, that the paper is not maked at a replevin order, there would have been no complaint. The article would that he young man had obtained a replevin order, there would have been no complaint. The article would that the young man had obtained a replevin order, there would not have been no complaint. The article would that the sell-would the province, all over the province, all over the plaintiff has called attention to the evidence of the editor of this newspaper. You are the sole judges of that. I did not see anything in the manner of Mr. Anderson's giving his testimony to cause the sole judges of that. I did not see anything in the manner of Mr. Anderson's giving his testimony to cause the sole judges of that. I did not see anything in the manner of Mr. Anderson's giving his testimony to cause the sole judges of that. I did not see anything in the manner of Mr. A

deserves.

In regard to the paragraph "Harry Philp is manly and straightforward," etc., I don't know what you make of this thing. What does it mean it looks to me like a squib. Does it mean anything? The counsel for the plaintiff made a strong speech on it. Was that, "it's too bad there isn't some more like him," a hit at those supposed to be behind the plaintiff in this action? It is you who are the sole judges. If you find a verdict for the plaintiff you may place the damages at such sum as appeals to you as right. If you find there was no libel that settles the matter.

matter.
On the retirement of the jury Mr.
Mabee objected to His Lordship's
charge, claiming that he had given
the impression that the sheriff was

entirely wrong to do as he had done. His Lordship-I think he was. If His Lordship—I think he was. If parliament was sitting and a man owned a desk in the building, would the sheriff have a right to go up, throw a member out and take the desk? I think not. In this case counsel put in a replevin order. It was within the right of the journalist to thoroughly comment thereon. Do you think I should have gone farther?

ther?

Mr. Mabee (smiling)—No, my lord.
His-Lordship—So long as the replevin order stands it is a protection to both plaintiff and defendant.

In just seven minutes the jury returned with a verdiet of "No libel," and judgment was accordingly entered for The Planet with costs.

MR. AYLESWORTH'S WORDS. No Consent to Surrender of British Territory.

London, Oct. 14.-Mr. A. B. Ayles worth, one of the Canadian commissioners on the Alaska tribunal, in relation to the question in the Dominion Parliament Monday on the subject of an interview with him, has made the following statement to the Associated Press:—"Being asked a few days ago whether there was any likelihood that the decision of the tribunal would be influenced by diplomatic considerations Mr. Aylesworth replied, speaking for himself, that he certainly would never

himself, that he certainly would never consent to give away a single inch of territory he believed to be British."

The Canadian story created some concern. It appears certain that neither Mr. Aylesworth nor Sir Louis Jetté, another of the Canadian commissioners, have the slightest intention of agreeing to the American arguments, and Lead Alverstone's attitude is still absolutely a matter of speculation. Though the Americans still have ne reason to diminish their feeling of hopefulness that some agreement will be reached, this feeling is largely based on the trend of Lord Alverstone's interpolations during the arguments. ed on the trend of Lord Alverstone's interpolations during the arguments.

The tribunal held another secret session to-day. Nothing of a public nature developed, except that when Lord Alverstone came out of the conference-room he asked Secretary Tower to ascertain whether the original treaty was signed both in French and English. No explanation was given of the reason for this question. Eventually the commission adjourned until to-morrow, without

ad to ne- ilp wo fr. ilp wo fr. ilp wo fr. in he is in he	to write a letter to the public. There it is on July 3rd when the matter was quite fresh. He never asked a word of explanation. The lawyer and Mr. Philp sit down to make the best case they can and invite public discussion. In this very letter they are finding fault with Colonel Rankin, charging the Colonel with intentionally and wilfully attempting to create further trouble. The newspaper had no feeling against the man. The writ had been delayed for seven or eight weeks. It is for you to stamp your disapproval on this petty, trivial and contamptible action. What harm has this article done to this man? Does the article even suggest anything of the kind? Has his character been hurt in any way? Do we charge him with any crime? A large number of witnesses have been brought here and the county has been put to a very heavy expense to try this trivial action, which mever should have been brought into court. I ask you to give us a verdict almost without leaving your seats condemning this action against The Planet newspaper as petty, trivial and contemptible. MR. MABEE'S ADDRESS, Mr. Mabee then addressed the jury on behalf of the plaintiff. He made	he did. It appears that some members of the band had instruments belonging to themselves. For some reason the Quartermaster did not obey the Colonel's orders. There was also another trouble. A young man, member of the band, was brought up in the Police Court. Unfortunately, it appears that both cases were in charge of the same solicitor. Why didn't Mr. Philp communicate with the Quarter Master, instead of serving written notice on Colonel Rankin? There is a conflict of testimony as to what took place at the meeting when Colonel Rankin told the men they could have their instruments. Colonel Rankin says he went over and waited three-quarters of an hour. How does it appeal to you? You are the judges. If these people had wanted not do make trouble why did they go off at once to the solicitor. You are not bound to accept the testimony of any witness. Take only the evidence which strikes you as being the truth. It appears, according to the evidence, that the writ was put in the sheriff's hands for execution. Had a little common sense been exercised there would have been no trouble. They were told that Colonel Rankin was out of the city. The solicitor refused to wait and said, "No, let the law take its course." Then	tion. Eventually the commission adjourned until to-morrow, without reaching a decision. It is officially announced that the Czar's visit to Rome has been postponed, and it is said this action has been taken because of threatened Socialist demonstrations. CHICAGO MARKETS- Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, North wood Block, Chatham, Oct. 14, 1903. Wheat— OPEN. HIGH. LOW CLOSE Dec. 79½ 79½ 78½ 78½ 78½ 78½ Corn—Dec. 45½ 45½ 45½ 45½ 45½ 45½ 45½ 45½ 45½ 45½
	should be charged to make it libal. A very emin nt judge in England had said that libel was anything printed or written that reflected on the right of another. The plaintiff thought he was charged with a crime. Anything printed or published that reflected on a man's character was libellous. Was his character not something which he was entitled to protect? What had the young man done? On the 4th of July the written demand was served—was there anything improper about that? He waited from then till the 7th of July. He was	cussion by the newspaper. The action may or may not be degal but it is certainly within the right of any journalist to discuss the propriety of that act. Why this haste to have the building broken into? Why the hurry? The Colonel had issued his orders. However, the plaintiff went on. Then the meeting of officers appears to have followed that act. It was called to discuss the interference with pub-	Art Garland Rase Burners use least fuel and give most heat and are the most handsome stove made. Don't cost any more than inferior stoves. Geo. Stephens & Co. tf One of the highest eminences upon which we stand in life is to be able to look back upon a long life well
	not guilty of undue haste. Mr. Riddell had not contended that he didn't have the right. Before plaintiff could get the writ, he had to give bonds, as surety, for double the value of the	the discipline of the Regiment. Read the whole article to see how far the complaint of the plaintiff is	There may be plenty of room at the top, but some people prefer to get at

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Mrs. John Shaw, Head St., spent Saturday with her brother, Dr. Hanks, Blenheim Men wanted on Queen street pave-nent. The Warren Bituminous Pav-Wood for sale. Office Fifth street,

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Mrs. M. Woodlock, Gray St , has return Miss Green's Kindergarten visited the

home of the Friendless this morning and sang songs to the occupants. Lost —On Tuesday afternoon, a goll stick pin with topaz setting. Finder will be re-warded by leaving it at this office.

The papils of Miss Adel McLean will hold their 2nd assembly in Northwood's Hall, to-morrow evening (Thanksgiving), et 8.20.

Mrs. Jas. Dowsley, William St., has instructed And. Thomson, suctioneer, to sell all her household effects on Saturday, Oct. 17th, at 2.30 pm. Everything nearly new. A short service will be held in Christ Church to-morrow, Thanksgiving Day, at half past ten in the morning.

Wanted, at once, 25 women, com-fortable quarters, good wages, steady employment. Kent Canning Co.

The Great Pauline will give a free exhibition of his work in Tilt's 'Art Store window to-morrow from 10 a.m. to 7.30 p.m. Don't miss seeing it. A full attendance of the members of the William St. Baptist Church is asked for by the Advisory Board, on this evening at 8 o'clock.

Wanted, a good smart boy. Apply to A. A. Jordan, sign of the Big Clock. Lost, on Saturday, Oct. 10th,

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FIERCE FIGHTING IN THE STREETS OF ARMENTIERES.

The Strikers Barricaded All the Street Corners and Set Fire to a

Armentieres, Department du Nord, Oct. 15.—Strikers who pillaged linen stores stretched sheets of linen across the streets to prevent cavalry charges. The banks have also been attacked. All the houses are closed, and the inhabitants are in a state of terror.
There are a few troops here, but they are insufficient to maintain order.
The strikers barricaded all the corpors of the ctroudle. ners of the streets, and set fire to

ANOTHER TUG CAPTURED.

factory. The cavalry charged along the streets in spite of the obstructions, wounding a number of people.

The Petrel Catches American Poachers in Lake Erie.

Erie, Pa., Oct. 14 .- The fishing tug Star, commanded by Capt. Tabb of Erie, was captured by the Canadian cutter Petrel while fishing in Canadian waters off this port yesterday after noon. The boat and nets were confis-cated, and the tug towed to Port Stan-ley, where she will be held. The crew ley, where she will be held. The crew consisted of the captain, two deckhands, Geo. and Claude Mooney, and a negro cook. It is said that the capture was made without any opposition on the part of the American boat. Though feeling has been high over alleged grievance caused by the capture of other tugs, there is no indignation over the capture of the Star, as it is generally conceded by fishermen that she was in Canadian waters when in Canadian waters when

THE BRANTFORD MURDER. Mrs. Howe Recognizes the Bag She Gave Kennedy.

Brantford, Oct. 14.-No evidence of startling character was brought out yesterday at the preliminary examination of Jos. Kennedy, who is charged with the murder of Irene Cole, hearing was adjourned until Friday, hearing was adjourned until Friday, and it will probably be concluded then. The evidence to-day revealed nothing against the prisoner that did not come out at the inquest, except in connection with the chicken that Kennedy bought the day before the tragedy. Mrs. Howe, who sold him the chicken, stated at the inquest that Kennedy took it away in a bag which she had given him. To-day she was shown the bag which was found in the Willows after the inquest and positively recognized it as the same one. All the witnesses were closely examined by Mr. Livingston, who appeared for the prisoner, but their stories were not shaken.

SWALLOWED CARBOLIC ACID.

Cayuga Woman Thought to Have Tried to Commit Suicide.

Buffalo, Oct. 14.—A young woman giving her name as Jennie Krell, aged 24 years, and claiming Cayuga, Ont., as her home, was taken to the Emergency Hospital early this morning suffering from carbolic acid poisoning. The police of the Pearl street station allege that she swallowed the acid with suicidal intent. She was found unconscious in a room at the Broadway Hotel, where she formerly was employed. Early to day it was thought she could not survive. Later she was reported much better, but not out of danger.



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RTBELLION ALMOST DEAD Insurgents in Monastir Have Been · Routed.

Monastir, Oct. 14.—This district is settling down. The insurgents have been routed and practically annihilated in the Peristeri Mountains, though their stronghold is still the meeting place of what insurrectionists remain in the region. Shakalaroff, the insurgent leader, is still at large in the Kastoria district, but most of the peasants who accompanied him have surrendered. The Inspector-General, Hilmi Pasha, in concert with the mixed commission, is arranging to rebuild the homes, which were destroyed, out of Government funds.

Sofia, Oct. 13.—A band of seventy insurgents caught, near the frontier by Bulgarian troops, was sent to Sofia yesterday. The passage of bands across the frontier has become increasingly difficult, owing to the predautions of the Government and the increase in the number of frontier guards. place of what insurrectionists remain

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL.

announced that Lord Londonderry

Has Been Appointed to Position. London, Oct. 14-Lord Londonderry has been appointed Lord President of the Council, in succession to the Duke of Devonshire. It is understood that his Lordship will retain the port-folio of Education, and his new ap-pointment will thus make little practi-cal difference to his position in the Cabinet.

A LIBERAL LEADER.

Meeting of B.C. Members on Friday to Elect One.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 14-A meeting of the Liberal members will be held on Friday night to select a leader of the party. It has been called by Mr. Stuart Henderson, President of the Provincial Liberal Executive. The choice will lie between Messers. McInnes, Macdonald of Rossiand and Oliver of Delta, with chances in favor of Mr. Macdonald.

THE STAGE



"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players." -

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

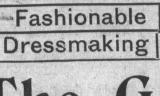
At the Chatham Grand:-Pauline & Co.—Oct. 12-19. Lyceum Course—Oct. 26. Sadie Martinot—Oct. 27. Firemen's Benefit—Oct. 29. Over Niagara Falls—Oct. 30.

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No critic can truthfully assail the literary merit or dramatic power of A. W. Pinero's much criticised drama, "The Second Mrs. Tanquersy," which Miss Sadie Martinot is soon to produce here. Its theme, however, has been attacked by purists, who hold that social problems should be barred from the stage. A double interest attaches to Miss Martinot's production. The play has never been account of the p duction. The play has never been produced here, and Miss Martinot's performance may be compared with that of Mrs. Patrick Campbell. At the Grand Opera House, Tuesday,

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Miss Alice Estabrook, of Tilbury Miss Alice Estabrook, of Tibury, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.
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Miss Annie Mosey, of Leamington, was the guest of Miss Alice Esta-

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er teacher, was in the village on Saturday and Sunday renewing old acquaintances. (
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He that loves a rosy check, Or a coral Hp admires, Or from starlight eyes doth seek Fuel to maintain his fires; As old Time makes these decay, So his flames must waste away.

But a smooth and steadfast mind, Gentle thoughts and calm desires, Hearts with equal love combined, Kindle never-dying fires; Where these are not, I deeplse, Lovely checks, or lips, or eyes.

TO THE POLE IN A BALLOON. English Aeronaut May Follow Ill-Fated Major Andre's Example.

The principal rival of M. Santos-Dumont in England is Mr. Percival Spencer, who belongs to a family of professional aeronauts, owning the principal balloon factory in Eng-

Months before the Brazilian had succeeded in flying any considerable distance or had escaped from the persistent ill-luck which attended his experiments, Mr. Spencer navigated his airship successfully right across London

Mr. Spencer made his first balloon ascent with his father in 1872, when

ascent with his father in 1872, when he was only eight years old. Since then he has navigated the upper air in all parts of the world, and has crossed the English Channel in a balloon four times.

Undaunted by the melancholy fate of Andre, Mr. Spencer seriously considers the possibility of reaching the North Pole by balloon. His idea is not the whole journey should be attempted by balloon, but that the latter should be attached to an expedition which would push on as fast toward the pole as possible, establish headquarters at the most northern point for the winter and then set off with the first wind blowing from the south in the following spring or summer.

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Such a balloon, in Mr. Spencer's judgment, should be of sufficient size to carry the weight of a complete sledging expedition of two men, with the necessary sledges, ammunition, food and victuals.

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With this load the balloon could set forth and the pole would, be reached, according to Mr. Spencer, in about thirty-five hours. The aeroset forth and the pole woulds be reached, according to Mr. Spencer, in about thirty-five hours. The aeronauts would then descend to the earth or ice and abandon their balloon, making the return journey on the sledges taken with them.

BECAME WEALTHY ON TIPS. Domestics in the Old Country Often Leave Large Fortunes

The case of William Couchman The case of william couchnan, Lord Ravenscourt's butler, who died recently, leaving a fortune of over £30,000, is by no means an excep-

tional one.

An old lady who died some time An old lady who died some time ago had been for many years house-keeper to a nobleman whose ancestral residence was rich in historical associations. As it was her privilege to pocket the fees paid by Americans and others for viewing the mansion, she speedily amassed a fortune of respectable proportions. When she died and her will was published it was found that she had left behind her a larger sum than her master, whose estate was heavily entailed.

Samuel Waugh, who died six weeks

estate was heavily entailed.

Samuel Waugh, who died six weeks ago at the age of 91, after having been butler in the service of the Clay family for 65 years, left £2,128.

Most domestics who died in comfortable circumstances, however, make their money after leaving service. As a rule, they save the commissions which they get from tradesmen and the "tips" which a ridiculous custom brings them—a head servant in one west end establishment made £700 in "tips" last year—and then take an hotel or a boarding house.

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There is a member of Parliament who was once a butler. Having saved some money, he borrowed more, and took an hotel at a rental of £1,200 a year. In 15 years, having made a large profit, he sold the establishment and retired — London Daily Mail.

Destructive Genius. One day a bulky, tall, pale-faced gentleman with bushy, restless eye-brows, entered a London tavern. The waiter did not ask him for his order, but immediately brought him a plate of bread and cheese and a glass of ale. Having consumed /his lunch, this guest sat upright in his chair for a while, leaning his hands on a heavy walking came and staring blankly at the opposite wall, as if in a dream. Of a sudden he gave a blankly at the opposite wall, as if in a dream. Of a sudden he gave a start. He seized the empty glass and dashed it to the floor with all his might, smashing it to atoms. He then reflected for a moment, laid a coin on the table, got up and left the inn without a word to any one. After his departure another guest had the curiosity to ask the waiter whether the gentleman who had just gone out was wrong in his head

gone out was wrong in his head. Quoth the waiter: Quoth the waiter:

"Oh, no, sir, that's nothink unusual with "im, sir. 'E's broke maybe a 'undred glasses since 'e's been acomin' to this 'ouse. 'E don't seem to know it when 'e does it. 'E just gets a-thinkin', and seems to git hangry at somethink 'e's thinkin' about. It's Lord Macaulay, sir."

Bigh Rents in London.

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the Robility of Life

There is no action so slight nor se mean but it-may be done to a great purpose, and ennobled therefor; nor is any purpose so great but that is any purpose so great but that slight actions may help it, and fray be so done to help it much, most sepecially that chief of all purposes—the pleasing of God. We treat God with irreverence by banishing him with irreverence by banishing him from our thoughts, not by referring to his will on slight occasions. His is not the infinite authority of intelligence which cannot be troubled with small things. There is nothing so small but that we may honer God by asking his guidance of it, or insult him by taking it into our own hands; and what is true of the Deity is equally true of his revelation. We use it most reverently when most habitually; our insolence is in everacting without reference to it; our true honoring of it is in its univeracting without reference to it; our true honoring of it is in its universal application. God appoints to yeary one of his creatures a separate mission; and if they discharge it honorably, if they quit themselves like men, and faithfully follow the light which is in them, withdrawing from it all cold and quenchless influence, there will assuredly come of it such turning as, according to its appoint. there will assuredly come of it such burning as, according to its appointed mode and measure, shall shine before men, and be of service, constant and holy. Degrees infinite of lustre there must always be, but the weakest among us has a gift, however seemingly trivial, which is peculiar to him, and which, worthily used, will be a gift, also, to is race for ever. Says George Herbert:

For all may have,

If they dare choose a glorious life or

-John Ruskin

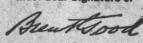
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CONNEMARA GYGLONE'S REINSTATEMENT

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His doting parents-of that far famed poor but honest variety—had named him Michael Ryan O'Sullivan. But an equally doting public during the few years he held its attention had christened him the "Connemara Cyclone." History-ring history-has it that it was "Black" Nolan, the sporting assemblyman from the Tenth, who first gave him the name. After that great fight with "Pug" Bresnahan, so runs the story, while Bresnahan's seconds were still trying to fan the breath of life back to him and "Black" Nolan close to the ring divided his time between watching this interesting operation and fingering a thick, green wad in his pudgy hand, the latter suddenly turned to the man beside him and said:
"Aisy meat was he. Tell the b'ys that

backed Terry Bresnahan they've got a wad o' thinks comin' to' em. Ut's a cyclone that lad is—a Connemara cy-clone." And the sporting fraternity, which is ever ready to take up any name, provided only it be neighboring to appropriateness, sanctioned the chris-

many another man, the Cyclone's success was but the pathway to his own undoing. In the two years succeeding his first great victory an enter-prising manager kept him almost con-tinually before the public. The Cyclone made money rapidly and spent it with an equal avidity. Numerous easy victories over opponents unworthy of his steel intoxicated him with success. He neglected his training, he gambled heavily; but, the worst of all, he discovered that whisky was a fine anti-

dote for the poison of gambling losses.

The end came rapidly after that. One night at the Pastime club a clever youngster brought two quick blows through the Cyclone's guard, and for the first time in his life he lay prone in the ring and was counted out. It was a mercy the blows had been heavy enough to render him completely un-conscious and spare him the humiliation of the jeers and hisses and cat-calls of his backers—the catastrophe came in the second round, and they had

given odds of 5 to 2 on him.

The defeat had the effect of sobering him into a realization of his condition For a time he left whisky to its own devices and took up training with ex-emplary thoroughness. But his dissipation and the sting of defeat seemed to have unnerved him. All his encounters of the next year were calamitous to nim and left his manager financially involved. It was then they parted comany in a huff and the Cyclone decided to quit the ring.

His next venture was in the theat-rical line. The proprietor of a cheap variety house made him an offer of a omfortable sum per week to appear in a twenty minûte monologue. In this he was successful for a time, and night after night the house was crowded with men who, although they knew him as a "has been," remembered his palmier days. He went from city to city, appearing in faultless evening clothes and huge paste diamonds and with prudence might have laid by a snug sum out of his earnings. But with



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this new success the gambling began again, and with the gambling the whisky, and with the gambing the whis-ky, and with the whisky the mono-logue grew rather hazy, the articula-tion thick, the gesture vague. One night in a western city the curtain was rung down just in time, for before he could stagger to the wings he collapsed in a miserable heap.

It went from bad to worse after that

until Michael Ryan O'Sullivan became mmon barroom loafer.

a common barroom loafer.

It was one dark April night that the doors of Casey's saloon swung open, and with much scuffling and profanity the erstwhile Connemara Cyclone was pitched unceremoniously on to the sidewalk. A few moments later he rose painfully to his feet and made his lurching way does the door of the sidewalk. lurching way down the street to fall into a convenient doorway. He drew himself up as best he could on the stone steps and soon was snoring lus-

It was gray morning when he awoke and got unsteadily to his feet. He pushed out his dilapidated derby, brushed his clothes and buttoned his frayed coat about him. As he did so he became aware of a bundle on the steps beside him, a bundle swathed in a blanbeside him, a bundle swathed in a blan-ket, and even as he looked a feeble wall came from beneath its folds. He stooped and loosened the blanket, and

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"Good heavens," he said, standing erect and rubbing his head, "it's a kid!" His first wild impulse was to run; then as the wail grew more plaintive he felt a strange tightening at his

"Poor devil," he mused, "it's hungry." He gathered the bundle in his arms and went out. He had a vague idea of giving it to a policeman, but as he went down the street and the wails gradually ceased a strange desire seized him, a desire to keep this child. There was his sister, Mrs. MacInness; he might take it to her. She was a good soul, was Nora. He sought the nearest drug store and looked up the address of the MacInnesses in the directory. Then, with the child in his arms, he trudged the two weary miles to their home. Nora met him at the door, and his heart sank.

"Well," she said, "an' what does this mean—the loikes o' you comin' here, Mike O'Sullivan? Are ye hungry or what hev ye in the boondle?"

what hev ye in the boondle?"

Just then there was a wail from the blanket, and she snatched it from him. He followed her into the house and watched with hungry eyes as she deftly slid off the swathings of the child. "Oh, the da-arlin', the da-arlin'!" she cried. "An' when was, ye married, Mike?"

"I want you to be good to it for a bit, Nora," he said and turned on his heel.

The sporting fraternity will tell you that a pugilist, however "corky," seldom regains his lost prestige, will also offer many absurd theories in the case of the Connemara Cyclone. But if you want to learn the real rea-son of that worthy's late success in the ring go up to the MacInness flat any Sunday afternoon and see a sleek, cur-ly haired baby pulling his huge watch chain and chewing his paste diamonds. And, although it is not currently known, a large portion of his ring earnings are banked in the name of Nora O'Sullivan.

An East Indian Legend.

According to a tradition of one of the tribes of India the sun created a man and a woman at the beginning of time, and this couple had twelve chil dren. When they had all come to an age to shift for themselves the sun divided them into pairs and placed food of all kinds before them. On their choice depended the fate of their de scendants. Those who took vegetables only became the ancestors of the highest caste of all, the Brahmans, while the Santals, the lowest of all castes, spring from those who chose pigs. The Kols declare that they are descended from those who took bullocks' flesh and to the sustaining power of the food of their choice the Larka, or fighting Kols, attribute their strength and fine physique. When these letter, at the eginning of the last century, first met English troops they were quickly impressed with the fighting powers of he strangers, and, finding that they, oo, ate bullocks flesh, the Kols paid them the great compliment of assigning them the same pair of ancestors as the Kols. But by the time eleven, pairs had chosen their share of the food provided there was nothing left for the unfortunate twelfth couple, and they had to beg food from the others who had fared better. From this unlucky pair spring the Ghasis, who do not work, but support themselves on the

charity and leavings of others How He Stopped the Bray. "I was on a gunning trip with some friends of mine," said a New York man, "and in a field close to the house man, and in a heid close to the house where we slept a jackass pastured. This jackass Kept us awake with his braying a good part of the night. My friends, do what they would, could not

put a stop to his noise.
"I happened to know a good deal about jackasses, so I said to my

"'I bet you \$50 that I can stop this They took the bet, and that evening

treated the jackass for a minute or wo. The result was that all night long he was as silent as the grave.
"My friends in the morning paid me what was due, and they examined the animal. They found a heavy stone tied to his tail. That was all.

"They could not understand why this ould have kept him from braying, so had to explain the reason to them I had to explain the reason to them. Do you know the reason? No? Well, it was this: A jackass to bray has to have his tall elevated till it is level with his backbone. As long as it hangs down he can make no sound. My heavy stone therefore served the purpose of a first class gag."-New York

A Poor Nose For News The proprietor of a newspaper in a large city not far from New York called at the office of one of the New York evening newspapers with his son, a young man just out of college, and made the request that the editors take him on the staff and make a good newspaper man of him. The young man wore a corduroy vest, and ap-peared hopeful. He was sent off one morning to a nearby New Jersey town to investigate a report that a province to investigate a report that a prominent citizen was missing from his home. The day wore on and nothing was heard from the young man. The news-paper went to press without mention of the prominent citizen. Finally, an hour or more later, the young man strolled in, looking cool and contented, as though he had done a good day's

work. "Well, what about it? Where have you been?" asked the city editor.
"I found that the man wasn't miss-

ing, after all," replied the young man.
"Why didn't you send anything?"
"The report that he was missing was untrue. I went to the door and a servant answered the bell and told me that he had committed suicide."-New York



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In a Land of Plenty.

Two features are specially characteristic of the City of Hamilton. It is the centre of a district such as a Biblical writer would describe as flowing with milk and honey. To speak of Hamilton is to recall scenes of plenty. The farm produce that seeks a market there is famous for its abundance and quality. The fruit farms that surround the city are overburdened with their luscious crops If Hamilton were described as cornucopia of Canada it would more than the language of sobriety

and truth.

While the cultivation of the land in While the cultivation of the land in the vicinity is carried to this high point of excellence, and the city is a great market for all things harvested by the tiller of the soil, the most striking feasure of Hamilton is its industrial development. Manufacturing takes root there, flourishes, and bears abundant fruits. Hamilton is a great industrial centre. Its factors a great industrial centre. Its fact ies are kept up-to-date and energetic ally operated. Their products com Their products comally operated. Their products com-pete successfully in many markets at home and abroad. Thus, with its ingathering of the harvets, and its output of the factories. Hamilton contributes its share, and a large one ti is, to the nation's prosperity and the nation's wealth. On this strong and enduring foundation is built the city which in sportive mood recently entertained its guests as few cities are able to do.

Mamilton's First Visitors.

If one would trace this stream of city life back to its sources he would pass through many interesting phases of its history and recall many stirring scenes. As a city Hamilton is now fifty-six years of age, which is now fifty-six years of age, which is no slight achievement in this land of newness. But long before the possibility of a metropolitan career dawned upon Hamilton the site was given an historic interest. Here it was that the intrepid La Salle, the explorer of the Mississippi, stood 284 years ago. La Salle and the small band of Frenchmen, who set out from Montreal in July, 1669, when Charles. II, was still enjoying his riotous reign, were the first white men to set foot on the spot where Hamilton now stands. There is a tradition that La Salle landed near the site now occupied by the Grand As a city Hamilton the site now occupied by the Grand Trunk station, and that his camp, at first located near by, was shortly afterwards moved across the bay to Oaklands. Of this, however, there are no records, so that the tradition remains only a tradition. La Salle must have been satisfied with the result of his venture, for he returned forthwith to the East. For a century thereafter no white man saw Burlington Bay, or set foot on its shores.

Robert Land, First Settler.

Among the U. E. Loyalists who found conditions no longer tolerable when the thirteen colonies revolted was Robert Land, a farmer, living in the Delaware Valley. The story of his flight after his home and, as he supposed, his family had been destroyed is full of romance. How he tramped his weary way to British soil and sought to forget his sorrows and wrongs by carving out a home for himself in the dense forest has been many times told. And how his wife and sons, who had escaped, followed him, and were reunited with him, has also been narrated with all fowed him, and were reunited with him, has also been narrated with all the details that are necessary to give life and color to the picture. It is a pleasing story, and so we can af-ford to believe it all. The site of the ford to believe it all. The site of the old Land homestead, at the corner of Leeming and Barton streets, is still well known. The family were the pioneers of the city and of Wentworth County. It is not surprising that they considered their home an earthly paradise, and that soon after they had become comfortably settled many others were attracted to the charming neighborhood.

Very of Development.

since then is within the recollection of many now living. The conditions that gave the city its first impetus have been modified by the change in the methods of transportation. But the great fertility of the district, the numerous manufacturing enterprises, electrical power and radial railways have amply ensured the prosperity of Hamilton. It is now a very beautiful, as well as a busy city, lacking in none of the improvements that make city life attractive, and enjoying the confidence of all who are joying the confidence of all who are in any way interested in its future.

AN UNKNOWN LAND.

Enewledge of Labrador's Interior May

Selve Problems. While the explorers are trying to reach the poles and to search into the far corners of the earth, there remains a wilderness practically untouched near home, in the heart of Labrador. This country lies along the George River— an unmapped stream rising near the sources of the Hamilton River, and flowing north into Angora Bay. Only one white man, John McLean, of the Hudson's Bay Company. has ever been there. Bay Company, has ever been there. He ascended the George about 60 years ago. He said the ascent of the Gorge River was the hardest years ago. He said the hardest the Gorge River was the hardest task of his life, and describes the Indians as living in absolutely prim-itive conditions. Among other itive conditions. Among other things they kill their old people. McLean tried to establish posts, but these were abandoned.
Since McLean's journey many pe

ple have tried to reach this untouched country, but none have succeeded.

This is the only country where the Indian can be seen untouched by civilization. This whole region is practically unmapped as yet. A knowledge of the geological conditions in terior Labrador will be likely to help greatly in the solution of many problems. There are animals, it is said, of this wild land, too, unknown anywhere else in the globe. For all these reasons Leonidas Hubbard jr.'s, expedition this summer, under jr.'s, expedition this summer, under the auspices of Outing, will be watched with great interest. Mr. Hubbard left Regolette, on the Ham-ilton Inlet. arrly in Inlet. ilton Inlet, early in July. He took a Cree Indian from Rupert's House and one white companion, believing that a small party can live off the country better than a large one, and, for try better than a large one, and, lore-seeing a more harmonious enduring of the privations and dangers of the journey. It is perhaps one of the most sensible and practically important expeditions in some years

Immense Canadian Coal Area.

The people of Canada have no conception of the value of the property the Dominion Coal Company have out there," said Dr. Druc have out there," said Dr. Druce Riordan of Toronto, whe has just returned from a trip to Sydney, Cape Breton. "The area of coal land extends for a distance of forty-five miles from Sydney to Louisburg. Five collieries are now working, rais-ing 11,000 tons of coal a day. The general sales agent, Mr. Dick, told me they could easily sail for tire me they could easily sell four times the quantity of coal they are now raising. They cannot keep up with their orders. The coal area owned their orders. The coal area owned by the company is so extensive that other shafts and collieries can be put in to meet any future demand. The amount of coal is conceded by examount of coal is conceded by ex-perts to be so enormous that in 100

perts to be so enormous that in 100 years, even if the output is ten times what it is now, the supply will not be exhausted. Excellent, up-to-date machinery is in use, and the way they handle the product is perfect, while their shipping facilities are most modern."

Dr. Riordan said that the miners are principally Nova Scotians, born in the country. There is no foreign clement there. Dr. Kendall, who represents Sydney in the Dominion Parliament, told him that many of the miners have savings bank acthe miners have savings bank accounts from \$2,000 to \$5,000 each.

Many of the miners make \$160 a month. The two Sydneys, as they are called in Cape Breton, show every explained of the miners make \$160 a month. ery evidence of prosperity

assemble the products which g make steel and iron cheaper than any other place in the world.

Ontario Christian Endeavorers The 1903 Convention of the Ontaro Christian Endeavor Union will asio Christian Endeavor Union will assemble in Stratford, the Classic city, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1. The convention of 1900 was held in Guelph and not since that time has the convention been held in Western Ontario and a great deal of interest is centered with this meeting. Father Endeavorer Clark, the man that Canada gave to Christian Endeavor, is expected to be present, as is also the new general secretary, Von Ogden Vogt, and these men coming as they do direct from the firing line and with new enthusiasm gained at the do direct from the firing line and with new enthusiasm gained at the great Denver International, the convention promises to be very inspiring and helpful to all who may attend. Reduced rates have been secured on the convention plan and tickets will be good to go on Sept. 25th and return Oct. 5th, and if 300 or more attend (which is more than likely) the rates will be single fare for the round trip from all Ontario points to Stratford.

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WEED REMEDIES. How to Use Wayside Growths to Cure

Many of the plants that are popu larly known to-day as "just common weeds" were treasured by the ancients, and even so recently as "grand-mother's day," for their medicinal properties, says a Canadian herbalist In fact, our grandparents believed implicitly that in every locality might be found the last that the last the implicitly that in every locality might be found the plants that would prove effective for the diseases of that country. The people of to-day are slowly awakening to a realization of the value of these inexpensive home remedies, many of which are sold by druggists under a different name.

There is a frequent demand for remedy for catarrh in the head. Much relief may be obtained by using a nasal douche, twice a day, of warm water with a little salt and swee milk added. Afterward snuff pure olive oil into the nostrils. The douche cleanses and the olive off heals, which may prove effective in some cases, but a "weed remedy" has proved more effective. A bad case of catarrn nas been cured by smoking mullein leaves. The smoke must be forced through the nostrils; it has a tendency to heal and dry those passages leading to the lungs. Mullein is a plant that grows wild in many states and resembles tobacco leaf in color, shape growth.

best of salve can be made from the mullein blossoms. blossoms are gathered and put into a bottle and hung in the sun they will in time become oil, which is very healing. They may be fried in fresh butter and the liquid strained into

boxes ready for use when cold.

"May butter is best to use for salves," said an elderly lady. No doubt some readers may think this is superstition, but after much thought will agree with her. In May pastures are generally of clover pastures are generally of clover dandelion, etc., and these are said contain excellent medical proper ties. Clover tea and salve made from the clover blossoms is said to be an effective cancer cure.

Old Hay Best for Horses. A correspondent puts the oft-repeated query, "Why is it that all
veterinarians advise the feeding of
old hay in preference to new, and
trainers of race horses and fitters of
high-class carriage horses invariably
use old hay till they are forced to
use the new?" This question has
been answered many times, but apparently there are always many men
who desire to have the reply made
all over again. Old hay is preferable for the reason that it has entirely passed through the process of
sweating or fermentation. This rendsweating or fermentation. it much less liable to cause digestive disorders in the equine sub-ject. Again, many different sorts of insects lay their eggs on the stems of the grasses which enter into the of the grasses which enter into the composition of hay. These remain on the stems when the grass is cut down and the process of curing does not destroy their vitality. Hence when new hay is fed, these eggs, replete with life, are taken into the horse's stomach and there hatch out, causing much trouble. Then, in all new hay there is much more water than in old hay and as the results. new hay there is much more water than in old hay, and as the nourishment comes from the dry matter, a lesser quantity of the old hay does the same work of nutrition, and the old is, for that additional reason, to be preferred. Those are the main reasons for the preference of all good horsemen for old hay.—Chicago Drov-ers' Journal.

Lifetuoy Soap—disinfectant—is strongly ecommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases.

There are two things in which we should thoroughly train ourselves — to be slow in taking offence and slower in givin git.

THE LATEST AND BEST

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The gradual growth of the set the gradual growth of the set the written. The trend of trade was in that direction. For a long time navigation ended at Burlington Buach, and thence freight was hauled by wagon routes to the interior. Then came the Burlington Canal, which was opened in 1832 and carried navigation forward to the present site of the city. At this time Hamilton was without a rival. Immigration flowed in its direction. By the construction of the Desiardins Canal, Dundas was established, and enjoyed a promising shipping business, which was subsequently diverted from it by the Western Railway. When the cite of Hamilton was without a rivy-one foundies, including the first settle. Nearly half a century later, 1940, the city was incorporated with a population of less than seven thousand.

How it has grown and developed

MODES OF THE MOMENT.

ome Smart Black and White Effects.

The Short Skirt.

Many women look their smartest in black, which is of course always useful, but navy blue runs it very close in popularity. A charming blue alpaca skirt seen recently was made with five flounces, just clearing the ground, with a smart little bolero fastening into the waist by a broad satin band. This d a collar of Irish crochet decorated with black applique, and the sleeves were loose and open. This was ed with a spotted black and white foulard and was worn with a foulard

blouse and a toreador toque of black straw trimmed with a black and white

The short skirt with box plaits is practical and becoming. The plaits look their best coming from a small shaped hip piece, which keeps the hips plain while the fullness is allowed to spring out around the feet.

Deep purple hats are smart with linen costumes, and especially so when worn with purple petticoat and stockings and a purple sunshade.

Very full elbow sleeves are seen on lace evening dresses. The illustration shows a gown of silk mull having a fichu effect and a large chiffon rosette.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

WHAT IS WORN.

Smart Wraps Both In White and Colors-Walking Skirts. A smart evening dress seen recently was of rose pink taffeta cut princess with a high sash belt of point d'alen con, which lace also fell in points on the low decolletage. The sleeve cor sisted of a tiny puff at the top of rose chiffon. This chiffon also formed innumerable frills right up the trained

skirt to the knees.

The popularity of the sack coat nev. wanes. There is no more becoming garment for mountain wear, and in fact for outing wear generally.

Many walking skirts are made in checks and plaids, and most of these have a little short bolero to match.



Red and white and green and gray are considered the smartest, but of course they can only be worn by women with elight figures.

Skirts are more gauged than ever, and the smarter ones are cut all in one piece with a fullness around the feet sometimes measuring ten yards. They are pretty in musius and other supple

The white wrap is a very modish thing and ranges from the little sack coat to the elaborate half length sack of white lace on a foundation of white

of white lace on a foundation of white satin or taffeta.

A beautiful evening gown is of yellow chiffon over yellow satin, the chiffon, embroidered with gold pallettes, running in long lines from walst to hem. Pale pink resea and clusters of forgetmenots are worked on the skirt in satin ribbon embroidery, and on the low bodies there are little hanging garlands of ribbon forgetmenots. A large black hat, with a white ostrich feather under the brim, is worn with this lovely frock.

this lovely frock. The cut shows a smart automobile coat of deep red.

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BRITISH PRESS CRITICISMS. Lord Rosebery's Speech-Mr. Asquith at Fife.

London, Oct. 14—The Standard agrees with Lord Rosebery that the preferential policy should have been launched only after mature independent inquiry and careful consultation with even the modified monopoly which the colonial markets enjoyed under the old preferential system is no longer feasible. There would be danger of an up-heaval by the British working classes if they felt they were unfairly taxed to benefit Canadian wheat-growers and Australian sheep farmers.

The Express says Ritchie's fear that the United States would punish Canada the United States would punish Canada if a preferential system is adopted is too tame a plea. Discussing Rosebery's speech it says: "If Chamberlain's proposed reforms are carried, Lord Rosebery has a lugubrious vision of not only the United States, Russua and Germany being annoyed, but of the unfortunate empire being plunged into a battle compared with which Armageddon would be a jest.

Mr. Brassey, the Conservative candidate for Rye, who has just returned from Canada, told his constituents that he found in the northwest \$25,000,000 acres of land suitable for wheat-growing of which only 3,000,000 are now,

acres of land suitable for wheat growing of which only 3,000,000 are nowing are nowing at the united Kingdom.

The London Daily Mail says Rosebery has no idea of the rapid strides that foreign competitors have made under protection. It is certain that protection is not a curse, since it has not prevented foreign countries from achieving far greater progress than Britain. The Americanization of Canada can be prevented if the Canadian farmer obtained two shillings a quarter more for his wheat. Premier Ross of Ontario had said that if the Chamberlain policy had been enforced during the last twenty years the Canadian population would be 20,000,000 or more.

Mr. Asquith, addressing a Liberal

SACRED HEART MUST PAY. Miss Archer's Verdict Stands for Five Thousand Dollars.

Toronto, Oct. 14-Chancellor Boyd gave judgment yesterday in the case of Miss Archer against the Sacred

Jesus.—Judgment (E.B.B.) in action tried with a judget at London. Action by May Archer against the society, the Mount Hope Institute, and Elizabeth Sheridan cover the value of her services to the society, of which she was a member, as cook and servant, and to recover damages for false imprisonment as a lunatic, expulsion from the society and sending false reports to the head offices of the society. Defendants pleaded, among other defences, the payment to plaintiff of \$300 and a release from her of all causes of action, the statute of frauds and the statute of limitations. The jury found a verdict for plaintiff or \$3,000 as compensation for services and \$5,000 for dismissal. Held, that the court should not uphold the release on the ground that plaintiff retains the \$300 and does not offer to repay it. Upon all the circumstances the jury have found the release not binding on plaintiff, and to the charge on this head there was no objection. The signing of that release the jury have in effect found to be improvident, and made at a time, when plaintiff was without any advice or protection, and the release form vows was in this case forwarded from Paris to be acted on by the Lady Superior at London, Ontario, according to her discretion. There was a cause of action within this Prov. on by the Lady Superior at London, Ontario, according to her discretion. There was a cause of action within this Province when that discretion was exercised adversely to plaintiff at Montreal. The defendants' Mount Hope Institute are not implicated in this transaction, and as against them the action should be dismissed with costs. Judgment for plaintiff for \$5,000 against the other defendants with costs of so much of the action as relates to the claim for dismissal. As to the other issues judgment is to be entered for defendants with so much of the costs of the action as are applicable thereto. Costs of all defendants to be set off against plaintiff's judgment and costs. The costs of the unexecuted commission to be given to neither party. P. Betts (London) for plaintiff. J. Mages, K.C., for defendants.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES. Ament's planing mill at Brussels was estroyed by fire.

The King and Queen of Italy will arrive at Paris to-day.

Mr. Fred B. Hopkins of Port Colborn was found dead in bed.

No decision was reached at the second secret session of the Alaska tribunal. Interviews with Toronto merchants go to show that the consumer pays the sur-tax on imports from Germany.

The first trial of United States.postal officials in connection with the recent scandals was commenced at Cincinnati. United States engineers have decided to blow up the steamer Glidden, now slocking the St. Clair Canal, with dyna-

Dr. J. F. Jolley of Port Dover and Miss Maud Smith have been arrested for deserting Miss Smith's infant child at

headquarters were opened last night, with a very well attended and pleasant social

Mr. R. J. Mackie of Oshawa has been appointed license inspector for the license district of South Ontario, in place of Mr. John Ferguson, resigned. Mr. William Purvis of Columbus has been appointed as a member of the Board of License Commissioners for South Ontario in place of Mr. R. J. Mackie.

FLOODS il Lad ANU.

THE SITUATION IS HOURLY BECOMING MORE SERIOUS.

The Rivers in Flood-Many Bridges Destroyed and Acres of Grain Under Water.

London, Oct. 14.-The rain and flood situation in England shows the outlook becoming hourly more serious. There has been abatement of the downpour in London, but the total rainfall is rapidly approaching a point equal to Office was established in 1866. Rivers are high everywhere and in many places have broken their bounds. Railway traffic has been interfered with and great inconvenience has been caused in several towns by inundations. Acres of grain are under water in Yorkshire and reports of general floods come from the north of England.

ST. JOHN'S PROTEST. Hon. A. G. Blair and Colonel Tucker Ignored.

St. John, N.B., Oct. 14.-The City Council yesterday at a special meeting unanimously adopted resolutions strongly protesting against any varia-Steamship Co., and requesting the Minister of Trade and Commerce not to permit any change until the Council was put in possession of all the facts and given a chance to be heard. These resolutions were telegraphed to Sir Richard Cartwright, and the first one also to Geo. W. Fowler, M.P. for

shillings a quarter more for his wheat. Premier Ross of Ontario had said that if the Chamberlain policy had been enforced during the last twenty years the Canadian population would be 20,000,000 or more.

Mr. Asquith, addressing a Liberal meeting at Fife, said the greatest calamity that could happen to Britain and the vast fabric of Imperial possessions would be that it should be self-contained.

The Morning Post says Rosebery's speech leaves the impression that he is still open to the conviction by business men here and in the colonies in favor of Chamberlain's scheme.

The News says we do not believe that the Cabinet or the public are really concerned in the Canadian preference at all. Beyond the phantom army arise the very substantial figures of the landlord craving his higher protected rent, and the first one division to Geo. W. Fowler, M.P., for King's county.

A remarkable fact is that the Council did not decide to send copies of the message to Hon. A. G. Blair and Col. Tucker, M.P., the St. John representives in Parliament, it is thought this was not intentionally overlooked by the Aldermen, but the fact rewere not considered, while it was decided to send a copy of the resolution to Mr. Fowler.

THREE MONTHS' TRADE.

Ottawa, Oct. 14—Canada's foreign trade has started magnificently on its career of expansion for the fiscal year 1903-4. The aggregate value for the quarter ending Sentember 30 reached a

quarter ending September 30 reached a total of \$133,758,124, which was \$21,-506,588 more than for the same period last year. The total imports for consumption were \$66,895,837, and the exports of domestic produce were \$61,479,884, as against \$51,505,768 of imports of domestic produce were \$61,479,884, as against \$51,505,768 of imports and \$57,493,585 of exports in the same period last year. The dutiable goods imported totalled \$39,579,910, an increase of \$6,499,382. The imports of free goods reached \$24,940,898, a gain of \$7,226,986. Exports of agricultural products show an increase of \$2,517,499, and mineral products an increase of \$1,692,793. There was a falling-off of \$1,393,770 in exports of forest products, while animals and their produce reveal an improvement of \$760,397, and manufactures of \$535,168. The following is factures of \$535,168. The following is

Domestic exports. 1902. The mines ..., \$ 9,882,576 \$ 11,515,389
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produce 21,063,541 Agriculture . . . 5,631,452 Manufactures . . 4,332,148

Total\$57,493,585 \$61,479,884

"SOO" FURTHER TIED UP.

Continued.

Toronto, Oct. 14. - "It may cost a million dollars if we are kept out of possession," was an argu ment used by counsel for the Cen tral Trust Co. of New York and Speyer yesterday during the hearing of the applications for the injunctions regarding the possession of the Soo properties. The counsel for the United States syndicate, Charles Ritchie, K.C., and James Bicknell, K. Ritchie, K.C., and James Bicknell, K.C., urged that opposition to them really did not exist because they were the virtual owners of all the plants and the stock of the subsidiary companies at the Soo, and that the funds, which were being employed to fight their legal action, really belonged to them. The four injunctions of the Speyer syndicate, restraining the Lake Superior Consolidated Company, and the subsidiary companies, from dealing with the properties, even to the extent of receiving amounts on book accounts, were continued. Upon the injunction preventing the Speyer syndicate from taking any further proceedings in the actions now pending in the district Court of Algoma his Lordship reserved judgment.

Mr. Chamberlain III.

London, Oct. 14-Joseph Chamber lain is confined to his bed at Highbury, his residence at Birmingham, by a sharp attack of his old enemy, gout, He hopes, however, to have sufficiently recovered to keep his Newcastle en-gagement Oct. 20.

BASEBALL. BOSTON'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP.

COX DID WAIT.

The Senator's Reply to the Ex-Minister of Railways,

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—Senator Cox, in

the Senate last night quoted the expression used by Mr. Blair during the debate in the House, when he ascribed the Government's haste to the fact that "Senator Cox cannot wait." This statement, Mr. Cox went on to say, may be taken in itself to mean anything or nothing. "I have not the slightest ex-Minister intended to convey to the public by making use of such a statement. Whatever his intention was, it certainly has been used by other members of the House of Commons, and by a section of the press, as a justification for the making of the most un-truthful and dishonorable attacks upon the Government and myself. Nottion for the making of the most untruthful and dishonorable attacks upon the Government and myself. Notwithstanding the statement that 'Cox can't wait,' I have been patiently waiting for the simple justice that one gentleman has a right to expect from another. I have been waiting for the ex-Minister either to apologize and remove the false impression that his words have conveyed to the public, or else to do me the justice to explain to the country and myself what he meant by using my name in the way he did. In the meantime, in the absence of such apology or explanation, I desire to say to this honorable House that the implied charge of improper conduct upon my part, or of any undue influence, or my attempt at undue influence with the Government or any member of it, is absolutely and entirely false. There is no foundation whatever in fact for such a slanderous statement. The futile attempts that have been made in certain directions to use the remarks of the hon. ex-Min ister for the purpose of injuring my financial standing are as amusing as they are absurd, as harmless as they are untruthful, and as unworthy of notice as the source from which they emanate. The population of this country is to-day less than six millions of people. If I should ask the leader of the Opposition in the Senate, why it is not by this time over twelve millions, after the bold, able and progressive legislation of the Government led by the late Sir John Macdonald, and of which he was himself a distinguished member, and which gave to this country spent at least ten years during the conception and construction and the earlier unprofitable years of operation of that great national enterprise in doing all they could to defeat the Government to

construction and the earlier unprofitable years of operation of that great national enterprise in doing all they could to defeat the Government, to embarrass the company and discredit the country. In their efforts to discredit the country they succeeded all too well, and greatly retarded its progress.

credit the country they succeeded all too well, and greatly retarded its progress.

The lamentable mistake made by some of the Liberal party of that day is being enacted by the Conservative party of to-day. It will keep them, as it kept the Liberals, eighteen years longer in the cold shades of Opposition. The petitions now being presented in opposition to this important measure remind one of the petitions and indignation meetings that used to be held in opposition to the C. P. R.

This country wants and will have the second great transcontinental highway, with its terminals at Port Simpson Quebec, St. John and Halifax, and with its steamship fleets on both the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. It wants the G. T. R., the pioneer company of Canada, to extend its magnificent system of over 4,000 miles, now rendering such splendid service to eastern Canada, to the teeming wheat fields and to the as yet uncultivated millions of acres of fertile lands and to the undeveloped resources of northern and western Canada. This will mean a very large increase to the wealth, to the population and to the prosperity of this country. It will mean an opportunity for our hanking, insurance and financial institutions, our farmers, laborers, manufacturers, merchants and artisans to participate in the great orers, manufacturers, merchants and artisans to participate in the great prosperity that this will bring to the country. No Government would be justified in delaying prompt action, no Opposition will be justified in obstruction, the country this them. ing this, the most important onwar movement in the history of our cour

NOT WANTED IN U. S.

English Glass Blowers Not Allowe to Enter the Country.

Syracuse, N.Y., Oct. 14.-A specia to The Herald from Malone, N. Y. says :- United States Commissioner o Immigration Robert Watchorn, sta tioned at Montreal, has denied admis sion to the United States to twelve glass-blowers held here, and has reglass-blowers held here, and has recommended that they be taken to New
York and deported to England. Unless the department at Washington de
cides otherwise this course will be
pursued. These men, who are from
England, were on their way to the
Steuben Glass Works in Corming, N.
Y., to go to work. They were accompanied by Joseph Onions of Corning
who met them in Montreal.

THREE BISHOPS ELECTED. Horn, Breyfogel and Bowman th Man Chosen.

Berlin, Ont., Oct. 14-The quad rennial election of the various officers in connection with the General Conference of the Evangelical Associa-tion took place here yesterday. All of the accredited delegates to the Conference were in their places when the roll was called, and keen interest was taken in the proceedings of the day. A large audience was also in attendance was the presiding officer. Beerfoge was the presiding officer. C. Breyfoge was the presiding officer with the election of Bishops. Fermerly four were elected, but the Conference a few day ago reduced the number to three. The vote resulted in the re-election of the three retiring Bishops, as follows: Whom, 78; S. C. Breyfogel, 29; T. Bow man, 53. Among the other candidate were Revs. S. P. Spreng, with 29 votes G. Heinmiller, 25; S. T. Umbach. 17 Prof. Kiekhoeffer, 14; W. H. Bucks, 3 and Revs. J. C. Brendle, R. Necklich, C. the Conference were in their places wh

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Class IV.—Etta Pugh, Alvan
French, Beulah Agar, Edith Kennedy, Lilian Duncan.
Class III., Sr.—Elmer French, Jas.
Pratt, Arlie Arnold, Davie Forsyth.
Class III., Jr.—Jessie French, Irene
Holmes, Stella Weaver, Mary McRobb.
Class II., Pragin Chimales. Class II.—Bessie Chinnick, Beatri

Class II.—Bessie Chinnick, Beatrice French, Geo. Abraham, Edna French, Jessie Brown, Retta Kennedy. Pt. II. Class—Bertha French, Jean Macdonald, Maggie Chinnick, Stan-ley Weaver, Carl Blackburn. Class Pt. I., Sr.—Clarence Holmes, Robert Kennedy.

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