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If you are, take into consideration the fact that the
London Advertiser
is the favorite paper of the women of Western Ontario.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.
DENNIS-LACKIE—On Oct. 28, 1898, at the residence of the bride's mother, 14 Kensington Place, West London, by the Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., John H. T. Dennis, to Edythe Adeline, third daughter of the late John Lackie, both of this city. 75a

DIED.
PIGOT—At his late residence, 152 Kent street, on Oct. 29, Joseph Pigot, of the firm of Pigot & Bryan. Funeral private, on Monday, Oct. 31, at 3:30 p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion.

GRAND PASSES

Saturday, Oct. 29, grand matinee, 2:30 p.m. Return of the great laughing hit,
"WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES."

The funniest play ever seen in London. The same popular prices—Night, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Matinee, 10c, 20c. 71c

LONDONERS' ATTENTION—A RARE TREAT IN STORE.

Hear the gifted Rev. Anna Shaw, of Philadelphia, on the "Coming Man." Dundas Center Methodist Church, Tuesday, Nov. 1, at 8 o'clock. Silver collection of the aid and upwards. 70a

ANNUAL CONCERT OF TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

Nov. 1, at 8 o'clock. Silver collection of the aid and upwards. 70a

POPULAR CONCERT COURSE—TICKETS

selling rapidly. Only a few more to be had. Plan for first concert opens Wednesday next at 9 a.m., at Young Men's Christian Association office. 70a

SACRED CONCERT BY CHORUS OF FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Under direction of the organist, Mr. W. Caven Barron (principal of the Conservatory of Music, assisted by Miss Katherine Moore, organist, and Mr. Carmichael, of Toronto) (tenor), Monday evening. Silver collection of the aid and over. 72a

TICKETS VIA ALLAN, BEAVER AND

other lines of steamships. Direct wire when vessels are sighted, thus informing you twenty-four hours before any other report. Very low rates of fare and freight. E. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser office. 70a

VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBINSON.

Studio, Ball Place Parlor, Residence, No. 320 Dundas street. Concert engagements, Tel. phone 1270. xt

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT—MESSRS.

Dayton & Co., crochets will open their new academy, 422 Richmond street. Membership list now open. Register early. Dayton & Co. 70a

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING.

Rapid teaching, low rates. All who desire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B. Millard, teacher of dancing, 246 Princess avenue. 70a

Meetings.

SOCIAL LABOR PARTY—H. DUFFIELD BLOCK, tonight, 8 o'clock. All members attend. Street railway question. b

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—A COOK—ALSO A HOUSE-MAID. References required. Apply to Mrs. Talbot Macbeth, 76 Maple street. b

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT.

Apply to Mr. Frank Love, 34 Hope street. 72a

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR MILK DELIVERY and care stock, good salary; references. Apply Sago's Livery. 74c

Female Help Wanted.

WANTED—SCHOOL TEACHERS—PRINCIPAL AND ASSISTANT. Under school section No. 3, Westminster. Apply, stating salary required, with testimonials, on or before the 15th Nov., to Jno. H. Griffiths, Sec. Treas., London Postoffice. 75c

Agents Wanted.

HOME WORK FOR FAMILIES—WE want the services of a number of families to do knitting for us at home, whole or spare time. We furnish \$20 machine and supply the yarn free and pay for the work \$4 a day. Distance no hindrance. \$7 to \$10 per week made according to time devoted to the work. Write at once. Name references. Co-operative Knitting Company, Toronto. 77a

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business ability to travel for established firm \$50 a month and all expenses. P. V. Gieseler & Co., 255 Locust street, Philadelphia, Pa. 46th st

WANTED—FOUR CANVASSERS FOR

city to solicit orders from private families; salary paid. Apply 268 Dundas street. 77a

Lost and Found.

LOST—SILVER MEDAL—OWNER'S name on same. Finder rewarded if returned to Advertiser or Holy Angels' school. b

Board and Lodging.

TOILET—FURNISHED ROOMS, CHEAP OR unfurnished; board if desired. Apply Box 17, Advertiser. 74a wt

NIGHT SCHOOL

held every Monday and Thursday evening at
COO'S ACADEMY
76 Dundas Street.

Pupils may join day classes at any time. Miss Reed, of Embro, has been placed as stenographer for M. O. R. For terms apply—
W. C. COO, C.S.R., 76 Dundas Street

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Walking is the best kind of healthful exercise there is. The footwear bought here is cheaper than nine tickets at 25c, and more enjoyable to the wearer for heavy tramping than any kind of riding.

The very shoes and rubbers you need most are here in great varieties at marvelous low prices.

Have you taken advantage of our Trunks and Valise bargains? If not, why not?

Pocock Bros., 140 Dundas St.

Sunday in London

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

NOTICE—CHANGES FOR CHURCH SERVICES MUST BE HANDLED IN BY FRIDAY EVENING.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church.

Rev. Robert Johnston, R.D., pastor. The Rev. Dr. Somerville, of Owen Sound, will preach at both services.
11 a.m., "Christian Love."
3 p.m., "Companionship."
3 p.m., Sunday school and pastor's class. Meetings of the week as usual. 70a

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning—"The Mystery of Salem." Evening—"Facts for Doubters." Bright, helpful services. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome. Music of a high order by the church choir under the direction of Professor J. T. Wolcott. 70a

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning—"The Mystery of Salem." Evening—"Facts for Doubters." Bright, helpful services. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome. Music of a high order by the church choir under the direction of Professor J. T. Wolcott. 70a

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Saunders will preach, 11 a.m. subject, "The Mystery of Salem." Evening—"Facts for Doubters." Bright, helpful services. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome. Music of a high order by the church choir under the direction of Professor J. T. Wolcott. 70a

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning—"The Mystery of Salem." Evening—"Facts for Doubters." Bright, helpful services. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome. Music of a high order by the church choir under the direction of Professor J. T. Wolcott. 70a

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning—"The Mystery of Salem." Evening—"Facts for Doubters." Bright, helpful services. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome. Music of a high order by the church choir under the direction of Professor J. T. Wolcott. 70a

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning—"The Mystery of Salem." Evening—"Facts for Doubters." Bright, helpful services. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome. Music of a high order by the church choir under the direction of Professor J. T. Wolcott. 70a

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTIST).

11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesday evening meeting, 8 o'clock. Sunday school immediately after morning service. All welcome. S. B. C. S., first reader; Mrs. Edna Robb, C.S., second reader. Residence 283 Princess avenue. 70a

LATTER DAY SAINTS—MAITLAND street.

Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. All welcome. 70a

DELAIDE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

Pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson. Services, morning, 11; evening, 7. Sabbath school, 2:45 p.m. Everybody welcome. 70a

SKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning—"The Mystery of Salem." Evening—"Facts for Doubters." Bright, helpful services. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome. Music of a high order by the church choir under the direction of Professor J. T. Wolcott. 70a

HILL STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

League anniversary. Morning, Rev. John Morrison. Sunrise prayer meeting, 7 a.m. Evening—Wm. Jeffery. Addresses and special music. Sunday school, 10 a.m. Monday evening. Musical programme under supervision of Mr. Hewlett, educationist. Mrs. Calhoun, addresses. Rev. Saunders and Rev. Jos. Edge. 70a

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church.

Rev. G. Jackson, pastor. Services as usual. 70a

ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning services at 11 a.m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 3 p.m. Evening at 7 p.m. Rev. J. Currie, of Belmont, will conduct both services. 70a

ST. JAMES' CHURCH (SOUTH LONDON).

Thanksgiving services. Preacher, Rev. Canon Davis, Sarnia, both services. Special music. b

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning—"The Father's Gift." Evening—"The Father's Gift." 70a

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—REV.

W. J. Clark, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by W. G. Jordan. Strathroy, Sabbath School and Society for Bible Study, 3 p.m. 70a

SPIRITUAL MEETING WILL BE HELD

in K. P. hall, Sunday afternoon, 2:30. Lecture and tests by H. M. French. All welcome. 70a

AUDITORIUM—MEN'S MEETING SUN-

day, 4:15 p.m. Address by Thos. A. Rodger, of Toronto. All men invited. Music by orchestra. b

EMPRESS AVENUE (WEST LONDON) Methodist Church.

11 a.m.—Classes. Morning—"Christian Liberty." Evening—"The Word." 70a

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH.

W. J. Ford, pastor. Morning—"Fasting." Evening—"A Good Conscience and How to Keep It." Strangers and visitors always welcome. 70a

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. J. G. Falls, pastor. Quarterly service at 11 a.m. Pastor will preach. Love feast at 8 a.m. Rev. H. J. Fair at 7 o'clock. 70a

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—MORNING.

Venite (Bullington) To Deum (West). Benedictus (Spohr). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dunn, D.D. Evening—Magnificat (Mars). Nunc Dimittis (Mars). Anthem, "Give Peace to Our Time, O Lord." Preacher, Rev. Canon Dunn, B.A. 70a

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

Smith, pastor. V. P. S. C. E. anniversary. Morning—"The Value of Young Life." 7 p.m.—"Thy Kingdom Come." The pastor will preach. 70a

Miscellaneous.

FREE ADVICE ON WILL, POWER, SUC-CESSION, etc. National Inst. L. O., 103 Chicago. 52a

Swedish Massage.

MISS MILLAR, 330 PRINCESS AVENUE. Swedish therapeutic massage, graduate of the Hugo Oldenborg Institute, Chicago. 52a

FOUR RIVAL INSURANCE AGENTS.

A short time ago, on the train between Windsor and Chatham, an agent for a leading Canadian company said to me, "Well, German, you have a magnificent company to work for." Within three hours, at the dinner table in Chatham, agents of two other good Canadian companies volunteered the remark, "German, if you can't get business, nobody can, for you have a splendid company." Their testimony is worth something.

O. E. GERMAN, General Agent, Ontario Mutual Life.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—TWO-STORY BRICK DWELL-ING house, 4 bedrooms, library room, bath (hot and cold water), closet, furnace and other modern conveniences. Lot, 44 feet frontage, situated on Queen's avenue. The owner has left the city and the property will be sold cheap, part cash, balance at 4 1/2 per cent. Apply Edward Tovey & Co., Insurance and Real Estate Agents, Office—Over Bank of Commerce. ywt

A SNAP—THAT HANDSOME NEW

modern residence, 330 Central avenue, near park. Has been reduced in price away below cost to insure quick sale. It must be sold. Ten rooms, closets, bathroom, lavatory, all modern appointments. Open for inspection from 3 to 5 p.m. See this for a bargain. xyt

HOUSE (NO. 40 QUEEN STREET) AND

large lot, with stable and henhouse, to rent or sell, on monthly, quarterly or half-yearly payments, suit purchaser. Interest 10 per cent per annum on unpaid purchase money. Apply Tennent, McDonagh & Co., Barristers, etc., 78 Dundas street, London. 70a

FOR SALE—FINE MODERN COTTAGE—

just finished. Small cash payment, balance on the installment plan, or any way to suit purchaser. Fine central lot, only \$400. This is a bargain. J. F. Sangster, 408 Richmond street. 70a

P. Walsh's Bulletin.

Forward avenue, Kensington Heights—A handsome 2-story frame house, on brick foundation, 8 rooms, in good order, with one acre fruit, shade and ornamental trees, overlooking the river. To be sold at a great bargain to close. 70a

618 Maitland street—1 1/2 story brick house,

flushed about 2 years, lot 60x300. Price \$1,400. 70a

633 Lorne avenue—A handsome brick cottage,

6 rooms, in perfect order, lot 40x150. Price \$1,350; must be sold. 70a

253 King street—Two 1 1/2 story frame

houses, 6 rooms each, always rented. Will sell at a bargain or would trade for some land close to city. 70a

248 Hyman street—A nice 1 1/2 story brick

house, 7 rooms and good lot, near the park. \$1,700; easy terms. 70a

335 South Lothian—A large frame cottage,

7 rooms, good order, lot 45x168 feet. Price \$900; cheap. 70a

1028 Florence street—A neat frame cottage,

6 rooms, lot 42x130. Price \$850; monthly payments. 70a

543 Elizabeth street—A neat frame cottage,

on brick foundation, 6 rooms, corner lot. Price \$850. 70a

61 Elmwood avenue—A beautiful 2 story

brick house, on stone foundation, 10 rooms, all modern improvements, frame barn, lot 120x100 feet. At a bargain. 70a

548 Elizabeth—A new superior frame cottage,

on brick foundation, 7 rooms, large lot. Price \$1,300. 70a

329 Dufferin avenue—A splendid 2 story

brick house, on stone foundation, 8 rooms, bath, 3 mantels, lot 38x104. Will sell at a big bargain. 70a

Lots on the corner of Princess avenue and

William street; lots on corner Talbot and Mill; lots on the Becher block, Mt. Hope; choice lot on corner of Wellington and Hyman, and lots in all parts of the city. 70a

Sales in city property are numerous at the

present time. Purchasers can make no mistake in buying now. 70a

P. WALSH, 110 Dundas street, Phone 1,021.

Real Estate.

\$125,000 invested in London real estate during the past six weeks, which may be attributed to the reduction of bank interest to 3 per cent, and to the fact that the market is now 10 per cent net on the amount invested. Never before could real estate be bought at such favorable prices. A few are here mentioned. We have a choice selection of eligible properties for sale, a few are here mentioned:

BUILDING LOTS.

Colborne street north, 54x150 feet. \$900. Wellington street, near park, Trust survey. \$1,100. Cheap. 70a

Dundas street east, 81 feet on Dundas street

by 151 feet on Glebe street. \$35 per foot. Lots in different portions of the city ranging in price from \$100 up to \$3,700. 70a

COTTAGES.

A number of choice cottage homes ranging in price from \$200 to \$1,600. 70a

RESIDENCES.

Queen's avenue—New modern 2-story and attic brick, containing all modern appointments. In choice locality, cost \$3,700. Can be secured today for \$3,000. A snap. 70a

Elmwood avenue—That handsome residence of

Mr. E. R. Cameron, who has recently been appointed Registrar of the Supreme Court, Ottawa. Would not be offered for sale only being obliged to remove to Ottawa. Inquire at once for prices. 70a

Queens's avenue, between Wellington and

Queen's street, brick, containing rooms, 42 feet frontage. Price, \$3,100. No street view fares. 70a

Grand avenue—Very desirable 2-story brick

residence, lot 105x519 feet. A magnificent property. Price, \$3,500. 70a

Dundas street east—Very handsome 2-story

brick and attic. \$4,700. 70a

Waterloo street—New 2-story brick, stone

foundation, latest modern sanitary plumbing and modern appointments. Excellent house at the low figure of \$3,000. 70a

Several other residences in different localities

ranging in price from \$2,500 up to \$5,500. 70a

BUSINESS PROPERTIES.

628 Dundas street—2-story frame stone and dwelling, containing 10 rooms, plate glass front, cellar, etc., good stable, 22 feet frontage on Dundas street and extending back to Marshall street. Price, \$2,300. Will rent to make 12 per cent on investment. 70a

LOANS.

Money advanced to buy property, build (money advanced as building progresses), remodel old house and pay off old mortgages. No publicity. No delays. All information pertaining to real estate cheerfully given upon application, without money, without price. 70a

A. A. CAMPBELL, Real Estate, Loans and Investments,

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Strike, Strike, for a fair day's pay

and the first cigar store, and buy a Fly. 70a

Wanted.

WANTED—SUITE OF THREE ROOMS equipped for light housekeeping for gentleman and mother. Address Box 77, this office. 71c

WANTED—A TUBULAR BOILER—TEN

to twelve feet in length, not less than 36 inches diameter, in exchange for a 25 horse-power engine. Address Box 64, this office. 457a/101a

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE

MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 50 King street. Mail orders attended to. 71c

IN SYMPATHY WITH THE MEN

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unsuccessful, and action was taken by the men in consequence. The speaker did not intend to heap abuse upon the street railway company. He was the representative of an organization which was just as much a business organization as the street railway company, and he invited discussion with them as such. Let them come on the platform. Failing in their efforts to secure arbitration, the men had referred the matter to the highest tribunal in the country—the people. (Applause.) They should be the arbitrators in this case. The mass meeting, he continued, had done good. The people should know that those who had in their hands the day of the citizens' lives, worked for \$2.58 a week. Mr. Mahone then told of his personal experiences as a street railway employee, and some amusing stories to illustrate the long hours they put in and the nature of the work. The speaker went on to say that he was informed that one of the chief things which stood in the way of a settlement was that the company objected to recognize this association. He thought it strange that the company should make such objection. Mr. Everett had recognized the union in Detroit, where the men got 21 cents an hour and nine hours a day. Surely the men of London were worth 16 cents an hour. Mr. Mahone spoke of the charges made against the employees for breakages. If a trolley jumped the wire and was broken, he had been told the charge was \$4. The cost, he said, was much less.

A voice—There was one jumped today. (Laughter.) For a broken headlight the employees were charged \$5, also very much more than cost, he said. London was the first place the speaker heard of men being required to lay off to look up accident reports—to lay off at their own expense and save the company from damage suits. Then, speaking of arbitration, he said: "How much do you think it would have been for the people if arbitration had been brought about. It is one of the things we are asking of railways all over the continent."

About organization, he said everyone knows that to incorporate an individual amounts to no more than a grain of sand. The only hope for labor is through organization. (Applause.) The men have asked for arbitration, not for their own protection only, but for the company's. If the company feel that the union is wrong in any matter, they can then refer to a just and final tribunal. These were the demands of the men, and the people were asked to decide. They were engaged in an industrial war, a battle for the toilers. Strikers were sometimes denounced, but this was a "strike" age, he said. Merchants, when they marked their goods, put on a "strike" price. They held out for a certain figure. "Labor is the only commodity on which the buyer, not the seller, sets the price. (Applause.) And when we refuse to agree to the price they call us 'strikers.'" The business situation which confronted the workers was that corporations employing labor were cold business concerns, prepared to buy labor as cheap as they could get it. And the only way for labor to meet this condition was to organize, and say: "We are a business organization, which also regards labor as a commodity, and we intend to sell it to the highest bidder." The speaker wittily referred to Moses as the leader of a brickmakers' strike in Egypt. Pharaoh, he said, was not as wise as modern capitalists, or he would not have been drowned. The capitalists would have called out the militia or got an injunction. (Laughter.) He drew a graphic picture of the army of men in the large cities ground down by the corporations, and touching upon the growth of trusts and monopolies, the speaker said they were crushing the individual business men and swallowing them up, so that their condition was fast becoming no better than the toilers.

After thanking the ladies for their presence, the speaker quoted astonishing figures to show the prices paid, in the large cities, to women workers, and referred to the conditions which consequently followed. It was organized labor, he said, which was doing more than anything else to protect the virtue of the women wage-earners. In conclusion, Mr. Mahone strongly praised Mayor Wilson. It was the first time, he said, that he had met a mayor courageous enough to come forward and preside over a meeting of the strikers. (Prolonged applause.) Mr. Rezin Orr spoke briefly, and Mr.

W. Burleigh read a motion by Messrs. John McLean and F. J. Lashbrook, to the effect that a fund be started in support of the strikers. A collection was then made, and the meeting broke up at 10:30 with cheers for the mayor.

CIGARMAKERS VOTE \$50.
A largely-attended meeting of the Cigarmakers' Union was held last night, at which the question of the strike of the street railway employees was discussed. President James Donnelly occupied the chair, and A. W. Jones acted as secretary. A resolution expressing sympathy with the strikers was unanimously passed, and \$50 placed to the credit of the street railway employees union, to be used by them as they desired.

NOTES.
The Hamilton Times says: There were eighteen men from this city to go to London. Of these four or five went on their own account, and thirteen under contract. The four or five who went up independently are all home, and all the others, except four, have returned. They say they were well used by the London street car men.

SPORTING WORLD

London Golfers Practicing for the Match With Cleveland.

The O. A. C.'s Games at Guelph-Turf and Other Sporting Events.

GOLF.
LONDON VS. CLEVELAND.

The return match between the London and Cleveland clubs, which was postponed forward to with much interest by lovers of the game, takes place in Cleveland on Nov. 5. As an additional means of affording practice for the local players, the October handicap match has been brought on. The preliminary round is to be completed by Saturday, Nov. 5, and the two final rounds by Wednesday, the 9th, and Saturday, the 12th, respectively.

BASEBALL.
NATIONAL LEAGUE FIELDING RECORDS.

Washington, Oct. 28.—President N. E. Young, of the National League, has made public the fielding records of players. The percentage of the two highest in the various positions who have played 15 or more games: First basemen—L. A. Chance, Brooklyn, .889; Clark, Pittsburgh, .887. Second basemen—Daly, Brooklyn, .885; Crooks, St. Louis, .862. Third basemen—Nash, Philadelphia, .856; Wagner, Louisville, .845. Shortstops—Jennings, Baltimore, .844; Ely, Pittsburgh, .842. Fielders—Freeman, Washington, .800; Tiersman, New York, .898. Catchers—Zimmer, Cleveland, .871; Murphy, Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh, .864. Pitchers' averages are not announced.

THE SUIT AGAINST ST. THOMAS.

In the division court at Hamilton, W. Stroud, proprietor of the Hamilton baseball club, sued the St. Thomas Athletic Association to recover \$89.90, amount alleged to be due for two games of baseball scheduled to be played in St. Thomas on Sept. 14 and 15. It will be remembered that the first game was not played. After the second game Manager Collins was offered \$50 for the two games, but he declined to take the money. Then he entered suit claiming \$30 for each game, and \$39.90 percentage of the second day's receipts as well. The St. Thomas club defended the action on the ground that a club could not get both the guarantee and percentage. W. Stroud, Charles Collins and Cal Davis gave evidence for the Hamilton club, and B. F. Hon for the St. Thomas club. After hearing the evidence, Judge Monck reserved judgment, stating that he would render it in two or three days.

TURF.
RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, Oct. 28.—Mr. J. H. Musker's bay filly School Girl, ridden by Sloan, won a free handicap at Newmarket today. The betting was 9 to 2 against School Girl. Noble Duchess was second, and Douglas Baird's filly Musea finished third. There were nine starters.

Golden Bridge won the second Limerick stakes. Prince Soltykoff's 3-year-old bay colt Leisure Hour, ridden by Sloan, finished second, and Mr. J. R. Keene's 4-year-old chestnut colt Vicer was third. Six horses ran.

A selling water, all-aged stakes was won by McNeil. Crane's Bill, the property of Lord Harewood, and ridden by Sloan, finished second, and Mr. A. Ha-

hoe's brown filly Rose Shoot was third. The bronze test started in the event. The Old Cambridge handicap was won by the Prince of Wales' bay filly Nunsuch, ridden by Sloan. Mr. H. C. White's Georgia was second, and Sir J. Miller's Pinfold third. Seven horses ran.

The Houghton stakes was won by Mr. R. A. Oswald's bay colt Silentalan. Mr. R. Devereaux's Galopin Lassie was second, and Sir R. Waidie Griffith's Landrill, ridden by Sloan, was third.

WINNERS AT LATONIA AND NEW YORK.

Aqueduct Track, New York—Sister Fox, Warrenton, Kinnikinnick, Estaca, Typhena and Wordsworth.

Latonia, Cincinnati—Annie M. Clarence B. Fred Brooks, Rarus, Lady Roller and Hampden.

TIPS.

Jockey Sheridan signed yesterday to ride for the Seagraves in the east next year.

ATHLETICS.

O. A. C. GAMES AT GUELPH. Guelph, Ont., Oct. 28.—The Ontario Agricultural College Athletic Association's annual sports were held yesterday afternoon on the college campus. Fair, though cool, weather prevailed, and a large number of spectators, including many of the students' lady admirers, were present, and cheered lustily for their favorites. The Silver Creek Hand finished music. The events were pulled off in good time, and the records made were up to the usual average, although no records were broken. A. J. Brokowski, of Battleford, N. W. T., is the college champion, with F. W. Goble, of Woodstock, Ont., second. The tug-of-war was won by the second year students for the second time in the history of the college. The usual students' supper was held in the evening, at which the prizes were presented, and speeches delivered by the staff and students.

FISTIC.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Oscar Gardner, the "Omaha Kid," knocked out Sammy Kelly, of this city, in the fourth, tenth round of what was to have been a 25-round fight, at 116 pounds, before the Lenox Athletic Club last night.

DOUGLAS DOWNED.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 28.—Jack Moffet, of Chicago, was given the decision over Bob Douglas, of St. Louis, in a fifteen-round boxing contest, before the Commercial Athletic Club last night. The contest clearly belonged to Moffet from the start.

KNOCKED OUT BY SALT.

Yonkers, N. Y., Oct. 28.—A most extraordinary ending to the Tom Broderick-Eddie Connelly fight occurred Saturday night, by reason of having salt thrown into his eyes, was unable to answer the call in the tenth round, and "Mysterious" Billy Smith insisted that Referee Frank Abraham count him out, which the referee did, and the decision was given to Connelly. The money was wagered on the outcome of the fight, with Connelly the favorite. The fight, as far as it went, was a terrific battle, with honors going to the victor, when the men went to their corners it looked like Broderick at 10 to 1. Immediately before the bell, Walter Debaum, Broderick's second, threw some smelling salts into Connelly's eyes. The bell rang and Connelly advanced to the center of the ring. Broderick, however, was unable to see, and was writhing with pain. It was then that the referee counted him out, and gave the decision to Connelly.

DRAW AT DETROIT.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 28.—Jos. Young, of Buffalo, and young Stephens, of Syracuse, met in the roped arena last night before about 200 sports. After seven fierce rounds the referee called the affair a draw. Stephens broke his left thumb on Young's head in the third round.

MIDDLESEX MATTERS

On Thursday, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cockburn, Caradoc street, Stratford, their eldest daughter, Catherine Gertrude, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph James Noble, second eldest son of the late Master Noble, of Stratford. The auspicious ceremony took place at 6 o'clock in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends of the contracting parties, Rev. W. G. Jordan, B.A., being the officiating clergyman. There were neither bridesmaids nor groomsmen, and the bride was gowned in a very becoming traveling costume of navy blue broadcloth, trimmed with black satin. The wedding march was most artistically played by Miss Noble. After the usual congratulations a dainty dejeuner was served. A large number of useful and costly presents testified to the esteem in which the happy couple are held. Mr. and Mrs. Noble took the evening train for London, Toronto and other eastern points, on a wedding trip, and on their return will take up their residence on the corner of Front and Oxford streets. The young couple are to be congratulated.

DORCHESTER.

Dorchester Station, Oct. 28.—E. McCann & Sons have secured the contract for the erection of a modern style dwelling of recent design for Benjamin Johnston, of Mossley.

A detachment of fourteen Nimrods left today for the hunters' paradise, the northern part of Muskoka, for deer hunting.

The D. D. G. M. of London district paid a fraternal visit to Merrill Lodge, A. F. and A. M., Dorchester Station last evening, with representatives from London, Thamesford, Nilestown, Harrietsville. After routine the brethren of the mystic tie, to the number of about 45, adjourned to Drake's hotel, where luncheon was served. Stirring addresses were delivered by the D. D. G. M., Bros. Drs. McWilliams, of Thamesford, and Graham, of Dorchester Station, and Thomas McRae, John Campbell, of Harrietsville; Geo. Partlo, of Dorchester Station, and McDougall, of Nilestown. The rendition of solos by Dr. Wood, of London, and Bro. McDougall, of Nilestown, charmed the audience, and a most enjoyable time was spent.

The grain market is booming at Harrietsville, and an output of 1,700 bushels was purchased on Wednesday. Revival services are to be inaugurated in Harrietsville Methodist Church on Sunday evening next in connection with the pastorate of Rev. C. Crichton.

A BRITON UNDER FIRE

Captain Paget's Cool Behavior in the Porto Rican Campaign.

It was in a fight that a shrapnel shell struck the road within ten inches of the foot of the British naval attaché, Captain Paget, and lifted five Wilson volunteers off their feet and knocked them down. For a moment Paget was lost to view in a cloud of dust and smoke, from which no one

expected to see him reappear alive, but he strode out of it untouched, remarking in a tone of extreme annoyance: "There was a shell in the Soudan once did exactly that same thing to me." His tone seemed to suggest that there was a limit to any man's patience. A few minutes later, a solitary tree beneath which he was sitting was struck by another shell, which killed two and wounded three men. Paget, who had been in a dozen campaigns, took it all as a matter of course, and assisted one of the wounded men out of the range of the bullets from the side of a steep and high hill. The sight did more to popularize the Anglo-American alliance with the soldiers than could the weightiest argument of ambassadors or statesmen.—Richard Harding Davis, in the November Scribner's.

A Helpless Invalid

A Chatham Lady Prostrated by Severe Kidney Disease, Restored to Perfect Health by Doan's Kidney Pills.

With your food or with your clothing you may perhaps experiment—if you have money to throw away—but with disease, especially Kidney Disease, it is too serious a matter to trifle with. If your kidneys are diseased or disordered, get the right remedy at the outset—Doan's Kidney Pills. They can cure you as efficiently as they did Mrs. L. Montague, residing at the corner of Selkirk street and Victoria avenue, Chatham, Ont., who speaks as follows:

"Several years ago I was taken ill with a severe pain in the small of my back. Following this I suffered very much with urinary trouble, sleeplessness, etc., and had to quit work. Medical aid proved of little avail, and I was in a most distressing condition. To add to this an almost unbearable pain ran down the back of my neck.

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Most eminent doctors, whom heart cases have baffled, have tested Dr. Agnew's claims, and to-day they prescribe it in their practice as the quickest and safest heart remedy known to medical science. What are the symptoms? Palpitation, fluttering, shortness of breath, weak and irregular pulse, swelling of feet and ankles, pain in the left side, chilly sensations, fainting spells, uneasiness in sleeping, dropsical tendency and as many more indications that the heart is deranged. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is a heart specific; and no case too acute to find relief from it inside of thirty minutes—a powerful cure.

Mrs. Jno. Fitzpatrick, of Gananoque, Ont., after having been treated by eminent physicians for heart disease of five years' standing, was discharged from the hospital as a hopeless incurable. She suffered from curbing and palpitation, her feet and ankles swollen, and there was every tendency to the dropsical form of heart disease, but the lady procured Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart as she declared, as a last hope. One dose relieved her of a very acute spasm in less than thirty minutes, and three bottles cured her—not a symptom of the trouble remaining.

CONDUCTOR WILLIAM G. LUCAS, of the N. & W.R.R., and living at Hagarstown, Md., suffered for years with acute valvular form of heart disease—cost him many a "lay off" from his daily duties on the road, and he spent a small fortune in remedies and treating with heart specialists in promise of a cure, and all ended in disappointment, until a good friend, who had been benefited by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, tried it, and found it gave him relief and comfort almost immediately. He continued its use until a few bottles were taken, and to-day he is well and strong, and says, "Tell all heart sufferers that I can highly recommend this great remedy."

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Managing Director and Editor, John Cameron

London, Saturday, Oct. 29, 1898.

Canada Stands by Britain.

A recent number of *La Minerve* (Montreal), the leading Conservative newspaper printed in the French language in Canada, says:

"Only one thing in our opinion can save the ministry; that is the well founded fear of becoming the sport of the English in changing the government at the moment when the Fashoda question entered upon its more critical stage, and may even lead to war. Already the difficulties into which the French Government have been drawn have led the English to commit insolences which a government, strong and conscious of its dignity, could not tolerate. Lord Salisbury has attempted intimidation towards France and the English press supports him with effrontery. The English will admit neither discussion or arbitration. They simply order the recall of the Marchand mission, failing which they are ready to make war. This recalls the course of the United States in reference to Spain. Right is nothing for the Anglo-Saxon at the moment he believes himself the strongest. In the present case right is evidently on the side of France."

Then *La Minerve* proceeds to argue to the extent of half a column that France is in the right and Great Britain in the wrong.

La Minerve will find that the course which it has adopted is not good policy in Canada. This is a British Dominion. Many years ago, France attempted in the Valley of the Ohio what she has attempted in the Valley of the Niger, and is now attempting in the Valley of the Nile. She undertook to take all the rear country belonging to the British colonies. Under the pretense that she had discovered the Ohio River, which could no more give her a right to the country between the Mississippi and the summit of the Allegheny Mountains than if one of her fur traders had traveled through a country in which no river flows, she claimed this "hinterland." The result of this French effort to grasp parts of the country behind the British provinces was that she lost all her territories upon the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence. Today she is trying precisely the same thing in Fashoda, and there is little room to doubt that if she does not withdraw, what befell her during the last century in North America, will, at the close of this century, happen in Africa.

Great Britain is in the possession of Egypt. Her interests in Egypt were paramount, and to prevent the re-establishment of barbarism and the destruction of British subjects, Great Britain intervened. She asked France to join her, but the republic refused. Mahdism conquered the southern portion of Egyptian territory by the conquests of the Mahdi. Egypt lost the provinces of Khordofan, Darfur and Bahr-el-Ghazal. The British and the Egyptian Government, at great expense, began more than two years ago the war for the reconquest of the territories which had been lost. Until the battle of Omdurman, Fashoda was in the possession of the Khalifa. The marching into that country of Major Marchand with eight French explorers accompanying him, could neither acquire for him or for France any interest in the territory over which neither at the time had the sovereignty, and against which France was engaged in no war. Major Marchand and his eight compatriots might as well claim the sovereignty over Cairo, should they march through it, in consequence of having done so, as to claim any jurisdiction on behalf of France in Fashoda, because they had succeeded in reaching that point without losing their lives. It is unquestionably true that had it not been for the defeat of the Khalifa, at Omdurman, and the marching of the Sirdar up the White Nile, Marchand and his few followers would have been exterminated by the dervishes. The sovereignty of the Khalifa prevailed over that region until the battle of Omdurman, and on his defeat there succeeded the sovereignty of Britain and of Egypt.

La Minerve will discover that the people of Canada, on the eve of a great crisis, are in no mood to look with indifference upon a newspaper spouting treason. If our contemporary wishes to cast in its fortunes with the republic, it had better transfer itself to some section of the globe in which the authority of the French Republic exists. This is a portion of the British Empire, and the people of Canada intend that whatever its political vicissitudes, it shall remain indissolubly associated with that Empire whose authority was established here 140 years ago; whose people continue to flow into the country, and whose capital is being invested here for the development of its resources.

When a people are oppressed and misgoverned, they may be justified in fighting against oppression and in talking treason, but when those who are unsuccessful in arms are put on a footing of equality with those who were victorious, when, under the liberal regime of the victors, they are made joint rulers in the government of the country, they had better abstain from preaching treason.

The Mail and Empire extracts comfort from the East Wellington election because the Conservative vote was lifted by 300. As the Liberal vote was lifted by 400, the ratio of comfort is two to one in the Liberals' favor.

A Grand Old Man.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has been delivering a series of charges dealing with controverted points in the doctrine and practice of the Church of England, which show remarkable vigor in a man of his years. That was a difficult thing to do in these critical times, when Sir William Harcourt is warned by Lord Halifax lest the fate of Titus Oates overtake him. The archbishop has not pleased all parties, and much that he has said will have caused pain to many earnest members of his own communion. This, however, is not our business. We are not directly concerned with theological or ecclesiastical controversy, but we cannot withhold our tribute of admiration to an old man who rises to a great occasion and shows that he is by no means dead. The skill displayed in these addresses is great and their temper is admirable. In his early days he gave evidence of thoughtfulness and courage, and these have not forsaken him in riper years and in the midst of great responsibilities. Without entering into the merits of the controversy we must say that "His Grace of Canterbury" defended in a dignified way the action of the bishops and appealed to the English sense of justice, so that the law of the church might be loyally observed and a large measure of liberty procured. It is not likely that these "charges" will at once banish the "crisis," but it will be well if they do something to elevate the tone of the discussion.

Tesla's Colossal Scheme.

If Nikola Tesla's latest theory works out in practice, the achievement will astonish a world which has almost ceased to be surprised by any scientific marvel, so fast have wonders crowded upon it in these days. Yet the last generation would have ridiculed the possibility of things which are now commonplace. Tesla, whose inventions have already won him fame, vouches for the practicability of his latest scheme, which he outlines in the last number of the *Electrical Review*. His work, he says, has already passed the stage of mere laboratory experiment, and is ready for a test on an industrial scale.

Briefly, Tesla holds that unlimited electrical power can be conveyed without wires to any distance by the simple media of earth and air. Tesla's invention is based on the fact that rarefied air is a true conductor of electricity. He conceived the idea of transmitting electrical energy through the rarefied strata of the earth's atmosphere. The electrical current at the point where it is generated would be connected with the earth, and then taken to a great altitude, where it would be discharged into the rarefied air. At the receiving point, which might be any distance away, this current would be captured, as it were, by an apparatus at a like altitude, which would bring down the power to earth for general use. "This latest advance of the electrician in the possibilities of his science," says the *Electrical Review*, "will, if successful on a large scale, open up unlimited sources of practically costless power. The success of his efforts means that power from such sources as Niagara will become available in any part of the world, regardless of distance."

Tesla may be only indulging in a daring flight of scientific fancy, but if the problem of transmitting great electrical energy to great distances is solved, whether by Tesla's plan or any other, it means much for inland cities like London, which are far removed from natural water power.

Public sentiment is strong enough without stale eggs.

Boycott is an ugly word. Still there is nothing to prevent people walking if they choose.

The street railway employees of London have always been regarded as good, law-abiding citizens, and they are living up to their reputation.

Col. Waring, the American sanitary engineer, reports that it will cost \$22,000,000 to cleanse Havana and its harbor. As Spain has left Uncle Sam such a legacy of filth, it is not surprising that he refused the additional bequest of the Cuban debt.

J. J. Foy, Q.C., is credited with writing the letter signed "Lex," which pointed out the necessity of re-proving the Legislature. If this surmise is correct, the discovery was an afterthought on Mr. Foy's part, or he surely would have announced it before the end of the session.

Hon. J.C. Patterson, now Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, formerly a member of the late Conservative Government, pays a deserved compliment to Lord Aberdeen and gives a stinging rebuke to his Excellency's assailants. Reputable Conservatives have refused to join the campaign of slander against the Governor-General.

The meeting last night will hasten the end of the street car trouble. The directors of the company are shrewd business men, but they did not calculate sufficiently on public sentiment as a factor of the situation. Now that they have been enabled to measure the force and effect of that sentiment, we believe they will admit their mistake and will seek to repair it. The

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Whitney's Time Past.

[Dundas Banner.]

Mr. Whitney seems to have struck 12 o'clock.

A Cruel Insinuation.

[New York Journal.]

The British did some neat fighting in the Sudan, but the American army of Santiago holds the world's record for invincibility. It won a victory under Shafter.

A Kind Offer.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]

In the event of war between England and France we can assure our Gallia friends that when they sue for peace we will cheerfully welcome the meeting of their commission in Washington.

What Worries Carscallen.

[Toronto Telegram.]

What worries Henry Carscallen, Q. C., M.P.P., is not a fear that the tricolor may supplant the Union Jack in Canada, but a foreboding that J. P. Whitney may not supplant A. S. Hardy in the Queen's Park.

Not Under the Ward System.

[Hamilton Herald.]

An Ottawa alderman has made the candid admission that he doesn't propose to serve in the city council without "getting something for it." That alderman is likely to get something in close proximity to his neck.

A Lesson for the Opposition.

[Toronto Globe.]

It is too much to expect the opposition at once to abandon the wild hopes which they entertained last March, and settle down to the conviction that the matter of regard is disposed of for three years and a half; but that is the fact, and the sooner they recognize it the better.

Freezing Out Callers.

[Chicago Times-Herald.]

In Bridgeport, Conn., the girls have organized a movement to freeze out young gentlemen callers who monopolize their time without proposing marriage. Social life for a young man who doesn't want to get married in that town must be a performance in continuous performance in which he soon plays the role of the Wandering Jew.

A Useful Lesson.

[Canadian Baptist.]

St. Andrew's Church in Toronto has gone through a painful experience, and although it is a delicate subject for remark in any religious journal outside of Presbyterian lines. The Baptist may be allowed to express its hearty sympathy with the members of this congregation. They have exhibited an admirable spirit in the face of provocation, and, as far as an opinion can be formed on the published facts, they have been abundantly justified. The late pastor, who freely acknowledged this much when in his address to the Presbytery he said the managers had made a statement of the case which was fair, which made it plain to everyone that he had made mistakes, and that he had been wrong in his conclusion in regard to several matters. A congregation has rights which no pastor should be allowed to assail with impunity, and it is not a man's business to give a lesson before his departure for Chicago.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

Same Old Motto.

"So the war is really over." "Yes, our landlady has taken down 'Remember the Maine' and put up our favorite old motto, 'Pay as you go.'"

Reassuring. "If I should go to the bad place," she said, "I s'pose my wax doll would melt."

"It surely would," replied the elder, who thought there was a chance to impress a lesson on her. "Well," she returned with a sigh, "I guess I'll have to be good, then."—Chicago Post.

Society as a Reformer.

Society is growing less, decidedly so. All students of men agree in this view, just as excessive alcoholic drinking is falling into disuse. The principal reason for the decline of both excessive swearing and drinking is that men are getting more and more careful to refrain from any habit which places

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\$1.50—Perrin's Belfort Gloves, in special shades and black, two dome fasteners, all sizes, at \$1.50.

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\$5—Men's Overcoats, in navy blue, blue-black and black beaver, Italian linings, fly front, velvet collars, all sizes.

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\$7.50—Men's Overcoats, in navy blue and black beaver, well and strongly made, plain linings, worth \$10.

Special at \$7.50.

\$10—Men's Overcoats, in black, navy blue-black and dark gray beavers, well made and trimmed, worth \$12.

Special at \$10.

\$12—Men's Overcoats, in blue, blue-black and black beaver, padded satin linings, silk sewn, fly front and double-breasted, worth \$15.

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\$14—Men's and Youths' Overcoats, in navy blue and black beaver, satin linings, silk sewn, up-to-date goods, worth \$20.

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their self-control in peril. Society is constantly growing more impatient with a man who lacks equanimity, while the keener demands of business necessitate men being more moderate in all things. The basis of the change may be more material than spiritual, but the change is taking place irrespective of the character of the basis or motive.

—Ladies' Home Journal.

Love's Blunder. Love is blind, the little stupid. Well I know 'tis so; For I bade the silly Cupid String and bend his bow; Send his shafts, swift and dart Speeding into Dolly's heart.

Zounds! The bungling rascal missed her, And brought down her youngest sister. —R. S. P., in Brooklyn Life.

Already Treated. "Good morning, Mrs. Gilligan; how is Patrick this morning?" "Sure, he's no better, sir." "Why don't you send him to the hospital to be treated?" "To be treated? Is it? Faith, an' it's the delerium tremens he has already!"

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A Generous Tribute From an American Paper—Nelson's Inspiring Career.

[Chicago Times-Herald, Oct. 21.]

While the air resounds with the naval victories of Dewey, of Sampson and of Schley, and comparisons are being made, not unjustly, between the feats of our admirals and those of England's greatest sea warrior, Horatio Nelson, it might be well to remember that today is the 93rd anniversary of the greatest sea fight in history, the battle of Trafalgar, in which Nelson destroyed the combined fleets of France and Spain, and established England's supremacy on the sea.

Nelson's career is one of the romances of history. A midshipman at 12, a post-captain at 21, a commodore for war and an admiral at 39, his genius and his undaunted valor have made his name the most renowned in the annals of naval warfare. He is the ideal sea commander, an example not only for English but for American youths.

It is pleasing to record that his best and most appreciative biography has been written by our own Capt. Mahan, the most authoritative writer on sea warfare of modern times. With Nelson's great battles, St. Vincent, the Nile, Copenhagen and Trafalgar, the world is familiar. They are twice-told tales, and yet, like all feats of courage and skill and daring, the world never tires of their recital. From March, 1805, until October, Nelson watched and waited for Villeneuve, the admiral in command of the French and Spanish fleets. He chased him to the West Indies and back again, but the French admiral eluded him, and finally sought shelter in Cadiz. In the last days of September Nelson was off Cadiz with a fleet of 33 or 34 sail of the line, while Villeneuve had a fleet of about the same force. But Nelson, knowing that the Frenchman would not venture to fight on equal terms, actually sent away several of

his own ships in order to induce Villeneuve to come out and bring on an engagement.

On the 20th of October Villeneuve put to sea, in obedience to a peremptory command of Napoleon, who stigmatized him as a coward for failing to meet the English admiral. He had 33 ships of the line, and Nelson had 27. At daybreak on the 21st, Villeneuve appeared off Cape Trafalgar, and soon thereafter the English fleet, in two columns, made the attack that Nelson long had planned. "England expects every man to do his duty," was the signal that flew from Nelson's flagship as the vessels moved into action, and the responsive cheers from the British fleet carried with them the doom of Villeneuve.

In the battle that ensued only a few French and Spanish ships escaped destruction, but the splendid victory was dearly bought with the death of Nelson himself. He died the hero he had lived, and now, after almost a century, his memory is still revered wherever the English language is spoken, as the greatest of naval heroes.

JOHN BLOW'S TESTIMONY

Says Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved His Life Recently.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—The many Torontonians who know Mr. John Blow, 67 Prince street, have been in a state of amazement for some time past, because Mr. Blow, who for years was a great sufferer from Diabetes, has fully recovered, and is now as well as ever, though his case was said to be hopeless. "I was cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills," said Mr. Blow, "the only medicine on earth that can cure this terrible disease."

So it goes. Dodd's Kidney Pills are keeping up their grand work for human health and happiness unceasingly.

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Minard's Liniment, Lumberman's Friend

Blue Ribbon Tea.

Ask your friends about it.

MAJ. MARCHAND OFF FOR CAIRO

The French Commander Reaches Khartoum.

Press Comment on the Fashoda Situation.

Balfour Speaks of Britain's Egyptian Policy—The "Protectorate" Report Denied.

Cairo, Oct. 29.—A boat, recently dispatched to Fashoda, has reached Khartoum on its return journey, and with Major Marchand on board. The major deemed it necessary to personally bring to Cairo the unfinished portion of his report of his explorations. Capt. Germain was left in command of the French mission at Fashoda. Major Marchand left Fashoda on Sunday, and arrived at Khartoum yesterday morning. He will start for Cairo today. As the French men remain at Fashoda, Major Marchand's departure from there is not regarded as a settlement of the question as to the possession of that place, which is in dispute between Great Britain and France.

The French foreign office has received a dispatch from its diplomatic agency at Cairo, confirming the reported arrival of Major Marchand at Khartoum.

PRESS COMMENT ON MARCHAND'S MOVEMENTS.

London, Oct. 29.—The morning newspaper editorials regard Major Marchand's movement from Fashoda to Khartoum as indicative of a yielding on the specific question in controversy, although the position is officially unaltered. It is assumed that he will push on to Cairo in order to be in direct communication with the French Government, and that on reaching there he will report to Paris the impossibility of remaining at Fashoda under existing conditions, and will ask authority to withdraw his entire force. The Times says the desire ascribed to France to raise a general discussion ought to be in itself sufficient answer to the ridiculous rumor circulated in ill-informed quarters yesterday that we intended to play into her hands by declaring a protectorate over Egypt. Nothing could be more unlikely at the present moment.

The Daily News takes it for granted that Major Marchand will come to Paris.

PARIS REPORTS.

The rumor was circulated on the Paris boulevard yesterday that Major Marchand would be recalled from Fashoda, but on neither side of the channel—certainly on this side—is any serious attention paid to the rumor that England will declare a protectorate over Egypt.

The Paris correspondent of the London Standard says: I have excellent authority for the assertion that Major Marchand left Fashoda on his own initiative, but that he will demand permission to withdraw the mission, since his men are dying of hunger and disease. The special correspondent of the Daily News at Omdurman telegraphs: "Major Marchand is believed to have refused to accept the French instruction to withdraw the French mission from Fashoda."

The Paris correspondent of the London Times says: If France directs Major Marchand to retire from Fashoda, she will refuse to enter any ulterior negotiations, preferring to leave the question quite open and awaiting a more favorable opportunity to reopen it.

A cable to New York says: Advice from Paris this afternoon says President Faure has authorized the statement that no settlement has been reached between England and France regarding Fashoda.

COURTEL AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE.

Baron de Courcel, the French ambassador, had another long interview at the British foreign office yesterday with Sir Thomas Sanderson, permanent under secretary of state for foreign affairs, and there is no doubt that important matters were under discussion. There does not seem to be the slightest ground for the lowly rumor that the British cabinet has decided to declare the protectorate of Great Britain over Egypt. It was based solely on a London dispatch to the Paris

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Immense Crowd at the Funeral of Frederick Beattie—Magisterial Investigation To Be Instituted.

The papers do not comment upon the statement made, and the St. James' Gazette alone alludes to the subject, urging the government to adopt such a course.

BALFOUR AND SPENCER SPEAK.

The first cabinet minister to speak publicly since the cabinet council on Thursday is Lord Balfour of Burleigh, secretary for Scotland, who, when addressing a meeting at Galashiels, Scotland, declared that it was the settled policy of the government that the valley of the Nile must be Egyptian territory.

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THE CODERICH HOMICIDE

Jury Find the Accused Did the Deed in Self-Defense.

Immense Crowd at the Funeral of Frederick Beattie—Magisterial Investigation To Be Instituted.

Goderich, Ont., Oct. 29.—The inquest in the Cox shooting case was resumed yesterday afternoon in the court house here. Dr. Whiteley, Robt. Thompson, Geo. Parvener, Robt. Lusk, Richard Chambers and Thos. Gundry, constables.

The witnesses corroborated the evidence previously given and added points which favor the prisoner strongly. The coroner reviewed the evidence impartially and gave the case to the jury, who returned the following verdict, after an absence of about 25 minutes:

"That on the morning of the 26th of October, Frederick Beattie came to his death in his own orchard by a pistol shot, the pistol being in the hands of William Cox, and we further find, according to the evidence, that the said Frederick Beattie was shot in self-defense by the said William Cox."

Today the preliminary investigation will be held in the police magistrate's office at 2 o'clock.

According to evidence a bitter feeling seems to have been entertained by Beattie against his father-in-law Cox, and the other members of his family, with the exception of the unmarried daughter, Lily, between whom and the deceased there was every reason to believe that a strong attachment existed. On several occasions Beattie had been known to vent threats against Cox, at times going so far as to say he would be the death of the latter. On Saturday last, about midnight, the son-in-law called at Cox's house, and got his sister-in-law to leave the house with him and go to his residence. She was five miles away. This action had the effect of entirely upsetting Mrs. Cox, the girl's mother, who became ill from the worry incident to the event, and the girl was coerced to return, which she did on Monday morning. Beattie on Monday came over and endeavored to have the girl go back with him, but by this time she had come to a sense of the wrongfulness of her action on Saturday night, and refused to go with him. When she returned she omitted to bring a portion of her wearing apparel with her, and on Wednesday the father started for Beattie's farm with the avowed object of obtaining the clothing. The result was the fracas between the two men, and the shooting of Beattie. Mrs. Beattie heard the husband threaten his father that he would have the latter's heart's blood, and saw him raise his hand and spring at her father. Shortly after she heard a shot fired and saw her husband fall.

The funeral of Frederick Beattie took place yesterday. There was an immense crowd present. The procession was nearly a mile long. The pall-bearers consisted of six members of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, of which the deceased was a member. The order attended in a body. The service at the grave was conducted by Rev. Mr. Hamilton, pastor of Zion Church (Methodist) Leeburn.

WARLIKE.

The Daily News sent a special correspondent to ascertain the truth of the reported naval preparations at Portsmouth. He writes that the dockyard is full of unwelcome activity, and echoes from end to end with the noise of preparations. Fifty torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers are being rapidly overhauled, and can be made ready for service in a few hours. Thousands of tons of coal are being poured at the topmost speed into the bunkers of several vessels, and food and ammunition are going aboard as rapidly as the men and derricks can work. Outside the dockyard there is similar activity. Throughout the day there was a continuous boom on the coast, where the artillerymen were testing their guns. The forts at Spithead are taking in quantities of ammunition. The Southsea Common, close to Portsmouth, is dotted with tents which are occupied by engineers and miners, who are erecting searchlight stations at break-neck speed. The earthworks all along the sea front are being strengthened, and there is evidence everywhere that preparations are being made for the worst contingency.

SECOND GIBRALTAR.

The English Government is fortifying Berehaven, at the mouth of Bantry Bay, Ireland. The work will take years to complete, and will, it is said, make of the place a second Gibraltar. It will be made a strong naval base. It is an important place, as it lies on the direct route of food supplies from Canada and the United States, and possesses one of the finest natural harbors in the United Kingdom.

OLD ETONIANS DINE

Banquet to Lord Curzon—Citation Against a Rector.

London, Oct. 29.—The banquet of old Etonians, given in London last night, to Lord Curzon of Kedleston, the new viceroy of India, the Earl of Minto, the new governor-general of Canada, and the Rev. Dr. Wollaston, bishop designate of Calcutta, proved a remarkable gathering. The Earl of Rosebery presided, and the company of 220 guests included Mr. Arthur Balfour, first lord of the treasury, and government leader in the House of Commons; the Marquis of Lansdowne, secretary of state for war, and Earl of Roberts of Candahar and Waterford, commander of the British forces in Ireland, with many of the most prominent and brilliant men in the kingdom.

Lord Rosebery's speech was for the most part a eulogy of his guests of the evening, with many references to the importance of the respective posts they have been called to fill.

Th Earl of Minto responded to a toast to his health, and referred to the grave possibilities affecting Canada in view of the sympathetic kinship of the United States.

Lord Curzon, who, on rising, received a great ovation, spoke on Indian matters.

Lord Roberts, in proposing the health of Lord Rosebery, said the British nation owed him a debt of gratitude for breaking his four years' silence by a patriotic speech, which had relieved and satisfied the feelings of all Britons.

CITED THE RECTOR.

London, Oct. 29.—Proceedings have been commenced in the consistory court by Mr. John Kensit against the rector and churchwardens of the Church of St. Ethelburga, the citation demands the removal of the crucifix over the altar, the tabernacle over the altar, and that the Ten Commandments shall be placed in a conspicuous place in the church. The proceedings will be resisted.

\$10,000 SALVAGE.

London, Oct. 29.—Salvage to the amount of £2,500 has been awarded to the British steamer Marino for towing the Cunard liner Aurania, which she picked up at sea on Sept. 14 and brought to Queenstown.

Philadelphians and their visitors again poured into the streets to witness the third and last of the great peace jubilee processions. Yesterday's procession was purely of a civic character, and was a most fitting wind-up of the week's jubilee, the emblems of peaceful industry following the display of the nation's prowess in war.

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ally if—which, however, looks somewhat doubtful—M. Dupuy succeeds in forming a cabinet. He was premier during the Dreyfus trial, and his appointment delights the anti-Dreyfusites, who see in it an indication that President Faure has a greater sympathy for the army than for the discovery of the truth. It is asserted that the father-in-law of Dreyfus has received a letter from the prisoner in his own handwriting. Formerly only copies of his letters were transmitted, and the new departure is regarded as a favorable sign.

In moderate circles, where a serious effort is being made to discover the truth in the Dreyfus affair, the impression long by the report of M. Bard, official reporter of the court of cassation, and by the requisitoire (petition) of M. Manau, the procurator-general, is profound, painful and discouraging. The thought which weighs in the mind of the country seems to be a reluctance to believe in the complete innocence of Dreyfus, because such a belief would involve such a terrible censure of those responsible, knowingly or unknowingly, for his condemnation.

THE DEATH OF FREDERIC

Those in Whom He Trusted Unable to Describe His Condition.

London, Oct. 29.—The coroner's inquest into the death of Mr. Harold Frederic, the newspaper correspondent and novelist, who died at Henley, Surrey, on last Wednesday, was resumed on Wednesday. Mrs. Mills, the leader of the Christian Scientists, who treated Mr. Frederic according to the peculiar methods of that sect, was called as a witness. She is a robust, swarthy, middle-aged American. She testified concerning the treatment which she applied to Mr. Frederic. She said she did not allow patients to take drugs or a doctor's orders, because they could not swing between matter and mind. The patient could not describe the physical condition of Mr. Frederic. She had not diagnosed his material illness. Mrs. Mills told the coroner that his God was finite and her God infinite. If she should fall down and break her leg, God would take care of the fractured limb. Lady Mathew, on behalf of Mr. Frederic's executors, cross-examined the witness, and got answers similar to the foregoing. He warned her that she was in a serious position.

Mrs. Mills said she charged her patients a guinea a week if they could afford to pay that sum. She had no idea that taking Mr. Frederic for a drive a few days before his death was the worst thing that could have been done at the time.

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OUR SHORT STORY

"After Many Years."

It was a summer night in Cawnpore, in the year 1857. Two lovers stood within the convenient shade of a veranda saying a long farewell—till the morrow. The stars were shining with that radiance which makes the peculiar glory of an Indian night, and the air was heavy with the scent of the champak blossoms.

"Good night, my darling, I must go, and each moment only makes it harder to leave you."

"Go, then. Who is keeping you?"

"You! you witch! How well you know your power. Haven't you kept me ten whole minutes when I ought to have started on my rounds ages ago?"

"I have kept you! How dare you imply such a thing? I have been longing for your departure. I—I am very sleepy," with a carefully simulated yawn and wide-open mischievous eyes.

"Well, I am going. Really, this time. By the bye, you know I cannot come till late tomorrow evening. I wish to goodness I were not adjutant. What's the use of the few extra rupees when it takes up all my time so that I never see you now?"

"Oh, what a story, and what a frown! I can see it quite plainly."

"You cannot. I can only just see your white frock and the lines of your hair and that scarlet thing on your head, and—your eyes. I see them wherever I am. When the colonel gives me an order I stare straight over his head till I know he thinks I have gone crazy, and I see there—in the air—two dark-brown eyes, sparkling with wickedness and shining like the stars above us now—and—"

The remainder of the speech was arrested by a little hand which was laid lightly upon his lips, and which naturally met the fate it deserved. There was complete silence in the shadows of the veranda, only broken by her short and hurried breathing, and a slight stir as she nestled into his arms and was clasped for an instant to his breast. The sycamore (native gourd), who was crouching beside his master's waiting horse, raised his drowsy head and wondered if he had gone into the house again. But just then the farewell was finally accomplished, and he listened curiously to their parting words.

"Good night, Dick. Be as early as you can."

"Good night. Of course I'll be early. It will be years before I see you again."

"Be sure you recognize me then! You silly! Good night."

Master and servant turned at the gate of the garden and looked back. She had stepped out of the shadow and it was bright as though for them to see every detail of her white muslin dress, flounced to the waist, and to catch the gleam of her uncovered neck and arms. Dick Manners even imagined he could distinguish the curve of her dark head outlined against the scarlet bow and see the starlike shining of her eyes. He sighed as he rode away. It was so hard to leave her only for a few hours, and the heavy, clinging scent of the champak blossom oppressed him and seemed to lie as a weight upon his heart.

It was in May, 1857, when a party of English men and women rode through the streets of the native city of Lucknow. They were going to visit the shops of the famous gold and silver workers and were accompanied by an escort of native police for their guidance, and, though the ladies of the party scoffed at the idea, for their protection as well. The bazaar at Lucknow has too bad a name for any Englishman to care to take his womanhood there without a show of force. The streets are very narrow and the houses have, in many cases, overhanging balconies to the upper stories, creating a feeling of oppression even in riders, who are raised above the masses of many shaded humanity with which the countless lanes and alleys are filled.

Edith Villars was typically English in appearance, having soft, fair hair and gray blue eyes, and with the latter she now gazed as if fascinated at the shrouded figures which passed her in

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pointed to the huddled form. For a few brief seconds her clear, blue eyes met those of the other woman, whose eyes, awful with the extremity of shame and despair and filled with such longing as might burn in those of some lost soul who gazed across the impassable gulf of the kingdom of the blind.

With a deep drawn sigh Col. Manners passed out and looked up, half unconsciously, to the dark blue sky above.

Those novels are stinging; the charcoal stinger makes them unbearable, fancy living in one. No one but a native could!"

But, even as he spoke, he threw off the depression caused by the charcoal stinger, and that uncomfortable looking old woman in the corner and turned to look proudly at the tall, beautiful, fair haired girl who was already, surely, his own.

Miss Villars had not answered him. She stood hesitating on the threshold, shading her eyes from the dazzling glare before her, thinking of the blackness, the wretchedness, behind her. She felt it would be long before she forgot that face, those eyes, which to her excited imagination, seemed to be following her still. Was there not some appeal in them? She half turned as if to go back, but Colonel Manners said, "This way, Miss Villars," and she stopped, ashamed of her aimless impulse.

Inside the dark and stifling shop, which Col. Manners had been so glad to leave, the woman still crouched upon the floor. She had thrown back her veil as if she needed air, and the masses of her dark, fine waving hair were revealed. Not native hair. The very way it grew showed that. When the shade of the sari was removed, features were visible and every curve of lips, nostrils, eyelids and throat cried out her English blood. Within her breast a torment of misery was unseated. It was years since she had thought, unconsciously, as she was thinking now.

But for 20 years she had not heard the voice she had heard today. "Had not seen the face upon which her eyes had hungrily rested only a few moments before, laid her head, for shame and agony, to admit the thought of him into her heart, and now—All that she had borne of humiliation, ill-usage and daily grinding tyranny throughout her life, was now a mere recollection of that which was no more."

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"Am I to keep thee in idleness all thy days? Rise. Get thee to the preparation of the meal. Thou hast looked too long upon these white feet. Perhaps they have bewitched thee, but remember I will have no lazy white memsahibs here."

It was the voice of her master, and while the sneer cut her to the heart, as it had never failed to do, through all the long years, the flash died out of her eyes, and, drawing the card closely around her once more, she passed obediently to the back of the house with the slow, gliding step of a native woman.—Temple Bar.

"I see the woman, or rather the figure, you mean. But what is there extraordinary about her?"

"Only her feet. They are white—quite white. Isn't it funny?"

"Oh, no! They often look white with the dust of the road, and besides some of them are fair. Perhaps that particular woman is a hill woman, a Kashmiri. They are sometimes as fair as—no, not you, but many English girls," and he glanced admiringly at her dazzling complexion.

But her remark had evidently impressed him, and for some time he watched the passing women, gazing always at their feet. And it seemed to him there were many white—horribly white. Strange stories came to his remembrance, stories which he had just after the mutiny, that all the missing English women and girls had not been killed. That thought had nearly maddened him once. Even now he shuddered, and saw with thankfulness that they had arrived at the bank, the part of the bazaar where the best goldsmiths' shops are situated and remarkable for the beautiful carving of the wooden balconies which overhang the porches where the work is carried on. The travelers were loud in their praises and comparisons with every picturesque town in Europe, giving, however, as they felt correct, the preference to this city of the gorgeous East.

The principal police officer soon rushed them into one of the largest shops, a low ceiled room with a mud floor, while he whispered to Col. Manners that the owner was the biggest rascal in the whole bazaar, and that the best worker, and that the English "memsahibs" would see some wonderful things. Col. Manners, who had often performed the duty of showman during his stay in Lucknow, knew exactly what to explain, and waited expectantly for the inevitable exclamations of astonishment over the fire—a few pieces of glowing charcoal in a broken earthenware pot, the very primitive bellows, worked by an almost naked shining little boy, and the few rough and simple tools.

The proprietor was a stout man, greasy and repulsive-looking, and with an air which made Col. Manners look even sterner than his wont. His words were sharp as he bade the man show his goods as quickly as possible. The ladies thought all natives alike, and noticed nothing wrong with the man's leer and sly glances of the way in which he directed all his remarks and compliments to the young girl. They watched him make a few silver bangles and bought some curious ornaments which were lying about the shop, but Mrs. Villars had set her heart on a certain kind of nose ring, and there was not one to be seen. When the silver worker understood her wish he went to the back of the room, where, in the shadow, Col. Manners had seen a crouching figure, and saying a few words in a low, harsh tone, he returned to his customers with a particularly fine nose ring, incrustated with turquoises, in his hand. Mrs. Villars was delighted, and while she contemplated her bargaining, with the aid of the policeman, her daughter wandered to the back of the shop.

She was astonished to find a woman seated there, and more, that she wore the identical sari which had attracted her attention on the road. Instinctively she looked down to see the woman's feet, but the whole form was shrouded in the usual way, nothing was visible but the face, and upon that the girl gazed with a growing horror on her own. It was the face of an old woman; dark hair was parted and brought low over the forehead; there was no color in the hollow cheeks, and the eyes glittered out of bony hollows. They were wonderful eyes, the gray, weary, old eyes in that countenance of a long past beauty, but now they were awful, too, for misery and humiliation, rage and despair glared out of their brown depths as the English girl bent over them, half fascinated, half appalled.

A voice sounded across the room: "Come, Miss Villars, we must be going. There is more for you to see, and the sun is getting hot. And—" with a tender, half proprietary tone in the voice—"I don't half like your being here any longer. Ah, what have you found there?"

Over the miserable eyes into which she was looking there came a sudden change. They positively darkened with an expression of the acutest agony. She was suffering—ill! Edith bent closer, but the fierce gesture of the hidden arm forbade her kindly touch, and she could not speak—the woman would not understand English. She felt relieved to know that Col. Manners was beside her and silently

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STROKE OF GENIUS

An Old Woman's Solution of How to Make a Will.

The Young Lawyer's Story of the Unique Proceedings Which Produced an Avalanche of Feminine Fury Among the Bellicose Legatees.

"Legal practice in the country," said the young attorney who had taken a run down to the city to freshen up a bit, "is not cracked up to be anything which is right, but if I continue to have experiences similar to that which I had last week my life will not be devoid of interest."

"I was sent out by my father, whose junior partner I am, to Billerston, a little while ago to draw up a will for an old woman who had about \$20,000 worth of property to devise and about a dozen legatees. When I reached the deviator's house, I found that she was prepared for hereafter and emergencies of all kinds."

"She had heard of broken wills—had heard that no lawyer could draw up a will that some other lawyer couldn't break—but being a strong minded person she had her own ideas about things. She had put off making a will as long as she dared, but one day a happy thought struck her, and she concluded that she could beat the lawyers at their own game. She said to herself that wills were broken because some one didn't get something that he or she thought she ought to have or some one else had got something that he or she ought not to have. The old woman's solution of that difficulty was a stroke of genius."

"I found the deviator sitting prim and stiff in her prim and stiff little parlor, and ranged around the room were a lot of other women, all primmer and stiffer than the deviator. They were the legatees, and they were there to tell the deviator what they wanted without reserve and as freely as they would fight after the deviator's death for the same thing if it had not been bequeathed. There were two men there, but they didn't count. I didn't notice them when I went in, and every time they said a word they were promptly squelched."

"The women were of the spinster type, the kind that one likes to characterize as females, spare, acidulated and grim. I believe two of them were married, but that must have been so long before that they had forgotten it. Here were pretty materials for an argument, and if I hadn't been so young and fresh I would have collapsed at the unprecedented plan. As it was I enjoyed the situation until I was fairly in for it, and then, of course, I could not get out."

"Last her presence should trammel a free discussion, the deviator, after introducing us all around and making the necessary explanations, left the room, and in less than five minutes the air was full of flying fur and feminine fury."

"Well, if I can't have the white house with the euphony I won't take anything," said Hannah Maria, and she swished out of the room in tears, only to come back a few minutes later, having thought better of it."

"Now, you can have the swamp plot, Susan. You know your husband allers and he'd drain it if it was his'n." This from Jane.

"Indeed! And have me nursin' him for fever an' ague all the rest of his life, caught workin' down in that mire. I guess not. No, ma'am. I want the hill farm. It's little, but it's healthy, an' you ain't so smart as you think, Jane Pearce."

"Ladies, ladies! I interjected mildly. 'Really, I can't make anything out of this if you won't be a little more amiable. I am afraid that the testator's wise plan will be frustrated if you can't come to a better agreement.'

"A scornful sniff, punctuated by such remarks as 'Brute!' 'Wretch' and the like, which ran around the room, was all I got for my pains. I had interfered in a family quarrel, and it was none of my affair if the family chose to decide things in a bellicose way."

"And then the row started again after a few minutes of sullen silence. It was, 'You take the meadow lot and I'll take the wood lot,' or 'I think Elizabeth ought to have the cows; her husband bein' so shiftless, she could sell the milk and do better.' Now they bandied about the 'phaeton' and the 'cherry bounce,' which no one seemed to care for and seemed likely to go to one of the unobtrusive males present."

"Then the fight settled thickly over the little apple orchard, and I was in a desperate fix. Finally I threw myself into the breach once more with a new proposition. I would take the inventory of property and let them ballot on the proposition articled there, each piece of property going to the one having the plurality of votes, and I went to work at once to put my scheme in operation without waiting for the legatees' consent."

"The upshot of it was that the plan fell flat, the first round when a very desirable bequest was put up, each legatee casting one emphatic ballot for himself or herself. Then there was a scene and tears and more tears, with suspicious glances at the two men whom no one thought would have dared to prefer themselves."

"I don't know how I ever came to a conclusion, but in the end I got a fair idea of what would be acceptable, and after consultation with the testator and getting her approval I drew up the will."

"But that isn't all of the story. When I came to present my bill, the deviator asked me how much I wanted, I drew a deep breath and boldly said, 'Five dollars.' She almost fainted away, and mind you, the will bequeathed property to the amount of \$20,000. When she came to, I asked her if she thought I demanded too much."

"I'll never give it in the world—never, never, never! was her determined reply. 'Well, what do you say to that?' She only frowned at this without fainting."

"Well, what do you think is right? I finally asked in despair."

"I'll pay you \$1.50 and not a cent more," she answered, jumping at the chance to name her own figures, and I—well, you can call me a fool if you will—I took it. There'll be a dozen partition suits in that will, and I stand a good chance of getting into them."

"Yes, country practice is meager, but it is stimulating," concluded the young attorney thoughtfully as he ordered a cent cigar and went out, leaving his hearer to pay for the drinks.—New York Sun.

Unimpressed.

"This castle is haunted," said the English guide to an American visitor as he threw open a massive shutter, "and the ghost is never seen except out of this window."

"Then your ghost might be called a mere window shade," replied the tourist.—Detroit Free Press.

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The beginning of this year very few people in Uxbridge, Ont., thought Mrs. Geo. Adams, a well-known and highly respected lady of that town, would be alive to see the incoming spring.

She was so weak and weary, her appetite was gone, there were dark circles under her eyes, her heart was bad, these terrible faint spells and smothering sensations came over her so frequently that it seemed to be only a matter of time till she would pass to the great majority.

More than that, there were times when she became partially paralyzed, and the doctors who were in attendance had given up all expectations of her recovery. At this time a friend in Toronto, hearing of Mrs. Adams' serious condition, advised the use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. It was the last ray of hope, and Mrs. Adams concluded to try the remedy.

On February 3rd she got the first box and started taking them. That was a Thursday; Friday night the first good effects of the medicine were made evident in Mrs. Adams getting sound, refreshing sleep, the first good night's rest she had had in months.

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Today Mrs. Adams is thankful to Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for sparing her life to her children and husband, and under date of April 4, 1888, wrote as follows:

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ELIZABETH ADAMS.

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In Woman's Interest

Mistresses Need Education.

"The more I look into the subject of household science," said the woman who is making the subject a study, "the more I see the need of educating the mistresses. The amount of work they expect from a single servant is marvelous. I know one woman who has a large family and one servant, and she does not expect to do any of the work of the house herself. She does not even make her own bed. To be sure they are only pulled open, the clothes thrown over the foot and then pulled back again, but the one maid has to do it. And I have known her to call this one girl from her general housework to bring her a glass of water upstairs and take the glass down again, and she does not hesitate to call her to bring a tape measure or something that she needs for her sewing. She expects personal waiting upon in addition to all the work of her house. We cannot expect servants to be reasonable when so much that is unreasonable is demanded of them."

A German Duchess.

Duchess Sophie of Bavaria, whose recent engagement to Count Torrington-Jettenbach has caused much interest in European society, is one of the most skillful and daring riders among the royal wheelwomen of Europe. Fully four years since, when there were few women cyclists in Germany, the young Duchess and her brothers and sisters were all adepts on the wheel, and were prominent in fancy and trick riding. The family have all inherited their well-known fondness for all forms of outdoor sport from their father's side of the house. The Duchess, who is a beautiful girl 23 years of age, is the eldest daughter of the Duke Karl Theodor of Bavaria and his second wife, the Princess Maria Josefa of Braganza. She has an exquisite complexion, large blue-gray eyes and golden hair. On her father's side she is the niece of the ill-fated Empress of Austria, the former Queen of Naples and the Countess Trani.

The Dutch Mania.

The cleanliness of the Dutch is proverbial; in some houses it reaches almost to a mania. Houses are not cleaned from top to bottom once or twice a year, as in other countries, but they are cleaned once if not twice a week, this cleaning comprehending not only windows, but doors, and even the walls of the house. The Dutch enjoy cleaning as other women enjoy dancing or playing golf. They are bright and quick about their work, and walk swiftly to and fro with their buckets of water which they throw on the windows and walls to rinse them after the dust, if any be on them, has been rubbed off, and they vigorously polish the brass knobs on the doors until they shine like gold. The tapestries used in Holland are very dainty, and the careful housewife always washes them herself before leaving the table, even when receiving friends.

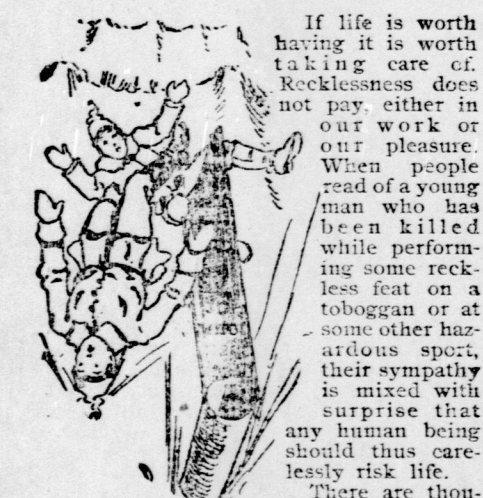
To Make Baby's Hair Curl.

Every morning after the baby's hair has been washed and well brushed do not leave it nice and smooth and tidy, but with the tips of the fingers rub the head all over very gently with a short, circular motion from right to left. This causes the roots of the hair to twist, and curly hair will be the result.

Aids to Beauty.

American women are not considered graceful. The few exceptions stand out with such startling distinctness as to be made much of. We, as a nation of women, are too brisk, hence our awkwardness. People slow of movement and reposeful of manner rarely lack grace. A habit of walking with stiffness is frequently caused by wearing excessively tight clothing, and often by bad habits contracted in childhood. An easy, undulating gait is what every woman, pretty or plain, ought to strive for, and this is impossible unless the feet and ankles are allowed the utmost liberty of motion. Narrow shoes, high heels and pointed toes are all hindrances, and until they are done away with a graceful carriage of the body is impossible, a good gait as far in the future as ever.

The easiest way to reduce the size of the hips is to exercise self-denial. Eat a great deal of fruit, exercise the mus-



If life is worth having it is worth taking care of. Recklessness does not pay, either in our work or our pleasure. When people read of a young man who has been killed while performing some reckless feat on a toboggan or some other hazardous sport, their sympathy is mixed with surprise that any human being should thus carelessly risk life. There are thousands of men who are recklessly risking their lives while they go about their common every-day avocations. They over-work, they do not take sufficient time from business or study to eat or sleep or rest, or to care for their health. Outraged nature throws out danger signals, to which they pay no heed. They suffer from bilious or nervous disorders, from sick headache, giddiness, drowsiness, cold chills, flushing of heat, shortness of breath, blotches on the skin, loss of appetite, uncomfortable sensations in the stomach after meals, loss of sleep, lassitude and trembling sensations. These are the advance symptoms of serious and fatal maladies.

All disorders of this nature are cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It restores the lost appetite, gives sound and refreshing sleep, makes the digestion perfect, the liver active. It purifies the blood and makes it rich with the life-giving elements of the food. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It makes the body active and the brain keen. It is the best of nerve tonics. Thousands have testified to its merits. No honest dealer will urge upon you a substitute for the little extra profit it may afford.

The man or woman who neglects constipation is gathering in the system a store of disorders that will culminate in some serious and possibly fatal malady. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a safe, sure, speedy and permanent cure for constipation. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic.

cles in that portion of the body and deny yourself all hearty dishes.

A certain degree of thinness is becoming, but when it comes to having all one's bones showing in an unduly prominent manner, one's whole attention has to be directed to covering them with flesh, for a woman who is over thin is quite as unlovely as if she were over stout, and the consequences almost as fatal.

The throat should be round, full and pillar-like, and nothing will give those qualities so quickly as the daily exercise of rolling the head completely around, several times in one direction and an equal number in the opposite way. This exercise fills out the hollows like magic and strengthens the muscles as well.

A Prune Dessert.

Whipped cream and prunes make a luncheon dish easy to prepare. Stew half a pound of prunes, after removing the pits and draining off the water; mash the prunes with a spoon and then add whipped, sweetened cream, flavored with vanilla. Fill small custard cups with the mixture and put them on ice until needed, when a spoonful of the whipped cream is placed on each cup. If the cream is colored pink or violet with coloring mixture the appearance of the dish is improved.

Cold Meat Salad.

Fresh meat from skin and bone and cut it into small dice. For each pint make a French dressing with four table-spoonfuls of olive oil, one table-spoonful of plain or tarragon vinegar, one-half of a teaspoonful of salt and one-quarter of a teaspoonful of white pepper, and with it thoroughly marinate the meat. Set aside in a cold place for an hour or more that it may be thoroughly impregnated with the dressing. If you have any cold vegetables pour boiling water over them to rinse off any previous sauce or dressing, drain and marinate separately with French dressing. Arrange a bed of lettuce or other green salad on a platter, pour on it the meat and garnish with the vegetables. A few nasturtium leaves will add piquancy to the salad or a little watercress may be used with the lettuce, the combination depending largely upon the meat on hand and the way in which it was cooked. Boiled meat usually needs more in the way of seasoning than roast meat; a few drops of onion juice or a teaspoonful of finely chopped olives is frequently a decided addition.

Boys and Girls.

A Grand Financial Bubble.

When Tommy Todd awoke to find the morning coming in, he rose before the sun, he was so anxious to begin!

For Master Tommy's father, since Tommy begged he would, had promised him a nickel, each day, for being good!

The days within a week! they went on sliding through his paws like the days within a month he marked with speed upon his slate!

The days within a year! The days in twenty years! Just there he stood upon his whirling head, and waved his heels in air.

And oh, from Monday morning till the shades of Monday night he revelled in the family by being too polite.

He asked about the price of things, and frowned a moneyed frown; He took a kindly interest in all the trade in town.

He chose a fancy golf set, the dearest in the store; A camera and a box of tools, and twenty treasures more.

He sauntered by the candy-shop like any duke, that boy! And slapped his trousers' pocket hard, and glowed with every joy!

Yet when that first week had an end—however could it be? Of days there had been seven, but—of nickles there were three!

Our Tommy smiled a lofty smile, to show he didn't care; There was a swagger in his gait, a bluster in his air;

He even tried a reckless tune; but when bedtime drew nigh, His mother thought she heard him give a sort of smallish sigh!

And when she said, "Good night, my son!" he felt she understood It's hard to earn a nickel, each day, for being good!

—Catherine Young Glen, in October St. Nicholas.

Lieutenant Hobson as a Little Boy.

Little folks, a hero is not made in a minute. No, you may depend upon it that it is the thorough doing each day of all the things one ought to do, that grows the strength for the great deed.

For weeks you have been hearing about the glorious deed of Lieutenant Richmond Hobson, a young Southern man in the United States navy; how he sailed an American ship into Santiago channel right under the guns of the Spanish forts; and blew her up and sank her across the way, to shut the Spanish warships into the harbor inside. You know how the whole country cheered, and how the president sent his thanks. You know how even the Spanish admiral, into whose hands Lieutenant Hobson and his seven brave comrades fell, praised the young American.

And now I will tell you how this bold young American was a good and loving little child at home, and a gentle and chivalrous boy at school.

His mother—Lieutenant Hobson's mother is a neighbor of mine—told me that it was "instinct," something natural to little Richmond, and that he never left her alone, but always to be on hand in case she should need him. He appointed himself his mother's body-guard when he was only a child. If kept in his law office, or in the court-room at evening, his father could feel sure that little Richmond never left her. The other children went to bed at their usual time, but the little guardsman

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The Poets.

O Captain! My Captain!

O Captain! My Captain! Our fearful trip is done,
The ship has weather'd every rack, the prize we sought is won,
The port is near, the bells I hear, the people all exulting,
While follow eyes the steady keel, the vessel grim and daring;

But O my heart! heart! heart!
O, the bleeding drops of red,
Where on the deck my Captain lies,
Fallen, cold and dead.

O Captain! my Captain! rise up and hear the bells;
Rise up—for you the flag is flung—for you the bugle trills,
For you the shrouds are coming, for you the shores a-crowding,
For you they call, the swaying mass, their eager faces turning;

Here, Captain! dear father!
This arm beneath your head;
It is some dream that on the deck,
You've fallen cold and dead.

My Captain does not answer, his lips are pale and still,
My father does not feel my arm, he has no pulse nor will,
The ship is anchored safe and sound, its voyage closed and done,
From fearful trip the victor ship comes in with object won;

Exult, O shores, and ring, O bells!
But I with mournful tread,
Walk the deck, my Captain lies,
Fallen, cold and dead.

—Walt Whitman.

The Cup of Death.

There is a draught of ease that all shall drink;
But snatch not, uninvited, at the bowl,
Athirst to drink the whole.
Touch it, and stop;
It is the whim of Death his wine be drunk—
Slowly, and drop by drop.

Ye have already tasted: youth is over;
Stoop to the cup again and ye shall fare
'Neath duller skies, and bear
A heavier load.
Drink on, and ye shall fall, for drowsiness,
Asleep upon the road.

—Margaret Armour.

Often I Wish.
Often I wish that I might be,
This gay and golden weather,
Among my father's fields—ah, me!
And he and I together.

Below the mountains, fair and dim,
My father's fields are spreading;
I'd rather tread the eward with him
Than I would dance at a wedding.

O, green and fresh young English sod,
With daisies sprinkled over;
But greener far were the fields I trod,
After the honeyed Irish clover.

O, well your skylark cleaves the blue
To bid the sun good-morrow;
He has not the bonny song I knew
High over an Irish furrow.

And often, often I'm longing still
This gay and golden weather,
For my father's face on an Irish hill,
And he and I together.

—Katharine Tynan.

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My Dear Jack,—

I wish you would drop into E. N. HUNT'S, 190 Dundas Street, and ask him to mail me samples of his Wall Paper. I understand he is offering great reductions in that line just now.

Sincerely,

MINNIE.

THE QUEEN OF THE SEASON

"I can go no further, mademoiselle," her companion whispered. "The cabaret where I hope to purchase some wine and bread for my husband will be closed if I do not hurry thither. The house you seek is at the end of this passage. Knock gently three times, and then ask boldly for Monsieur Aymer. At first they may deny that he is still residing there, but do not believe them. I am assured that he has not departed. This is all I can do for you, and so adieu."

Involuntarily Vivien clutched her sleeve to detain her, but reminding herself that Aymer was within call, and that whatever might be his motives for hiding thus, he would take care of her, she released the impatient woman, who, muttering a hope that the saints would have her in their keeping, flitted away directly. It was horrible to be alone and in such a place; but refusing to let herself dwell upon the difficult question what she should do if Aymer were not here after all, or how she should regain the bridge without her guide, she breathlessly sped down the narrow court, and gave three sharp taps at the portal before which she found herself.

Twice the summons was repeated before it elicited any reply; but at last a bolt was withdrawn, and the door cautiously opened by a repulsive-looking, elderly man, over whose shoulder there peeped a female, older, uglier, and even more repellent in appearance than he was.

As by the aid of their lamp, this unpleasant-looking couple surveyed Vivien, she took courage, and, saying, imperiously, "I am the sister of Monsieur Aymer, who lodges with you; show me the way to his apartment," boldly stepped into the entry.

She was permitted to do this, and it was not till the female had carefully secured the door through which she had passed, that she was assured the person whom she sought had left Paris. "Show me his apartment, and let me convince myself of this," said Vivien, remembering how the woman had warned her that she might be put off with some such tale.

"A bold request, truly," exclaimed the man. "What will you give me for my trouble?"

"Monsieur Aymer will repay you for it," answered Vivien, restraining the impulse to produce her purse. "Lead on, for I am pressed for time."

"Who told you that the English madam is still here?" asked the woman, surveying her from head to foot.

"Does it signify how I learned it?" was the impatient retort. "Which is the way to his rooms? Have I not told you that I am in haste?"

But, disregarding her remonstrances, the man and his wife conferred together in whispers, and Vivien, sickening at the delay, which to her impetuous spirit was intolerable, was again about to produce her purse, when, with a significant nod at her spouse, the woman turned to her.

"Monsieur Aymer owes me money for his rent and for sundry dinners with which we have provided him. Is the little lady who calls herself his sister prepared to pay this sum? We are poor and cannot afford to lose it."

"Monsieur himself shall settle your account, as soon as I have seen him," said Vivien. "Will this promise satisfy you?"

"Apparently, then, you bring him money?"

To this question she returned no answer, but advanced towards the man, asking on which story her brother's apartments were situated.

"One moment," said the man, placing himself directly in her way. "I am tired of promises. I must see the color of English gold before I stir from here. Comprenez vous?"

"Will this content you?" asked Vivien, scornfully, as she dropped a sovereign into his dirty palm, repelling it directly with her covetous eyes peering into the elegant little porte-monnaie from which she had extracted the coin.

"As a token that mademoiselle acknowledges the debt," Ah! yes, yes," cried the woman, volubly. "But mademoiselle must pledge herself to repay all the enormous expenses to which we have been subjected by monsieur's illness. Ha! for Vivien uttered an exclamation of distress when she heard this, 'did she not know that for these three weeks past he has been extremely ill, often delirious, and costing us no end of anxiety and trouble? It is fever,' she added, lowering her voice.

"There is no doubt of it, though we

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conceal the fact from our neighbors, lest they avoid us!"

Aymer seriously, if not dangerously, ill, and in such a place as this! Vivien wrung her hands in dismay.

"My poor brother! Ah! why did I not know of this sooner? Take me to him at once!"

"But the expenses? Does mademoiselle agree to take them upon herself?" the woman persisted. "So many francs for oil for the lamp at night; so many for my good friend Nanette for sitting up with the sufferer, for wood for the stove, and for fruit and lemonade to cool his parched mouth, and—"

"Oh! spare me these items, and tell me the sum total!" exclaimed the anxious girl; "only be quick about it."

But, inexperienced though she was, the sum named was so large that Vivien's suspicions were aroused, and she hesitated.

"Here is an English note for five pounds," she said. "I will give you that, but no more, till I have assured myself that Monsieur Aymer has been properly nursed. And now insist that you take me to him without any further delay."

"Apparently mademoiselle has no fear of infection?" queried the man, as, after another whisper from his wife, he began to ascend the staircase, closely followed by his visitor.

"I have no fears. Pray don't stop me to ask these questions!"

"And mademoiselle understands that we shall expect to be paid out of her demands before she leaves us? But perhaps it is not in her power to do this?"

"I have the money in my possession. I will pay whatever my brother considers right before I go," she replied, and then, as before, repented the incautious admission; for a look passed swiftly across her guide's repulsive features that startled her. What if Aymer were not in this house after all, and she were being entrapped through her own folly?

The thought was so alarming that she paused, in doubt whether to proceed or retreat. But the woman was close behind her, watching every movement, and the man was unlocking a door at the head of the tall flight of stairs up which he had led her.

He looked in, cautiously shading the light he carried; then held up his finger with a warning gesture.

"Monsieur sleeps. All the long day he has raved wildly. He has insisted on rising and dressing, that he might return to his own country, and no violence has exhausted him. Will you await below with ma bonne femme until he awakens, or—"

"Chut! Andre, of what are you thinking? She will go to him now, and she will find him, impelling her visitor forward. "We have wasted time enough—is it not so? Enter, little lady. You will remember that our demands must be complied with before you quit this chamber again!"

The tone as well as the look that accompanied these words were so threatening, that Vivien haughtily shook off the coarse hand laid on her shoulder. But ere she could resent it, she had been thrust across the threshold, and the key turned in the lock of the door, that was instantly closed behind her.

It was an act that might well startle her. She was actually the prisoner of the ill-looking couple who had brought her hither, and in an agony of wrath and dread, she sprang towards the bed, but paused half way, for the face of the sleeper was turned towards her, and she saw that it was the face of a stranger!

CHAPTER IV.

For several minutes Vivien St. Orme leaned against the door of her prison, stunned by the terrible nature of her position. She found herself in a tiny chamber, which, from the sloping roof, she judged to be on the top story of the house she had unwarily entered. It contained nothing but two or three common rush chairs and a rickety table, on which stood a small lamp, a pitcher of water and a broken cup, but of medicine or fruit for the invalid there was none.

As she noted these things she glanced timidly towards the head of the bed, where fresh terror creeping through her veins as she recalled the assurance she had received that the inmate of the chamber was delirious. To be shut up with a madman was a fate which she had never dreamed of, and she found herself watching him with breathless dread of his stirring and discovering her presence.

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THANKSGIVING DAY.

Washington, Oct. 23.—President McKinley has issued a proclamation setting apart Tuesday, Nov. 24, as Thanksgiving Day.

DESPERATE PRISONERS ESCAPE.

Kingston, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Four desperate prisoners escaped from the Ulster county jail at 2 o'clock this morning. They are: Joseph Savage, charged with burglary, who has served three terms at Dannemora; Frank Stafford, charged with highway robbery; John Davitt, charged with criminal assault; and Thomas Munro, charged with burglary.

The escape was made by the men climbing a water-pipe and making a hole through the ceiling into the women's department, and then lowering themselves to the ground from a window by means of sheets tied together.

There are four other prisoners in the jail who are indicted for murder. They claim that they were asked to join the escaping prisoners, but declined to do so.

A Substantial Gain.

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THE BUSINESS SITUATION

As Reported by Bradstreet's and Dun & Co.

Weather Conditions Unfavorable, but Canada Makes a Good Showing.

New York, Oct. 26.—Bradstreet's review says:

Weather conditions have not favored distribution in Canada this week, and fall and winter goods have been moved less freely than expected. Toronto reports farmers' deliveries of wheat small, notwithstanding advanced prices, and reports from the Northwest are less encouraging. From the Winnipeg latest advices are that the yield of wheat will be 10,000,000 bushels in excess of last year, and that delayed deliveries are beginning to arrive now that better weather is being experienced. Collections, it is expected, will be one month later as a result of untoward weather conditions. At Victoria and Vancouver business shows a good increase over last year, and collections are also good. From the Maritime Provinces advices are that trade is up to the average. The outlook in Prince Edward Island is not encouraging, owing to the failures of cereal crops. Newfoundland fisheries have turned out better than expected. Business for the Dominion in domestic week numbered 23, as against 24 last week, and 29 in this week a year ago.

Dun & Co. say: Canadian reports this week are but moderately encouraging. The weather and other conditions have retarded business in many lines, although there is better business in clothes, hardware and provisions, but not so good in shoes at St. John. Orders for spring are fairly encouraging. In the west, at Halifax, and other volume of business has increased with a better demand for groceries. Crops in Prince Edward Island have been satisfactory, with better prices for wheat in Newfoundland. Excepting in shoes, trade at Quebec is generally good and collections good. Montreal reports weather not helping, but very fair trade in dry goods, groceries and shoes, with collections generally good. Retail trade at Toronto is good, with a fair showing for the week ending Dec. 31, 1896.

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prices by bidding against each other. Failures for the week have been 226 in the United States, against 213 last year, and 24 in Canada, against 26 last year.

WENT DOWN WITH ALL HANDS

Eighteen Men Lost in the Wreck of the L. R. Doty on Lake Michigan.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—The loss of the steamer L. R. Doty, with her entire crew of eighteen, during the gale of Tuesday is now confirmed. Wreckage brought to the Independent Tug Line was fully identified by Capt. Ellison, of the steamer George Williams, which belongs to the same line, as having come from the Doty.

The Olive Jeanette, which the Doty had in tow, was towed into the harbor early yesterday morning. Her crew confirmed the loss of the steamer.

THE LOST.

Following is a list of the members of the steamer's crew:

Capt. Christopher Smith, Port Huron; Chief Engineer, Thomas Abernethie, Port Huron; First Mate Harry Sharpe, Detroit; Steward Doss, West Bay City; W. J. Hossie, second mate; C. W. Odette, second engineer; George Wadkin, oiler; W. J. Scott, cook; Chas. Borne, watchman; Peter G. Peterson, wheelman; Albert Nelson, assistant wheelman; Joseph Fitzsimmons, J. Howe, fireman; P. Parmuth, C. Curtis, Wm. Ebert, Pat Ryan, Frank Burke, deckhands.

The above was the list of men on the boat on Oct. 8, when they were last paid off. It is possible that one or two changes have been made since that time.

The Doty was a wooden steamer, and was built at West Bay City, Mich., in 1893. Her capacity was 1,700 net tons. She was 291 feet long and 41 feet beam. Her insurance valuation was \$150,000.

The consort Jeanette had a thrilling time, having drifted 100 miles in the terrific gale. The vessel was swept its entire length by solid water.

CANADIAN EGGS

In the British Market—Suggestions for Shippers.

The following table shows the imports of eggs into Great Britain in the year ending Dec. 31, 1896:

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as a rule, are the ones who have made preparation for their different callings. A good many get their training in a business school. If you are interested in a commercial life write us.

Miss L. Linton has secured the position as stenographer with T. B. Scott & Co., London.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.
Dr. Nelles, dentist, has removed to 21 Dundas street, opposite Rumlans' department store.

STOVES, STOVES, STOVES.—Cheap Cook Stoves, Square Baseburners, Parlor Stoves, Extension Tables, Bedroom Suites, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Goose Feather Pillows, Down Cushions, made to order at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory, 593 Richmond street north. HUNT & SONS, Telephone 597.

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FAIR AND MILD—RAIN TONIGHT.

Toronto, Oct. 28—11 p.m.—Shallow depressions exist over the Upper Mississippi Valley and in the vicinity of Lake Superior; elsewhere the pressure is as a rule decidedly high. Fine weather has prevailed today in all portions of Canada. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 46-52; Kamloops, 36-50; Winnipeg, 32-42; Port Arthur, 30-40; Parry Sound, 24-44; Toronto, 26-50; Ottawa, 26-35; Montreal, 30-36; Quebec, 28-36; Halifax, 38-56. Probabilities: Toronto, Oct. 28.—1 p.m.—Lower lakes: Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds; fair and comparatively mild; showers during the night at some places. Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here yesterday were 45 and 23.5 degrees.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Hon. David Mills is in the city.

A special edition of the Industrial Banner was issued this morning in support of the striking street car men.

—Ex-Aid. J. W. Jones went to Duart today, to attend the funeral of Rev. A. Currie, who died on Wednesday evening.

—The Dominion flour standard board is in session at Montreal. Among the members present is J. D. Saunby, London.

—Rev. Dr. Somerville, of Owen Sound, one of the strongest men of Canadian Presbyterianism, will fill St. Andrew's Church tomorrow.

—First Presbyterian Church pulpit will be occupied tomorrow, morning and evening, by Rev. W. G. Jordan, of Strathroy, one of the brainiest men among the Presbyterian clergymen of Canada.

—Right Rev. D. O'Connor, D.D., bishop of London, will visit St. Michael's Church, Blyth, on Monday next, Oct. 31. He will administer the sacrament of confirmation to a class of children now undergoing instruction. He will also bless the new statue lately erected.

—Mrs. H. Summers, who, with her daughter Rhena, has been visiting friends and relatives in and around the city for the past two months, left yesterday for her home in Vancouver, B. C. Miss Summers will remain in London at the Hellmuth College for a term of three years, taking up a thorough academic course.

—Mr. J. L. Johnson succeeded a year ago in securing control for Canada of the well-known pottery of Bishop & Stonier, Henley, England, and has been invited to visit their big works, which he will do, and leaves Monday for that place. Mr. Johnson will return by New York, and will call on his lamp factory, the Consolidated Lamp and Glass Company, Pittsburgh, Pa., the largest and most complete lamp and glass factory in the world.

A pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. Daniel Allen, Waterloo street, on Thursday evening, when his daughter was married to Mr. Joseph Case, dentist. Dr. George Russell acted as groomsmen and Miss Lalla Smith as bridesmaid. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Edge. The bride received many valuable presents, among them a hand-

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some banquet lamp from the teachers and officers of Wellington Street Methodist Sunday school, of which both the bride and groom are active and valued members.

—The young men of St. Andrew's Church gave a most successful concert last night under the auspices of St. Andrew's Church Y. P. S. C. E. Mr. Oliver Leslie presided, and in a neat speech introduced a splendid programme, including instrumental and vocal music, recitations, etc. Among those taking part were: The Y. M. C. A. Mandolin Club, Mr. W. T. Tammbling, Mr. A. Black, Mr. Percy, Mr. Carpenter, Messrs. Elliott and Telfer, Mr. F. Murphy, Mr. Charles Wheeler, Mr. Wilson, Mr. J. W. McIntosh, Mr. Ardel, Mr. J. Gilmour, and Mr. George. The entertainment was most enjoyable, and the proceeds, amounting to about \$25, are to be devoted towards the reduction of the Y. M. C. A. debt. A supper was served at the close by the young ladies of the church to those who took part.

—The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in Canada, is reported for the Advertiser by Mr. P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London: Canada patents—George Wedlake, Brantford, sulky plow; W. M. Robinson, Halifax, N. S., concrete; P. Weatherbe, Ottawa, target frame and carriage (patent sold); A. Morrison and W. H. Armstrong, Vancouver, retort door; Brantford Starch Company, Brantford, prepared corn (trade mark); Elsie A. Skimings, Toronto, "Canada" (words and music copyright); United States patents—A. H. Cook, Markham, portable fence; H. B. Cowper, Montreal, game; E. Dore, Laprairie, cultivator; R. H. Dunn, Toronto, window cleaner; J. Hall, Winnipeg, dumping wagon; J. New, Winnipeg, window leveling rod; R. King, Montreal, ticker; W. Law, Peterboro, power hammer; A. Lucas, Edmundston, N. B., rail spike lock tie and gauge and the rowdy design patent; United States patents—A. H. Cook, Markham, portable fence; H. B. Cowper, Montreal, game; E. Dore, Laprairie, cultivator; R. H. Dunn, Toronto, window cleaner; J. Hall, Winnipeg, dumping wagon; J. New, Winnipeg, window leveling rod; R. King, Montreal, ticker; W. Law, Peterboro, power hammer; A. Lucas, Edmundston, N. B., rail spike lock tie and gauge and the rowdy design patent.

CHURCH AND CHURCHMEN.
Rev. R. Hobbs, of South London, will preach anniversary sermons in Rattenbury Street Church, Clinton, on Sunday, Nov. 20. His text will be "The Bishop of Huron will hold confirmation in Trinity Church, East Zorra, on Nov. 12."

Rev. Robert Johnston, of this city, lectured in the Fergus Drill Shed last night on "Scotland's Debt to the World."

Rev. Mr. R. Sutherland, who was Presbyterian minister in Knox Church, Ekfrid, since 1848, and whose 50th anniversary was celebrated in Glenora last February, is dying.

Rev. Anne Shaw, of Philadelphia, will lecture in Dundas Center Church, on Tuesday evening next, on "The Coming Man."

DIED IN BOSTON.
Mr. Patrick Callaghan, formerly of this city, met with a fatal accident in Boston, Mass., where he was employed as foreman on the N. Y. and N. E. Railway. He was giving instructions to some of his men last Sunday, and while walking across the tracks, his foot caught in a frog, and he was run over by a yard engine. His leg was mangled up to the groin, and he only survived about 24 hours. He had a host of friends in Boston, as shown by the large number of railroad men who paid their last tribute of respect at the funeral, which was held in this city, and many will have regret of his tragic end. Mrs. Frank Smith, 259 Grey street, and Mrs. Charles H. Draper, 6 St. James avenue, Toronto, are sisters of Mr. Callaghan.

HALLOWEEN MISCHIEF.
A resident writes: The time-honored eve, Oct. 31, has been taken advantage of by the hoodlum element, and there seems to be no restriction to the amount of damage and annoyance they can do to property and citizens in general. This state of affairs exists for a week before and after Halloween, and the license is taken advantage of by thieves to carry off articles in a half-joking and whole earnest manner. Parents should see to it that their boys, in celebrating, and the harmless festive amusements, but taking no active part in it. It is to be hoped if any of those parties are brought before the police magistrate for lawlessness they will be made an example of.

CHOWEN-WOOD.
A happy event took place at the residence of Mr. Benjamin Wood, at Bryanston, on Tuesday evening last, when his daughter M. D. was married to Wesley J. W. Chowen, of Onaway, Mich. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Deacon, and the wedding March was played by Miss Rhoda Chowen. The bride was dressed in white organdy, trimmed with chiffon, pearls and lace. She wore a bridal veil and carried white roses. The couple, during the ceremony, stood under an arch festooned with white roses and carnations. There were a large number of guests, and 60 sat down to dinner. Among the guests were many Detroit, Clinton, Thornedale, Tavistock, St. Marys and Exeter friends. The bride received a large number of handsome presents. The happy couple leave in a few days for their home in Michigan. Their many friends join in wishing them a prosperous and happy life.

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OVER THE TEACUPS

"We are all as happy as we deserve to be."—Walter Besant.

Despite the rain last Saturday morning the golf contest came off between Toronto and London, the visitors winning by twelve holes. Miss Gibbons, the only victor of the home team, is being congratulated on all sides for having sustained London's reputation. What that reputation is, no loyal Londoner needs to be told. The visitors, whose play was more brilliant, were Mrs. Scott, Miss Campbell, Miss White, Miss Edgar, Miss Bolton and Miss Wilkie.

Londoners are most energetic golfers in rain or shine. Society may be seen in all kinds of becoming and unbecoming costumes on the links. One of the most enthusiastic players, a gentleman, whose success in society is being duplicated on the golf field, and who has been initiating the latest vicissitudes of a brother lawyer—into the mysteries of the game, recently inquired of a caddy (evidently with a desire for praise that he had considered was restricted to the softer sex) whether there was anyone who did not play as well as he did. "Well, sir," replied the unsuspecting innocent, "I think there are some of the ladies who play worse."

Tuesday evening Londoners were divided between the concert given in aid of the Ladies' Mission Circle of the First Methodist Church by Mrs. Harvey (which, by the way, was most successful, for all music-loving Londoners have a warm place in their hearts for the popular singer) and the minstrel show at the Opera House. The suggestion has been made that, since the minstrel show never fails to draw the net hide of our society, the London girls might now and then blacken up and get off the latest jokes (which they must have diligently studied beforehand in the comic opera) for the gentlemen's benefit. The idea is too good to be lost to posterity.

Mr. Frere, accountant of the Bank of Montreal in Sarnia, has been moved to Ottawa.

Mr. Charles Niles, now assistant accountant of the Huron and Erie, has received a most advantageous offer from Philadelphia, and will leave London in about two weeks time.

By the removal to Toronto this week of Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Lewis, London loses most charming hostess. We are all so sorry that those pleasant evenings in her artistic little home are a thing of the past, but her kindness and hospitality will never be forgotten, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will ever be most welcome to London.

As a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, a small impromptu dance was given by Mrs. Charles Hyman at "Lidewild," on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Lewis wore a black chiffon waist and a lovely taffeta skirt, and carried white chrysanthemums. Among the numerous pretty gowns, Miss Helen Gibbons wore a white point d'esprit overdress, with an underskirt of watered silk, the bodice being trimmed with the most becoming daintiest pink velvet, and a white brocade silk, worn by Miss Margaret Pakke, was much admired. So well did she look, however, that her dress was a secondary consideration. The success of the evening, everyone agreed, was Mr. Frank Reid, giving no doubt to the honorable scars (football trophies) which he is displaying just now. Doubts are expressed as to whether he was practicing football on the way home in the cab. At any rate, the wheel came off, and Mr. Reid and his companion had to continue their journey on foot.

Miss Mable Smith, of St. James street, is in Toronto, where she is taking the fourth year of her arts course at the university there. She is greatly missed by the students of the Western University, who are all sorry to lose her from among their number. Miss Smith will take her B. A. degree next May.

Miss Edith Wood, of Hamilton, is the guest of Mrs. Macfie, of Ridout street. We are all so glad to be asked to meet her at the small tea which Miss Macfie is giving in her honor today.

By the bye, the "Chateleine of Arden" has a most interesting and certainly unique collection of china, boots, shoes and slippers. They are all sizes and shapes, and are the most delightful little objects imaginable. They remind me of a pretty fad I read of the other day—the collection of tea pots. Certainly it would allow of great variety.

Among the visitors in town are Mrs. Warren Rodney of Niagara, N. Y., with Mrs. Hutchinson; Miss Dymont of Barrie, with her sister, Mrs. Baker; Miss Edith Wood, of Hamilton, with Mrs. Macfie; Miss Bessie Walker, of Hamilton, with Mrs. Graydon, and

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Miss Southwick, of St. Thomas, with Mrs. Parke.

Monday will be Halloween, and I hear that many intend to celebrate the various mysterious ceremonies connected with the festival. Sober civilization can never dispel the fascination of snap-dragon, apple-ducking, etc.

The world goes up and the world goes down. And the sunshine follows the rain; But yesterday's sneer and yesterday's frown Can never come over again. —Charles Kingsley. —G.Y.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

The international commissioners will meet again before Nov. 10.

The latest returns from East Wellington place Mr. Gibson's majority at 512.

The boys of the Ottawa public schools will in future drill with carbines.

There are not enough steamers coming to Montreal to handle the freight offered.

Chas. Hamilton, the clever steeple-chase jockey, died in Toronto on Friday of brain fever.

The Victoria Gazette has a notice of an application for a charter to build a railway from Kamloops to Atlan.

Mrs. Jones Sawyer, of Vespary, cut her throat with her husband's razor and was found dead in the orchard.

The Royal Society at Ottawa on Friday presented a farewell address to Lord Aberdeen, who made a fitting reply.

The American Society of Municipal Improvements, meeting in Washington, decided to meet next year in Toronto.

Silas Packard, the well-known educator and founder of Packard's Business College, New York, is dead, aged 72 years.

It is stated that the crown will not apply for postponement in the Napane bank robbery trial when it comes up on Nov. 21.

Secretary Spence has been notified that the government will receive the Alliance deputation on Thursday next at 3 o'clock.

Off Two Rivers Point, 100 miles north of Milwaukee, the tow barge Biwawick broke its tow line and is adrift with its crew of seven men.

Rogers and Greer, of the attorney-general's department, have gone to Muskoka to see that the Ontario game laws are respected.

The customs authorities have prohibited the importation of the Illustrated Sun, published at Detroit, as an immoral publication.

A burglar broke a plate glass window at C. Duque's jewelry store in Quebec early yesterday morning and carried away \$400 worth of jewelry.

Plebiscit returns are still most incomplete. The vote in British Columbia looks as though it would be very uncertain and small either way.

Commissioner Jones has made his report on the Indian outbreak at Bear Head, Minn. He places the blame on the bad treatment of the Indians.

A boiler in the Calumet and Hecla boiler house, at Lake Linden, Mich., exploded Friday, killing three men instantly and burning one seriously.

Chief Justice Sir Henry Strong, arbitrator in the case of McCord, an American citizen, against the government of Peru, has awarded McCord \$40,000.

The provincial board of health has learned that none of the passengers on the boat which brought the small-pox patient from Rochester to Cobourg came west.

The sheriff's posse, which was chasing Indians near Canyon City, Ore., killed five bucks in a desperate fight. One white man was killed. More fighting is expected.

The records of an Havana municipal insane hospital for the last 15 months show that 632 deaths have occurred among 700 inmates. Its condition will be investigated.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will not be able

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to go to Washington until the 15th of November. Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Louis Davies will leave on the 9th. The business of the conference will begin on the 10th.

Irvin Johnson was acquitted of the charge of highway robbery at Galt, and assault on James McLeod, but convicted of receiving stolen goods. The trial took place at Berlin.

Mr. William Waldorf Astor denies the story that he recently won a bet by giving a dinner to 27 guests around a table cut from a section of a redwood tree. The whole story is a fabrication.

The steamer Fuerst Bismarck made the passage from New York to Cherbourg in 6 days 10 hours and 15 minutes, which is 39 minutes better than her best previous eastward record. She averages 20 miles an hour.

Dick Lowe, one of the Klondike's richest men, is at Dawson, surrounded by sharpshooters, and is continually being shot at. While at Juneau they threw him from the wharf and then rescued him with much effort, and got a reward.

Colingwood Schreiber, deputy minister of railways and canals, states that by Nov. 15 the Crow's Nest Pass line from Cranbrook to Kootenay Lake will be ready for regular work. The Boundary Creek line is also being rushed.

Grain freights go up 1 1/2 cents per 100 pounds on Nov. 10. The advance is based as usual on the Chicago-New York rates, and applies on east-bound traffic to Boston, New York and St. John. The rate now is 14 cents per 100 pounds.

Eight seamen, the crew of the brig Starlight, which was wrecked on the Hog Sty reef in the West Indies, were picked up at sea by the steamer Du Moins and brought to Baltimore. The men were in leaky boats for 18 hours before being rescued.

Capt. Arthur Lee, the British military attaché, who witnessed the fighting at El Caney and San Juan, on behalf of his government, visited the war department at Washington on Friday, and thanked the officers for courtesies extended to him.

At the funeral of the late Sheriff Murton, of Hamilton, the pallbearers were: Illustrious Bros. J. V. Ellis, T. H. Stearns, Hugh A. McKay and Hugh Murray, representing the supreme council of the Scottish Rite; and John Billings, Adam Rutherford, Adam Brown and Dr. Wolverson.

Wilson Burt, a well-to-do farmer, 40 years old, living nine miles east of Napanee, was killed on Thursday. Mr. Burt was riding one of a span of horses going to work, when the horses became frightened. He was tangled in the reins, and his body was dragged around the field for over an hour.

Three men who have not been identified, were cut to pieces on a train on the New Haven Railroad, between Larchmont and Maroonock, N. Y., Thursday night. Their mangled bodies were found on the rails at 7:30 Friday morning. The bodies look as if several trains had passed over them during the night.

A movement has been started to raise a memorial fund to the memory of the late convener of the Presbyterian mission committee, Rev. Dr. Cochrane. The proposal is that the fund should be a miners' mission fund of \$10,000, to aid in the establishment of Presbyterian missions in the various mining camps of British Columbia and the Yukon.

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