

Sunday in London

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

ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. 11 a.m., subject, "The Holy Ghost, the Church and Revival"; 7 p.m., Rev. S. J. Allen will preach. Sabbath School and Bible Classes, 8 p.m. All are welcome.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. George Jackson, pastor. Morning and evening services conducted by the Rev. S. R. McVitty, of Delaware. Strangers welcome.

HALLMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. John Anderson, Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. A. K. Birks, B.A., pastor. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. B. Snell, of Melbourne. A cordial welcome will be extended to all.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. Dr. Saunders, will preach. Morning subject, "God Known in the Palace"; evening, "The Best Typewriter." Sacrament after morning service. Morning—Anthem, "Te Deum" (Dykes); quartet, "Christian, the Morn" (Shelley). Evening—Chorus, "For Thee O Dear, Dear Country," and "Thine is the Kingdom," from Gault's "Holy City"; solo and chorus, "Sanctus" (Gault); quartet, "I'm a Pilgrim" (Marston).

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. T. E. Harrison, pastor. 11 a.m., Rev. S. J. Allen, Hamilton Road; 7 p.m., subject, "The Spirit of Power." Sabbath school, 2:30. All welcome.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. E. Clarence Oakley, pastor. Morning, "A Great Gift Fixed"; evening, "A Midnight Conversion."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Rev. Geo. P. Salton, Ph.D., pastor. Centenary Church, Hamilton, will preach at both services. Morning—Anthem, "And the Glory of the Lord" (Pattison); solo, "Heaven is My Home" (Saurage). Evening—Anthem, "How Long Wilt Thou Forget Me?" (Mauder); solo, "The Coming of the King" (Rockwell); quartet, "The Pearly Gate" (Smith).

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. of Vanneck; 7 p.m., the pastor; 3 p.m., Sabbath School and Society for Bible Study, conducted by Mr. F. W. Merchant, M.A.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH—"Harvest Home" service. Morning, Rev. T. E. Harrison; evening, Rev. J. W. Hodge. Devonshire Tea, Monday evening.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—South London—Service as usual, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor, Rev. J. G. Stuart, will preach at both services. Pastor's Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 p.m.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor. Morning, "Assurance of Salvation." Evening, beginning of a new course. Strangers welcome.

MEMORIAL CHURCH, CORNER OF QUEEN'S AND WILLIAM—Re-opening services in the church. Divine service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Holy Communion, 11 a.m. Preacher, morning and evening, Rev. Charles Wallis, M.A., of St. James' Cathedral, Toronto. Special music. Rally service in Sunday School, 3 p.m. Addressed by Rev. H. de B. Owen, of Omokeness, McLeod, N. W. T., and Mr. Robert McElhennan, Special music and Sunday School Orchestra.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p.m.

REV. C. SEGSWORTH, OF NIS-SOURI, will occupy the pulpit of Adelaide Street Baptist Church tomorrow, both morning and evening. Seats free.

SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. W. M. Walker, B.A., pastor. Worship at 11 a.m., subject, "The Holy Spirit's Work"; also at 7 p.m., subject, "Our Own Company." Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS, 664 Dundas street—Public service, 7 p.m. Subject, "The Time of the End," George Watson.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at both services, 11 a.m., "Contentment"; 7 p.m., "The Ten Commandments"; the preface, 3 p.m., Sabbath

School and Pastor's Class; commencement of studies on "Life's Decisions." Wednesday, 8 p.m., prayer meeting. Monday, Oct. 15, Service of Fraise.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—MORNING—"Venite" (Munk), "Te Deum" (Sipp), Benedictus (Goss). Preacher, Rev. Dr. Davidson. Evening—"The Lord's Prayer" (Vincent), "The Strain Upraise of Joy and Praise" (Sullivan). Preacher, Rev. C. C. Purton. Holy Communion and morning service. Collection for Poor Fund.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.D., pastor. 11 a.m., "The Door Which God Opened"; 7 p.m., "A Chance After Death" (a discussion of Canon Farrar's "Larger Hope" theory).

THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERANS will hold services every Sunday morning at 10:45 in Duffield Block.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. R. D. Hamilton, pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 2:30.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
CLISSOLD—At Buffalo, N.Y., Sept. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Clissold, a son.

MARRIED.
DELL-HOOPER—On October 4, at the residence of the bride's father, 175 Horton street, by the Rev. Dr. Johnston, Emily Maud, only daughter of William Hooper, to Lester Emerson Dell, of Omaha, Neb.

DIED.
CLIFFORD—On Oct. 5, at the family residence, 107 St. George street, Mrs. Margaret Clifford, aged 69 years. Funeral from above address Monday morning at 9:30 to St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this notice.

THOMAS—In this city, on Saturday, Oct. 6, Mrs. Robert Thomas, aged 33 years. Funeral from the family residence, 806 Waterloo street, Monday, at 2 o'clock; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

Amusements and Lectures

London Opera House.
Saturday, October 6th.
A. Q. Scammon's "SIDE TRACKED"
Full of mirth and merriment, strong situations, and sensational effects. Prices, 25c, 35c, 50c, and 75c. Special matinee, 2:30. Prices, 15c and 25c. Plan open now.

London Opera House.
Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 9 and 10.
First appearance of the eminent character comedienne, Edward Warren and Marguerite Hammond, presenting the pastoral novelty, by Arthur "COWSLIP FARM"
Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Special matinee Wednesday, 2:30; 15c and 25c. Plan open now.

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THURSDAY, OCT. 11.
A. Q. Scammon's Society Play,
"THE AMERICAN GIRL"
Introducing Geo. F. Hay, Frankie St. John, Caroleo scenery. New costumes and specialties. Prices, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Plan opens Tuesday.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY—DR. TREN-
HOLME will lecture on "The Science of Life," at 2:30 p.m., commencing Oct. 13.

VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBYN
338 Dundas. Nordheim's rooms. Residue prepared for concert and oratorio solo engagements. Phone 1470.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT—NEXT
week, Palace Dancing Academy. Beginning classes, gentlemen, Monday evening, Oct. 8; ladies Tuesday evening, Oct. 9, 8 o'clock. Private tuition any hour. Terms liberal. Academy open every evening. Dayton & McCormick.

CUNARD SHIPS—ETRURIA SAILS FROM
New York to Liverpool, Saturday, October 14. Christmas date. Campania, Dec. 1; Etruria, Dec. 8; Lusitania, Dec. 15. Passengers take the Lehigh Valley Road to New York. E. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS WILL BE
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R. B. MILLARD—PRIVATE LESSONS IN
drawing. Apply 345 Princess avenue. Season opens Oct. 1. Lesson's any hour.

Meetings.

AUDITORIUM—
SUNDAY, 4:15.
REV. E. J. BASKERVILLE,
(of Detroit),
will have a message for men.
You are invited.

THE FOURTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE
of the Young Women's Christian Association of Canada will be held in St. Andrew's Church, Oct. 9 to 11; day and evening sessions. The public are cordially invited to attend.

W. C. T. U. ANNUAL MEETING—TUES-
DAY, Oct. 9, at 3 o'clock, in Somerset Hall. Election of officers.

THE LONDON SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC
Science will be opened at 330 Horton street, Monday, Oct. 8, for classes in sewing, cooking, sanitation, laundry work. For particulars apply to Mrs. Marshall Mitchell.

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

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who upstairs girl is kept. Apply at 238 Central avenue.

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WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT
—small family. Apply Mrs. Jeffery, 618 Ridout.

WANTED—TO KEEP HOUSE FOR AN
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quired. Mrs. McDonough, 233 Dundas in avenue.

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SER-
VANT. Apply to Mrs. R. Lewis, 860 Queen's avenue.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT.
Apply to Mrs. John Purdon, 429 King street.

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No. 245 Queen's avenue. All modern conveniences. Apply Samuel Glass, room 9, Hisco Building.

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FARM FOR SALE—THAT EXCELLENT
farm, 100 acres, west half lot 13, con. 2, Westminster; 75 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation; the rest well timbered; good brick house and fine barns and stables. Close to cheese factory and postoffice. Apply to the proprietor, or William Shannon, Ford Mills P. O.

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P. Walsh's Bulletin.

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806 Mainland street—14-story frame house with 150 feet frontage by 123 feet deep; lot subdivided. Price \$900. Speculators, inspect this property.

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Not Ruin, But Prosperity Unprecedented.

There is no reason to regret that Mr. Henry M. Whitney, an American business genius, who has been uniformly successful in all his enterprises, has identified himself with the work of developing Cape Breton into a great industrial center. The more Americans of this stamp who take an interest in Canadian industrial enterprises the better it will be for Canada.—*Montreal Star.*

This is all very fine "soft sawder" intended to let our Montreal contemporary's political friends down from the foolish and unpatriotic position which they took when Mr. Fielding, Dominion Finance Minister, was Premier of Nova Scotia, and initiated the legislation by means of which Mr. Whitney and his friends were induced to invest their capital in the development of these great Canadian industries. At that time, the policy which brought Mr. Whitney to Canada, and is doing so much to develop the coal and iron industries in Nova Scotia, was bitterly assailed by the Conservative leaders. Mr. Whitney and his friends were derided as anti-Canadian, anti-British, as throwing themselves and the country into the hands of the Yankees, who would at once shut down the mines, and refuse to sell coal either to Canada or the British Government! We know now all these prophecies, like other prognostications of the Opposition leader and his associate deriders of Liberal enterprises, have been falsified, and we are glad, even at the eleventh hour, to have the confession of the *Montreal Star*. But is it not about time that these assaults on the policy so successfully carried out by Hon. Mr. Fielding and his friends, should apologize to them for the wrong which they did to the Liberal Government? Every prophecy of evil that they made has been shown to be utterly without foundation, and instead of disaster and depression we have inaugurated in Nova Scotia immense enterprises, giving employment to many thousands of men, and bringing such prosperity as the old colony never before enjoyed. It is only meet that when the Opposition organs begin to hark back on their old prophecies of "blue ruin" they should be confronted with them, and requested, in making prognostications of further evil, if they are not permitted to rule, to remember their humiliating past, and cultivate a modest demeanor in accordance therewith.

A British Estimate.

The *St. James'* (London, England) Budget asks, after sizing up the present political situation in Canada: "Is it not about time Sir Charles Tupper were replaced as leader of the Canadian Opposition?" "It is a pity," says the same journal, "that the Canadian Opposition have not sufficient prudence to restrain Sir Charles Tupper from his petty attacks upon the present Laurier Ministry. The Ministry may have faults, but no one can deny that it has pursued an imperial policy with great fearlessness and vigor."

This is an independent British opinion, and it mirrors the views which most people in the old country entertain of Canada's position at the present time. Never has Canada stood so well in the eyes of the British people as she stands today. Never have Canadian products been more sought after.

We beg our old world friends not to take the Opposition leader's adjectives too seriously. On the eve of an election he invariably has these fits, and Canadians have come to regard them with disinterestedness. It pleases the talker, and it hurts no one.

Reminiscences of 1896.

A correspondent of the *Globe* in Nipissing says in reference to the charge made by Mr. Hugh John Macdonald that the paper of the ballots in the West Huron election was too thin: "I was deputy returning officer in one of the polling subdivisions of the Township of Springier, in the District of Nipissing, in the last election, and how were the ballot papers? Why, sir, I could see how every man voted, as the paper in these ballots was so thin that the mark made by the voter showed through them all, and if they had got a deputy that was favorable to the Conservative candidate, as they thought they had, they would have known how a lot of men voted whom they expected to vote for them and wanted to watch."

There was something very queer, and thin, about the ballot papers in London, too. And here we had the unavoidable notoriety of being charged with more spoiled ballots—almost 300 in the four wards—than there were in any constituency in the Dominion. At the same election, moreover, we had one of the late Government's returning officers, since rewarded by his party friends, actually refusing to acknowledge his own initials on the back of 45 ballots marked for the Liberal candidate. It was a very extraordinary election without a doubt, and the "mistakes" were so fixed as to be of benefit to the Conservative candidates.

Laurier or Tupper?

Where Is the Policy.

It has been said that it is the duty of the Opposition to oppose. That is true, but it is not the whole truth. Intelligent criticism is an important function, and within certain limits the carrying out of party tactics is a part of the parliamentary warfare and a service to the country. But when it comes to an election, the duty of the Opposition to oppose becomes the opportunity to propose a programme, and this also is a duty. In appealing to intelligent electors, the Opposition should show that they have a better policy, and that they can give a purer and more effective administration. In a country that has reached a high state of free life, and there is no pressing need for reforms or change of policy, an election may turn purely on administration, and the country may be convinced that this is so bad that a change must be made, even if it is by way of experiment. What is the state of the case now? The country dismissed the Conservatives at the last election, because it was proved that their administration in several glaring instances had been extravagant and corrupt. They were also divided and disorganized among themselves, and could not offer the country a strong, stable Government.

A few questions, then, arise. Has the Conservative party in the meantime improved to that extent that it can be dissociated from the past? No! Can they bring serious charges against the Liberal administration with any chance of supporting them? No! The Liberal party does not claim to have reached perfection, but the Tories simply make loud blustering charges and then run away. Have the Conservatives, then, any better policy or any policy at all? No! It is difficult to make out that they have any policy at all, except the policy of getting in, which is not likely to be a successful one. Sir Charles Tupper's policy of "mutual preference in British trade" is shown to be so impossible that we practically call it no policy at all. We repeat, then, the question, Where is the policy? Where is the programme? We have asked both the telescope and the microscope, and we cannot find it. The only conclusion we can draw is that the Conservative leaders are seeking it themselves, and have not found it, but they had better be given, or the election will be over before they find their policy.

The Cold Storage Record.

There is a record of remarkable progress in the Canadian exports of eggs, butter and bacon in the last four years, since effective cold storage was introduced, at the instance of the present Government. For the purpose of comparison we give the exports for the four years preceding 1896, when the Conservative Government was in control:

	Eggs.	Butter.	Bacon.
1892	868,007	1,296,814	1,830,268
1893	714,054	1,065,588	2,764,479
1894	807,899	897,478	3,540,107
1895	807,695	1,052,089	3,802,135

Totals \$2,197,127 \$4,141,967 \$11,993,058

Liberal four years—

	Eggs.	Butter.	Bacon.
1897	978,479	2,089,173	\$5,060,393
1898	1,235,394	2,046,586	7,291,285
1899	1,297,083	3,700,872	9,362,182
1900	1,457,902	5,122,556	12,471,494

Totals \$4,958,748 \$12,959,288 \$34,776,754

Grand total, Conservative.....\$19,272,192
Grand total, Liberal.....\$52,894,790
No need for anyone to wade through eight columns of a "manifesto" by the Opposition leader, looking for the truth. It will not be found there. These official returns are an eloquent testimony to the great change for the better which the new regime brought about.

Who wishes to go back to the days of 1896 and 1897?

Petroleum in the Far East.

Few people in Canada are aware that Japan is fast becoming a leading producer of petroleum oil. Recently extensive new oil fields have been discovered in the province of Echigo, and in the city nearest to the district no fewer than 70 producing and 30 refining companies have been started and a number of drilling companies have been organized to put down wells by contract for the owners. Japan consumes annually about 60,000,000 gallons of refined petroleum, of which amount about one-third is produced by local refiners. This shows a marked increase over the ratio of the native and foreign product a year ago, which was then one in ten. The total daily output is now about 4,000 barrels. It is to the credit of Canada that the more successful developments in Japan have been carried out by experts from the Western Ontario oil region. Indeed everywhere where oil has been discovered the world over one finds experts who received their training in the Petroleum district. Canada gets a splendid advertisement from this preference.

Laurier and Canadian unity.

"It is doubtful if any country has developed the cold storage idea in connection with dairy produce as Canada has done."—*Montreal Gazette* (Conservative) Aug. 2, 1900.

Coming Our Way Now.

Ten years ago New South Wales had an average of from 10,000 to 12,000 new settlers annually. Now the immigrants into the country number but 1,000 a year. The conditions in Canada, under the new order of things, has been reversed. Formerly, under the late administration, we could scarcely hold our natural increase of population, and so great was the exodus that our population increased but little. Now our vacant lands are being taken up as they have never been before. Former Canadians and enterprising citizens of the United States have come across the border and settled on the prairies in ever increasing numbers. Last year over 10,000 so settled; this year, between 15,000 and 16,000 will be the record.

We have the vacant lands; we have a good climate, a fruitful soil, good government, and a bright future. These are the reasons for the increased disposition of new settlers to go upon our vacant lands. The more of them, the greater will be the demand for the products of the industry of the people in these older settled parts. The 50,000 new settlers in the Canadian West last year are all proving good customers.

Berlin, the home of the street organ, now prohibits organ-grinding on public thoroughfares. But she still turns loose vast quantities of the instrument, for the torture of other communities.

Canada is well satisfied with Laurier.

The Opposition press are inclined to pooh-pooh the opinion that the Advertiser has reached, after a survey of the situation, that Mr. Archie Campbell, M.P., will defeat Hon. Clarke Wallace in West York. Very foolishly, we think, the opponents of the Government are building on the abnormal majority obtained by Mr. Wallace in 1896. In this they are very foolish. In 1896 no Liberal candidate entered the field, and the majority obtained by Mr. Clarke Wallace then was no criterion. At previous general elections the Conservative majority ranged from 200 to 800. But let it be remembered the election machinery was in the hands of the friends of Mr. Wallace; the graveyard and non-resident vote in his favor numbered hundreds. Under the new law all this is changed, the dead will no longer be represented at the polls, and the residents of a foreign land cannot be brought back to kill the votes of honest Canadian voters. This will work a big change in the favor of Mr. Campbell, who otherwise is a strong candidate, being a progressive resident in the center of the riding, and an able representative.

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

NOT A HARD TIME PARTY

Newton W. Rowell's Meeting in North Toronto.

Good Points Scored by Mr. J. G. Willson—High Praise for the Candidate.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—An organization meeting in the interests of Mr. N. W. Rowell was held in Cumberland Hall on Thursday night, under the auspices of the Liberal Club of North Toronto and the St. Paul's Ward Liberal Association. The chair was occupied by Mr. W. E. Lincoln Hunter, president of the North Toronto Reform Association. The attendance was large and a spirit of enthusiasm and confidence in the result of the contest was manifested throughout the proceedings. After the work of organization had been completed a meeting was held, at which addresses were delivered by the candidate and several others.

A GOOD RECORD.
Rev. Dr. Dewar spoke briefly. He said they all believed the record of the Laurier government one that deserves the support of all loyal, patriotic men, and they just as firmly believe that the record and tactics of the Opposition have been such as to forfeit the confidence of all patriotic men. He did not know of any constituency now represented by a Conservative in which there is as good a chance for victory as in East York. (Cheers.) He congratulated the Liberals of East York upon getting Mr. Rowell as a candidate, and prophesied that with united and earnest effort he would be elected.

NO MUSHROOM CANDIDATE.
Mr. J. S. Willson said he supposed there was not a man in the room that would not vote for Mr. Rowell, who was one of the very best candidates offering for election in any constituency in the country. Mr. Rowell is not



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Priestley's Fine Silk Finish, Serge Suitings, all wool, 44-inch, very bright finish, for all suits, good weight, black and navy, per yard..... 60c and 65c

Cheviot Suitings, all wool, homespun finish, very stylish, full wear for coat and skirt, black and navy, per yard..... 50c

Cheviot Suitings, 48-inch, all wool, extra heavy homespun surface, special line for tailor-made suits (black, navy, brown, garnet), per yard..... 75c

300 yards Homespun Suitings, 54 inches wide, plain goods, in grays, browns, greens, castor and black, with weather-mixed surface fringes, special weight, full 54-inch, per yard..... 75c

Cheviot Suitings, 54-inch, very heavy, for unlined skirts, with frize finish surface, very special line for jacket and skirt, in black, Oxford gray and brown shades, per yard..... 75c

Cheviot Suitings, homespun surface, very bright, all wool, 54-inch, for stylish suits, in black only, per yard..... \$1.00

Black Homespun Suitings, 54-inch, heavy weight, in plain frize finish, also cheviot finish, all wool and thoroughly shrunk, per yard..... \$1.25

Black and navy, all wool, 44-inch, cloth finish, very bright finish cloth, black and all colors, per yard..... 60c and 75c

Cheviot Suitings, in 48-inch head, heavy, surface, in castor, brown, navy and Oxford, heavy frize finish, per yard..... 90c

French Flannels.

Just arrived, a beautiful assortment of French flannels, newest patterns, in spots and novelty designs.

Special line of black, navy, gray and blue, in plain, novelty designs and stripes, in best quality French cloth, per yard..... 60c

French Flannels, in cream grounds, with red and black polka dot, navy grounds with red and white polka dot, 27 inches wide, fine quality, for, per yard..... 60c

French Flannels in pearl gray, with black dot, red with white dot, blue with black dot, and pink with white dot, 27 inches wide; extra value, per yard..... 60c

Ladies' Underskirts.

Ladies' Heavy Cloth Skirts, fancy stripes, small frill on bottom, special..... 85c

Ladies' Mercerized Satin Skirts, in blue, red, purple and black, deep full of accordion pleating, special..... \$3.00

Ladies' Black Satin Skirts, umbrella frill, made with cording on frill, extra quality, special at \$1.35

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Finest Silk and Satin Ties, Flowing Ends, Puffs and Four-in-Hands, none better at any price, for..... 50c

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180 yards Black Moire Skirtings, with fancy satin effects, stripes, 34 inches wide, Special per yard..... 10c

Special line Double Fold and Double Faced Cretone, assorted colors, suitable for portieres. Extra value per yard..... 15c

220 yards Checked Crash Towelling, heavy quality. Special per yard..... 4 1/2c

Special line German Elders, extra heavy, suitable for Dressing Sacques and Wrappers, assorted colors and patterns, regular 15c. Special per yard..... 12 1/2c

Extra Boot Bargain.

Men's Cordovan Laced and Congress Shoes, with pegged or riveted soles, soft and flexible, new style and all sizes, 6 to 11, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75. Saturday extra bargain..... \$1.10

Little Gent's Lace Boots, in fine Dongola, Dice Calfskin, same shape and style as men's—just like papa's, the lady's say. Special..... \$1.00 to \$1.35

Saturday Clothing Special.

Men's Imported Tweed Suits, neat patterns, well made and specially trimmed for our trade; regular \$10 and \$12. Saturday..... \$8.50

Boys' Tweed Knickerbockers, in all-wool tweed, sizes 22 to 35, at..... 50c

Men's All-Wool Socks, with ribbed top, extra heavy heels and toes. Saturday, 2 pairs for..... 25c

Handkerchiefs.

10 dozen Ladies' Fine Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with Valenciennes lace corner, very special, 3 for..... 20c

15 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered handkerchiefs, regular 15c, special, each..... 10c

20 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular 15c and 20c each, special until sold, 2 for..... 25c

Jacket & Skirt Dept.

Ladies' and Maids' Silk-Lined Beaver Cloth Jackets, in castor, six pearl buttons, special..... \$4.50

Ladies' and Maids' Black and Blue Beaver Cloth Jackets, silk-lined, special..... \$5.00

Ladies' Black Curl Cloth Jackets, storm collar, silk lined, six pearl buttons, special..... \$5.00

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, in green and navy homespun, jacket fly front, mercerized lined, special..... \$7.90

Ladies' Black and Blue Homespun Skirts, special..... \$1.95

Ladies' Flannellette Wrappers, at..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Groceries and Crockery.

18 pounds of Redpath's Granulated Sugar for..... \$1.00

Our Choice Breakfast Blend Coffee, for, per pound..... 25c

1 pound of Cowan's 25c Soluble Cocoa, for..... 15c

8 bars of Hard Soap, 9 pounds, for..... 25c

2 pound tins of Asparagus, regular 85c, for, per tin..... 20c

3 pounds of Mixed Biscuits, 1 of Ginger Snaps, 1 of Currant and 1 of Lemon Snaps, for..... 25c

6-piece Glass Table Sets, per set..... 25c

Glass Butter Dishes and Sugar Bowls, each..... 10c

Fancy China Fruit and Berry Bowls..... 25c and upwards

China Creamers and Bread and Butter Plates, each..... 10c

Printed Bowls, each..... 10c

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a mushroom candidate, strong on nomination day, who went to pieces in the campaign, but he is a man that will wear well, because he is a man of character and capacity. He ventured to say that the Liberals of East York in years to come will be as proud that they elected Mr. Rowell in his first contest as they are that they elected Hon. Mr. Mackenzie in the closing days of his splendid career. (Cheers.) The Liberal electors of East York should remember that the political conditions during the last four years have materially changed, and have changed absolutely to the advantage of the Liberals. For twenty years the memory of the commercial depression of 1877 weighed very heavily on the Liberal party, although that depression existed all over the world.

NOT A HARD-TIME PARTY.
Their opponents' argument had been that the Liberal party was a party of hard times, of commercial adversity, that Canada could not have prospered under Liberal rule. Now they found the factories prosperous, the commercial conditions good, wages good, and steady employment for the working men under the Liberal Government.

If these arguments used by the Conservative Government were legitimate, then the conditions today furnish conclusive reasons why the government should be sustained in this contest. Four or five years ago, when coming up Yonge street they used to interest themselves counting the vacant stores, which were as many almost as there were bicycles on the streets. Five years ago the working men were looking for employers; today the employers are looking for men. On looking over the files of the *Globe* for Oct. 4, 1895, there were five advertisements for "mechanics" and seven men were wanted. Today there are in the *Globe* 49 advertisements for mechanics, and 109 men wanted. In the *Mail* of Oct. 4, 1895, there were 4 advertisements for "mechanics wanted," and 5 men wanted. By the advertisements today there are 15 advertisements, and 55 men wanted. In the *Mail* today there was a quotation from Sir Charles Tupper, who, speaking at Montreal, said: "I do not hesitate to say that we are not willing to take the bread out of the mouths of our own children to feed them of any other country in the world." If the people voted for their bread and butter they would not vote for Sir Charles and his associates. (Cheers.)

PRESSURE OF PROSPERITY.
Mr. Willson then read a circular issued by an important western manufacturing firm asking their employees to work overtime. In the circular the firm explain that it is absolutely necessary to work overtime in order to fill their orders, and that it is rendered imperative not merely to meet a rush which will be followed by a slack time, but that the factory will continue to work full time to keep pace with the demands of the business. The circular in question issued by one particular firm, merely illustrated the condition of business in every manufacturing and commercial center from Halifax to



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Vancouver. Mr. Willson, referring to the news from other parts of the Dominion, said that never for seventeen years had the reports been so encouraging for the Liberals.

You have read of the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and you should have perfect confidence in its merits. It will do you good.

The royal and imperial houses of Greece, Denmark and Russia converse together in English. The Queen invariably speaks German in her home circle.

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There are three principal religions in China—Buddhism, Taoism and Confucianism. The latter is almost without forms and ceremonies.

The Fall Fairs.

Euphemia and Dawn, at Florence, Oct. 5 and 6.

East Nissouri, Thamesford, Oct. 8. Caradoc, at Mount Brydges, Oct. 9. North Simcoe, Stayner, Oct. 9-10. Blyth, Oct. 9-10.

West Nissouri, Ag. Soc., Oct. 10. Delaware, Oct. 10.

W. Kent, Chatham, Oct. 11-12. Caledonia, Caledonia, Oct. 11-12. North Norwich, Norwich, Oct. 12-13. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 12-13. Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Oct. 12-13. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 12-13. Moraviantown (Indian), Oct. 12-13. Chippewa Indian Agricultural Society, Muncie, Oct. 30-31.

SPEECHLESS AND PARALYZED.—"I had valvular disease of the heart," writes Mrs. J. S. Goode, of Truro, N. S. "I suffered terribly, and was often speechless and partially paralyzed. One dose of Dr. Asenow's Cure for the Heart gave me relief, and before I finished one bottle I was able to go out. Today I am a well woman." For sale by C. McCallum & Co.—42.

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THE MARKETS

Toronto Stock Market.
TORONTO, Oct. 5.

Stock	Ask.	Off.
Ontario	120 1/2	120 1/2
Toronto	120 1/2	120 1/2
Merchants	120 1/2	120 1/2
Commercial	120 1/2	120 1/2
Imperial	120 1/2	120 1/2
Standard	120 1/2	120 1/2
Hamilton	120 1/2	120 1/2
British American	120 1/2	120 1/2
Western Assurance	120 1/2	120 1/2
Consumers' Gas	120 1/2	120 1/2
Montreal Gas	120 1/2	120 1/2
Northwestern Land Company, pref.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock	120 1/2	120 1/2
General Electric	120 1/2	120 1/2
London Electric	120 1/2	120 1/2
Commercial Cable	120 1/2	120 1/2
Cable Corp. Bonds	120 1/2	120 1/2
Cable Reg. Bonds	120 1/2	120 1/2
Domestic Telegraph	120 1/2	120 1/2
Bell Telephone Company	120 1/2	120 1/2
Richelle and Ontario	120 1/2	120 1/2
Toronto Street Railway	120 1/2	120 1/2
London Street Railway	120 1/2	120 1/2
Domestic Savings and Invest.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Huron and Erie L. & S.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Huron and Erie, new	120 1/2	120 1/2
Lon. and Can. L. & A.	120 1/2	120 1/2
London Loan	120 1/2	120 1/2
London and Ontario	120 1/2	120 1/2
Ontario Loan and Debenture	120 1/2	120 1/2

Montreal Stock Market.
MONTREAL, Oct. 5.

Stock	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	120 1/2	120 1/2
Duluth, common	120 1/2	120 1/2
Duluth, preferred	120 1/2	120 1/2
Commercial Cable	120 1/2	120 1/2
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	120 1/2	120 1/2
Montreal Ry. Bonds	120 1/2	120 1/2
Montreal Ry. Bonds	120 1/2	120 1/2
Richelle and Ontario	120 1/2	120 1/2
Montreal Street Railway	120 1/2	120 1/2
Montreal St. Railway, new	120 1/2	120 1/2
Toronto Railway	120 1/2	120 1/2
Montreal Gas Company	120 1/2	120 1/2
Bell Telephone	120 1/2	120 1/2
Royal Electric	120 1/2	120 1/2
Bank of Montreal	120 1/2	120 1/2
Ontario Bank	120 1/2	120 1/2
Molson Bank	120 1/2	120 1/2
Bank of Toronto	120 1/2	120 1/2
Quebec Bank	120 1/2	120 1/2
Quebec Bank, new	120 1/2	120 1/2
Union Bank	120 1/2	120 1/2
Bank of Commerce	120 1/2	120 1/2
Northwestern Land, pref.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Montreal Cotton Co.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Canada Cotton Co.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Domestic Cotton	120 1/2	120 1/2

New York Stocks.
New York, Oct. 5.

Stock	Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Ancasand	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Alcoa	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Alcoa Pfd.	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
A. & O.	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Brooklyn Trn.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
C. & O.	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
C. B. & Q.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
C. P. I.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Gen. Electric	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
Jersey Central	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
K. & N. Pfd.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
L. & N.	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Manhattan	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Metropolitan Ed.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
N. Y. Central	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Norfolk and W.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Northwestern Pacific	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Ont. and Western	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Pacific Mail	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Pennsylvania	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
People's Gas	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
R. I.	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Reading	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
S. P.	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Southern Ry. Pfd.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Southern Pacific	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
U. S. I.	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2

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Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Saturday, Oct. 6.
Wheat, white, per bu. 63c to 64c
Wheat, red, per bu. 63c to 64c
Oats, per bu. 23c to 24c
Peas, per bu. 48c to 50c
Barley, per bu. 39c to 41c
Rye, per bu. 47c to 50c
Wheat sold at \$1.09 today. Receipts very good and the demand steady. Oats brought 70c to 72c for white, and 70c for black; supply and demand both good.
Barley sold at 70c to 72c. No other kind of grain offered in any quantity, prices for them being unchanged.
Hay was scarce and sold at \$7 to \$8 per ton.
Dressed hogs sold at \$7.50 to \$8 and live ones at \$6; demand steady and supply light.
Young pigs sold at \$4.50 to \$6.50 a pair and were in good demand.

GRAIN.

Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs.	1.05	1.10
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs.	1.05	1.10
Oats, per 100 lbs.	70	75
Peas, per 100 lbs.	60	65
Barley, per 100 lbs.	70	75
Rye, per 100 lbs.	70	75
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs.	80	85

HOGS.

Hogs, light, per 100 lbs.	6.00	6.00
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs.	6.00	6.00
Pigs, young, per pair.	4.50	4.50
Sows, per 100 lbs.	6.00	6.00
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs. select.	7.50	8.00
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs. heavy.	6.00	6.51

For Housekeepers.

London, Saturday, Oct. 6.
The market square this morning was one mass of vehicles and people. It was one of the largest markets of the year. The remarkably warm weather of the present time was accountable largely for its size. It had its effect also upon certain quotations.
The trade in butter, more than anything else, was affected by the weather. An immense quantity was offered. There was a steady demand for it all day, so that very little was not sold. The prices held their own during the early part of the day, but about 11 o'clock they lowered about a cent per pound. It may be expected to remain at its present state until the colder weather causes a scarcity.
There was a slump in the prices of poultry, also occasioned, however, by other factors than the weather. All during the summer the Canadian Packing Company have been buying up chickens for packing purposes. The price has thus been buoyed up. They ceased operations this morning, and a drop of 2 cents per pound resulted. There was no corresponding betterment of trade, though, for there was a surplus of offerings.
Plenty of fruit was offered today and purchasers seemed inclined to buy rather freely. Of course, the backbone of the fruit business is now broken, but trade is still good. The only noticeable change was in the prices of grapes, which, as quotations show, were somewhat firmer.
The usual large amount of business was done in vegetables. Offerings were abundant, and the prices were too low to permit of any hesitation on the part of buyers. Quotations rate.
Even the butchers were satisfied with affairs today. The demand was good

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St. Thomas Market.
St. Thomas, Oct. 4.—Wheat, old per bu. 65c; wheat, new, 65c; oats, 23c to 25c; peas, 50c to 60c; barley, 35c; rye, 60c; feed corn, 60c to 65c; flaxseed, \$3.45 to \$3.50; timothy seed, \$2.50 to \$2.60.

The Oil Market.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 5.—Oil opened at \$1.10.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 5.—Oil closed at \$1.10.

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

	Oct. 5.	Oct. 4.	Oct. 3.	Oct. 2.
WHEAT				
Red Winter	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 3/4	6 3/4
No. 1 Non-Spring	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
W. No. 1	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
No. 1 Cal.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
July	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Feb.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
CORN				
Oct.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Nov.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Dec.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Jan.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Feb.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
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Just Sparring To Gain Time

Little Progress Made in Settling the Chinese Trouble.

Women Behave Bravely in Face of Awful Peril at the Peking Siege—Many Missionaries Reported Missing Have Been Massacred.

London, Saturday, Oct. 6.—4:10 a.m.—It is reported in St. Petersburg, according to the correspondent of the Times at the Russian capital, that the Chinese fleet in Formosa Strait attempted to engage the Russian armored cruiser Rurik, but the latter's speed frustrated the plan. The correspondent says it is probable that the allied squadrons will force the Chinese fleet to capitulate or will destroy it.

SPARRING TO GAIN TIME.

Shanghai telegrams announce that the imperial edict, dated Sept. 30, ordering the court to be removed to Si Chuan Fu, was issued owing to the famine at Tai Yuan Fu. They also express the opinion that the object of the recent edicts regarding the degradation of Chinese personages of high rank is merely to gain time, and to enable China to be in a better position to defy the powers as the new capital will be virtually inaccessible from the coast. He says that the Chinese firmly believe in the existence of a Russo-German agreement, under which Russia will take all the territory north of the great wall and Germany the provinces of Chi Li and Shang Tung. The Times representative at Shanghai says he believes here that highly inflammatory edicts are being issued secretly, and that the recent public edicts are only intended to hoodwink the powers.

THE FRENCH PROPOSALS.

Paris, Oct. 5.—The following official note was issued this afternoon: "The foreign minister has instructed the representatives of France to sound the powers whose troops are co-operating with ours in the extreme east regarding the adoption of a common program for the first negotiations with China. Our representatives acquitted themselves of this mission and left with the various foreign ministers a copy of the following note:

"In sending their forces to China the powers proposed, first, to deliver their legations. Thanks to their union and the valor of their troops, this aim has been attained. It is now a question of securing from the Chinese Government, which has given Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang full powers to negotiate and treat in its name, suitable reparation for the past and serious guarantee for the future. Penetrated with the spirit which inspired the previous declarations of the different governments, the government of the republic believes it sums their real sentiments in the following points which it submits as a basis for negotiations, to be entered upon immediately after the usual verifications of the powers.

"First—The punishment of the principal culprits, who will be designated by the representatives of the powers in Peking.

"Second—The maintenance of the prohibition of the import of arms.

"Third—Equivalent indemnities to states, societies and individuals."

"Fourth—The formation of a permanent guard for the Peking legations.

"Fifth—The dismantlement of the fortifications.

"Sixth—Military occupation of two or three points on the road from Tien Tsin to Peking from the sea.

"Presented collectively to the representatives of the powers, supported by the presence of the international troops, it appears impossible to the government of the republic that these conditions, which are so legitimate, would not be accepted by the Chinese government at an early date.

TRAGIC SCENES AT PEKING'S SIEGE.

New York, Oct. 6.—The New York Times has received a communication from Rev. Dr. Wm. Alexander Parsons Martin, the aged president of the New Imperial University of Peking, reciting the story of the attack and fall of Peking as he saw it. Dr. Martin says:

"The rescue was the work of Christendom, aided by Japan, which deserves to be admitted into that honored brotherhood.

"The first visible sign of our great danger was the burning of churches, missions and legations in exposed places. On the day after our flight they set fire to two imperial buildings adjoining the British legation, believing that the flames would overtop the wall, and so they would have done had

not our people repelled them by tearing down outlying structures and by pouring on floods of water. So imminent was our peril that even women and children passed buckets from hand to hand.

BRAVERY OF THE WOMEN.

"Not only were our men at their post of danger night and day, but the women were equally diligent and equally brave. They made sandbags in great numbers (over 10,000), using curtains of silk and satin, as well as other costly materials.

BEGGED TO BE SHOT.

"The cheerfulness of our women did much to encourage the men. All knew that the enemy would give no quarter and that women falling into their hands would suffer a fate worse than death. Young women requested their friends in that event to shoot them; and a mother of six resolved to shoot her children and then to kill herself. During an attack one woman broke down and went into hysterics and another went mad. There were solitary instances of weakness. In general calmness and even hilarity prevailed.

"Our provisions were running low when our troops approached. Horses and mules had been eaten, and dog meat was threatened. On Monday, Aug. 13, a soldier waked us up to listen to the machine guns of our deliverers. No music could be so charming. Women fell on each other's necks and wept for joy."

56 MISSIONARIES MASSACRED.

London, Oct. 5.—A Shanghai dispatch to the Times says it is reported on good authority that 56 missionaries in North Shensi, who have hitherto been reported as missing, have all been massacred.

ADMIRAL SEYMOUR COMPLI- MENTED.

The Gazette this evening, in publishing Vice-Admiral Seymour's report of the first Peking relief expedition, as dated Sept. 6, and Rear Admiral Bruce's report of the taking of the Taku forts, June 17, gives a letter from the lords of the admiralty, warmly complimenting Admiral Seymour on his tact and judgment in directing a force composed of so many nationalities, and adds that Lord Salisbury entirely concurs in the expressions of approval.

RUSSIA'S COURSE.

Berlin, Oct. 5.—The following dispatch from St. Petersburg has been semi-officially issued here: "The Russian Government assents to the proposals in Count Von Buelow's note of Oct. 1, and the Russian minister at Peking, has been instructed in that sense."

A BOY'S GRAVEY.

London, Oct. 5.—The Peking correspondent of the Daily News tells a peculiar incident of the German-Japanese expedition to Peking. The advance guard of the expedition saw a boy who was partly concealed by a mound of earth, persistently waving a red flag. The fire of the troops was concentrated on this spot, and presently the flag went down. On arriving at the mound the troops found the body of a Chinese boy. He was hardly ten years of age, was dressed in a new Boxer uniform and wore a toy sword. He had fallen dead upon the flag which he had waved. The correspondent describes this as a "remarkable evidence of the shocking fanaticism of the Boxers."

BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The British Government has authorized Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister at Peking, to enter into relations with the Chinese officials. It has left its minister discretionary power to pass upon the sufficiency of the credentials of Li Hung Chang, Prince Ching and other Chinese envoys.

Although the formal response to the last German proposition had not been returned by Lord Salisbury, the United States Government has been informed that Sir Claude MacDonald will be instructed to make inquiries relative to the punishment of the Chinese ringleaders that have been committed to Mr. Conger.

The latest French note is a distinct movement towards the initiation of negotiations for a settlement, while this question of punishment is still pending.

How Are Your Nerves?

If they are weak and you feel nervous and easily "frustrated," can't sleep, and rise in the morning unrefreshed, your blood is poor. Strong nerves depend upon rich, nourishing blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the nerves strong by enriching and vitalizing the blood. It gives sweet, refreshing sleep and completely cures nervous troubles. Begin taking it today.

Nausea, indigestion are cured by Hood's Pills.

The production of aluminum for commercial uses began in 1859 with a total output of 47,468 pounds. In 1895 it had reached 5,200,000 pounds, and at present the rate of production is over 7,000,000 pounds a year.

Hood's Laxative Cures Colds, etc.

During the Galveston storm two women were carried out into the gulf, where they spent Saturday night. Not till the next morning did the tide bring them back to where the rescuing parties could reach them.

NO ONE NEED FEAR CHOLERA or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready for use. It corrects all the looseness of the bowels promptly and causes a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

FROM HON. MILLS

The Minister of Justice Objects to the Signing of Pledges by Parlia- mentary Candidates.

Toronto, Oct. 5.—About 30 delegates, representing local labor unions, were in attendance at the meeting of the People's party, held in Richmond Hall, last evening. President James Wilson occupied the chair, and in a few remarks explained that the chief business of the meeting was to form the delegates into a campaign committee. Short addresses were then made by the candidates, Messrs. Hugh Stevenson and Dr. H. G. Hargrave.

During the meeting the following letter from the Hon. David Mills, minister of justice, was read by Dr. Hargrave: "I have your letter of the 24th ult., in which you quote a declaration of the People's party, which their candidate is called upon to sign. In reply to your communication I beg to say that I am not aware that there is anything illegal in signing such an enunciation, although the principle is not strictly in accordance with the principle of parliamentary government. I think it would be greatly to the advantage of this country that the spirit and principles of the English parliamentary system should be adhered to. I am perfectly sure that the moral stamina of electors of the country would be strengthened, and that our system of government would be made pure if this were done. I cannot see a more important instrument in the hands of any body of men without destroying a proper sense of responsibility, and if he be a man of moral courage he will occasionally come to where the road parts, and where he must choose between disregarding the improper engagement into which he has entered or disregarding what he feels to be his duty to the country."

No representative ought to put himself in that position. Our system of parliamentary government is one most consistent with the judgment and moral sense of man that has yet been devised, and all such pledges as are made by candidates are a violation of the fundamental principle of the People's party as at variance with it. The government of which Lord Howick was a member declined to give to the king a pledge that they would not at some future time recommend Catholic emancipation, as they declined to bind themselves not to give that advice which, if they thought it best, their oath of office required they should give. No representative ought to bind himself not to do that which the highest public interest might require at his hands. I have gone further than your inquiry called for, but we have had of late years a number of parties coming into existence, whose principles are at variance with our system of government. The Patrons of Industry adopted a platform well enough suited to the constitutional system of the United States Government, but it was wholly at variance with the English constitutional system, and party platforms that originate in the same way are not free from danger. They become disturbing factors for the time being, prevent a free expression of public opinion upon those questions which emanate from the life of the state, and with which it is the special duty of parliament to deal."

At the conclusion of the meeting the committee held a private session.

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One of the prettiest weddings ever held in Aylmer occurred Wednesday at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Clark, being the marriage of their daughter, Nettie E., to Mr. W. Harold Barnum, B.A., of Dutton. Rev. Geo. Cross officiated, while the bridesmaid and the groomsmen were Miss Nellie

THEORIES ABOUT CATARRH.

Peculiar Ideas Regarding a Common Disease.

Mark Twain's cure for a cold in the head was simple, but he claims very effective in his own case. He went to eat nothing whatever for twenty-four hours, or presumably until the trouble had disappeared.

Although not able to speak from personal experience as to the effectiveness of this treatment, it certainly has the merit of extreme economy, but it occurs to us that the application of it to a case of nasal catarrh might be attended with difficulties.

Catarrh, as everyone knows, is a chronic cold in the head and Mr. Twain's treatment, if it should become a fact, would make of us a nation of fasters, an army, emulating the example of the immortal Tanner, who achieved world-wide fame by fasting forty days.

Catarrh is certainly becoming a national disease, and there is little doubt but that errors in diet, particularly over-eating, is a very common cause.

Most people, however, are more interested in the cure of the trouble than in the cause, and modern medical science has produced more effective and less heroic remedies than Mr. Twain's. Guaiacol is a new remedy, very effective in some forms of catarrh. Eucalyptol is another, which on account of its antiseptic properties, is very valuable, while many severe cases of chronic catarrh have been entirely cured by the sanguinaria, or extract of blood root alone.

Within a year an enterprising chemist has combined all of these remedies in tablet form, in a palatable and convenient, and the superiority of this tablet over other catarrh remedies is so apparent that all druggists now carry them in stock to supply the popular demand.

They are called Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and it is doubtful if any medicine has achieved a national popularity in so short a time as this.

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For nasal catarrh they are far superior to any wash, lotion or ointment, the use of which is often as inconvenient and annoying as the disease itself.

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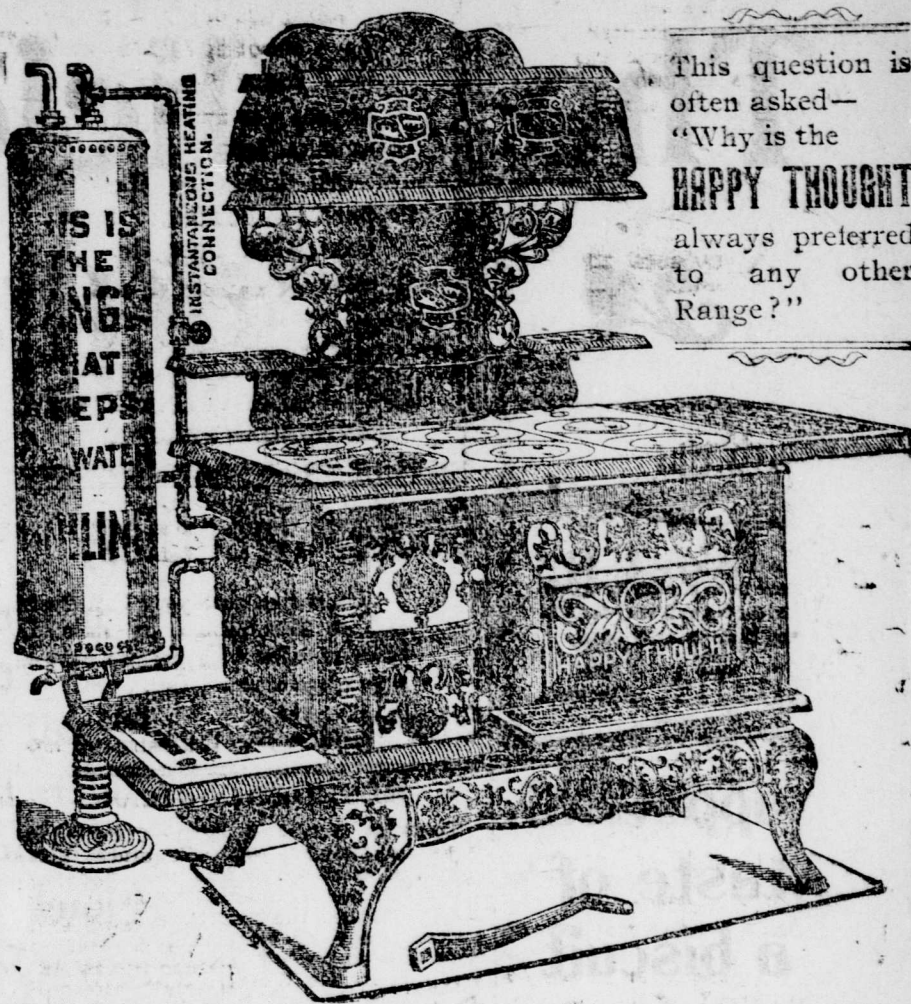
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Ferguson, of St. Thomas, and Mr. H. C. Hume, of Muskegon, Mich.

Mrs. Mary Burwell, wife of Mr. Thomas Burwell, Fingal, died on Monday, aged 71 years. Besides her husband she leaves one son, John, of Fingal, and five daughters—Mrs. Duncan McTavish, Dunwich; Mrs. John McTavish, Southwold; Mrs. Norsworthy, Chicago; Miss Louisa, London; Miss Emma, at home. She was a member of the Presbyterian church.

After lying unconscious for over two months, Mrs. Isabel Garner died at Chatham Thursday, the result of paralysis. Deceased was a prominent worker in charitable institutions in the city. Her husband was the original owner of the Garner House block.

Chatham's leading hostelry and business block. Mrs. Garner was credited with being Chatham's leading philanthropist and most wealthy citizen.

The death occurred on Monday evening at his residence, St. Thomas, of John McKellar, teamster. In the 33rd year of his age. Death was due to congestion of the brain, caused by sunstroke. Deceased leaves a widow and two children. He also leaves four brothers and one sister—Alex., Washington; Elmer, Manitoba; Walker, Belmont; Nicol, Dakota; and Miss Effie, Belmont. Deceased was born in Westminster, and had resided in St. Thomas twenty years.

Saturn is the sixth planet, reckoning outward from the sun, the next beyond Jupiter. Its average distance from us is nearly 8,000,000,000 miles.

Viper hunters are wanted at Bosen, Tyrol. The snakes are so abundant as to be a source of danger, and the government offers 15 cents for each head.



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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Oct. 6-3 p.m.—Conditions have materially changed since last night, a cold wave has moved down from the northward to the Lower St. Lawrence and the Maritime Provinces, accompanied by rain and a disturbance seemingly of importance is developing in the Western States. Under present conditions it is unlikely that the existing fine warm weather in Ontario will last much longer; snow and rain continues to fall from the Rockies to Manitoba. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 46-54; Kamloops, 36-38; Calgary, 29-31; Qu'Appelle, 20-40; Winnipeg, 33-54; Port Arthur, 48-56; Parry Sound, 40-72; Toronto, 58-82; Ottawa, 62-73; Montreal, 60-74; Quebec, 46-50; Halifax, 48-61.

Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Friday, Oct. 5, were: Highest, 84; lowest, 59 degrees. Today (Saturday) the sun rose at 6:30 a.m. and set at 5:51 p.m. The moon rises at 4:30 p.m. and sets at 3:55 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Miss Rhoda Atwell, of Rutherford, is visiting friends in London.

—Mr. John Crydenman, of this city, is spending a week in his home in Thamesville.

—Dr. Edwin Seaborn, city, has returned home after a two months' holiday in England and Paris.

—Miss Mable Guest, of Ridgeway, is visiting here, the guest of Miss Rumball and the Misses Carpenter.

—The death is announced of Mrs. Richard Neil, of Centerville, aged 70, the mother of Mrs. Rosenbergs, of this city.

—Mrs. Burton and daughter Minnie, of this city, are visiting with the former's daughter, Mrs. Walter C. Laing, at Essex.

—Mrs. Chas. Baker, of Westminster, has returned home from England after a pleasant five months in different parts of the old land.

—A very pleasant evening was spent on Thursday, when the Model students were entertained by the Dundas Center League. The kindness of the young people was fully appreciated by the

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—Lieut. Unlacke, formerly of No. 1 Company, I. C. R. I., but recently of Halifax, has returned here to take over the adjutancy of No. 1 Company.

—The Rev. Dr. Wild, once pastor of the First Congregational Church, this city, has resigned the pastorate of the Plymouth Church in Los Angeles, Cal.

—A. D. McIntyre, son of Dr. McIntyre, who has been visiting his cousin, G. W. Mitchell, 233 Clarence street, left yesterday to resume his studies at the Queen's College, Kingston.

—Miss Nellie Thomas, city, has accepted a position as a stenographer in a lawyer's office in Sarnia, Ont. She will make her home with her mother, Mrs. C. Thomas, jeweler, of that place.

—Mr. St. Clair Couzens, of Birt, has left for Cleveland, where he has obtained an important position. He will be missed by his many friends of Birt and vicinity.

—Dr. Treuholme, professor of English history in the Western University, is to deliver a course of lectures on the Italian artists of the renaissance. The professor spent some time in Italy collecting material for these lectures.

—Rev. Dr. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Church, will tomorrow night present the first sermon of the series on the Ten Commandments, which he some time ago announced his intention of doing. The sermon tomorrow night will be introductory to the series.

—Amherstburg Echo: James Naul, left Tuesday for London to enter the dining car service on the G. T. R., running between London and Toronto. Mr. Naul has been employed as chef on the Beauty Line of boats for years, and is capable of filling any position in his line.

—Fred N. Anderson, assistant physical director in the central department of the Y. M. C. A., Buffalo, N. Y., leaves on Monday next to attend university, where he intends studying for a V. S. Fred is an old London boy, being the son of the late Edward Anderson, formerly of this city.

—Lieut. Fred Lister, who has been acting adjutant of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I., for some time past, has gone to Toronto to take over the duties of adjutant for No. 2 Company at Stanley Barracks. He was extremely popular with all ranks at Wolseley Barracks, and was given a most hearty send-off when he left.

—Mrs. E. O'Grady and daughter, Mrs. Jess. Keenan, of Chicago, returned last night, accompanied by Mrs. Jess. Fairbairn and two children, of Wellington street, and Miss Thine McCue, of Waterloo street. Miss McCue will spend the winter in Chicago.

—An old man, nearly blind, and trembling with age and illness, applied to Mayor Rumball's office this morning to be sent to the Old Men's Home. He had never lived here, but was formerly a resident of Huron county, and, of course, the city could not be asked to support him. He was assisted on towards the evening by Miss Harrison and Mrs. Brown sang very acceptably. Mrs. D. B. Dewar was presented with a life membership in the society, of which she has always been a faithful member.

—The trustees of school section No. 23, London township, held a meeting at London Junction last night to consider applications for the principalship of the school, made vacant by the resignation of Mr. G. B. Kennedy, who most satisfactorily filled the position during the past four years. There were 50 applications received and difficulty was experienced in making a selection. The appointment fell to the lot of Mr. J. Gardfield Smith, son of Mr. J. C. Smith, of 151 Oxford street, who will assume his new duties at the beginning of the new year.

—The annual meeting of the Huron College Missionary Society was held Thursday evening in convocation hall, with the Rev. Provost Watkins in the chair. After devotional exercises the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. Provost Watkins; vice-president, H. A. Wright; treasurer, Rev. Prof. Burgess; secretary, I. N. Webb; advisory committee, W. W. Hodgins, H. A. Wright, I. N. Webb, W. J. Jackson, W. A. Ramsay; choir-master, C. M. Farney; Gleaners' Union secretary, T. Hicks. After a short address on the duty and work of the society, the meeting was closed by the benediction.

—At a meeting of No. 1 committee of the board of education held last night, Mr. C. B. Latta and F. Mortimore were placed on the substitute staff. A couple of applications for non-resident students to be permitted to attend the Collegiate Institute upon payment of county fees were granted. The question of abolishing the charge of \$30 upon non-residents will shortly be discussed. Miss A. Grant's application for a position on the kindergarten substitute staff was referred to the inspector. Principal Graham will be instructed to prepare a list of the books that have been sent to the Model School by the government with a view to their transfer to Principal Kirk.

—The Winnipeg Tribune of Tuesday has the following reference to the death of a former well-known Londoner: The death took place early this morning of Mr. E. K. Slater, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Matthews, of 257 Charlton street. Deceased was 58 years of age, and had been a resident of this country since 1933, having moved here with his family from London, Ont. He was a veteran of the Fenian raid, and served

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ed with the 7th Battalion. Some years ago he sustained a stroke of paralysis, from which he has since been an invalid. His family are: W. E. of Seattle, Wash., E. K. of Holland, Mrs. S. M. Jenner and Mrs. W. W. Matthews, of this city, and Mrs. H. B. Perrin, of Dauphin. Mr. Slater was a painter by occupation, and resided in London for many years, where he was well known and highly respected by a large circle of friends.

—The Young Women's Christian Association of Canada will hold their fourth biennial conference in St. Andrew's Church, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Evening sessions will be held. Prominent speakers and specialists in their own line of work will address the meetings.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Tracy, B. G. of Detroit, and Miss Anna Barrows, associate principal, Chautauqua School of Domestic Science, will be the speakers. Wednesday evening Miss Sara Carson, Chautauqua House, New York, will speak on "The Place of the Club in the Association," and Rev. A. L. Goggin, Parkdale Presbyterian Church, Toronto, on the "Y. W. C. A. in Place and Power in Social Economics." Thursday evening, Mrs. T. M. Harris, on "Canada's Day of Opportunity." Miss W. J. Macdonald, "Association Work in Other Lands." The closing address will be given by Rev. Dr. Johnston. The public are cordially invited to attend.

UREN-CRAW.

On Wednesday afternoon last, the home of Mrs. Craw, Barrie, Ont., was the scene of a quiet autumn wedding, when her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Boyd Craw, youngest daughter of the late Rev. Geo. Craw, was united in marriage to Rev. H. J. Uren, of Adelaide, Ont. The ceremony took place in the drawing-room, bright with floral decorations, in the presence of only immediate relatives. The Rev. Dr. Craw, of Thorncliffe, officiated, and was assisted by Rev. A. W. Craw, B.A., of Warkworth. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Rev. George I. Craw, of Victoria Harbor, looked very pretty in white organdie, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by Miss Clarkson, of Toronto, gowned in white organdie over pale yellow, carrying cream roses. Mr. R. W. Craw, B.A., of Knox College, brother of the groom, acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Uren left on the evening train for Chicago and other western points. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents, among which was a cabinet grand piano from her mother.

ELECTED OFFICERS

Adjourned Annual Meeting of the Conservative Club—Mr. Wm. Gray Again Chosen President.

The Conservative Club adjourned annual meeting was held last night with a large attendance. The election of officers for the year resulted as follows: President, Mr. Wm. Gray; vice-presidents, Messrs. John Jones and Campbell Becher; secretary, Mr. John Dromgoole; treasurer, Mr. Walter Evans; auditors, Messrs. J. H. Jones and J. H. Jones.

FEEDS BRAIN WORKERS.

A Food Made Especially for Them. A literary woman, Mrs. J. C. Roberts, 133 Holmes street, Dallas, Tex., has discovered that a properly selected brain food is of great benefit to any brain worker. She says: "My duties as journalist require me to write all day, particularly in the winter, but heretofore, after luncheon, no matter how light I made it, I found myself incapacitated for work for an hour or two, for my brain would not respond to the demand."

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tors, Messrs. Henry Macklin and Jas. Granger.

Mr. Isaac Waterman was unanimously chosen honorary president.

Mr. R. Shaw-Wood was the unanimous choice for honorary vice-president.

Mr. Gray has now been chosen president for the fifth time.

Mr. J. M. Logan presided, and on the platform with him were Mr. A. W. Wright, Mr. R. Shaw-Wood, president of the Conservative Association of East Middlesex; Major Beattie, M.P., Mr. J. H. Flock, Q.C., Dr. J. D. Wilson, Mr. John Forrester, Mr. William Becher and Mr. P. H. Beattie.

Several speakers addressed the meeting, including Major Beattie, M.P., who was warmly received. R. Shaw-Wood, A. W. Wright, J. H. Flock, John Forrester and Messrs. J. Jones and C. Becher, Mr. J. T. Dalton's Imperial Male Quartet sang several election songs. The meeting closed with the usual cheers.

with others, an opportunity of bidding for the lease of the line where the present lease has expired. I do not think any extension should be granted on any other terms than the leaving of the matter open to all bidders; this will certainly be better for the interests of the city of London.

In view of our holding of stock, I should like to have a director on the London and Port Stanley board. Kindly advise me if there are any vacancies on the board, and if not, when the next election of directors takes place. I thank you for the expression of friendliness in the part of the citizens of London towards the Grand Trunk Railway. We are doing what we can in the way of increased and better service to warrant such appreciation.

"Yours truly,
CHAS. M. HAYS,
General Manager."

There are no vacancies on the board.

Amusements.

Mr. Edward Warren, who appears in the quaint character of Aunt Melinda Jane Boggs, of Juniperville, Vermont, in the four-act pastoral comedy-drama, "Cowslip Farm," is an artist well and favorably known throughout the country. His actual stage experience covers more than twenty years, beginning his career as a humble member of a well-known western stock company, and his part in "Cowslip Farm" is a distinct revelation. He portrays to the life a New England spinster, a line of work made famous by Mr. Nell Burgess. The costuming of the part is perfect in every detail, and his acting has created an impression which is bound to last.

The Value of the Port Stanley Road as Set by the Board.

Would Not Entertain the L. E. and D. R. R. Company's Offer.

The Grand Trunk Interested—General Manager Hays Wishes to Know Things—Wants a Chance to Bid for the Line—An Important Letter.

The following resolution sums up the work of the London and Port Stanley Railway board, which met last night to consider the L. E. and D. R. R. Company's verbal offer of \$14,000 for the remainder of their term and \$15,000 for the extended period.

The proposition of the management of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railroad Company, namely, \$14,000 per year for the present term of lease and \$15,000 per year for the term of the proposed extension, without payment of interest on bridge account or percentage of earnings over \$50,000 a year, is not acceptable to this board, and this board is willing to negotiate an extension of the lease at a rental of \$20,000 for the remainder of the present lease, and \$25,000 a year during the term of the extension, that is, for sixteen years from the expiration of the present lease.

The division on the motion, which was made by Ald. Dreaney, seconded by Ald. Gerry, was:

Yeas—Ald. Dreaney, Gerry, Jenkins and Jolly.

Nays—Ald. Douglass, Pritchard and Garratt.

Ald. Garratt was not opposed to the substance of the resolution, but he desired a proviso in the motion requiring any agreement proposed to be ratified by the city council and citizens.

Ald. Pritchard moved, seconded by Ald. Douglass, that, as the L. E. and D. R. R. Company had made no proposition in writing, the board should refuse to consider the matter of extension until it be submitted in writing. The motion was voted down.

An amendment to the motion that carried, Ald. Douglass moved, seconded by Ald. Pritchard, that the rental be \$25,000 per year for the remainder of the present lease, and also for the term of the proposed extension, with interest and percentage charges as at present. Lost.

Ald. Pritchard tried to turn the tide of action once more by moving that the board entertain no proposition for the extension of the lease, but his amendment was voted down.

President Rumball advocated the payment of a lump sum instead of the payment of percentages of earnings. He mentioned, also, that in City Solicitor Meredith's opinion, any agreement for the extension of the lease must be ratified by the city council, as the representatives of the mortgagees of the road.

GRAND TRUNK INTERESTED. President Rumball had received a letter from General Manager Hays, of the Grand Trunk Railway, asking for particulars concerning the extension of the lease. Mr. Rumball, in reply, stated that no agreement would be closed without the stockholders being first made acquainted with the same—the Grand Trunk being stockholders to the extent of 2,500 shares. He then received the following letter from Manager Hays:

"On Road, Oct. 4, 1900.
"His Worship F. G. Rumball, Mayor, London, Ont.:
"Dear Sir—I am obliged for your favor of Oct. 1, relative to the London and Port Stanley lease, and understand that you will advise us before any action is taken looking toward an extension of the lease. You are correct in your assumption that I attach more value to the line than my predecessors, and on behalf of the Grand Trunk Railway I should like,

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That is, babies: fat, they are happy and safe; lean, they are neither happy nor safe.

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British Elections Drawing to a Close.

Gen. Laurie Among the Successful Candidates.

Rebellion in Eromanga—British Warship Sent to the Scene.

Twenty-One Sailors Clubbed to Death by Savages.

London, Saturday, Oct. 4.—1:50 a.m.—Thirty-two contests took place yesterday in the parliamentary general election. Most of them were in rural districts and the results have not yet been announced. So far as is known, however, 41 members have been officially declared elected, and the relative strength of parties is the following:

Ministerialists	301
Liberals	37
Nationalists	60
Labourites	3

The Conservatives have now gained a total of 32 seats, and the Liberals, including the labor candidates and Nationalists, have gained 15 seats, which would give this government an additional 16 votes on a division in the House of Commons.

In the Penzance district Lieut.-Gen. John Wilmshurst, Conservative, was returned by a vote of 2,679, against 2,367 for his liberal opponent, Terrell. Gen. Laurie is a well-known Free-trader and has served a great deal in Canada.

In the Stratford and Widnes divisions of Lancashire, Sir John William MacClure and Mr. John Saunders Gilliat, who respectively represented constituencies in the late parliament, have been returned by the Conservatives with enormously increased majorities.

Sir Robert Bannatyne Finlay, attorney-general, was re-elected as the Liberal-Unionist candidate in Invernessburgh.

At Maidstone the Liberals captured a seat, their candidate, Mr. J. Barker, receiving 2,200 votes, as against 2,162 cast against his Conservative opponent, Mr. Fienness S. W. Cornwallis, who represented in the late parliament from 1898.

Last evening Mr. Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, sent the following telegram to a candidate: "Let all patriotic Englishmen remember the words of the mayor of Mafeking: a seat lost by the Unionist Government is a seat gained by the Boers."

The peers of Scotland met in the palace of Holyrood at noon today and elected 16 representatives to the House of Lords. The present peers were re-elected. Two vacancies caused by the death of the Earl of Arfrie and the resignation of Baron Polwarth, were filled by the election of the Earl of Northesk and Baron Belhaven and Strenton.

Other Cable News.

TRouble in the Hebrides. According to advices received by the steamship Mowra, the natives of Eromanga, in the New Hebrides group, have risen, 15 natives have been killed, and a British warship has gone to the scene of the trouble. Missionary teachers have been compelled to hold their services in caves, and to build a bullet-proof stockade around the chief's premises at Dillon's Bay. In the district affected there are over 200 Christian teachers, and only two white men, including Rev. H. A. Roberts, who was a passenger on the Mowra. He represented the Canadian Missionary Society. The island is 100 miles in circumference.

HER HUSBAND WAS A DRUNKARD

A Lady Who Cures Her Husband of His Drinking Habits Writes of Her Struggle to Save Her Home.

A PATHETIC LETTER.



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SOLDIERS FIGHT SOCIALISTS.

Ghent, Belgium, Oct. 6.—A serious conflict took place yesterday between a number of Socialists and soldiers during an open-air performance by a regimental band. The latter was playing a royalist air, and the Socialists began singing revolutionary songs and stoned some soldiers who were in company with the bandmen. The soldiers thereupon drew their swords and in the fight which followed several persons were wounded, especially the bandmaster and an officer. Many arrests were made.

IMPERIAL ZOLLVEREIN SCHEME.

London, Oct. 6.—A political associate of Mr. Chamberlain states that the colonial secretary hopes to use the overwhelming personal triumph gained at the polls to again endeavor to solve the imperial zollverein project in co-operation with Canada and Australia, and to complete the commercial unity of the empire. It would, Mr. Chamberlain believes, be the crowning achievement of his career. The Times says the question, with its important international bearings, will likely occupy the attention of the new imperial parliament.

THE PEACE CONGRESS.

Paris, Oct. 6.—The International peace congress optimized its work yesterday, in which it says the congress condemned the refusal of the British Government to agree to arbitration or mediation in South Africa, and expresses keen regret that the majority of the government might have offered mediation abstained from so doing in spite of their pacific declarations at The Hague.

Regarding China, the peace congress, after recognizing and pointing out the primary cause of discontent upon the part of the Chinese, urged that the solution of the conflict be just and equitable and in conformity with the inalienable right of the population to freely dispose of themselves.

The congress also characterized the Armenian massacres as the most odious deed of present times, and expressed the hope that the universal indignation of the civilized world would force the governments to find a radical solution.

Continuing, the congress pointed out the moral and material injury resulting from the formidable armaments recommended by the governments to study these questions, on the solution of which, it was asserted, depended the prosperity and the very existence of the nations. The congress recommended international arbitration and urged the conclusion of treaties making arbitration permanent and obligatory. It is claimed that the congress has thus placed before the world the basis of a preliminary study of international differences as they occur in order to facilitate pacific solutions before irritation spreads to the ill-informed masses.

PERISHED IN THE SNOW.

The steamship Mowra brings word from Sydney, N. S. W., that five men perished in the snowfields of Mount Arrowsmith, Tasmania, on Aug. 28, when ten days earlier another man had perished in the snow. The cold was so intense that a rescue party, most of whom shared the same fate, the cold affecting the men so badly that blood oozed from their hands and faces. The plague has broken out at Townsville, N.S.W. Five cases are reported, with two fatalities.

SLAIN BY SAVAGES.

The steamer Mowra, from Australia, brings from Los Negros a story of the wrecking of the trading bark Almond, which ran ashore on a coral reef and was surrounded by hordes of savages, who murdered Capt. Line, First Officer John Garland, Second Officer Peter Mullen, three white and fifteen native sailors by beating them to death with clubs.

The Mowra also brings advices of the wrecking of the Japanese mail boat Pami Maru on rocks at Mindoro Island. The passengers and crew, numbering 160 persons, were saved. The loss of the vessel and cargo approximated \$1,500,000.

Other advices state that the contract for the construction of the Pacific cable has been awarded to the Telegraph Construction and Maintenance Company, Limited, at its tender of \$9,500,000, within a time limit of eighteen months.

CABLE NOTES.

It is now officially announced that representatives of Germany, Austria and France will meet in Paris in a few days to consider the sugar bounties question. The French government proposed the reconsideration. The German delegates are not instructed to reach an understanding can be reached, all the sugar producing countries will be invited to another conference.

New Zealand's parliament is going to consider the question of joining the new Commonwealth of Australia.

Lady Georgina Grey, a daughter of the Reform Bill Earl Grey, and the oldest of the ladies residing at Hampton Court, died recently at the age of 90 years and 7 months.

C. J. Goss, former clerk in Parr's Bank, London, accused of stealing about \$300,000 from the bank in January, 1899, pleaded guilty in the Old Bailey yesterday, and was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude.

A Port Said dispatch says: The Suez Canal is not blocked, as reported in the United States, by the sinking recently in these waters of the American steam collier Amerco, bound for Manila with coal for the American fleet. Vessels passing through the canal are subject to no delay.

NOT UP TO HIS PROMISE.

"John," she said, sorrowfully, "you promised me when I said I would be your wife that you would embrace religion for my sake—that you would be a pillar in the church."

"Well," he asked, "haven't I been going regularly?"

"Yes," she sighed; "but I couldn't help thinking as I watched you last Sunday while the preacher was delivering his sermon that instead of being a pillar in the church you would have been more comfortable if you could have had a pillow in it."

Chinese historians estimate the population of their country in the year 711 after Christ at only 50,000,000. In 1580 the accepted figure was 60,000,000; in 1793 it was 307,000,000. The present population is probably between 370,000,000 and 400,000,000.

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THOUSANDS ARE WAITING

To Return to Their Homes in the Transvaal.

Will Take Three Months to Repatriate the Refugees—Boers Surrendering to Buller—Mrs. Kruger Dying.

London, Oct. 5.—The foreign office has received the following dispatch from the British high commissioner in South Africa, Sir Alfred Milner: The refugees will begin to return to the Transvaal on Oct. 16, at the rate of about 1,000 weekly. It will take at least three months to repatriate those who are waiting in South Africa.

BURGHERS SURRENDER.

The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, under date of Pretoria, Oct. 3: Buller reached Pilgrims' Rest Sept. 27, the enemy retreating. The Boers brought two guns into action on Oct. 1, but afterward disappeared, taking the guns with them. During the march 600 head of cattle, 6,000 sheep and 150 wagon loads of supplies were captured. One hundred and nine burghers surrendered and 184,000 rounds of small arm ammunition was destroyed.

MRS. KRUGER DYING.

A Pretoria dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says: Mrs. Kruger, the wife of the president of the republic, is so ill that the authorities have issued an order forbidding drivers of vehicles to pass the house except at a walking pace.

GONE NORTH.

Pretoria, Oct. 5.—Definite information has been received from the effect that when President Kruger crossed the border into Portuguese territory, the leaders he left behind held a meeting at Hectorpruit and resolved to take all the best mounted and go north with the lighter guns. The intention is to work around Pietersburg and continue the final struggle in the Zoutpansburg district.

Gen. Botha is not seriously ill. He is suffering from the mild attack of quinsy. Viljoen, the second in command, is temporarily the head of the Boers.

Stat. Secretary Reitz and his three sons are now fighting as burghers in Botha's command. All the Boer leaders recognize that the struggle is useless, but they are obstinately determined not to abandon it until they are compelled to. The poorly-mounted burghers have been left behind to work their way to their homes or across the Portuguese border. Gen. Botha's force of about 1,500 men has gone north.

The Canadians

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—Reports have been received at the militia department from Lieut.-Col. Evans, Lieut.-Col. Otter and Major Williams and Major Ogilvie, in South Africa.

The strength of the second Canadian Mounted Rifles on parade was 169, sick 116, missing and employed 37. Pte. O. Smith died on the march and was buried at Bankfontein, Pte. F. MacDonald, who had been a prisoner with the Boers, had rejoined the battalion.

A cable was received from the India office by the militia department cabling £10,000 for supplies sent from Canada to the imperial troops in China.

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CASUALTIES

Deadly Frog Claims Another Victim.

Young Man Mistaken for a Deer and Shot Dead.

THE DEADLY FROG. Schenectady, N. Y., Oct. 6.—Jesse Haswell, a Delaware and Hudson brakeman, was killed in this city yesterday. He was making a coupling and caught his foot in a deadly frog.

HUNTER'S FATAL MISTAKE. Utica, N. Y., Oct. 6.—Howard Fetterly, of Euclid, N. Y., 20 years of age, a guest at the Otter Lake Hotel, in the Adirondacks, was mistaken by John App for a deer, shot through the heart and killed.

TOOK POISON. Toronto, Oct. 6.—Edward Smith, aged 41, of 283 Jarvis street, was found in an unconscious condition yesterday morning in St. James' Cathedral grounds, with an empty laudanum bottle beside him. He had taken an ounce of the poison. He was removed to St. Michael's hospital, and efforts to save his life are expected to be successful. He was at one time a partner in the fruit business of Smith Bros., but for two years has done nothing, and was very despondent.

DEATH FROM HEMORRHAGE. Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 6.—John Edgman, who had an extensive business here as a commission merchant, died yesterday of hemorrhage, the result of typhoid fever. He was widely known and highly respected, and had been a resident of Winnipeg for a great many years.

FATAL QUARREL. Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 6.—M. F. Dryden, a prominent attorney, was shot and killed yesterday by Thomas Workman, his father-in-law, in a family quarrel. Workman says the shooting was done in self-defense.

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Township Councils.

LONDON. London township council met Oct. 2. All the members present. A communication from R. Routledge, re tax on part of lot 8, con. C, was referred to Mr. Clark, one from J. Laitman, re admission of Mrs. Collins to House of Refuge, was filed.

Messrs. Dreaney and Breen addressed the council in reference to a drain on lot 6, con. 2. The matter was referred to Mr. Clark, with power. Orders for the following were issued: J. McLaughlin, \$2, for wood furnished to John Jones; Geo. Graham, \$3 20 for provisions; for Wm. Draper, C. F. Heath, \$78 80, for town's voters' list; J. Grant, clerk, \$6 44, postage on voters' lists and engineer's awards; F. W. Farncombe, \$32, his costs of award on Tuckey drain, amendment thereto and appeal thereon; T. Henry, \$3 60, for putting gravel on bridge; N. Gowan, \$2 60, draining tile, etc.; D. Long, \$5, cleaning out water privilege; E. Douglas, \$225, contract price for building bridge opposite lot 15, con. 15, J. Hodgins, \$10, for overseeing building of bridge, etc.; E. Dann, \$2 90, for one day and mileage at Brough's bridge; A. Haskett, \$10, for filling approach to bridge; J. Suranto, \$1 50 for taking 100 lbs. to hospital; T. Ramsay, \$4, for work on the Tuckey drain, etc.; J. Geary, \$13 33 for ewe killed by dogs. Council adjourned to meet at Brough's bridge on the call of the reeve, J. Grant, clerk.

LOBO. Lobo township council met pursuant to adjournment. Present: Arch. McGugan, reeve; Donald Campbell, Alex. McIntyre, Malcolm Paul and Arch. Fraser, councillors. Bylaw No. 429, confirming the levying of \$4,233 17 as county rate for county purposes for 1900, passed. Bylaw No. 430, confirming the levying of 3 mills on the dollar, thereby raising the sum of \$5,259 38 as township rate for 1900, was passed. Bylaw No. 431, confirming the levying of the several school rates for 1900, passed. The bondsman named for collector for 1900 were accepted.

The following checks were issued: C. Ferguson, \$3 50 for work on bridge pier; D. Graham, \$2 10 for bolts; N. A. Graham, 15 cents, repairs to road grader; A. McDougall, \$4 25, work on culvert; Evans Bros., \$27 50 for painting; E. T. Caverhill, \$14 05, road work; E. T. Caverhill, \$11 62 for gravel; J. Forbes, 60 cents for gravel; Charles Ferguson, \$28 for driving piles, etc.; J. McDougall, \$5 32 for gravel; James Wright & Son, \$4 08 for piping for drain; Samuel Hilliard, \$43 32 for gravel; D. T. Gray, \$10 for road work; J. Walker, \$4 for culverts; W. Braxton, \$2 for gravel; H. McIntyre, \$7 33 for gravel; D. McLaughlin, \$9 06 for gravel; Samuel Clair, \$1 25 for cutting weeds; A. McKellar, \$4 02 for gravel; J. Gorman, \$1 for opening road; John McNeil, \$3 30 for work on drain; R. M. Edwards, \$27 06 for gravel; J. McNeil, \$6 18 for gravel; H. B. Ward, \$10, being Lobo township's share of this drain; James B. McNeil, \$1 50, repairs to grader; Daniel Zavitz, \$6 42, gravel; reeve and two councillors, \$8 for meeting held at Komoka re repairs to railroad bridges. Council adjourned to meet Oct. 1. E. R. Barclay, clerk of Lobo.

EAST WILLIAMS. Minutes of a meeting of East Williams council, held at Nalra on the 17th of September. The following accounts passed: J. Keyser, tile, Adelaide town line, \$8 97; tile, McCubbin's hill, \$1 82; Wm. Gray, repairing culvert, \$2; Chas. Bolton, repairing culvert, \$3 25; Alfred Jackson, repairing culvert, 50 cents; John Walker, two concrete culverts, \$2 60; Alex. J. Ross, damage to grass in gravel pit, \$2; P. McIntyre, for repairs to engine, \$15; J. Amos, charge re engine, \$1; John McCormick, one sheep killed by dogs, \$5 33; James McFarlane, grant in gravel, \$12; C. C. Stewart, grant in gravel, \$12; Kate McDonald, \$18 75. Mr. Johnston was asked to expend \$5 in gravel on Gordon's flats.

Councillor Johnston was asked to examine the water grievance of Alex. McIntosh, con. 18, and report at next meeting.

The clerk was instructed to find out whether the provincial road inspector would address a meeting, explaining the best method of keeping up the roads after abolishing statute labor. A vote on this question will likely be taken at the next municipal election. Colin Fraser was appointed collector.

James McFarlane resigned the inspectorship of sheep killed by dogs and Alex. McKellar was appointed in his place.

The next meeting of the council takes place on the third Monday of October at 10 a.m. D. A. Stewart, clerk.

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We cannot help liking Col. Denison's book. In the most artless way, time after time, it indicates what a capital fellow the author is, and always has been. His narrative is charming. He tells of his own achievements and experiences with a disinterested candor that is refreshing and delightful. In him there is no egotism, no self-complacency, but there is an abundance of many frankness that unconsciously made us consider that we were old friends of the colonel's, to whom he was writing the story during an arm-in-arm walk in the garden. He has cultivated the knack of speaking of himself in a manner that is entirely agreeable to the reader, and yet, when the occasion demands, Col. Denison, the author, does not hesitate to back up Col. Denison, the soldier. Whenever this happens, though, it is apparent that justice only is done, which would not be so if he refrained from utilizing his happy facility of using the first personal pronoun as a critic would use the third personal, the colonel's unaffected simplicity is certainly likable. While reading the book one cannot but feel that his candor has done good service to the narrative, for many incidents are told that a more restrained and less truthful writer would have withheld for fear of being considered a person of much vanity. In the most natural way imaginable the colonel raises himself in your esteem so that when the book is closed he rests firmly upon a pinnacle to which few biographers ever find it possible to attain.

The colonel acknowledges that the book consists almost wholly of his own experiences, and the knowledge that has found its way to a very receptive mind during a long period of public life. The law of necessity has certainly had something to do in the control of his life, and that of the Denison family. From the time of Waterloo, probably further back than that, they have been fighters. They were men of the strong loyal stamp, who fought for sovereign and country because they believed it to be their duty as patriots and gentlemen, losing much time and little money thereby, and having, as their motto, always, "Fear God, Honor the King." The distinguishing qualities of the family again came to the surface when the American war of the revolution was fought, that devoted band of United Empire Loyalists from the Eastern States to the wilds of the then little known Canada. Since that time the colonel's ancestors have at hand when rumors of enemies to their country were afoot, and better still, the guns were in their hands and ready to be used whenever the enemy was within striking distance. It would seem as though all the military enthusiasm of the family, all its ardor and ability to command, and all its unswerving, patient loyalty had lived again in the person of the author, who had lived in the time of Louis XIV., would have been the most dashing of cavaliers, and the most captivating of courtiers.

The colonel's military ardor was inherent. It was clearly a part of his mental make-up. When he was a wee bit of a chap, living near New Fort, Toronto, he was captivated by certain sounds that he had not heard before. He did not understand their origin, but the effect upon the child was apparent, and would have been just the same if he had known then, as he knew afterwards, that they were the bugles of the British regulars who were stationed at the fort. Of course this particular feature of his individuality was developed by the love of country which grew with the youth and was strengthened by his subsequent relations and training. It would be impossible to understand without reading the colonel's book what an enthusiasm he is in all things that pertain to military matters. It has been the absorbing passion of his life. His account of the first occasion upon which he saw the corps with which he was afterwards connected afforded an excellent illustration of the future colonel's powers of observation, and the impressionable quality of his mind. He noticed things that the ordinary person would have overlooked, and the whole affair made such an impression upon the youthful spectator that it affected him in his whole subsequent career.

The presence (at the fort) of a British regiment in good condition, says the author, "and splendidly maintained and drilled, made it impossible for a military corps, self-supported, to compete either in numbers, equipment or drill, and naturally comparisons were drawn much to the disadvantage of the latter. The men used to be laughed at and ridiculed to such an extent that it was found much more pleasant to keep out of sight as much as possible and avoid attracting any attention. At this time Bloor street, Toronto, was not opened westwards through the woods, and the upper part of Spadina avenue was cleared, so that a glade or clearance about two or three acres in extent was situated there, surrounded by woods. It was at that time, about 1848 or 1849, a very secluded spot, and it was there, on a summer's evening, I first saw a number of men of the corps with which I was to be connected near

all my life, being drilled by my father. The men had gathered by by-paths to avoid notice. It must have been the strong impressions of my childhood, created by these secluded drillings and the evident desire to avoid the public eye that had an influence upon me all my life." Young Denison became a cornet in his father's troop in 1854. He was gazetted lieutenant in 1855. He was a major when he was 22 and lieutenant-colonel when he was 27.

From a physical view-point, the most trying experience that he met with during the time of his command, was in 1855 when the famous North Shore trip was necessitated by the uprising in the Northwest. Many Londoners have not yet forgotten the hardships of that trying time, and it will be interesting for them, as for others, to read the opinion of a man whose position among the world's foremost military authorities is more fully recognized in militant Europe than in his own country. Of it he says: "A great deal has been said about the passage of the Alps in 1800, and there is no doubt it was a brilliant strategical operation, but as far as the hardships and difficulties and exposure to the men were concerned, I am satisfied that our trip was much the worst."

On that occasion the colonel evidenced his remarkable abilities as a leader, his buoyant enthusiasm and his marvelous capacity for hard work. These qualities have been shown at different times all through his career. The preparation of his "History of Cavalry" bore testimony to his power of organizing huge undertakings to a successful conclusion. The colonel says of it:

"I was accustomed to get up all through the springs and summers of 1876 and 1878 before daylight, and at work by daylight. Often I have heard the town bells ringing at 6 a.m., after having put in two hours' good work. I used to take a cup of coffee when I first got up, and had breakfast at 7. Commenced work again at 8 and worked till noon, when I had lunch and walked a little over three miles to my office. I generally managed to get in two hours' work again in the evening. I averaged eight hours work a day for two years, and during two months in St. Petersburg, at the end, it was nearer 15 than 10 hours. I had to go hurriedly through over 700 volumes, picking out what I wanted and classifying it all. I worked at that for about a year, making notes, before I began to write at all. Then I had to write chapter after chapter, go over them carefully, and then make a clean copy, to send installments from time to time to New York to be translated. It can readily be imagined how hard I had to work and at what high pressure."

Every one knows that with this book the colonel won first prize in the world by Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia. In fact, it has only been in Europe and Asia that there has been a proper appreciation of his work. We are glad that his own people have not yet learned that a man of such distinction lives among them. Not so with the peoples of the old land, however. Toronto, fair and prosperous city that it is, must needs be known over the water as the city where Col. Denison, the cavalry expert, lives. The author himself was surprised by the extent of his book's popularity. He heard of them everywhere. In the most unexpected places he was reminded that he was the author of some books of unusual excellence. He tells of this in a manner that you will appreciate as much as we did, so we will give you the incidents as described in his own words:

"When I arrived in St. Petersburg I was at the General Staff offices several times to see Capt. Schenckine, and he introduced me from time to time to a number of cavalry generals and colonels, who seemed interested in meeting me, and who immediately began discussing my 'Modern Cavalry,' which had appeared in English eight years before, and in German six years before. I was astonished to find them so well up in it. I saw that they must have read it, and naturally thought to myself what close attention these people must be paying to military matters, if they are reading foreign books so carefully. Day after day I was astonished at this."

"When Mr. Clark began to look over it to translate parts of it to me, he said: 'Colonel, this author is constantly referring to your book.' I said: that cannot be, for it is not mentioned in the list of authors. He turned to the list and said: 'Why, yes, there it is,' pointing out a Russian title and name, which I could not read, and he said: 'That is it, that is your name.' I said: 'How strange he did not put that in English, like the others.' He said: 'He has evidently used the Russian translation.' I said: 'It has never been translated into Russian.' 'Yes, it has,' said Mr. Clark, by order of the Grand Duke, the Emperor. The next day to see Capt. Schenckine, and I asked him if he had ever heard that my 'Modern Cavalry' had been translated into Russian. 'Certainly it has,' he replied, 'Surely you knew that.' 'I never did,' said I. Then he told me the circumstances."

"A curious incident occurred during this trip. We were traveling in a railway carriage in the northern part of Germany, when at a station two young officers came into the carriage where my wife and daughters were with me. After a little while I wished to make some casual inquiry about where we stopped for meals or something of that sort, so I asked the young gentlemen if they could speak English. One said he could a little. I received the information he was able to give me, and the conversation closed. After a while the gentleman said, 'I see you are an Englishman, sir. When did you leave England?' I replied, 'On Thursday last, and then said, 'Although I am of pure English descent, I am, properly speaking, a Canadian. I was born at Toronto, in Canada.' He sat quietly for some time, and then said, 'Have you read Denison's 'History of Cavalry'?' I was so astonished I could hardly believe my ears. I said, 'What?' He repeated, 'Have you read the History of Cavalry, by Col. Denison, a Canadian officer?' My daughters began to laugh, and I said, 'Yes, I have read it,' and then I added, 'To tell the truth, I wrote it.' He evidently doubted me, and took out his card case and handed me his card, and it showed he was a cavalry officer named Witten Elias."

I handed him mine, and he saw I was a Canadian. I said to him, 'How do you do my book?' 'You see,' he said,

"I am an officer of cavalry," I replied, "But how do you know my book?" "I am only two years from the academy, and it was one of our textbooks," he said. I asked what edition, and he replied, "Col. Brix's translation." He then went on to say, "It is the foundation of our present system of cavalry tactics." Sir Selby Smith, a great military man, was pleased to hear this in a great military nation such as Germany."

The train of life bore to the colonel other acquaintances, also, of whom there linger in his mind no such pleasant memories. Even in this respect, however, he was singularly fortunate. In dealing with those whom Providence had decreed should not live in the completest harmony with him, Col. Denison has shown that he is as resourceful in words as in action. In those where there is the excitement of movement and the glimmer of flashing steel. In "Soldiering in Canada" he shows that he has not yet forgotten the great military man, and the evident desire to avoid the public eye that had an influence upon me all my life."

Before bringing this review to an end, there is one thing about the book that appealed to us very much, and that is the fact that you are entirely in his set, and just when you assure yourself of your hold upon his companionship, along comes one of his friends, and he says: "Ah! there's the Duke of York, or there's the Grand Duke Nicholas. Come over and I'll introduce you. He is greatly interested in my book, the 'History of Cavalry.' With him you talk to Jefferson Davis, take a walk down a corridor in Hatfield House with Lord Salisbury, or attend a review at Aldershot in company with a few crowned heads and a score of other royalties. It is very nice, indeed. But in the bright radiance of his associates, no shade is thrown upon the author. He stands among them all, with the light of his own mind, and the truth worth apparent in every action. It shows not the less clearly in his latest work, a historical record of events that is of exceeding interest to every Canadian."

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THE PLAY.
When the arc-lights on avenue and square
Shed their white glamor and the gas-jets glow
Adown the street, far-reaching row on row,
And one scarce knows if in the upper
Is cloud or star-shine or the moon-light fair,
Forth to the play the merry pleasers go
To see the mimes enact, in mimic show,
Life with its passionate joy and dull despair.

And yet you need not pass the play-house doors;
To gaze on Comedy: behold it where
You urrine capers with absurd grimace,
And if you mark the human flood that pours
Its billows by you, ere you are aware
You will meet gaily Tragedy face to face!

—Clinton Scollard.

Mr. John Griffiths can hardly be said to be fortunate in his choice of such a play as "Spartacus" as a vehicle for the expression of his dramatic abilities. Fashions and ideas in the theater, as in all other lines of life, have changed mightily since Edwin Forrest, with his Herculean frame and stentorian voice, strutted the boards of Park Theater, New York, and called on the Roman slaves to rise and sweep their masters from the earth. "Spartacus" and similar plays of the heavy school have in them little or none of the elements that appeal essentially to modern audiences. Analytically considered, there is little to it but "loud alarms without" and vociferous exercise of the vocal chords. It contains none of the solid foundation of thoughtful creation that would keep alive for all ages the plays of Shakespeare and of a few of the other old dramatists. In staidland, as in other realms of thought,

"Our little systems have their day, they have their day and cease to be."

The heavy drama, in which Davenport and before a past generation, has had its day and should not be dragged, with irreverent hands, from the grave to which it has been consigned.

Mr. Griffiths does not seem well to look to it that he does not forfeit the favorable position he has won with the play-going public. Those who remember not alone his own scholarly conception of the character of Mephisto or his pleasing rendition of the brave and romantic Huguenot captain in "An Enemy to the King," but the adequate, not to say admirable, support with which he surrounded himself in these productions, cannot fail to perceive that his present company is one that falls greatly below the excellence of his former ones. Mr. Griffiths must bring with him more worthy support and a play more suited to modern tastes if he would hope to retain for himself the deservedly high place he has won in the dramatic world.

Madame Modjeska's farewell tour will be largely confined to a much-talked-of production of "King John."

Delia Fox is herself again. She is the leading lady in a new production, called, "The Rogers Brothers in Central Park."

Mabel Amber, who played the title role here in "Trilby," in 1905, has been engaged as leading woman with Joseph Haworth.

E. H. Sothorn was slightly injured by a sword cut in the duel scene of "Hamlet" at the Garden theater last Thursday. He missed no performance, however.

Chas. H. Hoyt, who a few months ago was thought to be a complete mental wreck, is now said to be again in perfect health, and is at work upon a new play to be called "A Bunch of Blue Ribbons."

Winsome Lulu Glaser, since 1895 Francis Wilson's leading lady, is to go on tour under the management of

Frank Martineau. She will appear in a new comic opera by Edgar Smith and Louis DeLange, with music by W. H. Nieldinger. It is called "Sweet Annie Page."

Mary Sanders, whose engagement here as Little Nell in "The Old Curiosity Shop" was cancelled because of the Grand Opera House fire, was nearly killed by the breaking of the tank used in "Lost River" last week.

Louis James and Miss Kathryn Kilder will present Wagenhal and Kemper's production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" this season. Although but rarely played it is perhaps the most familiar of Shakespeare's comedies.

Actor Charles Cogan's casket was swept away in the Galveston storm. The force of the wind and waves wrecked the vault. It was the intention of his wife to have the body cremated, that being his dying request.

A monster benefit was given at Keith's Theater, New York, for the benefit of the Galveston storm sufferers. The receipts were \$2,500. Prominent actors and actresses rushed to the theater to lend their services when the benefit was announced, there being more than 100 performers on the programme.

Helen Byron, who was leading lady of the Cummings Stock Company, in Toronto, three years ago, is now playing Johnston Bennett's part in "A Female Drummer" with indifferent success, as Miss Byron's art and personality are hardly such as to lend themselves to such masculine characters. She is now studying the manuscript of a new play in which she may star later in the season.

There promises to be a regular deluge of Nell Gwynne play shortly. Ada Rehan intends appearing as Nell Gwynne in "Sweet Nell of Old Drury." Margaret Anglin was first to have it, but Miss Rehan needed a play and her managers got it. Aubrey Boucault and Henrietta Crossman are playing "Miss Rehan" in Toronto this week, while Anthony Hope's "Simon Dale" is being produced in England.

Among the pleasant things recorded in theatricals recently was the revival of Annie Pixley's famous play, written for her by Bret Harte, "Miss Nellie McHenry" is playing the title role, and Joseph Brennan is the Yuba Bill. In this production are the most striking portions of Annie Pixley's production, while in other parts modern improvements have been applied to the production with success.

Gertrude Cogan, daughter of the late Charles Cogan, produced "Becky Sharp" at Saratoga, last week. Harrison Grey Fiske, husband of Mrs. Fiske, who is also starring in the play, was in the theater, and had his stenographers taking notes of the Cogan production. The management compelled Mr. Fiske and his assistants to quit the theater. Miss Cogan escaped a process server by going down a hotel freight elevator, but she was later served with a temporary injunction.

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Lola's Secret.

A Romance.

"I have not yet had time to see much of my neighbors," he continued, "but I shall hope to visit Beaulieu soon."

"I am sure mamma will be pleased to see you."

She spoke demurely enough, but the flash of her eyes expressed more than any words could convey.

"May I hope for a welcome from you as well?" asked Sir Karl, laughing with a gay half-assurance that suited him so well.

"I cannot promise that," she replied. "You will have to deserve it."

"I will do my best," he said, more gravely.

He was not that most despicable of all creatures—a male flirt; he was neither a coxcomb nor a dandy; he was neither inconstant nor insincere; but he could no more help admiring, liking and talking to pretty girls than a butterfly can help hovering around the sweetest flowers. He never talked of love; but there was a healthy and a defence in his manner which charmed every woman with whom he came in contact. It impressed the very susceptible nature of the beautiful French girl as nothing else had ever done.

"You speak English well," he remarked to her.

"I have been more in England than in France," she answered.

"Which country do you like the best?" he asked.

Her eyes flashed with a bright light and her lips quivered with emotion. She was so completely transformed that he was startled by her loveliness.

"Which?" she said. "It shows what strangers we are that you should ask me such a question. Do you think there is any comparison between this cold, dreary, misty England, where you never see the sun except through a veil, and my beautiful, sunny, fair France, I love every inch of her soil. It seems to me the very home of poetry and romance."

"We have poetry and romance also in England," remarked Sir Karl.

"Yes, but your poetry is all sad, and your romances are tragedies," she replied. "Think of the grand old cathedral cities of France; think of the azure skies, the vines and olive trees! Who could compare this misty, gloomy land with bright France?"

She spoke with such enthusiasm that Sir Karl was interested.

"You speak eloquently," he said.

"Because I love France," she answered. "As before, the land, so between the people there seems to be no comparison. Here in England your people are dense, dull, phlegmatic, cold and proud. Your peasantry are bores there is no politeness in the whole nation, unless it is amongst the higher classes. In France every man is more or less a gentleman; even the artisans and laborers are polite and courteous. If you happen to stumble against an Englishman on a narrow foot-path, he considers himself insulted; he will revenge himself with imprecations or a scowl; if the same thing happens to a Frenchman, he is so courteous, so polite, that you almost seem to have done him a favor."

"It may be so," he answered, pleased by her words. "But you cannot deny to us Englishmen two great virtues, honesty and bravery."

"I do not often read the newspapers," she said, "but I could judge best by the police reports. The little I have read has not given me an exalted idea of Englishmen."

"You are prejudiced," he remarked, smiling.

"Am I? I shall hope to meet some Englishmen who shall remove the prejudice."

"I hope I shall be one of the happy band," he said laughingly. "I shall do my best, and I shall say to myself that in trying to please you I am rendering a national service."

"There is one thing I must say about England," she continued. "It is a very hospitable nation—indeed you are the most hospitable people in the world. Strangers come to you from every land—kings driven from their thrones, peers from their ancestral homes, all grades of political refugees. England, like a kindly matron, opens her arms to all, she welcomes, treats all generously, never gives you a word of the river; and it was then that Sir Karl's eyes rested on her.

The young baronet stood for a few moments quite breathless with admiration at the delicate loveliness of the girl's face. Lola heard him draw a deep breath; but he remained silent. She would have given much not to answer his question. She could not help owning to herself—enamored as she was of her own loveliness—that she had seldom seen such a beautiful picture

ture as this on which she gazed with anything but pleasure. But she was compelled to speak, for Sir Karl's eyes sought hers with an inquiry in them that could not be baffled.

"That," she said, "is Miss Cliefden—Dolores Cliefden. Have you not heard of her?"

"Dolores Cliefden," he repeated slowly. "Is she the daughter of old Equire Cliefden at White Cliffe? I have heard of her."

"Yes, that is Dolores Cliefden," said Lola.

If he had been more shrewd he would have detected a ring in her voice which betrayed her thoughts.

"Do you know her?" he asked eagerly.

"There was an expression of proud surprise in her eyes as she answered him.

"Certainly I do. But you must not aware that we are called 'The Red and White Roses'—I am forgetting—you are only a stranger among us."

"I shall not be a stranger long, I hope," he returned. "I have never seen so many beautiful faces before."

"Do you like beautiful faces?" she asked.

He looked at her and laughed.

"Does a butterfly like flowers? I have been a beauty-worshiper all my life."

"Then we shall agree—for I think beauty—great personal beauty—the highest of gifts and the most enviable."

He stopped abruptly and spoke almost eagerly.

"Ah, now you misunderstand me! I do not mean that," he said. "I admire beauty, perhaps no man more; but I never said, and never thought, and never could think, that it was the highest earthly gift. There are others I value more. I could admire a woman for her beautiful face, but I could never love or marry her for that alone."

She made no reply, and he stood, watching the sunlight on the fair face and white dress of Dolores. Suddenly he requested:

"As you know me, Miss de Ferras, will you introduce me to her?"

She could not refuse, yet she did not wish to consent. His gaze had been fastened on her face, but had no clue to its cause. He thought she was tired.

"Is it too far for you to walk through the glade?" he asked her. "If so, never mind."

But it had suddenly occurred to her that, if he really wished for this introduction, it would be better that she should undertake it. She would know then all that had passed. She turned on him with a charming smile.

"I shall be delighted," she said. "Nothing will give me greater pleasure. I am not at all tired and the walk by the river is beautiful."

He thought that he had never met a more charming girl, and his heart warmed to her, but his eyes still lingered on the fair delicate face under the trees.

"So they call her 'The White Rose,'" he said musingly.

"Yes," Lola replied, and then added quickly, "and they call me the 'Red Rose.'"

"All that I can say is that I am very glad that I did not live in the days of the Wars of the Roses—I should not have known whether to wear the red or the white."

"You would have made up your mind in time," she said, thoughtfully. "Every man does who has a mind worth making up."

"Do you think so? At any rate I am well content not to be obliged to make any choice—in fact, I could not. The 'white rose' is irresistible, the 'red rose'—and he bowed low to her—'charming. If I had been in the place of Paris, I could never have given the apple—each style is so perfect in its way.'"

"I respect Paris," Lola rejoined quickly. "He made up his mind at once. I like prompt decisions."

"Do you?" he said, with some amusement. "I should say that you are likely to be gratified. So far as I have seen the world, there are far more quick and hasty decisions than slow and wise ones."

In a few seconds they were with her, and the children ran away. Lola introduced Sir Karl and watched closely by the result. Certainly his eyes lingered on the "white rose," and there was no mistaking the admiration in their depths, but he spoke to Dolores in much the same fashion as he had spoken to her.

"I have had the first chance," thought Lola. "And I will make the most of it. I will be so charming and amiable that he will be compelled to recognize the difference between a white rose and a red one."

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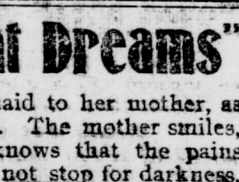
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The Poets.

We Two.

We two make home of any place we go;
We two find joy in any kind of weather;
Or if the earth is clothed in bloom or snow,
If summer daisies invite or bleak winds blow,
What matters it, if we two are together?

We two, we two, we make our world, our weather.

We two make banquets of the plainest fare;
In every cup we find the thrill of pleasure;
We hide with wreaths the furrowed brow,
And win to smiles the set lips of despair.

For us life always moves with lightning measure;
We two, we two, we make our joy, our pleasure.

We two find youth renewed with every dawn,
Each day holds something of an unknown glory,
We waste no thought on grief or pleasure gone,
Tricked out like hope, time leads us on and on.

And thrums upon his harp new song
We two, we two, we find the paths of glory.

We two make heaven here on this little earth;
We do not need to wait for realms eternal.

We know the use of tears, know sorrow's worth,
And pain for us is always love's rebirth.

Our paths lead closely by the paths supernatural;
We two, we two, we live in love eternal.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox in the Century.

Hurry and Worry.

There are two little rascally fellows I know,
That came to this earth from the regions below
To tincture man's joy with the nether world's woe,
And their names are HURRY and WORRY.

Now HURRY keeps saying: "Make haste! Life at best
Is only a moment; there's no time for rest."

You'll find what you seek if you pause in your quest;
O, a sly little fiend is HURRY.

And WORRY, he says, with a dolorous face,
"Look out! O, look out! you'll lose money or place,
You will surely be poor and die in disgrace."

What a shrewd little imp is WORRY!

So HURRY and WORRY, these imps of despair,
Go scattering the seeds of sorrow and care;

They will knock at your door, so I bid you beware,
And look out for HURRY and WORRY.
—W. C. B. Merry, in Somerville Journal.

AROUND THE LAMP.

In general that man is a coward who shapes his course of action by his fears; and he alone is a man of real courage who dares to do right.

RECREATION.

Recreation does not mean idleness, and it may mean labor. A wise man will so arrange his labors that each succeeding one shall be so totally different from the last that it shall serve as a recreation for it. Physical exertion may follow mental, and then give place to it again. A man equally wise in all other hygienic measures, who could nicely adjust the labors of mind and body in their true proportions, might hope to attain old age with all the faculties fresh and vigorous to the last.

A SOVEREIGN REMEDY.

A young physician commencing practice in Manchester had, among his first patients, an uncommonly dirty child, brought to his consulting room in the arms of mother whose face showed the same abhorrence of soap. Looking down on the child, he solemnly remarked:

"It seems to be suffering from hydrophobia."

"Och, dother, dear, is it as bad as that?" cried the mother. "That's a big sickness for such a mite. Whatever shall I do for the cratur?"

"Wash its face, madam; the disease will go off with the dirt."

"Wash its face—wash its face, in—dader!" exclaimed the mother, losing her temper. "What next, I'd like to know?"

"Wash your own, madam—wash your own."

HOW FISH SLEEP.

Fish, which not only need sleep like other creatures, but yawn when drowsy, and exhibit quite recognizable signs of somnolence, sometimes seek a quiet chamber to slumber in. This is obvious to any one who will watch the behavior of certain rock-haunting species at any good aquarium. The "lump suckers," conger eels and rockfish will retire into a cave in the grotto provided for them, and there go fast asleep; though as their eyes are open their "exposition of sleep" is only proved by the absence of movement, and neglect of any food which comes within their reach. Their comparative safety from attack when asleep in open water, may be due to the sensitiveness of their bodies to any movement in the water. But pike are easily snared when asleep, probably because, being the tyrants of the waters themselves, they have lost the "sleeping sense" possessed by most animals which go in fear of their lives from hereditary enemies.—The Spectator.

QUEEN HELEN OF ITALY.

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must work with a minimum of every-thing to do with, unless she is wise enough to select what is of use to her and let the rest go without a sign, for the benefit of those to whom it is really a benefit.

Not long ago I saw and heard a professional cook, showing and telling a large gathering of women how to prepare certain delicious dishes. But the women were mainly of the class who do their own cooking and on workmen's wages, and the cook was demonstrating the method of making one dish, employing only the breasts of chickens, of making a sauce which required full half a dozen ingredients never in the workman's kitchen, etc. In a house kitchen the decorated deserts in Christendom," said a man recently, and he is neither a brute nor an exception. Both the meaty potato and the fanciful dessert are good, each in its way, but no cook should neglect her energies on making of dishes until after every necessity is cooked to perfection, and not even then unless she can afford the time and the expense for luxurious cooking. This does not mean that food should be as appetizingly served, it means, for example, that one should not serve a leathery chop, swimming in grease, on a cold plate, and a dessert that would be justifiable for the pastry cook's annual exhibition, but it is as much out of place on the working-man's table as diamonds with a print frock.

Cooking, moreover, is not altogether a matter of expenditure. Of two families with a given income one may be able to afford certain dishes which another family cannot. The resources of different families who have relatively the same income vary a great deal. The market prices of foods that have to be bought outright vary also greatly, according to the locality. In a word, each housewife must sit in judgment upon all her sources of real and alleged instruction and advise and decide for herself just which to adopt, which to adapt and which to pass by as not for her, whatever their value to others.—The Gentlewoman.

SAVORY BREAD PUDDING.

Pour half a pint of beef tea, boiling, over the crumb of a French roll. Beat well together, and let it soak for half an hour; then add two eggs beaten with a quarter of a pint of boiling milk. Season with pepper and salt, beat together for five minutes, and then put the pudding into a buttered tart dish, and bake rather quickly for three-quarters of an hour. If there is no objection, an onion well boiled and beaten to a pulp may be added to the pudding.

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BOOMER'S CHANCE

Last Chance for Home-Seekers in the United States.

Opening of Kiowa-Comanche Reservation Gives Them 8,000,000 Acres—What the 2,900 Indians Are to Get Before the Land Boomer May Step in and Get a Share—Who Will Win?

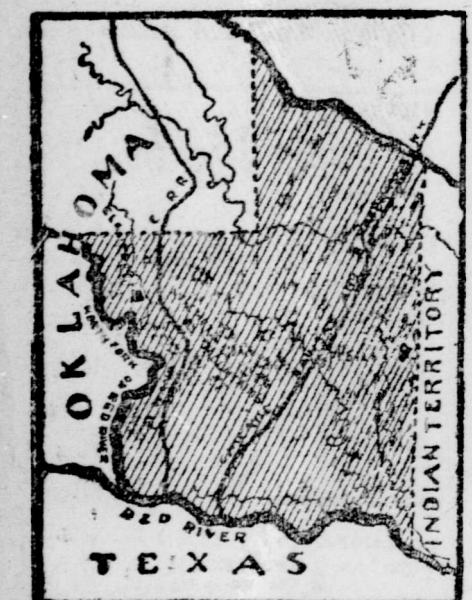
October, 1900, the United States government will throw open 8,000,000 acres of Indian lands to home seekers. The strip to be opened up is known as the Kiowa-Comanche reservation. It lies between southeastern Oklahoma, the Indian Territory and Texas and will be added to Oklahoma.

For ten years the covetous eyes of the "boomers" have been fixed upon this attractive strip of country and the rush is expected to be the largest and most picturesque of any of the great runs which have been made for government land. It will be the last opportunity of the "boomer," writes the newspaper correspondent, Andrew Downs.

There are about 2,900 Indians in the country. Each of these gets an allotment in severalty before the whites can come in. Every Indian man and woman over 18 years of age can pick out 160 acres as his or her share and hold it against all comers. Every parent can likewise select a quarter section for each child, and the commissioner of Indian Affairs must select a quarter section of land for each orphan Indian minor.

All this acreage must come out of the 8,000,000 acres to be opened. And the half is not told—the government is fairly eclipsing itself in its generosity with these Indians. Two sections in each township are to be given in fee simple to the Indians, one for school purposes, aggregating 329,877 acres, and the Indians are to have, in addition to their allotments in severalty, a tribal allotment of 430,000 acres for grazing purposes. Then there is a government retention of 70,000 acres for Fort Hill, which is in the Comanche country.

So of the total of 8,000,000 acres to be opened there will be involved an aggregate of 1,554,717 acres, leaving accessible by occupation 1,614,076, or about 100,000 acres less than the area of the original Oklahoma country. It is estimated that the shaded portion indicates the territory to be thrown open to "boomers" after all deductions of allotments, grazing, school and government lands.



MAP SHOWING THE NEW ADDITION TO OKLAHOMA.

and township sites have been made there will remain of quarter section claims, which are good, tillable land, about 1,100.

There are several reasons why the whites have sought to share the Comanche country with the Indians. In the first consideration the Wichita mountains, which have silver in them, are in the country to be opened, and in the second there is a world of good agricultural land, which is not developed under Indian ownership as it will be when the white man gets in there with his plow.

Perhaps no better estimate of the country can be found than that which the United States commissioner of Indian Affairs made when the census of the tribes in this reservation was taken in 1890. He said:

"From careful observation and information obtained from white men who have lived here and from some of the more intelligent of the Indians it is estimated that fully 80 per cent. of this country is tillable and favorable to the production of corn, oats, rye and other cereals; also of cotton, vegetables and fruit. Wild grapes are found in abundance."

"The Wichita mountains occupy a very small portion of the territory, lying near the centre, a little to the northwest, the lands within their walls affording good pasture lands for the fine herds of cattle and horses, all at this season in excellent condition, belonging to the Indians, who winter their stock there because the grass is good the year through and the mountains protect them from the winds."

The race will not be so much to the swift as it will be to the quick witted and sagacious, for the route will be over mountain ranges and through winding valleys, and men unacquainted with the country are apt to spend a day in hard travelling and find themselves at sundown just about where they were when they started.

The Indians, of course, are going to take the finest land. They get their allotments before a white man can set foot in the country, but even after they have chosen there are going to be so many acres of fertile farm land and forest that the rush to get them will be terrific. Eventually it will all pass into the possession of the white man, who, if he cannot secure a claim in the rush, will go the next shortest route to property holding by marrying an Indian woman and becoming an all-Indian.

RUSSIA AND CHINA.

Vladivostok, a City That Narrowly Escaped Greatness—Climate Conditions Favouring Even to Rugged Russians.

Vladivostok means "ruler of the east," and Russia intends to demonstrate that the place is not misnamed. It is originally the terminus of the great Siberian railway and is the position from which Russia will watch China. Vladivostok is on the forty-third degree of latitude north, which is about the position of Florence and not far



RUSSIAN SOLDIER IN WINTER UNIFORM.

from the latitude of New York, but the climate conditions are different. During nearly the whole summer the coast line is veiled in fog. In September the sun attains its fullest power and shines brilliantly until the end of October. The summer temperature is greatly affected by the fog. In winter the thermometer falls to 22 degrees below zero F.

The Russians wanted to build up a great trading port in Vladivostok, so of course they reserved the quay for the vessels of the so-called "volunteer fleet," called into being after the last Russo-Turkish war. Merchant vessels were compelled to anchor in the offing, and naval authorities and customs officials refused to encourage trade. For a long time neither the town nor commercial firms were able to obtain the requisite site for landing their goods, and so late as 1894 passengers were landed in flat Chinese boats.

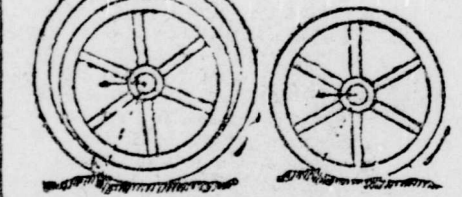
The society of Vladivostok is not the best. Bands of convicts employed in making the railroad used to escape in great numbers. These found a hiding place in Vladivostok, and neither life nor property was respected by them. When night fell, the townspeople were in the habit of barricading their houses and of firing guns from their windows to warn marauders that the inmates were armed.

A REVOLVING RAIL.

A Wheel Which Carries Its Own Track With It.

A new thing in wheels is being used successfully in France. It is nothing else than a wheel that carries its rail with it. The wheel is double, the inner circle, or wheel proper, running on the interior surface of the outer circle, which the inventor calls a "movable rail." It is claimed for this wheel that this movable rail can be adapted to any wheel in any circumstances.

On macadam or any smooth, hard roadbed the movable rail has no advantage. Such a road is practically equivalent to a rail, and a device of this kind would only increase the dead weight and resistance of the



THE "MOVABLE RAIL" IN USE COMPARED WITH THE ORDINARY WHEEL.

carriage. But when the road is rough or muddy, or on a stone pavement, the superiority of the new system is evident. It is known by the name of the inventor Izart.

When the ordinary wheel meets an obstacle it is first checked and transmits a shock to the passengers. Then it surmounts the obstacle, lifting its load vertically. The force of traction being exerted horizontally, the necessary effort is considerable. When the obstacle has been passed there is a fall and another shock, and the same thing happens at every obstacle, at every paving stone.

When the Izart wheel reaches the obstacle the "rail" is checked, just as the ordinary wheel is, but at the same time it forms an inclined plane on which the inner wheel moves easily and without shock up to the point A, at which it is just above the obstacle. The weight of the load then causes oscillation of the circular rail, the portion of which behind the point of application forms a lever, and aids in carrying forward the vehicle. The descent from the obstacle is made with equal ease and without shock, the rail always acting as a bridge between the road and the obstacles upon it.

Many Millions in Orange Groves.

The capital invested in orange growing in the state of California is estimated at \$44,000,000.

The population of India in 1891 amounted to 288,000,000; at a very moderate estimate now it may be put down at 329,000,000.

GREATEST AIRSHIP

Bold Balloon Experiment To Be Tried in Berlin.

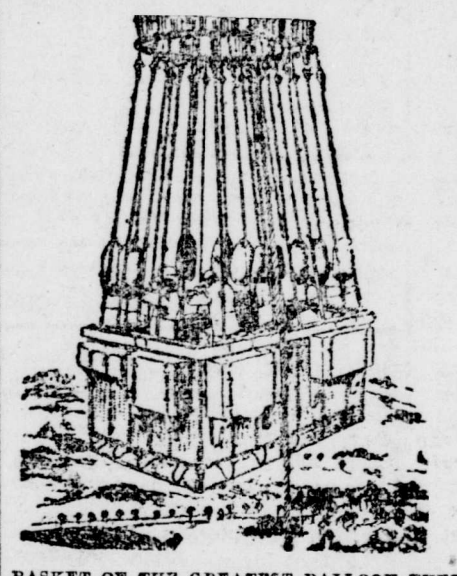
Its Object Will Be to See How Long a Balloon Can Stay in the Air—Five Wise Men Will Be in the Basket—Herr Zekell Is the Chief Aeronaut of the Party.

A very interesting balloon experiment will be made shortly in Berlin, when Herr Zekell, a German aeronaut, with four companions will make an ascension in the largest balloon ever constructed, the object of the experiment being to ascertain how long a balloon can stay in the air. No effort will be made to attain any great height, nor distance, and it is possible that the great ship will not stay more than a few hundred yards from the earth, but the conduct of the ship after being in the air some time will be closely observed.

Some idea of the great size of the balloon may be had from the fact that it is over 262 feet in circumference and will hold over 262,500 cubic feet of gas. Andrea's balloon, which held the record for size, held only 170,000 cubic feet of gas. The cover of this latter air ship, which is made from parricel thickened with caoutchouc, weighs over 2,000 pounds, and the net that is over the cover weighs over 1,650 pounds. There are 18 miles of rope in the net.

The car of the balloon is slightly more than seven feet long and six feet wide, and will accommodate five persons. Provisions and ballast are fastened to the ropes, a water reserve of three tanks containing 68 quarts each are hung outside of the car. There are sleeping accommodations for two persons, the berths being arranged one over the other to save space.

Besides Zekell, there will be Dr. Berson, the principal of the Meteorological Institute; Dr. Seering, of the



BASKET OF THE GREATEST BALLOON EVER CONSTRUCTED.

Astrophysical Institute; Mr. Alexander, of London, and a fifth person, who has not been selected yet. Provisions for three months and a large quantity of ballast will be taken aboard.

Owing to the dangers from having a fire in this car the occupants must dispense with all warm food. The car will be lighted at night by three electric incandescent lamps, which are supplied by 28 batteries, placed in a chest on the outside of the car. After the ascension the drag rope, measuring 985 feet in length and weighing 1,100 pounds, will be thrown overboard. The members of the expedition are armed, not knowing where they may land. A number of post pigeons will be taken, which they will send out from time to time.

The gas valve of the balloon is operated from the car. There is a roof over the balloon to protect it from rain, the force of which may make a hole in it. Beside the valve line, there is another rope which on landing will be used to tear a hole of 60 feet in the balloon and allow the gas to go out. It is estimated that the carrying capacity of the balloon is 11,500 pounds. Its own weight is 8,265 pounds.

The filling which will take 16 hours, will be conducted through a gas main 14 inches in diameter and will be done direct from the gas works to the Friedenau park, where the ascension will be made.

Shoes From Leather Scraps.

"Next winter you will be wearing shoes with soles made from leather scraps," said the manager of a Massachusetts shoe factory who spent last week at an uptown hotel. "No; they won't be pieced together, if that's what you mean by asking if such soles won't be rough looking. The leather will be made much after the process that turns wood pulp into paper, only the pulp will be made from leather. Some genius has invented machinery which will take a pulp made of leather scraps, press and mold it into a solid mass and run it out at the other end a continuous strip of shoe sole. You will soon be able to buy sole leather by the yard and at a price that will make going barefoot a positive crime."

"Sole leather has been costing us from 18 to 20 cents a pound for years. There is a great deal of waste and practically no use for the scraps. A small quantity is used in making dyes, and the manufacturers of case hardened steel find use for a little more, but the bulk of it is thrown away. This new process will use all the scraps which can be secured and will bring the price of sole leather down to 5 cents a pound. The leather manufactured in this way will have no plies and for that reason will turn water better. It should make a big difference in the price of the cheaper grades of shoes."—New York Tribune.

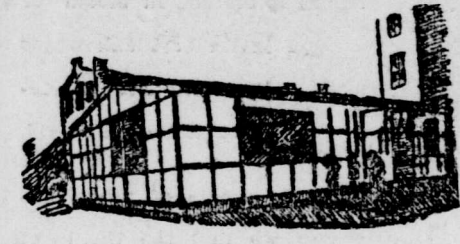
The Largest Sturgeon.

According to good authority the largest sturgeon ever taken was caught recently in the North Sea. He weighed over six hundred and fourteen pounds, and measured a trifle over eleven feet, and had a girth of 4½ and a half feet.

WALDERSEE'S HOUSE.

The Count's Portable Dwelling in China Will Be on a Large Scale, as Such Things Go.

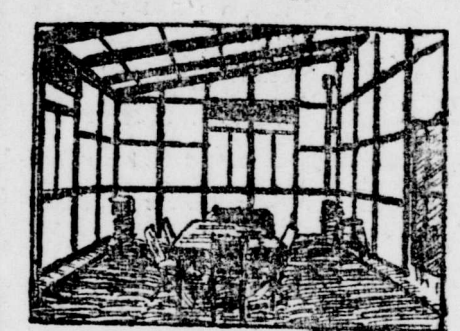
The portable dwelling of Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee, of which mention has been made in cable dispatches as having accompanied the German general to China, contains seven large and comfortable rooms. They include the audience and work room, sleeping and bath



EXTERIOR VIEW WALDERSEE'S PORTABLE DWELLING.

room for himself and his staff officers and quarters for servants.

The house is made of asbestos, being proof against fire. It is impervious to heat or cold and can withstand all conditions of weather. The asbestos material is very light, it is water proof, possessing all the qualities of slate without being brittle. Nails could be driven into it as into wood and the material can also be planed—a process which would be impossible with slate. The framework is made of appropriate wood material. The asbestos plates are each one and a half square feet in



THE BIG CONFERENCE ROOM.

size, and are a quarter of an inch thick. The exterior walls are double, and between them is an air space. The asbestos roof is in a diagonal position.

The entire house covers an area of 2,200 square feet of ground, while the roof is 16 feet high. The dwelling can be quickly taken apart, packed closely in chests and moved to another spot. In the test made at Hamburg, before the departure for China, it took two hours and a half to take it apart and eight hours to reconstruct it.

GLADSTONE'S ASTUTENESS.

How the Future Prime Minister Detected a Fraud.

One day Mr. Gladstone, who had then just turned twenty, was stopped in a street by a man minus a leg, who solicited alms and averred that he had been disabled at Waterloo. Inquiring the number of the fellow's regiment, Mr. Gladstone then submitted him to a smart cross-examination concerning his position in the great battle, and the would-be ex-warrior broke down entirely. He admitted that he was a complete fraud, and owned that he had lost a leg by being run over by a wagon. He further volunteered the intelligence that he was intoxicated at the time. But, noticing that Mr. Gladstone seemed more amused than otherwise, the vagrant whined: "Sir, if you had only lost a leg to get a living out of you'd be inclined, I fancy, to make as much out of it as you could. I told the truth till I was starved, then I got on the battle of Waterloo lay, and it pays much better. Thank heaven, young gentlemen, all folks are not so mighty smart as you are, and most of 'em believes me!" The young Oxford undergraduate, as he was then, was so tickled with the candor of the impostor that he gave him a shilling.—Household Words.

New York city still has fifteen street car lines operated by horses, and the bottail car drawn by one horse is frequently seen on the metropolitan streets.

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