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ALEX. WILLIS NOT GUILTY IN RODNEY MURDER TRIAL

The Judge Instructs Jury to Bring in Verdict to That Effect and Prisoner Is at Once Discharged.

St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 2.—The Rodney murder trial came to a sudden conclusion this morning. The crown closed its case with the evidence of 11-year-old Bessie Cole, who like her father, saw Willis passing their place about 7 o'clock on the morning of the murder.

C. St. Clair Leitch, for the prisoner, argued that there was no evidence connecting Willis with the crime, and his lordship agreeing, he ordered the jury to return a verdict of not guilty and Willis was discharged.

LAST OF BALLOT BOX CASE

Magistrate Harryet Acquitted and the Libel Suit Settled.

Belleville, Nov. 1. — The last of the famous bogus ballot box cases were disposed of at the assizes here this afternoon when Police Magistrate Sam Harryett, of Bancroft, was found not guilty of conspiracy in connection with the bogus boxes.

Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, counsel for the defense, practically accused John Bremner of trying to shift the blame, which belonged to him, onto Harryett, and built up rather a strong case against Bremner.

The crown prosecutor contended there was no reasonable doubt of Harryett's guilt, according to the evidence. The judge summed up clearly and quite impartially.

The jury was out 35 minutes, returning with a verdict of not guilty.

The criminal libel case of King vs. Carman, which arose out of some strictures made by the Ontario, Mr. Carman's paper, on Mr. Porter, M. P., in connection with the bogus boxes, was settled by the defendant agreeing to publish an apology and pay the costs.

This ends the legal proceedings in the celebrated ballot box scandals in West Hastings.

JOSIE CARR GUILTY

A Toronto 14-Year-Old Girl To Be Sentenced for Infant Murder.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—This afternoon the grand jury at the criminal assizes brought in a true bill against Josephine Carr, charging her with manslaughter. She appeared in the witness box and pleaded guilty to the charge preferred against her. She will not be sentenced until after the assizes close.

Josephine Carr is the 14-year-old girl who some months ago abducted a neighbor's infant child which was in a baby carriage outside of the Eaton Company's store while the mother was inside shopping. The Carr girl wheeled the infant to a lonely spot on one of the railroad tracks in the east end and threw it over an embankment into a culvert, where it was found dead in a pool of water the next day. The crime was one of the most remarkable in the criminal annals of Canada.

A TORONTO GIRL SPANKS FOR MONEY

Young Woman Is an Adept at the Art—Services Are in Continuous Demand.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—Is it possible that Toronto counts among its citizens a young lady, Miss Maude Kelly, who, on her busines card, announces herself a "professional spanker"? The New York Journal has possessed itself of the staggering information that in this city resides such a lady, described as possessing determination and evident vigor, eccentric ideas, disposition amiable and enriched with many friends. In fact, everything is told of her, except her address and telephone number. Miss Kelly's name does not appear in the latest city directory, nor is she a telephone subscriber, which leads to the belief that if it is true that such a one is engaged in the gentle art of "correcting" children for a reasonable consideration, she does not take hurry-up calls.

The New York Journal has it as follows in the shape of a special dispatch from Toronto:

"Miss Kelly takes pride in her profession, and talks about it as if it were the most natural thing in the world. Recently in an interview she talked of her experience and her methods.

"'I was formerly a teacher of gymnastic exercise,' she said. 'One afternoon I visited a friend of mine. Seeing that she was greatly worried, I asked her what was the matter, and she told me her son Harry was incorrigible. I suggested a whipping. "Oh, I couldn't manage it," she said. "Ask his father to do it, then." I pursued. "He is away in New York," she replied, "and will not be back for a week." Evidently Harry deserved punishment, and the situation demanded that it be inflicted at once. I knew the family very well, and I offered my services as a friend. They were accepted. Harry was a boy of 11, but I took him into the nursery and spanked him very soundly.

"'After that Harry's mother came to me frequently, and friends of hers got to hear of my kindly offices, and asked me to act for them. My income was small, extra money would be useful, and I desired to make a business of juvenile correction. I am not unduly severe, but I make my patients smart, even though I whip some of them through their clothes.'"

Dan Patch Falls.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 2. — Dan Patch attempted to beat Star Pointer's pacing record of 1:58¾ without a wind shield at the local track yesterday. The black pacer, accompanied by two runners, made the mile in two minutes flat.

RAILWAY'S NEW MANAGER HERE

Mr. King Ready to Take Over the Local Trolley System —Officers Meet.

President Everett, of the London Street Railway Company, is in the city today with his secretary, attending a meeting of the officers of the company here.

The new manager, Mr. C. B. King, of Detroit, is also in the city, having arrived last night.

To The Advertiser, Mr. Everett said that no business of importance to the public would be taken up, as the meeting is simply of officers, not of directors.

Mr. Everett confirmed the report of the appointment of Mr. King to be manager of the road in succession to Mr. Carr, but, of course, Mr. King must yet be formally installed by a meeting of the directors.

Mr. King would have nothing to say today.

"It will take Mr. King several days to become familiar with the workings of the road," Mr. Everett's secretary said. "Until then, he will not be able to give out anything for publication."

Vice-President Smallman, who has just returned from a trip to New York, was present at the meeting, and he denied that he has secured an option on the road.

HELD UP IN ALLEYWAY

Vaudeville Artist Relieved of His Diamond Pin in St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Nov. 2. — H. Martyne, one of the players this week at a vaudeville theater, here, was held up on Tuesday night about 10 o'clock in the alley in the rear of the Via Media block and west of the theater, and robbed of a diamond necktie pin.

It is the custom of the players, after their stunts, to go from the side door of the theater and walk west along the alleyway, coming out on Mary street at Mickleborough's store. Mr. Martyne had just left the theater by this route last night, and was in the rear of the Via Media block, when a man came up to him, threw his arm around his shoulder, removed the diamond pin, and made off with it.

The Kaiser's Naval Plans.

Berlin, Nov. 2. — It is semi-officially announced that the remainder of the battleships to be built under the naval programme will have a displacement equal to the displacement of the large battleships of the other naval powers.

Uncle Sam's Tars Give John Bull a Fine Time

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 2.—American and British officers are quickly becoming acquainted, and all the forenoon today there was an informal exchange of visits between officers of the two navies. The arrival of Admiral Brownson's division yesterday afternoon, has swelled the number of United States ships off Annapolis to twelve.

Inside the harbor is the destroyer flotilla. Near them is the converted yacht Mayflower, in whose palatial cabin tonight Rear Admiral Evans will entertain at dinner Prince Louis, his staff and the commanding officers of the American and British ships.

Early in the day there started from the bay a long column of launches, steaming up from the fleet, bringing the British and American officers for a day in Annapolis. This afternoon at 2:30 Prince Louis and Admiral Sands will review the brigade of midshipmen. After dress parade will occur the reception of Admiral Sands to Prince Louis and his staff and commanding officers of his squadron. The weather is considerably cooler today, but clear.

The prince, accompanied by his staff and his commanding officers will leave tomorrow in a special train for Washington, where they will be presented to the president in the afternoon by Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador. Tomorrow night, Lady Durand gives a dinner and a ball at the embassy for the prince, who with the officers of his staff will be house guests at the embassy during their three days' visit.

PERMANENT ASSESSORS; ANOTHER ASSISTANT TO TAX COLLECTOR

City Auditor Jewell Will Recommend These — Change in Return of Tax Rolls.

It is expected that City Auditor Jewell's report in reference to the reorganization of the different offices in the city hall will be presented at the meetinug of No. 1 committee tomorrow afternoon, and in any event not later than at the council meeting on Monday night.

What the report contains is as yet mere conjecture, but rumor says that Mr. Jewell will recommend an assistant—probably a junior clerk—for the tax collecting office, as it has been well known for some years that Major Hays and his one assistant have been most unjustly overworked, and now with an increase of $2,500,000 in assessment in two years, the work of the collectors will be tremendously increased.

The work of collecting taxes next year will be very much greater than this year, owing to the fact that in many instances men are assessed on half a dozen counts for income.

It is also understood that Mr. Jewell will recommend that two permanent assessors be appointed to assist Mr. Grant. This change will merely mean that the present assessors shall be kept in the office the year round. If this is not done it will require three assessors to do the work.

Other recommendations of an important character are included in the report. One of them deals, it is said, with the suggestion made in the council that the rolls be turned into City Clerk Baker as they are completed in divisions by the assessment commissioner, instead of by wards as at present.

ANARCHY RULES RUSSIAN CITIES

Strike Mobs Have Many Clashes With Troops and Hundreds Are Killed.

Warsaw, Nov. 2. — It now appears that 30 persons were killed and over 100 were wounded during conflicts here last night.

Instead of the expected abolition of martial law today, the military governor had the walls covered with proclamations announcing that in consequence of yesterday's disturbances, crowds assembling in the streets will be dispersed by force of arms.

Anarchy in Odessa.

Odessa, Nov. 2.—Anarchy is rampant here. Killing and plundering by bands formed of hundreds of loyalists continued today. Attacks of the Jews are incessant. The night was made hideous, bodies of loyalists, with whom the police are fraternizing, marching through the principal streets bearing national flags, portraits of the Emperor and ikons, singing the national hymn, smashing everything in their way, and looting shops and houses. Hospital wagons passed through the streets incessantly, carrying off the killed, wounded and mutilated. The population is panic stricken.

Berlin, Nov. 2. — The railway service with St. Petersburg has not yet been restored,and it is not known when travel by rail will be possible. In the meantime the Russian mails continue to go by steamer. The Hamburg-American Line steamer Thessala sailed from Swinemude last night with a dispatch bag for the German embassy at St. Petersburg, and a few passengers. The company sent the steamer at the request of the Russian Government, made before the promulgation of the manifesto granting a constitution to Russia.

May Massacre Jews.

London, Nov. 1.—A dispatch to the Evening Standard from Odessa attributes today's outbreaks there of the rowdy elements to the instigation of the disarmed and disbanded police. The correspondent says that the firing in the streets which had been sporadic since 9 o'clock in the morning, became general in the afternoon in Cathedral Square and Dalnitskaya and other streets. The citizen militia was not prepared for the sudden outbreak. The student guards used their revolvers freely against the mobs, but they were hopelessly outnumbered. The correspondent estimates the number of persons killed at over 100. He says that if the city is not quickly occupied by the troops who have again been called out, there will be wholesale anarchy and not improbably a massacre of the Jews.

Private dispatches received in London today depict the situation at Odessa as being worse than before the imperial manifesto was issued.

Moscow, Nov. 2. — Rioting, with many deaths, is reported from the cities, Rostoff, Minsk, Orel, Radom.

SATISFIED WITH IT

Mr. Warren, of Boston, Inspects the Talbot Street Pavement.

Mr. Walter Warren, of Boston, one of the partners of the Warren Paving Company, with Mr. McKendrick, of Toronto, manager of the Canadian branch of the company, was in the city today.

"I came to inspect the Talbot street pavement," Mr. Warren said, "and I must say I was greatly pleased with the way it is standing the wear and tear. You know, it was one of the first bitulithic pavements laid, and we are naturally very much interested in the way it lasts."

Mr. Warren also drew attention to the fact that London does not take proper care of its permanent pavements.

"It seems like poor business to me," Mr. McKendrick then remarked, "for the city of London to pay a high price for a pavement and then allow it to be covered with mud and dirt."

The answer to this riddle is, however, that the board of works has not the money to keep the pavements as clean as they should be.

CAN'T FIND DOCTOR IN HUB MYSTERY

The Ring of Dead Chorus Girl Found in a Back Bay Pawnshop.

Boston, Nov. 2. — The finding late yesterday in the office of a Back Bay loan company of the solitaire diamond ring given Susan A. Geary by her mother last Christmas, was the last thing needed to settle any doubt that might remain as to the identity of the suit-case victim. Mrs. Geary had reported this ring which the girl had been in the habit of wearing, was missing. The police have learned that the ring was pawned Sept. 11 by a young man.

A search for a south end physician suspected in the case was conducted during the night, but without result. The police visited a house where he is said to have lived part of the time, but the inmates said the doctor had not been there for several weeks.

Morris Nathan, who is detained by the police on the charge of having procured an illegal operation on Miss Geary, was still at the hospital today, where he was taken last night because of his weak physical condition. The hospital authorities have not given out anything today regarding Nathan's condition. It has not yet been announced when he will be taken to the municipal court to answer the charge against him.

SOME TROUBLE YET

Stratford G. T. R. Machinists Have Not Yet Returned to Work.

Stratford, Nov. 2. — None of the striking machinists of the G. T. R. were taken back yesterday, and as it was expected that a considerable number would resume work on Nov. 1, the circumstances have given rise to the belief that there has been a hitch in the arrangements between the men and the company. The men refuse to discuss the circumstances, and the report from Port Huron that the unions there refused to ratify the Stratford agreement gives color to the rumor that all the trouble has not yet been removed, and that the settlement has failed.

Komura for Pekin.

Tokio, Nov. 2. — It is reported here that Baron Komura, the foreign minister, accompanied by H. W. Denison, the foreign adviser of the Japanese Government, will go to Pekin as special envoy of Japan.

Ibsen Is Failing.

Copenhagen, Nov. 2.—Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian dramatist, is pronounced to be suffering from arterial sclerosis. He is very feeble and unable to move, but is mentally bright.

Attacked by Hottentots.

Berlin, Nov. 2.—An official dispatch from German Southwest Africa reports severe fighting on the Orange River. A German force, under command of Lieut.-Col. Semmerius, was attacked by 400 Hottentots, and lost 18 killed, including three officers. Thirty-six are reported wounded or missing.

Caught Between Cars.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 2.—John Selva and Clarence Allen, car repairers, were caught between two cars in the Nickel Plate yards today and crushed to death. A yard engine shunted three cars onto the track on which the car which was being repaired laid. The crew of the yard engine have been arrested. It is said a danger signal was displayed at the open end of the track.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Rain or Sleet.

London, Thursday, Nov. 2.
Sun rises..6:54 a.m. Moon rises..12:26 p.m.
Sun sets...5:09 p.m. Moon sets...10:19 p.m.
Toronto, Nov. 1—8 p.m.

The storm is now centered in the lower St. Lawrence valley, and gales, with rain, prevail in the Maritime Provinces. Heavy westerly gales, with snow flurries, have occurred in Ontario and Quebec.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 36—48; Vancouver, 35—48; Kamloops, 28—40; Calgary, 34—54; Qu'Appelle, 20—34; Winnipeg, 6—24; Port Arthur, 10—26; Parry Sound, 32—42; Toronto, 30—38; Ottawa, 30—42; Montreal, 32—50; Quebec, 32—42; St. John, 40—50; Halifax, 50—50.

FORECASTS.

Thursday, Nov. 2—8 a.m.

Today—Westerly winds; fair and cold.
Friday—Fair at first, followed by rain or sleet.

WEATHER NOTES.

A disturbance which caused the storm has moved to the region of the gulf. Sharp frosts occurred last night in Ontario and Quebec. Another disturbance is approaching the lakes but it does not appear to be important.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Wednesday were: Highest, 46°; lowest, 27.5° above.

SMALL BUYS THEATER

Pays $50,000 Towards Purchase of Toronto Grand Opera House.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Nov. 2. — By the turning over of a check for $50,000 to the heirs of the late Alex. Manning, the purchase of the Grand Opera House was practically completed today. The price is understood to be $220,000, and a new theater will be probably built on the present site.

ONE THIEF REPENTS

Steals $1,000 Ring, Then Tells Where It Is and Returns $300.

Greenwich, Conn., Nov. 2. — Viola Allen, the actress, was robbed of a $1,000 diamond ring in Greenwich while visiting her brother, Charles W. Allen, a few days ago. The thief afterward repented and sent a note with the address where the ring could be recovered, and, stranger still, with the note were three $100 bills, the amount for which the ring had been pawned.

The ring was recovered by Detective Mundy, of New York, at a loan office in Fourth avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets.

The facts of the case were kept quiet hoping that the culprit might be discovered, and just leaked out today through the actress' sister-in-law.

WAS MRS. TODD DRUGGED?

She May Have Been Given Knockout Drops and Left on Track.

New York, Nov. 2. — The proposed autopsy on the body of Mrs. M. Todd, the rich woman who was found dead on a railroad track in Philadelphia after a mysterious trip from this city, was to have been held today, but was postponed until Saturday. Dr. O'Hanlon, the coroner's physician, intends to have the contents of Mrs. Todd's stomach analyzed to ascertain whether or not she was drugged while being taken from the railroad station in Philadelphia by unknown persons, as alleged in a mysterious anonymous letter which the coroner has received. The writer of the letter declared that knockout drops were first administered to Mrs. Todd, after which she was thrown on the railroad tracks. Further moves by the legal men attending the attempts by several persons to secure portions or the whole of the estate in the city were expected today.

George G. Hastings, counsel for Mrs. Todd's daughter, Mrs. Frank Tousey, said today that a will prepared by Mrs. Todd, and later than the one offered for probate, was in existence, and in the hands of one of the parties interested in Mrs. Todd's affairs. Mr. Hastings promised to present affidavits to the district attorney today to prove the existence of this later will, and to institute legal proceedings to have it made public.

WILL OPPOSE AYLESWORTH

Mr. Archie McCallum to Contest North York for Conservatives.

Newmarket, Nov. 1.—The mass meeting of the Conservative Association of North York for nomination of a candidate to oppose the Liberal candidate, A. B. Aylesworth, K.C., was held here this afternoon. Mr. Archie McCallum was the unanimous choice of the meeting, and will run in the Conservative interests.

Those nominated were: Major Allen, of Newmarket; T. H. Lennox, the present M. P. P. for North York; John Curry, Newmarket; T. H. Brunton, Newmarket; Danford Roche, Newmarket; Titus Perrington, North Gwillimbury; Archie McCallum, King; J. D. MacKay, Newmarket; Wm. McLean, Toronto.

All withdrew in favor of Mr. A. McCallum.

THE MIDDLETOWN MURDERS

Authorities Say Know the Criminal But Cannot Locate Him.

Middletown, N. Y., Nov. 1. — Assistand District Attorney Rogers announced that sufficient evidence has been secured to convict Charles Henry Rogers, of this city, of the murder of Fred and Willis Olney and Alice Ingerick and the murderous assault on Mrs. Georgia Ingerick, mother of the girl.

Rogers, who was a motorman on the electric railway here, disappeared soon after the murders.

There is a suspicion that Rogers committed suicide soon after he disappeared, but many believe he is hiding in the woods nearby.

COULDN'T CHANGE THE $5

Fare Mixup on a Toronto Street Car That Ends in Courts.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 2.—Conductor G. Cooney, of the Toronto Street Railway, was permitted to go before a jury at his own request upon a charge of theft of $5, laid by W. Owen, a passenger who rode on his car on Saturday.

Cooney could not make the change, and, it is alleged, took the $5, which he refused to hand back when he could not change it, but turned it into the railway office, to which he directed Owen for redress. At the complaint office they apparently could not satisfy Owen, and he laid a charge of theft against the conductor. Magistrate Denison deprecated this method of the street railway and thought that a man should be supplied with change or the company theft," he said. The conductor was should refuse to carry him. "It is committed for trial.

A Governor Removed.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 2. — General Kleiges, governor-general of Kieff, has been removed from his post. He retains his position as aide-de-camp to the Emperor. General Soukhomlinoff, commandant of the Kieff military district, succeeds General Kleiges as governor-general.

BANK MANAGER ARRESTED ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

Hillhouse Brown, of Hamilton, Is Said To Be Many Thousands of Dollars Short in His Accounts.

Hamilton, Nov. 2.—Quite a sensation was caused here this morning by the arrest of Hillhouse Brown, manager of the East End branch of the Bank of Hamilton.

Embezzlement is the charge preferred against Brown. The management of the head office of the bank have suspected for some time that everything was not right at the East End branch, and an investigation resulted in the arrest of Mr. Brown.

The shortage is alleged to be from $30,000 to $40,000, although the exact amount will not be known for some time.

Mr. Brown is about 40 years of age, a bachelor, and a member of one of the best families in this city, his father being the postmaster here.

NOTHING IN THE STORY

Banker Denies That Money Will Be Dearer in Canada.

"There is nothing in the story that the price of money will soon go up," said a prominent banker to The Advertiser today. "So long as Canada has good crops she will have plenty of good investments, and capitalists the world over will seek to invest their money here. At present French investors are very eager to place their money in Canada, and it is the same with most European countries. So long as these conditions last you need not look for dearer money."

The same gentleman also pointed out that plenty of money is to be had in England at from 3 to 3½ per cent, and if money was dear here this country would be flooded in a short time with English funds.

HIT BY THE FAST MAIL

Sisters Stupefied by Fear as Train Bore Down on Them.

Chicago, Oct. 2. — Two sisters, Hazel and Eva Carfield, aged respectively 17 and 14 years, were instantly killed last night by a fast train on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad at Western Springs, Ill. The arrival at the same moment of three trains, two from the west and the fast mail from the east confused the girls, causing them to stand motionless on the track while the fast mail bore down on them. The wheels of the train did not pass over either of the girls. Eva, the younger, was found with her neck broken, while upon her sister not a single mark was found which indicated the cause of death.

READ UP RABIES; THOUGHT HAD IT

Imagining He Was Infected With Dread Disease Youth Dies of Hysteria.

New York, Nov. 2. — According to the Herald after being scratched by the teeth of a little pet dog, which has never shown symptoms of rabies, Edward Brunner, aged 22, graduate of Columbus University law school, athlete, and unusually intelligent, read books on rabies, its symptoms and treatment, until he conceived the idea that the dreadful infection had seized him. Thrown into an acute hysteria by his imaginings, he soon began to simulate the symptoms of rabies, became delirious, and was taken from his home to Bellevue last Monday.

He jumped from a window of a ward there on Monday night, but was uninjured, and died at 11 o'clock from acute hysteria. An autopsy disclosed congestion of the brain.

PARTIES AGREEABLE, BUT NOT JUDGES

Court Refuses to Have Kingston Election Voided and Will Probe Charges.

Kingston, Nov. 2. — Preparations had been made for the volding of the Kingston election this morning between the rival parties, but when the proposal was made to the judges, they declined to entertain it. They insisted on having the matter fully probed, but as Mr. McIntyre could not proceed, owing to absence of witnesses, an adjournment till Nov. 27 was granted. The judges declared that it was the petitioners' duty to press the charges, that all the guilty parties might be punished.

New Swimming Record.

Chicago, Nov. 2. — Oscar St. Cyr made a new world's record for swimming 40 yards last night in the tank of the Chicago A. A., covering the distance in 21 seconds. The record was made in a contest in which St. Cyr defeated three contestants.

Mrs. Covell Positive Willis Was Not the Man

Sensational Evidence in Trial of Man Charged With the Murder of Aged Miss Lowery.

St. Thomas, Nov. 1. — The trial of Alexander Willis on the charge of having on Tuesday, April 18, murdered Miss Eliza Lowry, a woman 75 years of age, at the residence of Benjamin Covel, in the village of Old Rodney, was commenced before Judge Anglin at the jury assizes at 2 o'clock this afternoon. If the same progress is continued as was made this afternoon, the case will not last more than a couple of days, and unless the crown have stronger evidence than was adduced this afternoon, which is not probable, there is little doubt what the result will be. J. Lynch-Staunton, of Hamilton, and County Crown Attorney McCrimmon are prosecuting, and C. St. Clair Leitch, Dutton, is defending the prisoner.



ALEXANDER WILLIS,
On Trial at St. Thomas, Charged with Murdering Aged Elizabeth Lowery at Rodney April Last.

On the night of Tuesday, April 18, about 11 p.m., a man visited the residence of Benjamin Covel, who lived at Old Rodney. Covel, who is a M. C. R. gentleman, was away from home. The only occupants of the house were Mrs. Covel and the murdered woman. The man is said to have forced an entrance to the house, demanding the women's money or their lives. He was given their purses, and then dragged Mrs. Covel to the door and threw her out on the ground. Miss Lowry struck at the man, who then dragged her to the back of the house, where her dead body was found the next morning, there being evidences that she had been maltreated. In the meantime, Mrs. Covel had crawled into the house and locked the door. The man, coming back, demanded admittance, and not receiving a reply, broke in the back door and began a search for Mrs. Covel, finding her under the bed by the light of a match, and Mrs. Covel got a view of his face as he looked under the bed. He is said to have shamefully beaten and misused Mrs. Covel. A cat made a noise while coming in at the back door. Mrs. Covel said it was her husband, and the man made off. Mrs. Covel on different occasions has stated and sworn that the man was of the build and that his face resembled that of the prisoner, Willis, but today she swore positively that Willis was not the man, and that she was pressed to say what she had by the officers and others. She repeatedly asserted this afternoon that Willis was not the man.

Dr. Harvey, D. S., of Rodney, was passing nearby the Covel house on the night of the tragedy, when in the bright moonlight he saw a man standing in the gateway. The man called to him and tried to head him off, and then Harvey stopped and the man stopped, after a few words returning back to Covel's. This man, the doctor said, looked like the prisoner, was of the same build, and his voice was not unlike the prisoner's. This was the strongest piece of evidence the crown offered. A number of witnesses were called by the crown to show that Willis had been drinking in the village of Rodney the day of the murder, but when cross-examined, all admitted that he was perfectly sober.

The only other witness of importance was W. Cole, who said he saw Willis passing his place between 6 and 7 o'clock the morning of the murder, wearing a long yellowish coat; whereas all the evidence showed that when in Rodney the day before Willis wore a black rusty overcoat.

ODD TALES FOUND IN WORLD'S NEWS

Comedy and Tragedy Chronicled Each Day.

TRUTH STRANGE AS FICTION

Some Extraordinary Happenings That Have Reached Notice of a Veteran Correspondent.

Washington, Nov. 1. — People who travel about the world with their eyes and ears open see and hear many strange and interesting things. The world is full of phenomena and odd accidents and quaint conceits. Comedy goes arm in arm with tragedy, and more extraordinary accidents happen in real life than are told in fiction. For example, last spring down in San Bernardino Valley, California, two playful wildcats cut off the electric lights of several towns for nearly 48 hours, and every home and store, hotel and factory, in the entire valley, was in total darkness. The young catamounts, evidently while romping, chased each other up a pole carrying the main wires of the Pacific Lighting Company, between the power-house and the distributing point. In their play the cable parted, the circuit was broken, and every light went out. Both animals were killed by the shock, and their bodies lay on the ground at the foot of the pole when the linemen came to repair the break.

One of the queerest lawsuits I ever heard of is pending in the courts of that county—San Bernardino, California. Paul Schlardum bought a revolver from a hardware firm to commit suicide. For some reason the weapon was defective and would not go off and Schlardum has sued the company for damages.

H. J. Grimm, of Los Angeles, has an old hen which, several months ago, adopted a litter of fox-terriers, and is bringing them up by hand. She not only keeps them under her wing, but brings them food in her bill. When the real mother of the puppies comes around the hen drives her off by hostile demonstrations.

Tom Powers was known as the most unlucky teamster in Southern California, and seldom made a trip without being kicked, bitten or trodden upon by one of his mules. One day he took a contract to haul a load of supplies 80 miles, from the railroad to a mining camp. The road runs along the edge of a deep canyon, and for miles is only a foot or so wider than a wagon. On one side is a perpendicular cliff several hundred feet high, and on the other a gorge several hundred feet deep. Tom got half-way over the heaviest part of the grade, when one of his wheelers, Old Sam, the meanest mule in the team, stopped dead short and began to kick, without any apparent reason. Tom expostulated, according to the habit of unregenerate teamsters, and used his blacksnake whip with great freedom. But he could not persuade the beast to move. Finally he climbed off the wagon, gathered a bunch of dry grass, tucked it under the animal's hind quarters and set it on fire. The flames had scarcely singed the hair of the mule when something happened. Tom doesn't know exactly what it was, but in less time than it takes to tell it he found himself at the bottom of the canyon, covered with bruises and nursing a broken shoulder-blade. But all's well that ends well. In Death Valley as elsewhere, for when he was scrambling up the ledge he uncovered a streak of gold from which he has already realized more than $75,000. The first thing he did after the mine began to pay was to purchase Old Sam from his former employer and make the mule his mascot.

Down at Holbrook, Ariz., opposite the Santa Fe station, is a line of saloons more or less pretentious in appearance. Hanging on the wall beside the bar of one of them, in a fancy gilt frame, is the following memento of an event that caused a great sensation in those parts:

"Holbrook, Ariz., Jan. 1, 1900.—Mr. ——: With feelings of profound sorrow and regret, I hereby invite you to attend and witness the private, decent and humane execution of a human being; name George Smiley; crime, murder.

"The said George Smiley will be executed on Jan. 8, 1900, at 2 o'clock p.m.

"You are expected to deport yourself in a respectful manner, and any 'flippant' or 'unseemly' language or conduct will not be allowed. Conduct on any one's part bordering on ribaldry and tending to mar the solemnity of the occasion will not be tolerated.

"F. J. WATTRON,
"Sheriff of Navajo County."

Men die from queer causes sometimes. Down on the Rio Pecos, in New Mexico, no long ago, Francis J. Birdwell, a scientific gentleman from Boston, attempted to climb a tree to get a bird's nest. He used a rope to assist him, and, slipping, fell in such a way that it caught him around the neck and he hung there until he was dead.

John Kerugiebel, employed by a lumber and coal company at Waterbury, Conn., sneezed so hard that he dislocated his lumbar vertebrae, and has never been able to stand upright since. His body is bent at a right angle and he suffers intense pain.

Harry H. Baughman, superintendent of the gas and water company at Roanoke, Va., who had been ill for several days with a cold in his head, in sneezing, burst a blood vessel and died a few days later.

David Dorso, of Harriston, N. J., was shaving, when a mosquito lit on his chin. In making a motion with the razor to drive the insect away he cut a deep gash in his throat and bled to death within a few minutes.

Colonel J. B. Anderson, of Colfax, Wash., laughed so hard at a funny story told by a neighbor that he had an attack of apoplexy and died within a half-hour.

Elmer Kerchoff, while carrying a keg of beer at a picnic in Reading, Pa., last summer, stumbled over a croquet hook. The keg went down with him and crushed his head so that he died shortly after.

William Steele, of Princeton, Md., was killed in the cemetery at that place by the fall of a tombstone he was putting up in memory of his wife.

Fred Johnson, yardmaster at a car factory in Chicago, died last summer from what the doctors call "mental suggestion." He became possessed of a mania that his pet dog had hydrophobia and brooded over the fear that he might be bitten until he developed all the symptoms of rabies and died in terrible agony. The dog was perfectly well and lay quietly outside his master's bedroom during the latter's ravings, but by the advice of the physician the family got a policeman to shot the poor pet.

Miss Priscilla Leyter, of Coalville, Utah, dislocated her jaw while engaged in a debate at the Utah Federation of Women's Clubs over the propriety of expelling Reed Smoot, the Mormon, from the United States senate. She was talking at the rate of about 150 words a minute when something snapped. She turned pale, covered her face with her hands and dropped into a chair with a hysterical sob. The other women thought she had been stricken with paralysis, but when the doctor made an examination he discovered that the jaw bone had jumped out of place and declared that it was an awful warning.

The tongue of woman, however, is sometimes useful. A German medical journal describes a girl born in 1880 at Wertheim, who, when 6 years old, suffered a stroke of paralysis, by which she lost the use of her hands and feet. By long practice she has become able to hold a pen, a pair of scissors and even a needle, with her tongue. She can write, cut cloth or paper and sew. By constant exercise her tongue has grown in length and muscle. It is long, narrow and pointed, and, while it is unsightly, is very useful.

Miss Carrie Hughes, of Janesville, Wis., was embraced with such fervor by her lover that two of her ribs became interlocked, and she was compelled to undergo a painful operation.

Jasper Gompers, while waiting for a street car one night in St. Louis, sat down on a barrel of tar and fell asleep. When he awoke, two or three hours later, his body had become submerged in the sticky substance so far that he could not release himself. He was compelled to remain in that predicament until morning, when the workmen came and chopped him out with an axe.

Rodney Gifford, of Mentone, Minn., has a habit of rubbing his head when he works. On a very warm day last summer he was employed to clean up a furnace-room which was filled with wood ashes. The perspiration on his hands, mixed with the ashes formed a lye, which, when he rubbed his head, according to habit, poisoned the hair, and in a few days Mr. Gifford was as bald as an ostrich egg.

Paul Bowles, of Bolivar, N. Y., lost his hair by fright. A runaway horse threw him into convulsions, and caused an illness of several weeks, during which all of his hair came out.

Otto Zimmerman, a cook at a New York restaurant, was pinched by a lobster until the blood came. He paid no attention to it until several days later, when his arm began to swell badly, and he went to a doctor, who pronounced it a case of blood poisoning. He died three days later.

Fulda Berg, of Hoboken, indignant at something her husband had done, seized a frying pan that stood on the stove to throw at him. Her foot slipped and instead of reaching her husband the hot grease fell on her face and head. She is now totally blind, but her heart is not softened. She insists that her husband is to blame for her misfortune.

Frederick Staples, of Farmstead, near Danbury, Conn., being superstitious, carried the left hind foot of a rabbit, shot in a cemetery on Friday, the 13th of the month, at midnight, by the dark of the moon. His wife, while going through his pockets one night, felt something soft and furry. She thought it was a mouse, and gave a shriek and a jump. She slipped on the polished floor and broke her hip bone. The doctor's and nurse's bill amounted to $150. Mrs. Staples was confined to her bed for nearly two months, and her husband had to hire a woman to do the housework during that time. He says that rabbits' feet are no good, and has thrown his into the fire.

Joseph Schultz, of Buffalo, N. Y., annoyed because his wife searched his clothing, bought a "bulldog" rat trap and set it in his trousers' pocket one night before he went to bed. Several hours later he was awakened by her screams, and released her hand, which was badly lacerated. She was so angry that she swore out a warrant for his arrest, but Justice Rochford, of the police court decided that a man could set rat traps in his pockets as often as he pleased, and discharged the prisoner.

Thomas P. Wood, a Chicago carpenter, applied to the circuit court recently for a mandamus to enjoin his wife from taking too much. The couple had been married eleven years.

James Banganza, employed in the steel works at Washington, Pa., gave his wife to Martin Edson as security for a debt of $25. Mrs. Banganza made no objection, but the neighbors were so scandalized that they had Edson and the woman arrested for adultery. The judge discharged them upon the assurance that the woman would return to her own husband.

John C. Chase, 71 years old, of Brewer, Mo., has written a piece of music, which he calls his "funeral dirge," and is now peddling printed copies around the neighborhood to raise the money to pay for his funeral expenses and buy a tombstone.

Sarah Jackson, of St. Leon, Dearborn County, Ind., who was disappointed in love forty years ago, and has not spoken to a man since, has made her will, in which she provides that a woman shall officiate at her funeral, and that no man shall be present. There must be a woman undertaker, women pall-bearers, and a woman to drive the hearse. While men may be allowed to dig her grave, the earth must be thrown back by women. She has left money to pay all expenses.

Margaret Perry, of Tarrytown, N. Y., who recently died, left a considerable property, and among other things the sum of $10,500 to "my niece, Nellie Blauvilt, with my two pet cats, upon the condition that she provide suitably for them as long as they live, and keep them in the house where I now reside."

John Dewberry, a saloon-keeper in St. Louis, who died some years ago, left a widow—a woman highly respected by the neighbors for her womanly qualities and common sense. One morning she appeared in the saloon formerly owned by her husband and asked permission to visit the back room. Going to a dark corner of a closet that had not been used for years, she lifted a loose board from the floor and found a canvas bag containing a large number of $20 gold pieces. Mrs. Dewberry explained that in a dream her husband told her where the money was concealed, and advised her to go and get it.

Carl P. Swartz, a commercial traveler from Chicago, fell ill and died at a little hotel in Minneapolis. His remains were shipped home by express. Arriving in Chicago, where preparations had been made for the funeral, the lid was taken from the coffin to give him wife and relatives a last look at his remains. While they were weeping around him, he opened his eyes and sat up. The family rushed from the room in fright, except an uncle, who is a physician. He remained and lifted Swartz from the coffin.

Some years ago Commander B. E. Chandler, of the navy, rose from the dead in a similar manner at his home on Long Island. He had been ill for some time, and on Sunday his heart ceased to beat. An undertaker was sent for, with instructions to embalm the body; but the instant he inserted his instrument into the flesh Commander Chandler reached out his arms and asked:

"What's all this fuss about?" The undertaker was so startled that he dropped his instruments and chemicals and fled. An old sailor, who had long been a servant in the family, went into the bedroom immediately. The commander coolly said that he was hungry, and asked Silas for an oyster stew.

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LAWYER'S STRATEGY

Sacrifices Moustache to Prove the Difficulty of Identification.

St. Louis, Nov. 1.—Because of the strategy of Attorney Sameuel Kohn, of No. 325 Walnut street, who sacrificed his mustache, John A. Schneider, charged in an indictment with burglary in the first degree and larceny, walked out of court a free man and fell into the arms of an anxious wife and loving mother who were standing just outside the courtroom.

Schneider had been charged with entering the residence of John Schmoll, on the night of Aug. 1, 1904. He was arrested about four months after the crime and positively identified by the prosecuting witness as the man who entered his room and stole $62 and a watch.

The case as made by Attorney Grant Gillespie for the prosecution was a very strong one. In fact, it caused Kohn to get busy to prepare a plausible defense. The identification was so positive that only some strategic move on the part of the defense could convince the jury that the defendant was innocent.

At the noon recess of the court Kohn was working, and working hard, while the state's attorneys, confident of a conviction, found time to enjoy a midday lunch.

When Judge Withrow opened court in the afternoon the attorney for the defendant made a quite different appearance. The metamorphosis was so remarkable that only those intimately acquainted with Kohn recognized him at first sight.

In the morning he wore a heavy sandy moustache, but when he appeared before the court in the afternoon his hair was closely cropped and the moustache was missing. But that was not all. Kohn had another surprise in store for the prosecution, and when he sprung it it not only took them by storm, but had the same effect upon the jury.

Kohn produced a black mask, which he tied around his fact in the manner set forth by the prosecuting witness in his testimony. He then asked the jury if it were possible for them or any one else to identify a man in the dim light of an oil lamp when he wore such a mask, seven feet away.

He informed the jury he had his moustache shaved off for the purpose of showing them he could have as easily been identified by the prosecuting witness as was the defendant, and for that reason he asked for the acquittal of his client.

The point raised by Kohn raised a reasonable doubt in the minds of the talesmen and in accordance with the instructions of the court they returned a verdict of not guilty.

TOM HUGHES' UTOPIA

Refuge for Englishmen in the South Is at Last Made to Pay.

Louisville, Nov. 1.—After 25 years the somewhat Utopian idea of Thomas E. Hughes, or Tom Hughes, as all the world knew him, the author of "Tom Brown at Rugby," etc., now regarded as classics in English literature, for the establishment of a sort of refuge for educated but impecunious Englishmen, has received fruition, but in a way scarcely dreamed of by the author and philanthropist. What is of greater moment, perhaps, is the fact that the stockholders in the original company will soon receive $2 for every $1 invested, with the likelihood of a still further accretion.

Along in the early '80's of the last century, Hughes conceived the idea of the British sons. At that time his personal popularity was so great that he encountered no serious difficulty in organizing a company, which bought 100,000 acres of land in a beautiful plateau of the River Cumberland. The outlay was about $750,000, and the laying of the cornerstone of the first house in Rugby was made the occasion of a great demonstration, in which Mr. Hughes and several governors of the states took a hand.

The whole English-speaking world looked on with interest. Mr. Hughes' intent was that our cousins across the herring pond should have the advantages of the bath, the club and the hounds. The Englishmen came all right enough, and while they showed great familiarity with the hounds, they were utterly at sea when it came to making money. The enterprise was a flat failure. Mr. Hughes came over again in 1887, but his presence was of no avail. The colony consistently lost money.

Then the English began to go out and the Americans to come in, at first for health, and then for profit. They secured long leases on the property and began to develop it. Negotiations are now pending between the new settlers and English owners looking to the purchase of the entire tract. It is rich in coal and iron, and if the Englishmen sell now they will receive $2 for every one originally invested.

The Word Cantaloupe.

"Notice the versatility in the spelling of muskmelon?" said a man to a friend on a street car approaching Market Square. "There is a sign that says: 'Cantelopes.'"

"That's right, isn't it?" asked the other.

"If it is, this one isn't: 'Cantilopes.'"

"This is one that says 'Cantalopes' that looks all right.

"But it isn't, and neither is that one which says 'Cantaloups.'"

Then sign after sign passed in quick succession as they passed through the market district.

"Cantilopes."
"Cantelaupes."
"Cantaloupes."
"Cantelopes."
"Not one has spelled it right yet," said the first man.

"Well, this fellow missed it worse than any of them," said the other, pointing to an Italian sign which read "Cantoloupe."

"No; strange to say, that's one correct way to spell it."

"Well, what's the other right way?"

"Cantaloupes. There's it's out," said the wise one.

The word cantaloupe is so called from the castle of Cantalupo, in the Area d'Ancona, in Italy, where they were first grown in Europe from seed said to have been imported from Armenia.—Kansas City Star.

Wise is the man who is able to insert a foundation under his air castles.

There are some things which are better said than done—but love making isn't one of them.

VEGETABLE JUICE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.

The newspapers announce that all the prominent physicians of New York have received a circular from the New York Post Graduate Hospital giving an account of the wonderful cures of consumption through the use of the juice of raw vegetables and fruits. It seems that the treatment began by the use of potatoes, onions, beets, turnips, cabbages and celery. Later there were added sweet potatoes, apples, pineapples, carrots and parsnips, and still later rhubarb, summer squash, tomatoes, spinach, radishes, string beans and green peas in the pod.

It would seem to be absurd on its face that such treatment could be used to effectually combat consumption, yet so high an authority as Dr. Russell of the above-named hospital, who seems to have made the discovery and developed the treatment, states that eleven cases of well-developed pulmonary tuberculosis have been absolutely cured while fifty others are under treatment and progressing satisfactorily.

It is to be hoped that the long looked for cure of this dread disease has at last been found in this treatment, but the medical profession will, doubtless, be sceptical, as they are and should be on all new treatments until more than eleven cases have been cured by a combination of simple vegetable juices that contain little, if any, of the nourishment required by the consumptive. As Dr. Russell says he has been the principle advocate of nutrition as opposed to medicine in the treatment of tuberculosis, he seems to contravert his own theory in the use of these vegetable juices that possess such a small percentage of nutrition.

Hygiene and nutrition of the best sort are absolute requisites in the treatment of consumption. If the laws of health are carefully observed and the body is sustained with nutritious, wholesome, easily digested food, the ravages of the disease may be arrested, even when the lung tissue is involved. There is little question that the best nutrition in the world in such cases is the old and much abused cod liver oil; not in its raw state but in the form best adapted for its immediate absorption into the body, as found in Scott's Emulsion of pure Norwegian cod liver oil which contains, in addition, the valuable hypophosphites of lime and soda and glycerine. We hesitate to say that it will cure consumption, but after thirty years experience with it, the medical profession knows that it will arrest the progress of the disease and in its earlier stages generally effect a permanent cure. So certain are we of this that we challenge a comparative clinical test in any hospital or sanitarium where there are patients afflicted with this malady. If it will not cure more cases of consumption, if the same rules are observed, than the vegetable and fruit juice treatment, we will agree to supply the institution making the test with Scott's Emulsion free for a year. There is no doubt that Scott's Emulsion is the most concentrated form of nutrition in existence, and if consumption can be cured at all it will do it.

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Breach of Promise Suit Won by Scotch Woman.

BOY SAVED BY MOTHER'S LOVE

Erring Youth Released on Appeal of Parent—Another Tries Death at Loss of Mother.

London, Nov. 1. — A colored medical man, Dr. J. S. M. Nurse, holding a Government appointment at St. Kitts, West Indies, was sued for breach of promise at Edinburgh yesterday by Miss Bella Mackinnon, a mantlemaker, who claimed $7,500 damages. The two met in Edinburgh, and Miss Mackinnon, in her evidence, said Dr. Nurse told her they might consider themselves as engaged, but he was not prepared to take a wife to the West Indies at that time, as he was not quite settled. After his departure she received an affectionate letter from him by every mail. It was his regular habit to send her love, kisses and embraces. In one letter he confessed he had been dreaming about her, and attributed much of his happiness to "my dear little Bella." At another time he said he had been putting his house and garden in order, and spoke of the treat that choice fruit in January would be to her.

Sent Cloth for Trousers.

Miss Mackinnon said she sent him a number of presents, including socks, handkerchiefs, cloth for trousers, vests, and half a dozen suits of pajamas. Some months later, he wrote saying words could not express his regret that the marriage had been so long delayed. He would return to Edinburgh in the following year for the marriage, even if he left without the consent of the Government.

Dr. Nurse's evidence, taken on commission, was read. He denied having proposed marriage. He was not in the habit of embracing and kissing her, but wrote in affectionate terms. In the West Indies the way of addressing friends was much freer than in Scotland.

A mother's love for her son and a son's love for his mother were the dominant motives in two pathetic dramas of real life in Clerkenwell session court yesterday.

George Olden, a young man of 22, described as a porter, had been found guilty of stealing a bicycle and also of breaking into a shop. His was the old story of the prodigal son. The only child of honest, industrious parents, he killed their pride in him by deliberately leaving a good home to consort with bad companions, and finally broke his mother's heart by drifting into crime.

But love impelled her now to make a last attempt to save him. As Olden stood in the dock awaiting sentence, his mother, pale-faced and trembling violently, came forward and implored the judge to be merciful.

"He is my only son," she exclaimed, in piteous tones, "and I will watch over him in future. Let me have him back. I will take him away into the country—go right away from London—and remove him from the temptations surrounding him here."

The appeal won the son's release.

Made Mad by Grief.

In the second case it was grief for the loss of a dearly beloved mother that brought William Henry Kenderine, a tall, well-dressed clerk, 42 years old, before the court to answer a charge of attempting to commit suicide. Mr Kenderine, a single man, lived with his sister and mother, and in September the latter fell ill. The patient was devotedly nursed and tended by her two children until her death.

Then the daughter collapsed, and for some days remained in a critical condition. She ultimately recovered however. Meanwhile Mr. Kenderine became greatly depressed and tried to commit suicide.

Nelson's Last Battleship.

The Victory, the last of Nelson's battleships, now floating in Portsmouth harbor at the venerable age of 140 years, was recently taken by Sir Philip Watts, director of naval construction in England, as the starting point of an interesting address on the last 100 years' progress in warship design.

This 100-ton vessel, built in 1765, was 40 years old at the last great sea fight of Great Britain at Trafalgar. The length of her gun decks is 186 feet; her extreme breadth, 51 feet 10 inches, and her burthen in tons, No. 2,162 22-94." The thickness of the oak sides of these wooden battleships above the water line in the days of Trafalgar was about two feet. The old cast iron smooth-bores, with their wooden trucks, then in use, had a range of 2,500 yards at 8 degrees elevation (the 24 and 32-pounders). The 24-pounder was able to penetrate nearly five feet of solid oak, and the 18-pounder about half this amount. There were heavier guns, but owing to the primitive appliances then in use, they were difficult to handle.

The naval fighting machine which 100 years of evolution has produced is a very different sort of vessel, and is so much more powerful that a single one of the late British battleships could, it is said, have engaged the whole of the British fleet at Trafalgar, and the allied fleets thrown in. The modern 12-inch wire-wound gun will penetrate 42 inches of wrought iron, and even at 3,000 yards will force uncapped projectiles though over 12 inches of Krupp steel armor. The 12-inch guns recently manufactured by the Armstrong and Vickers companies in England, are said to be capable of penetrating 51 inches of wrought iron, and will fire two rounds per minute.

According to Sir Philip Watts the present relation between guns and armor is about what it was in the days of the cast iron smooth-bore and the oak sides; so that while there have been great advances, the relative positions of offense and defense in naval warfare are but little changed—New York Globe.

Blackie Had the Last Word.

Later, when I was an undergraduate of Edinburgh University, came the struggle for the admission of women to its course. The students objected to mixed classes, and there were great riots in consequence. The famous Blackie was then professor of Greek, and he was an ardent champion of the few ladies who attended, among whom were Miss Jex-Blake, Miss Bovill (niece of the late Justice Bovill), Miss Pechey and a few others. One day, when Blackie was lecturing, the students introduced a sheep into the classroom, and this caused such a row and commotion that the professor could not go on. Next day appeared a notice on the door of the classroom: "Professor Blackie's classes will not meet today." A witty student soon erased the "c," and it then read: "Professor Blackie's lasses will not meet today." But the professor had the best of it, for, removing the "l" he left the notice: "Professor Blackie's asses will not met today." There was no more to be done. Blackie had a great triumph.—T. P.'s Weekly.

W. L. Bechtel, who has been exploring Colorado for the last ten years, has discovered in a cave a carved war god which he believes to be more than 1,000 years old.

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MARRIAGES.

HILL—RITCHIE—On Wednesday, Oct. 25, 1905, by Rev. D. E. Martin, pastor of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church, Margarete, second youngest daughter of Andrew Ritchie, to Leslie Hill.

DEATHS.

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Funeral on Friday, at 2:30; service, 2 p.m. Friends kindly accept this intimation.

HARRISON—In the Township of Lobo, on Nov. 1, 1905, Martha, beloved wife of Benjamin Harrison, in her 79th year.
Funeral will leave the family residence, west half of lot 12, con. 2, Lobo, on Saturday, Nov. 4, at 2 p.m., services at 1:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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FREEDOM UNKNOWN IN RUSSIA

Of the Immense Population Probably a Bare 100,000 Will Be Permitted to Go To the Polls.

London, Nov. 1. — Inasmuch as Nicholas II. nas not hesitated to break his promises in the past, and even to violate a constitution, too much importance must not be placed upon his message to his people. We may rest assured that if the manifesto at once quells all disturbances, his majesty will come to the conclusion that manifestos are what his subjects desire. However, the Czar's ideas and wishes are no longer of prime importance. That he will do his utmost to preserve some vestiges of autocracy may be taken for granted, but it is equally certain that in the future he will exercise power in a narrow circle whose limits will be clearly defined by his people. Not by one election will the Russians win their freedom. They must grow into freemen, they cannot vote themselves there, any more than one can vote himself to weigh 180 pounds. However, the fetters have been stricken off their cramped limbs, and they will be permitted to pursue their destiny unhampered.

As we understand the word "freedom," there is none of it in Russia, although there is a most complete system of government in which the people participate. The difference between slavery and liberty is found in the difference between the source of all power as located in the monarch, and the source of all power as located in the individual votes. This is the difference between Russia and England. So, although Russia has a kind of parliament, legislatures, assemblies, governors, committees, boards, and what not, the proceedings of none of them is valid unless approved by the Czar or his representative. Of what use is a ballot when the elected representative speaks and legislates only by the kind permission of the Czar? Russia is really burdened with absurd privileges of this kind. It is true that there is some slight authority exercised by the people's representatives in certain local matter they are supreme. But if the Russian people had a school board and other civic committees they would, me almost drunk with such a heady brew of liberty.

The Douma, the first Russian Parliament, which is to assemble not later than the middle of January, will compare with the British Parliament as a Red River cart will compare with an automobile. Although its members will be fairly numerous, they will not be representative of the Russian people, for of the 130,000,000 of Russians, not more than 100,000 at the outside will be able to vote, probably 100,000,000 will not know of the election till it is over; of the other 30,000,000, about 20,000,000 will be unable to read or write or understand anything about a ballot. Of the remaining 10,000,000, probably 9,900,000 will not be permitted to vote. Absurd as the election appears, viewed in this light, it is yet a thousand years in advance of anything that has preceded it in Russia. The recent manifesto will have hardly any effect on the election; but it will have a great effect on the proceedings once the first poor, pathetic, little Parliament is in session. If the Douma has wise leaders it will think of nothing else but removing obstacles for the election of its successors in years to come. It must teach the inarticulate Russian how to speak; and the secret ballot must be his tongue.

In an article in the Review of Reviews, Mr. W. T. Stead compares the Douma to a horse without legs, and perhaps it may now be claimed that the Czar has given the strange beast legs, although it must be long before it learns the use of them. Liberty of public meeting the writer declares to be the first leg of the Douma. Without this liberty the people could never understand public questions; and their votes, therefore, would be cast at random. Liberty of the press is the second leg; for the majority of men do not and cannot attend public meetings. The Czar's manifesto does not specifically set the press free, but it will have this effect, for "freedom of speech" was mentioned as a privilege to be granted. Once the press is free, liberty is at hand for any people. The third leg of the Douma is likened to liberty of association. This means that the people shall be free to band themselves into clubs or parties. The fourth leg is a habeas corpus act, a guarantee that no one shall be arrested without warrant, or imprisoned without trial. All these things have been granted by the Czar, although the legs may not carry the Douma very far on its first journey.

To explain the complicated system of voting by which the members of the Douma are finally to be chosen would require much space and more patience. At the end of all one would be amazed at the intricacy of the Russian mind. Perhaps a fanciful translation of the Russian system into our own will best give an idea of the complexities of the case. We might imagine, then, that our school board were permitted to elect our aldermen, and our aldermen to choose two-thirds of the members of Parliament. The other third would be elected by that part of the population that had not voted for our school trustees, the Roman Catholics, for example. But, though the manifesto is too late to rescue the system from absurdity, it transforms it from an assembly, terrorized by the police, into a gathering of freemen, who may not truly represent Russia, but who need not fear to try to do so.

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A Tribute to the Canadian Banking System.

The New York Journal of Commerce, a great financial authority, compares the Canadian and United States banking systems, greatly to the advantage of the former. The Journal, after describing the main features of the Canadian system, says of it:

"The effect of this system is that the requirements for crop-moving produce no drain upon the currency resources of Montreal and Toronto, which are employed and needed there. There are no material transfers of cash from one part of the country where they are needed to another where they are temporarily needed more, but the banks increase their circulation and distribute the notes to meet the current needs of domestic exchange. They serve the purpose of currency perfectly well, and are profitably employed. The loans and advances upon which they are floated are secured upon actual values in products and merchandise, and they are absolutely safe in the performance of the service for which they are issued. When their purpose has been served they come back to the banks of issue for redemption, and all in excess of continuing needs are withdrawn. Crop-moving produces no disturbance whatever, and the currency of the country is constantly and automatically adjusted to the demands of business. Canada owes much of her rapid advance and steady prosperity in recent years to her admirable banking system, which departed widely at the start from that of Great Britain and adopted the best features of our state banks as they existed before the national system rose out of the exigencies of the civil war. With this object lesson before our eyes our financiers and statesmen obstinately refuse to learn anything from it, and our bank currency is deprived of its chief utility and made a clumsy and costly substitute for so much real money."

There are three requisites in a note circulation: complete security, convertibility into metallic money, and elasticity. The weak point of the American banking system is the want of elasticity. Under the Canadian system the volume of paper currency rises and falls automatically with the requirements of trade. It pays a Canadian bank to issue notes when trade demands it; but it cannot issue them beyond the needs of business, as they are daily sent back for redemption by the other banks, which seek to keep their own paper in circulation. This is a great feature of the Canadian system. In the United States the issue of bank currency is not sufficiently profitable, as it must be secured by Government bonds, which yield a low rate of interest. Consequently the volume of currency does not respond so readily to business needs as in this country.

In Canada the subscribed capital of every bank must be $500,000, paid up to the extent of one-half. In the United States the minimum of capital is based upon the population of the city or town in which the bank is situated. It is needless to point out the greater security afforded by greater capital.

There are no branch banks in the United States. A bank has only the money of that immediate locality at its command. It may have a surplus of deposits seeking investments, while in another part of the country the demand for money is greater than the supply. The result is that the interest rates for depositors and borrowers in one section of the country may vary considerably from those in the other. Under the branch bank system in Canada capital is distributed almost evenly over the whole country, so that in the rate of interest there is little difference between the east and the west.

United States bankers and legislators frankly admit the imperfections and dangers of the American system, but Congress is fearful of attempting reforms, because of the temporary disturbance that may ensue. Apparently another financial panic must overtake the country before the lesson is learned.

Race Suicide Again.

In the Westminster Review, Mr. Marcus Carlyle takes issue with President Roosevelt on the question of race suicide. Obviously, he declares, one twentieth century Englishman or American is worth to the world a hundred cave men of the stone age. In the same way one good, well-fed, well-bred infant is worth to society a dozen half-starved, uneducated and diseased children. Instead of bigger families, the world needs better ones. In the almost universal decline in the birth rate of foreign countries Mr. Carlyle finds an unconscious bowing to this requirement. Men and women, he says, are coming to view marriage "as a blessed union of mutual help and comfort in itself, and are showing a caution and restraint and a scientific knowledge in contracting it, conditioned by their means and influence." He adds: "The antiquated notion that marriage is to be the production of species to the greatest possible extent is gradually disappearing before the advance of education. Already better homes, more thrift, fewer juvenile vagabonds and outcasts testify to the wholesome effect of the so-called race suicide, and in the future their beneficent results will be even more apparent. There will be more marriages, less competition, better wages, fewer paupers and a higher civilization every way."

There are two sides to the race suicide question as to other questions. The tendency to postpone marriage is increasing the proportion of unmarried men of marriageable age; and this is not a condition that makes for morality, especially in the large centers of population. On the other hand early marriages are more liable to be improvident and imprudent than marriages contracted later in life. Family responsibilities, prematurely assumed, cause a vast deal of social misery; mothers condemned to drudgery and broken in health while still young in years, and children ill-nurtured and ill-cared for. The strictures of President Roosevelt and his school are leveled at the members of the well-to-do classes who shirk family cares from the lowest motive, a selfish regard for personal comfort. The question is a serious one in the United States by reason of the fact that the birth rate is much lower among the native Americans than among the people of foreign birth and descent. Larger families among the well-to-do and fewer children born to parents who are unable to nourish, clothe and educate their offspring properly, would make for social progress; but the desirability of limited families among the very poor is involved with the question of moral restraint, and this is where the theologian steps in.

The Late Christopher Robinson

The late Christopher Robinson was a great Canadian. He bore an honored name and upheld a distinguished family tradition in the spirit of noblesse oblige. His father was the chief justice of Upper Canada, and his grandfather a United Empire Loyalist, who fought under the king's colors in the American revolutionary war. The latter was called to the bar of Upper Canada in 1797, so that for over 100 years the family has been identified in this country with the legal profession, which it has done so much to adorn. The late Mr. Robinson never aspired to public life, but his pre-eminence at the bar made him a public figure. His professional career covered a period of 55 years, and is interwoven with the constitutional history of Canada since confederation. He was engaged in most of the great legal battles between the Federal and Provincial Governments. For his brilliant services as one of the Canadian counsel in the Behring Sea arbitration he was proffered knighthood, but declined the honor. His address before the Alaska boundary commission, which was cut short by physical exhaustion, extorted words of admiration from the opposing counsel. Mr. Robinson appeared to regain his health, and was actively engaged in an important case at Toronto when his last illness overtook him.

Although he must have had a powerful constitution, his thin, spare presence gave an impression of frailness, confirmed by his shrill and somewhat feeble voice. If he lacked some of the physical requisites of a great jury lawyer and pleader, he had a brilliant intellect, equipped for the highest requirements of his profession, and he enjoyed the deference of the bench in a unique degree. His great abilities were joined to the modesty and kindliness of the true gentleman. He was respected and beloved by the members of the bar, to whom he was an inspiring example.

They say the Kaiser is a trifle fidgety over the turn of events in Russia.

The Czar's offer to "efface" himself appears to be a case of making a virtue of necessity.

Everyone must admire the serenity with which King Oscar has consented to have his crown parted in the middle.

Col. Matheson for years was engaged in running down the credit of the Province. The boot is on the other foot now.

The Advertiser tries to keep a good serial story running. On Saturday it will begin a new one, "Wayward but Winning." It is a winner.

Our local contemporary is bemoaning the fact that the postoffice shows a surplus. This can be easily remedied by restoring the letter rate to 3 cents and discouraging correspondence.

A Warm Sermon.

[Atlanta Constitution.]

"De preacher wuzn't feelin' good last meetin' day an' he made de stove preach de sermon."

"Made de stove preach?"

"Yes; made it red hot fum top ter bottom, an' den tol' de sinners ter take a good look at it an' go ter thinkin'!"

Last Words of Henry Irving.

[Rosaline E. Jones.]

"Into thy hands, O Lord, into thy hands."
Thrice fitting words, apt climax from the lips
Of one just passing 'neath the night's eclipse.
Prophetic utterance from one who stands
Upon the mystic border of the lands
Earth's pilgrims travel to. The spirit slips
The light control of life, its loves, friendships,
Its toils and triumphs and its high demands.
The stage of life, the mimic stage of art
Quitted at once, or ere its splendor dimmed
Or tinsel tarnished, while from his great heart
He with consummate speech and gesture limned
The dreams and passions and the tragedies
Of life's great stage, its sweetness and its lees.

Swindled.

[Houston Post.]

"Thought you said that auto you sold me was a 20-horse power?"

"So it is."

"Well it isn't. The first horse I ran over put it out of business."

Still Hope Left.

[Exchange.]

A Sedalia, Mo., girl who is taking singing lessons asked her teacher: "Do you think I can ever do anything with my voice?"

The professor very cautiously replied: "Well, it may come in handy in case of fire."

Love.

[Jean Ingelow.]

Learn that to love is the one way to know,
Or God or man; it is not love received
That maketh man to know the inner life
Of them that love him; his own love bestowed
Shall do it.

Not Necessary.

[Philadelphia Inquirer.]

Ethel—My papa is a great reader. Is yours?

Little Margie—No, he doesn't have to read. He says mamma speaks volumes to him when he comes home late.

Mickey O'Flynn.

[New York Sun.]

Micky O'Flynn of the night patrol
Is everywhere known as a genial soul,
And he loves his work as he loves his life,
Or better than many a man his wife.
He smiles for joy when he hears the gong
Clamor that something is going wrong.
He jumps to his seat and the car's control.
Does Micky O'Flynn of the night patrol.

Often, perchance, at the break of day,
The restless sleeper will wake and say,
As he sees the gleam of a monster eye,
And a car with a clanging gong goes by:
"That's Micky out on a hurry call—
Murder, perhaps, or a burglar's haul;
Whatever it is he'll play his role,
Will Micky O'Flynn of the night patrol."

Visit his home and you may see
A blue-eyed lad at his father's knee.
And "Daddy," he says, with a youngster's pride,
"Won't you take me out when you go to ride?"
Then Micky cuddles the curly head—
He dries a tear as these words are said:
"Heaven forbid, God bless your soul,
You ever should ride on the night patrol!"

Fond Memory.

[Exchange.]

He—I presume you carry a memento of some kind in your locket, don't you?

She—Yes. It's a lock of my husband's hair.

He—But your husband is alive.

She—But his hair is all gone.

An Amendment.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

"They say you are going to marry the window."

"You mean she says."

The River of Time.

[B. F. Taylor.]

Oh, wonderful stream is the River of Time,
As it runs through the realms of tears.
With a faultless rhythm and a musical rhyme,
And a faultless sweep and a surge sublime,
To blend with the ocean of years.

How winters are like flakes of snow,
And the summers like links between,
And the years in the sheaf as they come and go
On the river's breast, with its ebb and flow,
As it glides in the shadow and sheen.

There's a musical isle up the River of Time,
Where the softest airs are playing;
There's a cloudless sky and a tropical clime,
And a song as sweet as a vesper chime,
And the Junes with their roses are staying.

The name of the isle is the Long Ago;
Our treasures are buried there.
There are brows of beauty and bosoms of snow,
There are heaps of dust, but we love them so,
There are trinkets and tresses of hair.

There are fragments of songs that nobody sings,
And a part of an infant's prayer.
There's a lute unswept and a harp without strings,
There are broken vows and pieces of rings,
And the garments that she used to wear.

In the Restaurant.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Diner—Give me a plate o' pork and beans and hurry 'em up.

Waiter (shouting)—Chicago and Boston express!

Life.

[Bayard Taylor.]

Learn to live, and live to learn,
Ignorance like a fire doth burn,
Little tasks make large return.

Toil, when willing groweth less,
"Always play" may seem to bless,
Yet the end is weariness.

Books and Scissors.

[New York World.]

When Mr. Carnegie begins to advise Scotch college girls to get their hair cut, it is seen that, after all, steel and libraries are his really strong points.

A Distinction.

[Chicago News.]

Nan—Call that a cow you are drawing? It don't look like a cow.

Fred—Huh! This ain't a photograph. It's a work of art.

The Approved Method

[Chicago News.]

She runs to the gate as he comes, there to met him;
The joy that she feels in her smile is expressed.
With wifely embraces she lovingly greets him;
She knows he is weary and needs a good rest,
But, first, it is certain, he ought to have dinner,
He'll feel a deal better, she's sure, after that.
The lady is what we would all call a "winner,"
She knows what to do when she wants a new hat.

She wears his pet gown, and she's mighty good-looking;
She has, which is lucky, his favorite dish,
The coffee is worthy the rest of the cooking,
He seems to have all a mere mortal could wish.
She talks to him gayly, her silvery laughter
Rings out at his joking so ready and pat.
He has his suspicions of what she is after,
But then it is cheap at the price of a hat.

She brings his old jacket when dinner is ended,
His slippers and pipe, not forgetting the match,
And when on the lounge he is fairly extended,
She gets out her basket to darn and to patch.
Oh, cynics may sneer at the marriage relation,
But what half so sweet as that nice, cosy chat?
And what does it matter if soon conversation
Insensibly turns to a new winter hat?

Got It Between the Eyes.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"It will be soon enough, Miss Gwimple, if I return this book the next time I call, won't it?"

"Why, certainly, Mr. Featherlop. There's no hurry about it. Any time within the next six months will do."

Is the Worst to Come?

[From the Toronto Star.]

It is impossible for people living in a country like Canada to comprehend the conditions against which the Russian people are struggling at present. While it is announced this morning that the Czar has signed a constitution guaranteeing the people self-government, inviolability of person, freedom of conscience, speech, union, and association, the moral value of the reform as an aid to peace is destroyed by the fact that it has been wrung from the Czar and his tyrannous nobility by sheer terror of the uprisen people.

There is nothing in the history of mankind on which one can base a hope that the Czar's surrender to force will end the revolution. Should temporary quiet ensue, officialdom, the crisis past, will seek to hold back what the Czar promised under compulsion. It will be found that a revolution is not thorough which sends with the people returning to their hovels and the aristocracy to those positions of authority they have always abused.

There might have been a bloodless revolution had the Czar met his people that bloody Sunday in St. Petersburg, when hundreds of thousands of men, women and children walked towards his palace unarmed, bearing religious emblems, and holding aloft portraits of himself. Until that day they had for him a reverence strange in the world of the twentieth century. All they asked was to see him, to make sure that he saw them, and to make sure, also, that a petition they had drawn up should be delivered into his own hand. Instead he played the coward—worse he played the tyrant. The usual steps were not taken to prevent this gathering and movement of the people. They formed, they marched in lines from various directions; they were confronted by soldiery, these men, women and children, and, at a word of command they were shot down like sheep within view of the windows of the royal palace. Father Gapon in the Strand Magazine for November tells the bloody story of that day. One has to search all history to find a parallel for it in the wantonness with which life was destroyed. The barbarity, the brutality, the stupidity of it all, would be beyond belief were the truth of it not known. With the curiosity of youth, a boy had climbed a tree in the street to get a view of what was going on. He saw his friends and neighbors shot down like sheep in the street beneath him, he saw them make no resistance, he saw them fall down, struggling and praying, too much jammed together to turn and run away. Yet those who lived were driven back from under the tree where the boy clung. A Cossack saw him, pointed him out to an officer, offered to shoot him, received an encouraging order, and with a bullet dropped the lad dead from his perch.

Who can suppose that the people of St. Petersburg, Moscow, Warsaw, and a hundred other places where like scenes were enacted, are going to forget all they suffered, are going to forgive all this brutal shedding of blood, because the Czar with the terror of death in his eyes has now signed a piece of paper?

Poems That Live.

"Poetry is the music of the soul, and above all of great and feeling souls."

Autumnal Calm.

[By Alfred Tennyson.]
(From "In Memoriam.")

Calm is the morn without a sound,
Calm as to suit a calmer grief,
And only through the faded leaf
The chestnut pattering to the ground.

Calm and deep peace on this high world,
And on these dews that drench the furze,
And all the silvery gossamers
That twinkle into green and gold.

Calm and still light on yon great plain
That sweeps with all its autumn bowers,
And crowded farms and lessening towers,
To mingle with the bounding main.

A New Giant Company to Make Rolling Stock

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Toronto, Nov. 1.—It is reported from a relable source that leading financial men are being interested in the formation of a strong company to manufacture railway rolling stock.

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General Manager Hays, of the G. T. R., is credited with having stated that there will be more rolling stock needed in Canada during the next ten years than is used at the present time on all the railways.

It is stated that one of the largest Canadian banking institutions is behind this enterprise, and that considerable United States capital will be invested in it if sufficient capital cannot be secured in Canada.

BRITISH FLEET AT ANNAPOLIS

A Magnificent Naval Spectacle Witnessed During Prince Battenburg's Visit.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 1.—Prince Louis of Battenburg, the bearer of a special message from King Edward to the President of the United States has been received with honors due his rank and mission by Admiral Sands, superintendent of the Naval Academy, and Governor Warfield, of Maryland.

The joint fleet of American and British war vessels is lying in Annapolis roads, forming the most brilliant naval spectacle ever seen in these waters.

The British vessels dropped anchor off Annapolis at 10:20 this morning, and national salutes of 21 guns were exchanged between the Drake and Maine, flagships respectively of Prince Louis and Admiral Evans, and then admiral salutes of thirteen guns.

Prince Louis reached the wharf of the Naval Academy in his launch just before noon. He was accompanied by Captain Ryon, naval attache of the British embassy at Washington; Lieut. Solelby, flag officer of the Drake, and Lieut. Crossley, United States naval flag officer of the Maine.

On the wharf to receive them were Admiral Sands and his aide, Lieut.-Commander Magruder, and a company of marines.

After an exchange of formal salutes, Prince Louis was driven to Admiral Sands' residence and then to the Government House, where they were received by Governor Edwin Warfield, Adjutant-General Riggs, of his staff, and Captain Baird, United States admiral.

The Prince was extremely genial and democratic in his manner. Just as he was leaving the Government steps he paused to accommodate several newspaper photographers who wished to snap him.

Admiral Sands and Governor Warfield returned the Prince's call at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The British fleet maintained an average speed of eighteen knots an hour for the whole trip and arrived here about six hours ahead of schedule time.

Another portion of the combined fleet at anchor is formed by a division of five torpedo boat destroyers.

London, Nov. 1. — The Times, commenting editorially on the visit of the British fleet to Canadian waters, describes the visit as an unqualified success from every point of view, thanks to equal enthusiasm and loyalty alike of English and French population. If there lurks in any quarter a remaining tinge of the old racial prejudice it cannot survive the entente cordiale which now unites the English and French nations. The visit cannot fail to quicken on both sides the sentiment which binds the nation together.

The assurance given by Prince Louis of Battenburg regarding the capabilities and strategical position of the fleet derive added force, not otherwise attainable, from actual presence of the powerful squadron, which quickens the imagination and renders it easier to conceive that sea power which guards Canada no less than the mother country. From that quickened comprehension, coupled with the knowledge that British colonies are objects of likely envy and desire, we may hope for a fuller understanding of the burden now almost exclusively borne by the mother country. Such visits are to be regularly repeated during that portion of the year which the former permanent squadron used to spend in the northern part of North America and West India station.

THE NESTING SEASON

Autumn Weddings Growing More and More Popular in Society.

This is the nesting season. Not for birds in a literal sense, but for the "birds" of society girls, who prefer the golden glory of autumn for marrying to the heat and dust of "leafy June." And the number of these is gradually growing. Autumn is becoming popular, and many a handsome house or cosy flat has been established in the last few weeks as a home. Of course, wedding presents have had something to do with the furnishing, and the bride is trying to use five butter-coolers and seven pickle forks to the best advantage. Perhaps father has given her a piano. He has probably chosen it entirely because of its reputation and without regard to its tone. If so, the bride may possibly be dissatisfied. It would be a wise thing if fathers in such a case would give the bride-to-be a chance to pick out her own instrument. She is the one who is to use it, and, granted that she is of musical and artistic tastes, it is unquestionable that she will look for durability and style in case, joined to a rich, musical, sonorous tone, well balanced throughout. So far this season the Gourlay piano is being highly honored by the brides, and there has been scarcely a day since the first of September that the window of Messrs. Gourlay, Winter & Leeming, on Yonge street, Toronto, has not contained a piano selected as the first furniture for the new dovecot. Even now there is a Grecian style on exhibition that will gladden one bride's heart, and, after a careful look as the instrument, there is scarcely a girl in Toronto who would not be willing to get married in order to get such a gorgeous present.

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EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

Morning train for St. Thomas, Ridgetown, Walkerville and Sarnia will leave at 5:45 a.m. St. Thomas and Port Stanley train 2:35 p.m., and St. Thomas train in evening at 6:40 p.m. See corrected time-table dated Nov. 5. Edgar Britton, district passenger agent. 60c

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Most of us expect better obituary notices than are coming to us.

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A HEAVY PENALTY

CHAPTER XXXI.

Old Mr. King left his bed unusually early on the morning of the first of May, wrapped his dressing-gown about his lean figure, and went eagerly to the window and looked out. It was a lovely spring morning; the trees were all covered with tender green leaves, the dew lay thickly upon the grass, the hawthorn and laburnums were fast bursting into bloom, and the birds caroled gayly their greetings to the new-born summer.

Never had Mr. King felt happier or in better spirits. It was Norman's wedding day. Everything had been settled according to his wishes; there had been no hitch and no disturbance in the programme he had laid out for his grandchildren's lives. Within a few hours he would stand in the flower-decked chancel of the village church and he would give Florrie away to her cousin, and the wedding march would strike up, and the wedding bells would ring, and the darling wish of his old age would be fulfilled; and then the bride and bridegroom would be whirled off in a carriage and four to the station, on their way to the continent, for their wedding tour, and he and his little Stella would be left alone in the big house together. He would send Harriet Finch away, and Stella should keep house for him.

"It has all gone off well," said Mr. King to himself; "but I am glad I put that codicil in my will—it will do no harm—by twelve o'clock today it will be invalid, and it has kept my mind easy all this time, for I had a misgiving that the girl was going to play me false; I suppose I was mistaken, but it has kept me from fretting, and as Graham is always telling me, if I want to go on living I must not fret myself. Ah, well, I am happy enough now! Everything has turned out just as I wished!"

At that minute a slender figure, wrapped from head to foot in a long cloak, and wearing a thick veil, was creeping slowly and cautiously across the dew-drenched grass at the back of the house.

She went very slowly, turning round every now and then to listen and look back at the house. It was quite early—only about half-past six—and nearly all the blinds of the house were drawn closely down. Only from one distant window there was somebody with sharp eyes and a keen, eager face, who saw that solitary figure stealing along under the shadow of the orchard wall. And the owner of those sharp eyes, who had only just got out of bed straightway began to huddle on the first clothes that came under her hands at her utmost speed.

But Florrie, who was creeping along under the shadow of the orchard wall, did not know this.

Florrie was playing her last card. She had come to the end of the serio-comedy she had been acting so long—and now she was ready to stake everything she had so long striven for upon this last desperate action. Last night the will, that was to do so much for her, was signed. So far all was safe. Now nothing was left to her save to deal the death-blow to the old man whose house had sheltered her treacherous and wicked self for so many months! All night long she had sat up writing—writing the letter which she had laid on his library table before she stole forth from the house, so that he might see it the first thing when he came down stairs—and writing too to Stella, to tell her the truth of everything. As to Norman, she had not even gone through the form of writing to him; "Norman," she said to herself, scornfully, "will console himself very easily; he and Stella will never be rich—but then they are the kind of people who do not care in the least for money; they will be perfectly content to be poor all the days of their lives, whereas I—I could not have done without it. I have worked hard for it, too—ah! what hard work it has been!—but thank goodness, it is all over now!"

She had got safely round the corner of the orchard wall by this time, and was out of sight of the house. She walked quicker and breathed more freely now. She carried a heavy dressing bag in her hand; into it she had crammed all the jewelry that had been given her as wedding presents, including the family diamonds from her grandfather; and the set of pearls and rubies that were Norman's wedding gift to her. Florrie had no remorse of conscience at all in doing this. She had also a little money, about ten pounds, with her.

Presently she reached a low wooden gate that led out of the park into the road; here, behind a clump of trees that had hidden it from her sight until she came close to it, stood a Stanhope phaeton with the hood drawn up. As she reached the gate, Walter Dyson's face peered out from behind it.

"Here you are at last," he said in a whisper. "I thought you were never coming; is everything right?"

"Yes, so far all has gone well—the will was signed last night."

"Is this all your luggage?"

"Oh! my boxes are ready packed; I have told Stella in my letter where to send them—I dare say I shall get them tomorrow. I have got the diamonds here!" tapping the bag with a laugh.

"You are an uncommonly clever girl, and I must say I am very glad to get hold of you at last. Now jump up quickly, and let us be off before the alarm is given; and besides, we have not too much time to catch the train at the Junction—it is ten miles at the very least."

There was no servant, and he helped her up into the phaeton. She drew herself as far back as she could into the shadow of the hood, and Walter Dyson took his seat by her side.

"Off at last, my dear wife!" he said, bending down to her with an affectionate smile, for he was fond of her after a fashion.

And then Florrie uttered a cry.

"Good gracious! there is Mrs. Finch!" she exclaimed. "Drive fast, Walter, or we shall be stopped! Hateful woman! she must have followed me!"

The phaeton dashed off rapidly, and was soon whirled out of sight round a sharp corner of the road.

And there stood Mrs. Finch by the gate, in the long, damp grass, in a short, dark woolen petticoat and a red flannel dressing jacket, with her scanty hair all flying loosely in the wind about her thin neck, shouting and waving her hands vainly after the departing couple.

But for all her shouting she was not able to stop them. When the phaeton was quite out of sight, Mrs. Finch turned round and fled to the house. There was a gleam of malicious delight upon her face.

"Wicked, abandoned girl!" she cried to herself, triumphantly; "I always knew she was false and deceitful. She has eloped with one of the Dysons! I could not see which, but I know that gray horse and harness well enough. And now, at last, I can be revenged upon the old man who has ground down my life for so many years, and treated me like an upper servant instead of a relation! Now, at last, I can repay him all the rough words and the insulting sneers he has cast at me for so long! Oh, what a blow this will be to him!—his darling schemes overthrown—his nephew tricked out of his bride—his beautiful plans for everybody all shattered at a stroke! How delighted I am to think that I shall be the first to tell him; perhaps even he will be grateful to me for revealing this iniquitous proceeding to him, and he will add something to his will in acknowledgment—who knows!"

And this latter thought still further quickened Mrs. Finch's returning footsteps toward the house.

In another minute she was knocking loudly at Mr. King's bedroom door, quite oblivious, in her excitement, of her own very remarkable and not very presentable costume.

"Mr. King, I must speak to you at once!" she cried.

"My good woman, I am just out of my bed—you must wait."

"I cannot wait a moment, my dear cousin—I positively must speak to you! I have something of the utmost importance to reveal to you!"

"What a nuisance an impatient woman is!" grumbled the old man from within. "Wait a minute, then, and I will open the door."

After a few seconds he did so, and appeared enveloped in a long flowery dressing gown, in which his gaunt figure looked leaner and more attenuated than ever.

"Now what on earth is it?" he began, confronting the strangely attired figure who came in as he opened the door. "What have you got to say that you couldn't wait till I was dressed? I suppose the confectioner hasn't sent the cake, or the cook has spoiled the jellies, or some such rubbish?"

"Mr. King, it is no rubbish at all," said Mrs. Finch, eagerly. "I have a very terrible piece of news to tell you!"

The old man frowned uneasily; but he had no serious apprehensions as yet.

"You women think everything terrible; there is no end to the fuss made about every trifle. Out with it, then!"

"I assure you this is no trifle," she said, earnestly, and with such evident agitation that his attention was arrested by it. "You must prepare yourself for a great shock, Mr. King."

The old man trembled.

"Don't go beating about the bush," he said, hoarsely, "but in heaven's name tell me what has happened at once! Is it Norman?"

"Norman is quite well. It is Florrie King, who has gone away."

"What!" shouted the old man, wildly, catching hold of her hands.

"She has run away with one of the Dysons; I am not sure which—I could not see; but they have driven off together not ten minutes ago."

The old man was livid.

"They must be followed at once—instantly; they can be stopped! Where is Norman? Ring the bell. What are you standing staring here for? Let me go!" He was struggling to reach the door; he shivered from head to foot. Mrs. Finch tried to quiet him; he shook her off wildly. "They must be followed at once," he repeated. "It is not too late; they can be stopped."

And then suddenly Stella, white as a sheet, stood behind them on the threshold holding an open letter in her hand.

"Oh! grandpapa—dear grandpapa—it is no use!" she cried; "they can not be stopped—it is too late. I have a letter from her. Florrie has deceived us all; she has been married to Walter Dyson ever since she came here."

He stopped short and gasped for breath; the blood rushed back in a flood to his face, his eyes stared blankly for one minute before him. Then he flung up his arms wildly into the air; one short, gasping cry burst from his lips; and he fell face forward all his length upon the floor.

Florrie's evil work had prospered. She had killed her grandfather, but it was Stella's loving lips that all unwittingly had given him his death-blow.

From that instant all was confusion and terror; the fugitive couple were forgotten; there was a wild hurrying to and fro through the flower-decked house. Instead of the merry laughter, and the good wishes, and the happy faces that were to have filled Wrexham Hall that bright May morning, there were scared looks and terrified whispers, and the grave face of the hastily summoned doctor pressing through the frightened cluster of servants toward the chamber of death.

By and by Sir Edgar came over from Barfield, in great distress of mind concerning his brother's conduct, but the greater anxiety about the master of the house had absorbed all lesser troubles.

They had got the old man into his bed; he did not die at once; he lingered till the afternoon, but he was never conscious again. At three o'clock he died; and Norman led the weeping Stella away from his death-bed.

These two, who had comforted each other throughout those terrible hours of horror and misery, had no other consolation upon earth now save each other.

Oh! how horrible it was to Stella to pass along the passages and staircases all wreathed for the marriage festivities with satin ribbons, and trails of flowers and greenery; to see the long table laid out in the great dining-room below, and the waiters with white and horrified faces, clearing away the preparations for the wedding feast! And then there was the open door of Florrie's room, and her boxes standing already packed in the middle of the floor.

"She has killed him—she has killed him!" moaned poor Stella, in her misery. "Oh, Norman, what did she do it for How could she deal him such a cruel blow?"

Stella, in the absorption of her grief, did not even think of how great an alteration in her own life Florrie's conduct was likely to effect.

"She could not have known that he had heart disease," said Norman, gravely; "she could never have realized that such a shock would kill him."

But Dr. Graham, who stood by the sorrowing cousins, and who heard the words, remembered very well that Florrie knew all about her grandfather's heart disease, and he could have told them so had he not been too kind-hearted to make unnecessary mischief in the already afflicted family.

"What did she say to you in that letter?" asked Norman of his cousin, as he stood at the door of her room with her.

"I think you ought to read it," said Stella.

She went into her room and found it, and bringing it out to him, placed it in his hands.

"Thank you," said Norman, simply.

And then he took the letter out-of-doors and read it by himself in the garden among the budding trees and the caroling birds, and all the bright summer sights and sounds that were going on without, just the same as if death and sorrow had not come to visit Wrexham Hall.

[To be Continued.]

TO KEEP FATHER FROM JAIL

Dying Girl Gives Ticket That Was to Take Her to Land of Health.

Boston, Nov. 1.—When the Romanic sailed from Boston for Italy the other day a pale-faced girl in Gloucester, was thinking of the sunny land she may never see again, while on board was her father, sailing for his old home in Milan, his passage secured with the ticket for which his daughter has pinched and saved for months to buy.

Months ago the doctor told 17-year-old Francesca Bertoni her only chance to live was to go back to Italy. The New England climate was not suited to her and day by day she grew thinner, her cheeks lost their color and her eyes had a far-away look.

But the ticket would cost $33. This seemed an enormous, almost impossible sum. So she worked, struggling at the houshold tasks, with her mother, doing all the work for her sister, three brothers and five or six men boarders, and her father, who would not work.

Most pathetic of all, her condition was continually aggravated by her father, who flew into a passion when little Francesca was slow in running his errands, and often it was only the intervention of her big brother John that saved her from a beating.

At last the great day arrived. The sum was added that made the ticket money complete, the little slip of pastboard that meant so much was purchased, and Francesca, happy and joyous as she thought of the sunny skies and fragrant vineyards she would see so soon made ready for the wonderful journey.

But her happiness was not to last Her father rushed into the house and tried to kill her mother and herself with a hatchet. Only the intervention of brother John, at the risk of his life, saved them. Even the neighbors were frightened, and the police were sent for and Bertoni locked up. Later he was arraigned in court.

"He must go to prison or else go back to Italy," said the judge.

Then brave little Francesca, wanly smiling to hide the tears, spoke up:

"Please don't send him to prison, your honor; I have a ticket for Italy. If I give it to him will you let him go?"

Bertoni was released on his promise to behave till the steamer sailed.

LOOT OF THE QUAKER CITY

Contractors Said to Have Been Robbed of $6,330,000.

Philadelphia, Nov. 2. — Ring rule has cost Philadelphia $6,330,000 out of about $18,000,000 expended for public improvements. Excessive prices have been charged, collusion between contractors and city officials resorted to, and from material used to loot the city treasury. Political leaders, including former prominent omceholders, apparently were the chief beneficiaries of the gigantic scheme of plifering the city's treasury.

These facts are set forth in the report of an investigating committee appointed by Mayor Weaver. One example cited of the way in which the city was robbed is the fact that $552,000 was paid for the construction of three-fourths of a mile of boulevard, of which $273,000 was loss to the city and went into the pockets of the politicians.

The investigating committee was appointed last July by the mayor to investigate the filtration system and the northeast and southern boulevards now under construction.

The report, submitted yesterday to the mayor, was made public today. It is signed by Mayor Cassius E. Gillette, of the United States engineer corps, who investigated the Savannah harbor frauds, and John Donald MacLennon, of Washington. The report shows that up to date the city has lost $6,330,000 through excessive costs, collusive bids and illegal advertising and in other ways.

The contractors who received most of the more than $18,000,000 that has been expended on improvements are D. J. McNichol & Co., James J. Ryan, John A. Kelley and Vare Bros.

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ROOSTER MOURNS HORSE

Animal That Was Bantam's Devoted Chum Was Sold.

Trenton, Nov. 2.—There is a broken-hearted bantam rooster in L. H. Stein's stable yard, on North Warren street. The fowl sighs for the friendship of Mr. Stein's blooded horse, which was sold a few weeks ago.

The bantam, once active and bright, is now sad, and will not enter the barn where it and the horse spent many happy days.

It was a common sight to see the bantam standing on the feed box, rubbing his neck over the horses's nose, and sometimes the rooster would stand still several minutes while the horse gently swung her nose over the bantam's feathers, as though endeavoring to smooth them down.

At evening, when the horse drew the meat wagon into the yard, the bantam would sprint down to the gate, and the two strange friends would make a great fuss over each other, the horse whinnying and the rooster strutting and crowing.

DOG HEROINE IS DEAD

Was at the Siege of Port Arthur During Chinese-Jap War.

Nantucket, Mass., Nov. 1—Chiu-ji, one of the most famous dogs in the world, is dead, and her demise will recall to the minds of those familiar with the Japanese and China war the pathetic incident at the siege of Port Arthur and which gave this little Pekin pug her reputation. Soon after the battle was fought A. B. de Guerville, an American newspapers correspondent, came across the body of a Chinaman on a hill, and nestling close beside him was Chiu-ju, with her head on his arm. In that position she remained hours, faithfully guarding his body.

Field Marshall Oyama could give no time to sentiment, however, and, needing the spot for a field telescope, he ordered two coolies to remove the body. One of them grabbed the dead man, and the next instant found Chiu-ju's teeth buried in his hand. He kicked her away and drew his sword to kill her, but Mr. de Guerville sprang forward and saved her life. The little dog struggled and wailed as though heart-broken. It was days before she would touch food or allow anyone to caress her.

Mr. de Guerville finally left for Japan, and the little dog went with him. News of the war incident had reached the Mikado, and the Japanese officials sought to secure the dog for him, but de Guerville refused to part with her and brought her with him to America, finally presenting her to Miss Lotta Linthicum.

Chiu-ji was sought after everywhere receiving a special invitation to be present at a dinner given by the Lotos Club and attending scores of afternoon teas and receptions.

Most of her summers have been spent with Miss Linthicum's mother in Siasconset, and it was there she died of old age. Her body was placed in a specially prepared casket and buried with honors amid the Catskill Mountains.

Chiu-ji lived in America ten years. All of the big railroad lines issued special permits for her to travel in drawing-room and parlor cars, and she had access to the first-class cabins on all of the Hudson River and Fall River line boats.

Chiu-ji was the only dog of her kind in America. Lady Brook, of London, once had two Pekin pugs sent her by the ambassador, but they died on arrival. A few have been imported, but they are rarely found outside the imperial palace at Pekin and the homes of a few high dignitaries.

Chiu-ji was eighteen inches long, short-legged, had long ears, a slightly bushy tail and a face resembling that of a fox-terrier, with a pug nose. Her hair was like silk, of reddish brown and white in pretty markings, and her beautiful eyes were almost human.

Mr. de Guerville named her Chiu-ji, which in Chinese means "faithful," but it was nearly a year before she would respond to it. Even up to her death she would watch a Chinaman on the street with wistful eyes.

TROUBLE WITH WIRELESS

Marconi People May Erect a New Station to Receive Messages.

Halifax, Nov. 1.—It is said that the Marconi people are considering the making of yet another change in their Cape Breton trans-Atlantic station. Representatives of the company have been at Lorne Head, near Louisburg, 25 miles from the present station, looking over properties suitable for a site for the proposed new station. This would be the third change, as the second station, which is located at Glace Bay, four miles from Table Head, is only about completed. A chief trouble with the Glace Bay station is that while messages can be transmitted from there, it is not possible with anything like equal facilities to receive. This has been the point where failures has come.

Marconi officials at Glace Bay will give out nothing at all, but it is thought that if a new station at Lorne Head is built it will be used for the reception of messages, while that at Glace Bay is reserved for transmission. The cost of the first Table Head station was practically defrayed by the money given to Marconi by the Dominion Government when he first determined to erect trans-Atlantic stations in Nova Scotia. The present Glace Bay station has cost over $150,000. Nothing definite will be done until Marconi comes here, which it is expected he will do at an early date.

BUGS AND THE BIOLOGIST

Specimens Lead to the Professor' Retreat From Home and State.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 1. — Dr. Charles W. Ballard, professor of science in the high school, has fled from the state, but has left behind him in is apartment a collection of insects that will keep professional exterminators busy for a week.

The insects were forced on Dr. Ballard. In a recent biology recitation he offered his pupils a penny for each and every bug they brought him. He wanted a collection of insects for experiments. All the pupils in the school set to work gathering bugs. It would have taken the professors salary for a year to pay the pennies claimed. Fifty youngsters between them cornered the bug crop of a large section of the state.

Dr. Ballard tried to settle for $3. This angered the boys. They ripped open boxes and bags. The inundation of bugs left no room for Ballard in his apartments. He has gone to visit his former home, in Logansport, Ind., until the exterminators report the last death.

DOWN ON "ARISTOCRATS"

Rabbi Hirsch, of Chicago, Raps the "Deteriorated Millionaire."

Chicago, Nov. 2.—Self-styled American "aristocracy" received a severe rap on Friday night at the hands of Dr. Phil G. Hirsch, who preached at Israel Temple on the relative significance of origins and outcomes in society and religion.

"Wherever you have aristocracy," he said, "it is the beginning that is of moment. If you are to have a noble family you must get back to the beginning. These ancestors, however, should not be looked up too carefully, or someone who, in common parlance, was a cut-throat and a thief may be found. There are some people in America who are beginning to talk of their social station.

"The greatest men in America have ancestors, but the smallest men and women are beginning to speak of their 'families.' Their ancestors probably came over not in the Mayflower, but in the steerage of some immigrant vessel. And he, that first one, was the best. The family probably has deteriorated into wealthy millionaires and spends most of its time in Europe."

DUNDEE'S CREW WERE SICK

They Mutinied and Ship Had a Narrow Escape From Rocks.

London, Nov 2. — The sleepy old bark Dundee, Capt. James S. Stephens, arrived yesterday. The vessel sailed from Bremen on March 4, bound for Seattle. When she reached Cape Horn, in June, ten of her crew of fourteen were sick and worn out. Heavy gales forced the ship back, and after beating about the Cape for a week with only three able-bodied men, the other sailors made the captain put about and run for Cape Town. Before reaching that port the sailors recovered to some extent and the captain refused to land. In the Straits of Sunda, on July 8, the crew mutinied and forced the officers to seek protection in their cabin. There they secured guns and subdued the sailors, taking their knives from them. The men refused to work the ship and it had a narrow escape from drifting on the rocks. In Batavia the crew was placed in irons and a crew of coolies navigated the vessel to Singapore, where the sailors were tried for mutiny. Part of the number were sentenced to eleven weeks' imprisonment, and the rest to nine weeks at hard labor. The men contended that poor food and the brutal treatment of the officers had forced them to mutiny.

NEW HOBO COMES TO TOWN

Has a Check for $10,000, Which He Would Like You to Cash.

New York, Nov. 2.—The millionaire panhandler is the latest addition to the ranks of the hoboes in New York. He made his first appearance in Park row last week.

The stranded workman who has arrived late at night from Philadelphia to go to a job in the morning and wants anything from 10 cents to 25 cents to get a lodging for the night has told his tale so often that the trick is getting stale. The same is true of the able-bodied man who has had his arm recently amputated at the hospital, the empty sleeve appearing in evidence, while the arm, whole and sound, is concealed under the coat and waistcoat. Therefore there seems to be a chance for a new hobo.

The millionaire panhandler, though, is not likely to be a success unless he improves with practice. He stood the other evening in front of the Park Row building, while a well dressed man who had been dining generously and was in a state of mellow good humor was having his shoes shined by a small bootblack.

The panhandler wore a seedy frock coat and a silk hat that had seen better days. Several common, everyday tramps came up to the man whose shoes were beting shined and told their tales of woe.

He was liberal at first, but became tired of it and stopped giving money, finally, threatening to call a policeman when the last tramp appeared. When he was paying for his shine the millionaire panhandler bore down on him.

"I've have been watching those fellows bracing you," he said. "There's more types of human nature to be seen when you're standing right here than you'd find anywhere else."

The mellow one looked at him closely. The man looked on the whole fairly respectable and the diner concluded that he had met a philosopher.

"That's true," he replied, "that's true."

"It's surprising the number of types of people you'll find in a city like this," said the panhandler, assuming a genial, confidential air. "Now, you wouldn't think that I was a millionaire."

'I certainly would not," said the other promptly.

"Well, I am," said the tramp, pulling out a rusty pocketbook and producing an alleged check. "Here's a check for $10,000 that I can't get cashed. I came here from Chicago and was such a fool as not to bring some ready cash. If you lend me a dollar to get a bed in a hotel and give me your card——"

"Oh, thunder!" said the other, taking in the tramp with a swift glance. "That won't go. You're too steep."

"Well, 75 cents——"

"Get out of here or I'll——"

The millionaire tramp did not wait. He disappeared around the corner, to appear a few minutes later and spring the same story on another well-dressed man, with the result of eliciting a threat to call a policeman.

The third man he met was half seas over after visiting several saloons and took a good part of the sidewalk in his progress. He gave the tramp 50 cents, after hearing his story, remarking as he steadied himself to look after the disappearing hobo:

"Well, hic, you're a, hic, b-b-bum-looking millionaire; anyway."

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Literary Notes.

The Reader magazine for November, published by the Bobbs-Merrill Company, is quite up to the high standard this periodical has set, as a medium of criticism and fiction. Of fiction there is an abundantly attractive list. "The Master," by Edward S. Holloway; "The End of the Journey," by Emerson G. Taylor; "The Buckskin Doll," by Jean Cowgill; "A Case of Atavism," by L. M. Montgomery, and "The Great Divide," by Alice Winter, form a quintet of short stores of striking originality and interest; while the installment of Meredith Nicholson's great story, "The House of a Thousand Candles"—which will reach its conclusion in the December number—is surpassingly interesting as the narrative approaches its final climax. Other articles are "Being Alone in the House," by Helen A. Saxon, and an essay, "Arnold and Joubert," by Richard Bice. Verse is contributed by James Whitcomb Riley, John Vance Cheney, Meredith Nicholson, W. J. Lampton, Bliss Carman and others.

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THE RED EARL QUITS THE GAME

Spencer No Longer Candidate for Party Leadership.

POPULAR WITH RANK AND FILE

Even Rosebery Might Have Re-Entered Politics Had Spencer Headed Liberal Party.

London, Nov. 2.—English politics undergoes a new change through the retirement of Earl Spencer. A stroke of apoplexy is the answer to the question "Will Earl Spencer be the next Liberal Premier?" The Red Earl had his health not forsaken him so suddenly, was admitted to have the better chance for the leadership of his party than any other prominent Liberal. He is a man popular with the rank and file of the party, and as likely as any other to reconcile and unite the warring factions of Liberalism. It may be that he will still be able to aid his old colleagues and associates with advice, though disqualified from active participation in the great game he has played so steadily for a generation. Though his health has broken down, Earl Spencer will retain those fine personal qualities which have made him one of the great Parliamentary figures of his day.

Earl Spencer has been regarded as the one Liberal statesman possessed of sufficient prestige and popularity to admit of the various dissentient leaders of the Liberal party serving under him as Premier. Lord Rosebery, who would have hesitated to work under Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, would have readily consented to accept the seal of Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in an administration formed by Lord Spencer. And it would not have been by any means the first instance of a former prime minister consenting to serve under a colleague who had previously been one of his own subordinates. Lord Spencer, moreover, since the death of the late Lord Kimberley has been the leader of the Liberals in the House of Lords, and possesses in a very marked degree the intimate friendship of the King. He may be said to have known the latter from boyhood, for he was chief of the household to the Prince Consort at the time of his death, and for more than a quarter of a century groom of the stole; that is to say, the principal dignitary of the court of the King prior to his accession.

Twice Lord-Lieutenant.

One is tempted to remark parenthetically that the confidence and friendship of King Edward are important assets to a British statesman, and that a premier could have no shrewder adviser than His Majesty; for while the King could not and would not take sides with one party against another, he is probably susceptible to the appeals of personal friendship. The title of the "Red Earl," by which Earl Spencer is commonly known, was bestowed not on account of a sanguinary disposition (although he has publicly championed the sport of cock-fighting), but was won by his long red beard, white these many years. Twice he has been Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, and the murder of Lord Frederick Cavendish was an event of one of his terms of office. Earl Spencer was not a home ruler at the time, although he subsequently supported Mr. Gladstone's unavailing efforts in this direction. He is famous as a sportsman, and for more than forty years was master of the Pytchley Hunt, perhaps the most renowned organization of the kind in the world.

No man can say who will be Earl Spencer's political heir, but his title and estates will descend in the course of time to his half-brother, the Right Hon. Robert Spencer, M.P., who married into the famous Baring family. The Right Hon. Robert was a forerunner of the Marquis of Anglesey in the matter of dress, although he never was such an exquisite as the marquis. Nevertheless, for years he held the record of being the best-dressed man in the House of Commons. One can therefore, understand the burst of laughter which greeted "Bobby" when he began a speech by announcing, "I am not an agricultural laborer." From their father both the Spencers have inherited a fine sense of personal honor, and financial circles in London well remember that when the Barings were in difficulties some fifteen years ago, Hon. Robert came to the rescue of his father-in-law by sacrificing his wife's dowry. It is true that since then the Barings have regained their position as one of the great money-houses of the world, but at the time of Spencer's heroic sacrifice it seemed unlikely that he would ever see a penny of it again.

The Spencers are descendants of the Duke of Marlborough. The duke died without leaving any sons, and the line was carried on through his eldest daughter, Henrietta, a duchess in her own right, the wife of the Earl of Godolphin. The duchess, who left no children, was succeeded by her nephew, Charles Spencer, eldest son of her youngest sister, Anne Spencer, Countess of Sutherland. A younger brother of Charles, known far and wide as Jack Spencer, was a great favorite of Sarah, the first duchess, whose influence it was secured for him the Earldom of Spencer, and who made him her principal heir. But on one occasion he nearly fatally offended his august grandmother, and had she not had such a strong affection for the young scapegrace, he would have lived to repent his wit. The occasion was a family reunion, at which the old duchess presided. She had compared the family to "a great tree, of which she was the root, with all her branches flourishing around her." To which her dutiful grandson replied audibly that "the branches would flourish a damned sight more if the root was under ground."

Spenser and Spencer.

Of course the Spencers can trace their ancestry a good deal further back than the first Duke of Marlborough. Indeed, Althorp, the country seat and ancestral home of the Earls of Spencer, was already in possession of the Spencer family prior to the reign of King Henry VIII., and among the members of this house was Edmund Spenser, the poet and author of "The Faerie Queene," who died from starvation on his return from Ireland, but who lies buried in Westminster Abbey. In fact, many of the poems of Edmund Spenser are dedicated to the daughter of Sir John Spencer, then master of Althorp, stress being laid in the verses upon the kinship which existed between the writer and the young girl. Many, indeed, are the historical links that connect the stricken earl with the splendid past. His own mark upon the story of his times will not be as distinct as his qualities make possible, but if he is not destined to go down to posterity as one of Britain's leading statesmen he may be remembered as one who filled an important position through a long lifetime in a great party. That there are still many years of rest before him is the wish of his strongest political opponents.

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OFFICERS EVADE SERVICE

Is the Experience of Commander of the U. S. Signal Corps.

Washington, Nov. 2. — Gen. A. W. Greeley, chief signal officer of the United States army, in his annual report, does not speak encouragingly of the detail system, which he has loyally endeavored to carry out for the past three years.

"As volunteers have failed, conscription was necessary in the case of the sixteen officers already detailed (in the signal corps), of whom fully one-fourth have endeavored to evade service through personal or political influence," says Gen. Greeley.

Gen. Greeley says that upon an hour's notice, the signal corps can furnish all equipment necessary for 1,000 miles of communication. Studies of war in South Africa and Manchuria have shown deficiencies in the American army, only in connection with the fire control of field artillery. Direct telegraphic communication is now established with five military posts in Alaska. The commercial business has netted $100,000 during the past year, and could be increased to $200,000 annually. The submarine cables of Southeastern Alaska are 2,360 miles long.

Gen. Greeley says the gradients of ocean depths were found most abrupt instead of gradual, as was indicated by existent soundings.

SPANISH MATADOR GORED

Well-Known Fighter Fatally Hurt in Mexico City.

Mexico City, Nov. 2.—Joaquin Hernandez was grievously gored by the third bull in yesterday's fight, the horn penetrating his body ten centimeters. After falling to the ground he was again gored on the right side. The physicians declare the wounds are fatal.

Hernandez, who fights under the name of Parmo, was badly gored in the same ring three years ago, on the occasion of his first appearance in Mexico. At that time the physicians also thought his wounds would prove fatal.

Yesterday Parmo received a cable from Sevilla, announcing the death of his father, and endeavored to secure a release from his contract to fight today, but the management, which had extensively advertised his appearance, refused to comply with the request.

The bull caught Parmo after the delivery of the death blow, and then fell dead before the wounded matador could be removed from the ring.

FEARED PHANTOM CARRIAGE

Strange Hallucinations Cause a Man to Take His Life.

Baltimore, Nov. 1.—Living in constant fear of being run down on the street by a phantom carriage, J. C. Schwerin, a traveling salesman for the Atlantic Cloak Company, engaged a room at the Academy Hotel and after securing all the windows and doors deliberately turned on the gas. He died a short time afterward, a victim of one of the strangest hallucinations possible.

Several months ago Schwerin while attempting to cross the street at the corner of Baltimore street and Fremont avenue, was run down by a horse and carriage, and besides sustaining severe injuries, suffered a nervous shock, from which he never fully recovered.

For weeks after the bruises and cuts received in the accident had been fully healed the victim would suffer from attacks of nervousness which always affected him the same way. Sometime, while walking along the streets of the city, which he happened to be in at the moment in his capacity as a traveler, he would, without the slightest warning, leap to one side in order to allow an imaginary vehicle to pass without running over him. At other times, while sitting quietly at home he would be seized with a nervous attack, which always left him exhausted, and for days afterwards he would be too nervous to work.

After having appealed to nerve specialists, only to find that his peculiar malady baffled even the most skilled, and that the only remaining hope was that the scene of the accident in which he was injured would gradually become dimmed by the passage of time, the salesman became very despondent, and for days at a time he would worry and fret over his condition, only to succumb the more easily to the next attack.

Records of Fairfax County, Virginia, show that George Washington owned at the age of twenty-seven 50,000 acres of land and in 1799 the Washington family had killed 150 hogs for their use.

SLEEP OF AGES IN CHINA ENDING

Great Empire of Fast Adopting Civilized Methods.

PROGRESS SEEN IN SCHOOLS

The Celestials Now Play Football and Baseball and Have a National Anthem.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 2.—The British Empire of China is awakening very rapidly and adopting modern ideas with remarkable facility. Private letters tell of recent events of the greatest significance, which illustrate how rapidly the people are throwing off their old ways and adopting the features of modern civilization. Each of the new universities and academies that have been established to educate candidates for once in modern sciences and foreign affairs has a physical culture department, a gymnasium and other facilities for outdoor exercise—under the direction of American or English teachers or natives who have studied at American or English schools. They have introduced football, baseball and other games, and track athletics, with great success. Not only the students, but their parents and friends and the public generally have become enthusiastic on the subject, and at the first track meet ever held in the Chinese Empire more than 7,000 students and pupils of the public schools were present, with several thousand other spectators.

The "meet" was held at Wu-Chang, in Hupeh Province, in the very center of China. Wu-Chang is a provincial capital and the residence of that great and good viceroy, Chang Chih-Tung —sometimes called "The Gladstone of China" and familiarly known as "The Grand Old Man." Chang Chih-Tung presided at the athletic exercises, which gave them additional importance and significance, and the old gentleman (for he is past 80 years of age), became as much excited over the contests as any youngster in the immense throng. He awarded the prizes to the winners with great ceremony, thus making the event an official function. It is understood that these tournaments will occur every year hereafter, and this will make athletic training a feature of the educational system of China.

Perhaps the most significant incident of the occasion, was the singing of a national hymn by the 7,000 children and students who had gathered for the tournament. My informant does not say who wrote either the words or the music, but as Chang Chih-Tung is a poet of wide reputation and has frequently written verses for ceremonial occasions, it is entirely probable that he was the author of the words, and they may have been arranged to some foreign air introduced by the missionaries. China has never had a national hymn. She is perhaps the only nation that has been without one. Hence this little episode also marks an epoch in Chinese history.

Athletic sports have been cultivated in all of the missionary schools and colleges and other institutions under foreign teachers. There are cricket clubs composed of natives, in Shanghai, Tientsin and other of the treaty ports, in imitation of the English residents, who carry their sports with them wherever they go. I have seen many tennis courts in China, and the Country Club of Shanghai, to which many of the wealthy Chinese belong, has very good golf links. At St. John's College, in the suburbs of Shanghai, the students have a football team, and they play baseball also. They have a glee club and a banjo club, and it is interesting to hear them singing the college songs that are so familiar to English ears.

The Chinese, however, have very few national sports and athletic exercises. Archery has been practiced for centuries, and has been considered an admirable sport, and even now, on the palace grounds at Peking, tournaments are often held in which famous bowmen from different parts of the empire contest for prizes. Battledore and shuttlecock, which is somewhat like tennis, and consists of batting to and fro a piece of cork filled with feathers, seems to be more common than any other game. You often see boys on the streets bouncing balls of yarn between the ground and their hands, and other simple amusements are common among children; but foot races, jumping, throwing weights, vaulting, football and other physical contests have been hitherto unknown. The public was never invited to witness such exhibitions, and they were never recognized by the officials until the meet at Wu-Chang last month.

There are many other evidences of progress in the empire. Last summer, for the first time in history, a matter of public policy was submitted to a popular vote. The business men and property-holders of Kwang-Tung, Hunan and Hupeh Provinces were invited to express their opinions by vote in public meetings, regarding the purchase of the Hankow-Canton Railroad concession from an American syndicate, represented by Pierpont Morgan. Hitherto viceroys and other authorities have acted upon their own judgment, without reference to public opinion or the interests of their constituents, and private citizens have seldom been brave enough to question the wisdom or honesty of a viceroy. In this case, however, local influence compelled the Government to cancel the concession and to purchase all the claims of the concessionaires. It is now proposed that each of the three provinces named, through which to railway is to pass, shall build its share of the line, and foreign engineers are to be employed as superintendents of construction and operation until natives can be educated to assume the responsibility.

This concession was the most liberal and advantageous ever granted by the Chinese Government and the conduct of the syndicate gave American enterprise and integrity a blow in China, from which it will be difficult to recover. The grant was originally made to the late Senator Calvin S. Brice and his associates, William Barclay Parsons, of New York, who built the subway, and is now a member of the Panama commission, was chief engineer. If Mr. Brice had lived the railroad might have been built, but Mr. Parsons and the other surviving owners of the concession abandoned it, and, ignoring the rights of China, sold their interests to King Leopold of Belgium and a syndicate of his subjects.

The charter granted permission to construct a trunk line about 750 miles in length from Hankow to Canton, with branches to reach several populous cities lying at various distances from the main line. It also carried the right to develop deposits of coal, iron and other minerals along the right of way, which are exceedingly valuable. For construction expenses the company was to receive $40,000 a mile, which is said to be more than the road would cost. This is the only cash subsidy the Chinese Government has ever offered, and it was given as an inducement to interest American capitalists in the development of China. German, French, Belgian, Russian, English and Japanese syndicate have been willing and anxious to operate concessions without a cash subsidy, but the Chinese are afraid of European occupation.

Mr. Parsons and his associates emphasized the American reputation for enterprise by building 28 miles of road and then falling down. They had neither the energy nor the perseverance to continue, and sold out to the Belgians, who are doing a great deal of railway construction in China. The concession, however, contained a clause providing that all rights and privileges it conveyed would be forfeited if it were sold by the original concessionalires; and the Government of China canceled it as soon as the transfer became known. King Leopold and his associates immediately appealed to Pierpont Morgan, who took the property off their hands and asked that the edict declaring the concession forfeit be revoked. The negotiations, which were conducted by Sir Cheng-Tung, the Chinese minister at Washington, and John W. Foster, his adviser, on the one side, and J. Pierpont Morgan and Elihu Root, his counsel, on the other side, resulted in the sale of the concession and all the property and rights attaching thereto to Chang Chih-Tung, viceroy of Hupeh Province, for $6,750,000, which is practically all clear profit for the concessionaires. They demonstrated that, although the Americans lacked the enterprise to build a railroad, they were able to secure a good price for a concession which had been given them as a compliment. It is altogether a most disgraceful transaction, and an unfortunate example of duplicity and avarice.

CRAZED BY LOVE BARON SUICIDES

Young German Nobleman Kills Himself in Boudoir of Gertie Millar.

London, Nov. 1. — By putting a bullet through his brain after having forced himself into the boudoir of an actress with whom he was infatuated, Baron Ranshalzhausen, of Germany, ended Monday afternoon the wild romance that has existed between himself and Gertie Millar that was at one time the talk of all London.

The actress, who has made many successes on the English stage, was married a short time ago to Lionel Monckton, and they had recently taken an apartment on Russell Square. It is said that Mrs. Monckton had often repulsed the attentions of her admirer, Ranshalzhausen, before and after her marriage, and that the young man had become so persistent that she had of late refused to see him.

The baron went to the actress' home, and, in spite of the protests of the maid, brushed her aside, and entered the boudoir of Mrs. Monckton. He had been there only a few minutes, when a shot was heard, followed by a wild scream from the young woman. The police found the baron dead on the floor. Mrs. Monckton had fainted, and has not yet been able to tell just what happened before Ranshalzhausen took his life.

The German nobleman's infatuation for the actress has caused no end of talk among their friends and in theatrical circles. It was said that the beautiful young woman, whose good looks have won for her a place in many big productions, had consistently discouraged his attentions, but he persisted in declaring his love for her, even after she became the wife of Monckton, who is a man of high social position.

Ranshalzhausen had often declared that his love for the actress would cause his death, a prophecy that he carried out Monday.

USE TORCH IN REVENGE

Fire Replaces Bullet in Kentucky's Political Feud.

Jackson, Ky., Nov. 1.—For the second time arson has been added to murder to appease vengeance in the Breathitt County assassination cases. The home of Henry B. Noble, a prominent witness for the state against the Hargis faction, was burned to the ground yesterday. The flames, when discovered, were burning on the side of the house, and there were no other indications that it was the work of an incendiary.

Noble was formerly school superintendent, and was supposed to be under obligations to the Hargises. He was a clerk in the Hargis store at the time James B. Marcum was assassinated. He left the state at the time to keep from testifying. In the cases, but later returned, and in the Marcum damage cases was an important witness against Sheriff Ed Callahan and the Hargis brothers. It was freely predicted in Winchester at the time he gave his testimony that he would be assassinted, and the burning of his house did not come as a surprise.

Arson seems to be almost as favorite a weapon in wreaking vengeance as assassination. Capt. B. J. Ewen shortly after Marcum was assassinated told what he knew of the murder, implicating Tom White and Curtis Jett. His testimony was followed by the burning of his house. Several other houses have been burned under suspicious circumstances all pointing to the same general source.

A special grand jury impaneled to investigate the Marcum murder case has just adjourned, after refusing to find any indictments against two of the principal witnesses that testified inthe Marcum case.

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JAPANESE TRAINING SHOWN

Foreign Observers, Lavishly Entertained by Viceroy, Witness the Novel Display.

Pekin, Nov. 1.—The army maneuvers which have just been completed greatly impressed foreigners, especially those acquainted with the condition of Chinese troops of five years ago. The opinion expressed on all sides is that China has accomplished an absolutely marvelous feat in raising an army of 40,000 men to its present efficiency.

Foreign military attaches criticised the generalship displayed—for instance, the absence of proper support for the artillery, which, they thought, was injudiciously placed, but they gave unstinted praise for the complete control of the troops and the steadiness of discipline exhibited, the latter bearing comparison with that of European troops. An observer while riding behind some of the troops lying in cover noticed that not a man turned his head from his attention to his work. Complete subordination prevailed everywhere.

Owing to a furious dust storm, the final march past the reviewing officers was abandoned. After waiting for three hours, the visitors left the ground, yet every regiment still remained, the ranks being in perfect order.

By the plan of the maneuvers an invasion of the province of Chi Li was assumed by a southern force from Shantung, whose advance was opposed by the northern army. Roughly estimated, 30,000 men were engaged. The final parade showed 20,000 infantry, 1,200 cavalry, 1,100 engineers, 1,300 artillery and 120 guns.

The infantry was armed with Mauser magazine rifles of the 1888 pattern, with a short dagger bayonet, many having been made at the Hanyang arsenal. The officers each carried a sword, a revolver, and a field glass. The men's kits weighed 54 pounds each, the knapsacks being of Japanese pattern. The pioneers carried picks, shovels and saws, everyone being in full marching order.

Cavalry were armed with Mauser carbines and swords, the officers carrying revolvers. They were mounted on Mongolian ponies, which, though small, were in good condition. The saddlery and accoutrements were bad, and the men had no spurs. This is regarded by military observers as the weakest branch of the army, being unsuitable for work as cavalry or mounted infantry.

The artillery consisted of field and mounted guns. The northern side had 24 Japanese 7.5 millimeter guns, 12 Krupp guns of the same caliber, 8 Krupp mountain guns, and 12 Japanese mountain guns. The ammunition was carried on mule back. The guns were served excellently, the ammunition being brought up quickly and with little confusion. The officers who sighted the guns and the artillerymen were armed with swords and revolvers.

No signaling apparatus with this corps was observed, and there were few ambulances. The commissariat of each regiment included 32 wagons, the harness being of German pattern and badly made.

The ration consisted of one pound and a half of rice, six ounces of cabbage, six ounces of salted vegetables, six ounces of meat. This kit was serviceable. The men's queues were tucked under their caps.

Foreigners who witnessed the maneuvers were the guests of the viceroy, Yuan Shi Kai, and were lavishly entertained. The troops gave many evidences of Japanese training, and one attache remarked that he had seen 20 Japanese in Chinese uniforms.

DOG AND CAT ADOPT A BABY

Tabby Kept Him Warm While Jack Barked for Help.

New York, Nov. 2.—It is not known how long "Jack" and "Tabby" kept watch over the baby. It is certain, however, that the vigil was not relaxed until more skillful hands took charge of a beautiful boy about 5 hours old, who was found early yesterday morning in the hallway of a house on East Sixteenth street.

Tenants heard Jack, the foxterrier mascot of the Ixion Club, the Tammany organization of the eighteenth assembly district, barking at intervals in the hallway. There was a businesslike note in the bark that finally led Mrs. Anna Ward, who was visiting friends on the second floor, to investigate. She whistled to Jack, but he replied as plainly as a dog can speak:

"Come!"

Mrs. Ward hastened downstairs and in the dark hallway dimly discerned Jack stationed at the foot of a baby carriage belonging to one of the tenants. That was all Mrs. Ward could see at first, but Jack, observing her about to depart, barked insistently. Mrs. Ward retraced her steps and peered into the carriage. Nestling on the pillow was a new-born baby boy. Snuggling so closely as to furnish ample warmth was a big white cat, Tabby was purring soothingly, and as if lulled by this strange song the baby slept.

Mrs. Ward drew off her shawl and wrapped the infant in its folds. Jack ceased barking and trotted out of the door, Tabby followed with matronly dignity.

News of the discovery of the foundling spread through the tenement. A dozen foster-mother vied with one another in preparing warm clothing. Word was sent to Bellevue Hospital. The ambulance surgeon said Tabby had attended to her duties so well, and Jack's summons had been so prompt that the baby had not suffered in the slightest from exposure in the cold hallway. The child was taken to Bellevue.

DROPPED ON HUNTER'S BACK

Bruin Fell From a Tree and Made Things Lively With Nimrods.

Port Jervis, N.Y., Nov. 2.—George Nearing and Samuel Degraw, Sullivan County hunters, conceived the idea that trapping bears was better than tramping over the country after them, and built a bearpen in a favorite haunt of Bruin. The pen was completed on Friday, and the hunters were wending their leisurely way home when they heard a racket in a tree.

In the top of a large beech were an old bear and two cubs. The surprised hunters were somewhat "rattled" at first, but, recovering their wits, proceeded to fell the tree, being armed only with axes. The work of chopping had not progressed far before the old bear, becoming nervous, decided to reach the ground. In doing this she fell, striking Degraw on the back.

The cubs followed the parent bear, and there was a mix-up of bears and men. Nearing buried the blade of his axe in the head of one of the cubs. Degraw regained his feet, and as the old bear put up a good fight the two men retreated. They made a record flight through the woods, and later returned with lanterns and found one of the cubs dead. The other two bears had disappeared.

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That Is the Valuation Placed on the Tresses by Kansas Man.

Iola, Kan., Nov. 2. — Two dollars a hair is the value placed upon a lock of his wife's tresses by the husband of Mary Goddard. A suit for the replevin of the little keepsake, as well as reimbursement at the above-named figure, has been brought in a justice's court, and the case will be called for trial tomorrow.

Mrs. Goddard avers that Levi Harrington secured the lock of hair by stealth, and for weeks made life a burden to her by threatening to tell Mr. Goddard that she gave the lock of hair as a token of affection. Mrs. Goddard recently took matters into her own hands by attempting to forcibly regain possession of her property, for which she was arrested and fined in police court.

The story of the alleged stolen tresses came out at Mrs. Goddard's trial, and resulted in the replevin suit and plea for damages.

ELOPERS BOUND PA

Farmer Lies Helpless Until Released by the Faithful Carlo.

Racine, Wis., Nov. 1.—Bound and gagged by his two stepdaughters and their sweethearts and left lying helpless for seven hours until released by a dog while the young people were eloping, Gustave Kabedger, a farmer living four miles northwest of town, has sworn out warrants for the arrest of his persecutors.

Kabeder says the men had been living at his home for two weeks. Yesterday, he alleges, they seized him, bound him with ropes, and gagged him with a handkerchief, being assisted by his stepdaughters, 16 and 18 years old, who accompanied them.

Kabedger declares his dog entered the room seven hours after he had been made prisoner and bit through the cords that bound his wrists. He released himself and drove to town to see the authorities.

HAROLD NO LONGER HAPPY

Was Adjudged the Handsomest Man and His Troubles Began.

Seattle, Nov. 1. — Last week Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin was a happy man, but now Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin is seriously contemplating the other world in order to escape his many troubles. The cause of Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin's depressed state of mind is the inevitable woman, only in this case her name is legion. It is the same old story of the happy Eden in which Eve brings in the seed of trouble, and now Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin bewails the loss of his peace of mind and incidentally many happy hours.

Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin's troubles came about in the following manner:

When the steamer Princess Victoria sailed last night she carried a bevy of the fair sex that jarred the tender heart of Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin. As he walked round the gilded salon, ablaze with its thousand lights and sparkling mirrors, an inspiration came to his fertile brain.

"To think," thought he, "that all these angelic creatures are sitting around in prosaic attitudes when they might be displaying their charms for the uplifting of the male population on board the steamer. We will hold a beauty contest," thought he, "and the handsomest woman on board will be decided by vote and given a prize." To think was to act with Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin, and he quickly had the fair sex agog with the idea. But Eve admires Adam more than another Eve, so the fair ladies determined to hold a beauty contest to determine which was the handsomest man!

The ballots were secretly arranged, and as secretly placed in the hat, and when the teller slowly and solemnly drew the ballots from the hat everyone was breathless with excitement. Who would be the fortunate man? The first name read was Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin, the next ditto, the next the same, and so on, for about 100, when the teller threw up the sponge and announced that the popular Seattleite, Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin, had been unanimously elected and was adjudged to be the handsomest man on board. A wild cheer from the fair ladies and a rush to congratulate the handsome gentleman followed. He was pulled, he was mauled, and pieces of his coat, hat, shirt, hair and other portions of his clothing were taken as souvenirs of the occasion, and when Mr. Harold Joseph Curtin was finally extricated from the heap with a crowbar and a towing cable, he was far from being the handsomest man on board.

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"Are you a perfectly happy man?" demanded the courtier, reining in his horse.

"You bet," said the beggar.

"A thousand crowns for the loan of your shirt."

"But I ain't got none," replied the beggar.—Mobile Register.

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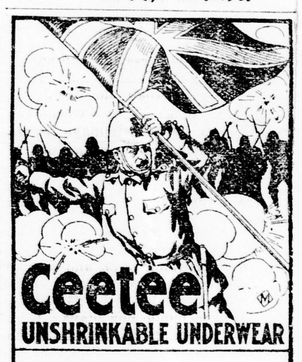
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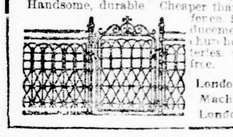
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SNAP-SHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS.

The Eastern trouble has been amicably settled if this dispatch is correct: Levine, one of the University of Pennsylvania's football subs, is a Russian. Recently when he made a run for the scrub team, another candidate, a Japanese, Takaki, interfered for him to the delight of the crowd.

The death of Policeman Desmarteau, of Montreal, is sincerely regretted by followers of athletics. He was a prominent athlete, and won honors at the Olympian championship games.

This much can be safely said touching the controversy: The men who stole Dan Patch—if he was stolen—showed rare judgment.

The jockeys at the Jamaica track are getting into a lot of trouble this fall. The latest to get his medicine is "Puddin'" McDaniel, who was suspended by Mars Cassidy for the remainder of the meeting because of misbehavior at the starting post.

Young Corbett is having a hard time getting back his lost laurels. His bout with Goodman last week does not lead us to believe much in his rejuvenation. They do not come back very often after a beating such as Nelson gave Corbett.

Battling Nelson is not only a fighter but a human being. He has struck a place where money is soft and he doesn't propose to be diverted.

This seems to be a tough sort of year for sports. With the boxing game knocked and President Roosevelt after the footballists, it was bad enough. Now, however, there is promised a general shake-up, the Arthur Duffey articles, with the resultant action, being the prospective cause. The college presidents are getting busy, and as the colleges are at present the head and front of amateur athletics, this augurs badly. President Eliot's hostile attitude towards football admittedly resulted from the Roosevelt position. Whether or not action that has been taken by President Hadley, of Yale, follows the publication of the Duffey letter has not been determined. President Hadley has decided to go further than his Harvard confrere, and has ordered an inquiry into the predominance of athletics in Yale undergraduate life. If these things continue, it will not be surprising to find, in the near future, athletic excellence being made subordinate to scholarship. —Detroit Free Press.

No matter how the game is going you cannot beat the college rooter out of his yell. It may be 22 to 0 against the side with whose colors he is bedizened, but he is there with the voice just the same. The rooting department of football is entirely independent of the game itself. The good, game loser who does the heavy looking on has the same privilege as his brother on the opposite side.—Chicago Tribune.

Perhaps there is no young pacer in the country who is as much talked of today as Princess Manlove, owned by John T. Manlove, of Wayne, Ind. The filly was 2 years old last June and has an unofficial record of a mile in 2:10¾, half mile in 1:00 and a quarter in :27½.

She is sired by Hal Dillard, 2:04¾, and her dam is Gussie B., with no record, because one of her legs was broken when quite young. Gussie B. was sired by Gusto, by Gambetta Wilkes. Princess Manlove's second dam is by Harry B., and he by Blue Bull 75. Consequently the filly is a Hal and Wilkes filly, with Blue Bull for an out-cross.

Princess Manlove is a solid chestnut. She is now 15 hands 1½ inches, and will be 15 hands 3 inches when mature. She weighed on the morning of Oct 15, 1905, just 880 pounds. In action her work is pronounced perfect by competent horsemen. She never makes a break nor a misstep. Her dark chestnut color, her wonderful tail of gold, her clean-cut head, beautiful eyes, animated appearance, and sureness with which she moves, go to make up an ideal harness horse. That the filly has a great future is conceded by all who have seen her work.

Eckersall, the wonderful quarter-back of Chicago University, never wears protection of any sort, appearing in every game without nose guard or headgear. His jersey is not even padded, and the pads in his trousers are as light as they can be made and give any protection at all. He wears the lightest football shoe that can be secured, and thus he is ready at all times to give the Maroons the benefit of his great speed. He seldom gets into a hard scrimmage, never being asked to carry the ball except in a trick play, in returning punts, and in carrying the ball back after the kickoff. Coach Stagg has built his team up around this one player, and a Maroon defense is always ready to save Eckersall from injury when he is tackled and thrown.

Nature is inexorable; her debtors must, willy-nilly, pay. When a yearling's unformed, untempered anatomy and courage are screwed up to a record-breaking pitch and measured against the hands on the chronograph's dial—which never break, train off or care for track or weather—there is always the price to be paid. It is because of that that so few yearlings are seen in public nowadays. Breeders have counted the cost and demurred at the slaughter of their innocents. Two-year-old races are, indeed, become few and far between. And that this is not as it should be few horsemen will deny. They describe Manager H. as a well-made, easy-going colt, heeding no hobbies or fancy paraphernalia, and it is said that he possesses such wonderful speed that it was really not necessary to train him severely to get him to his marvelous 2:20 mile. Possibly, then he may develop into a great mature performer. But the chances are all against it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Sir Chawles Kirkpatrick and 'is 'appy band h'of Pilgrims 'ave sailed for 'ome. They 'ad h'a bloomin' good tiyme, smite me, h'and they thinks h'as their h'efforts will maike the socker gaime very popular h'on this side h'of the pond. 'Er Ladyship—bless 'er' eart—'ad h'a much more h'agreeable tiyme than 'er h'anticipated, believe me. 'Er found New York h'and Toronto not 'arf bad. They h'intends coming h'again next yeah. This trip only cost them about $6,000 more than expenses, a mere bagatelle considering the time they had. It will take about two weeks in the natural course of events to learn what they really think of us.

COVERPOINT.

GANS BREAKS AWAY FROM OLD MANAGER

Colored Pug Leaves Herford for the Second Time—He Is Now "Dead Broke."

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 1.—Joe Gans, no longer is under the management of Al Herford. Gans broke with Herford several years ago only to go back under his managerial wing and remain until now. Gans said today: "Herford had too many business interests at home to give me much of his time, and we agreed to split. We parted good friends, but Al has nothing more to do with me. As I am without funds I came out here to fight, and I don't care whom I fight. I have spent the money I earned freely, and therefore have not as much as some other fighters who have been more saving. But, to begin with, I haven't made the money white fighters have. In this business colored men don't have much of a show. They have to give up heavily and be other people's tools. I would like to get with some good man who could get me a square deal. No one wants to do wrong if he can make as much money by doing right."

The real facts are that Gans has been hurt by Herford's unscrupulous management, yet he never has protested by it.

FOOTBALL.

TIGERS ISOLATED.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 1.—Separated from their classmates and attending none of the regular practices, the Princeton eleven is on a little vacation at the Princeton Inn here. They are enjoying the novelty of their new quarters, and under no conditions are they allowed to discuss football. Trainer "Jim" Robinson heard of the poor condition of the squad and returned to Princeton unexpectedly tonight. He says he will take charge of his boys tomorrow, and hopes to get them in condition for the Cornell game on Nov. 11.

TIGERS ARE HEAVIER THAN ROUGH RIDERS

Hamilton Team Has One Advantage Over the Fast Ottawa Aggregation.

Hamilton Herald: It appears to be the general opinion here in the west that the Ottawa Rough Riders are much heavier than the Tigers. Such is not the case, as the average weights show the Tigers to have the heavier team. The Tigers average 169 2-3 pounds per man, while the Rough Riders average 168¼ pounds. Not a man on the Rough Rider team scales over 200-pound mark, while there are no less than four on the Tigers team that reach that weight. Following is the weight of each man on the two teams:

Ottawa.		Tigers.	
Shillington	180	Moore	156
Moore	179	Marriott	175
Pulford	180	Craig	190
Smith	145	Bickford	210
Kenedy	195	Barron	200
Sheriff	160	Murray	170
Buckham	198	Lyon	168
Ferguson	198	Ballard	145
Walters	179	Isbister	180
Lafleur	167	DuMoulin	175
McGee	170	Kirkpatrick	168
Roberts	145	Simpson	155
Dunning	135	Stinson	148
Rankin	130	Tope	158
Phillips	162	Mullen	175
Paupst	162	McCarthy	202
		Burkholder	202

BASEBALL.

$7,000 PAID FOR PITCHER.

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—Henry Harris, manager of the San Francisco baseball team, yesterday sold Pitcher Roy Hitt to the New York American League Club for $7,000.

THE AUTO.

BUFFALO MAN'S LONG TRIP.

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—W. C. Chadsayne, of Buffalo, N. Y., has completed a motor cycle run from New York City to San Francisco in 47 days, 23 hours and 50 minutes.

FOOTBALL NOT A NEW GAME; WAS PLAYED CENTURIES AGO

Was the Sport of the Greeks and the Romans in Early Days—Its Spread.

Football is a much older game than the rule books would lead one to suppose, says the Washington Star. Though generally called an English game, it did not have its origin in England any more than the famous match between Harvard and Yale in 1876 assigns it to this country. A contest similar to football, as it was before the English associations were formed and the game started on its course of new development, was one of the national sports of Rome and a frequent pastime of the athletes of Greece.

There can be no doubt that the young men who followed the army to Britain from Rome taught the game to the young natives of England, by whom it was transmitted to later times. It is doubtful even whether the ancient game had its beginning in Greece or Rome, for the inflated skin or bladder kicked on a level field to opposite goals seems to suggest the pastoral sport that might have developed among the sons of shepherds on the plains of Mesopotamia.

GREEKS PLAYED ASSOCIATION GAME.

In Greece the game was called hepiskuros and was played by a great number of persons divided into two companies opposed to one another. There were few rules, except that the ball, or follis, must not be seized or thrown, but kicked. Among the Romans the game was called harpastum, the name signifying to seize, and in the Roman game it was allowed the players to grab the ball and run with it precisely as in the modern Rugby play. The harpastum is described by Roman writers as being played by dividing into two companies and striving to throw the ball into one another's goal, which was the conquering cast. The scrimmages which attended both the Grecian and Roman forms of the game were quite as boisterous and sometimes as disastrous as in these modern days.

The antiquity of football in Great Britain is well attested. In 1100 so rough did the play become that James I. forbade the heir to the throne from engaging in it. Both sexes and all ages appear to have participated in the games, shutters had to be put up on houses to ward against damages, and collisions, sometimes fatal, occurred between the players. The game independent of the great English schools died out early in the nineteenth century, but in the educational centers among the boys it was kept alive, and the forms of play at Eton and Rugby followed the Grecian and Roman types respectively, down to the formation of the British Football Association in 1863 and the Rugby Association in 1871. From these two bodies have grown the modern rules, organization of teams, and all the scientific features of the sport.

STATES GOT GAME FROM ENGLAND.

Football in the United States was transplanted from England. It first grew up in the colleges and passed from them to the amateur field of sport. The game in American colleges was undoubtedly made popular, if it was not wholly inspired, by the graphic descriptions of the English game contained in "Tom Brown's School Days." But it was not until 1876 that the game began to command serious attention and started upon a metamorphosis which practically changed it to an American pastime. The National League of Baseball Clubs was formed that year, upon what seemed a promising outlook for professional sport. There had been several decades of baseball before that time, but in that year the occasion seemed to call for organization to put the game on a substantial footing. The impetus given to baseball that year set the players of football thinking, and resulted in an agreement between the teams at Harvard, and Yale universities to adopt the English Rugby rules and to play a series of games that autumn. Up to that time football had been a conglomerate perversion of the English Association game, in which the rules differed in the several colleges all the way from no handling of the ball to seizing and throwing it as in the Roman harpastum. The Harvard-Yale league and the selection of the Rugby rules started the game in a new direction, and one after another the American colleges accepted the same rules, and in course of time there were many leagues, many modifications of the rules of play, and about ten years of trial of various forms of play before the essential principles of the game were worked out.

OF COURSE, IT'S AMERICAN NOW.

Football, as it is now seen each autumn at the great seats of learning in this country, with its scientific rules and spectacular features, is essentially an American product. It is a part of the great movement toward the athletic development of the young American which has placed the United States in the forefront of physical culture. The game has been lifted out of British conservatism, so to speak, and given dash and excitement which appeals especially to sport lovers of this country. It may have some brutal features, and it certainly is true that injuries do result from the wild scrimmages on the gridiron, but all in all it is one of the most exciting, exhilarating, healthful games in the category of American sports.

GAME SPREAD RAPIDLY.

While football had its inception at Yale and Harvard, it was only a short time until it had been taken up in all the colleges and even the smaller schools of learning. Students of the west and the south who went east to study, straightway became football missionaries. As early as 1890 some of the eastern teams traveled westward to give exhibitions, and by degrees the game was introduced, and everywhere awakened the highest enthusiasm. Michigan University was one of the first to take up the game in the west, and the University of Virginia was the pioneer of the south, with Georgetown and Pennsylvania for the middle section. The army and navy schools were also early in the field with strong elevens, and the annual tussle between them quickly became an occasion for the assembling of more government officials than the inaugural of a president.

The modern game retained all that was useful in the original Rugby rules. The form of the ball, the rectilinear field and goals, and the principle of seizing the ball and running with it are still the foundation rules of the game. The laying out of the field, however, into five yard lines, the rules which pertain thereto, the new touchdown rules, and many other features of play, including the coaching of the teams and the development of highly specialized movements on the field, are America's contribution to the modern game.

TENTH OF SENSATIONAL TALK ABOUT DIRTY FOOTBALL IS WELL FOUNDED

George Brooke, a football player and the best full back of the University of Pennsylvania ever had, makes the following timely remarks about dirty football:

"The sensational talk about dirty play in football is about one-tenth true. But whatever dirty play there is should be stamped out at once.

"In several years' experience in coaching I have never yet heard, or directly heard of, any coach instructing his men to play dirty football.

"When some cause or other starts dirty play on the football field the officials should immediately stamp it out or the tempers of the players will be aroused and the dirty play will increase instead of decrease.

"A new rule should be passed which should provide that the punishment meted to an offender should be more than disqualification for one game.

"It is up to the presidents of the leading colleges to put in force such a rule, for no rules committee would ever do it.

"Ninety spectators out of every hundred at our football games are strong partisans. Unless you are a partisan you do not get much pleasure out of our football, but if you are a partisan you can get more excitement and pleasure than in any other game that exists.

"The other tenth of the spectators come because it's the fashion.

"The partisan spectators are generally such real belligerant partisans that they can only see one side and will nearly always cheer sympathetically for any one of their players put off for dirty work.

"It is a tribute to our great battle game that it arouses partisanship, but the partisanship that sympathetically cheers a dirty play is founded on a false understanding.

"Dirty play includes slugging and jumping on a man that's down. Also it includes dirty language.

"If the public understood that all dirty play is more or less cowardly probably the strongest partisanship would be shaken.

"When you slug a man in football you are hitting a man whose hands are practically tied.

"They are tied by the fear of the officials.

"When you jump on a man that is down you are a coward.

"If the public could learn to see football in this light it would never cheer any dirty play, but would hiss. And a few hisses from one's own rooters would soon kill dirty play.

"No coach with good sound, common sense ever instructs his men to do dirty work. In the first place, dirty work interferes with good work in many ways.

"In the second place, even if it was a coach's idea to put an opponent out he would hardly resort to dirty tactics, because they never work."

SIR CHAWLES IS HOFF FOR 'OME

The Socker Football Team $6,000 Behind, But Nevertheless Pleased With Their Tour.

New York, Nov. 1.—England socker football players have started for their home country well pleased with their trip over America in their attempt to popularize the great English game in this country. In spite of the fact that the team is more than $6,000 behind financially the men on the Pilgrims' organization are satisfied with the trip and many are already talking of another visit next season.

Before sailing Sir Charles Kirkpatrick said that he was surprised to find so much interest in this country, as he had been told before coming that the team would probably be given a frost.

"We also met with some fine playing," he continued. "This was especially true in the cities of Chicago, St. Louis and Philadelphia. The forwards on the American teams play almost as well as they do in the old country, but it is the halfback positions that need strengthening."

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Jamaica—Inadrille, 7 to 10; The Huguenot, 5 to 1; Grenale, 7 to 10; Jacobite, 4 to 5; Shenandoah, 8 to 1; Tambeau, 8 to 5.

At Cincinnati—Jack Ratlin, 6 to 1; St. Tammany, 2 to 1; Lieber, 7 to 5; Lord Radnor, 3 to 1; Santos, 2 to 1; Harry Stephens, 10 to 1; Elisha, 10 to 5.

CENTURIES ON CANADIAN CREASES THIS YEAR

Fifteen Were Made, H. Ackland, of Ottawa, Having the Highest Score of 161.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—The following centuries were made in Canadian cricket during the season of 1905:

June 1—H. Ackland, Ottawa, at Montreal, 161, not out.

F. Perira, Ottawa, at Montreal 106, not out.

June 3—F. C. Evans, Mimico, at Trinity, 137 runs.

June 10—Q. H. D. Warden, Victoria vs. Seattle, 105 runs.

June 24—W. H. Whitaker, Mimico vs. R. M. C., 141.

June 27—F. C. Evans, Rosedale vs. R. M. C., 149, not out.

June 28—S. W. Mossman, Toronto vs. R. M. C., 112 runs.

June 28—J. F. King, Garrison vs. Wanderers, Halifax, 137, not out.

July 1—L. Gurney, Winnipeg, at Brandon, 121, not out.

July 5—F. C. Evans, Rosedale vs. McCallum's eleven, 152.

July 11—F. W. Terry, Mimico vs. St. Albans, 108, not out.

July 15—H. C. Hill, McGill vs. Montreal, 106.

July 22—J. Willett, Halifax vs. Garrison, 101.

July 28—Dr. J. J. Cameron, Rosedale vs. Lindsay district, 105.

August 22—F. W. Terry, Rosedale vs. Brooklyn, 138.

BIG BUSINESS FOR THE O. H. A.

Many Amendments for Annual Meeting—Nominations for Offices.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—The batch of amendments to be discussed at the O. H. A. meeting this year will be the largest in the history of the association.

The following nominations for O. H. A. offices were received today:

For secretary—W. A. Hewitt.

For executive—R. J. Burns, Toronto; H. E. Wettlaufer, Berlin.

JOB IS OFFERED WAGHORNE.

Fred Waghorne has been formally offered a position as referee for the International Hockey League this season. The salary attached to this position is $125 a month, with traveling expenses. Mr. Wawhorne has not yet decided whether or not he will accept the position. Waghorne is one of the strictest men refeering in the O. H. A., and just the man to fill the bill across the line.

THE TURF.

JAMAICA MEETING CLOSED.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 1.—The Jamaica meeting came to a close today with a good crowd in attendance, and four favorites were successful. The Remsen handicap went to Jacobite, who beat Hermitage a head in a drive.

The case of the ringer Freckman has been referred to the ockey Club. Jockey Willie Knapp leaves for California tomorrow.

NEW YORK'S BIG SHOW.

New York, Nov. 1.—There is an entry list of about 1,700 for the annual horse show at the Madison Square Garden for the week beginning Nov. 13. The entries already number 250, more than last year's show. J. H. Moore, of Chicago, has entered 100 horses, headed by his hackney, Forest King. Among the other entries are T. D. Jordan's mare Hildred and A. G. Vanderbilt's mare Rustling Silk.

BASEBALL.

GRABBED BRANTFORD PLAYERS.

Brantford, Nov. 1.—It is stated on pretty good authority that Syracuse, of the New York State League, have already nabbed three of the best baseball men that did duty here last year—Cobean, Hickey and Chaucer Elliott. Dinny Burke may travel with Oswego and may take Lepper with him.

HART STEPS OUT.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—By the formal transfer today of the ownership of the Chicago National League baseball club, Col. James A. Hart, after a quarter of a century as one of the most prominent characters of the national games retires from active participation in professional baseball, and is succeeded by Chas. W. Murphy. It was announced that Frank L. Chance will be the manager of the team next year.

ATHLETICS.

DUFFY'S ACT PUNISHABLE BY LAW.

New York, Nov. 1.—Letters were sent yesterday by Secretary James E. Sullivan, of the Amateur Athletic Union, to the three organizations under whose auspices Arthur F. Duffy competed in this country and abroad, detailing at length his confession of professionalism and requesting their cooperation in actions looking toward his suitable punishment.

One letter was sent to Secretary Herbert, of the Amateur Athletic Union of England; one to President Coombs, of the Australasian Association; and one to James Stillman, president of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletics of America.

The communication to the English association is particularly interesting, as in England there is a statute making such acts as Duffy's punishable at law.

FOOTBALL.

"BUMPING" RACES FOR HARVARD.

"Bumping" races will be the word at Harvard from now until Nov. 13, when the races of the dormitory crews begin. Capt. Filley has decided to introduce the English university method at Harvard, in the hope of stimulating interest in rowing among men who do not try for the 'varsity crew, and the different captains of the dormitory crews have agreed to have the races by the new system. Fifteen crews will be started, and the different boats will be started at intervals of 90 feet, and when one crew overlaps the one in front of it the leading crew withdraws from the race. The crew that laps may drop out or try and lap the boat ahead. The crews that lap the others will row the next day, and the finals will be held on the third day.

Y. M. C. A. DEFAULTS.

The game scheduled between the Meds and the Y. M. C. A. in the City Football League did not materialize last night, the Y. M. C. A. defaulting because it could not get a team together. This counts as a win for the Meds.

POLO.

LEAGUE ORGANIZED.

The City Roller Polo League was finally organized last night at the Jubilee Rink. Over 100 enthusiasts were present, and judging from the interest shown, the game will catch on here this winter. Four teams comprise the league, and are the Hortons, Ramblers, Jubilees and Victorias. The teams have been practicing hard lately, and are in fair shape for a game.

The first game will be played tomorrow night, and will be between the Hortons and Jubilees.

The teams will line up as follows:

Hortons—Carrothers, goal; Reynolds, center; Evans (captain), half back; Brooks, rusher; Smith, Rusher; Arthurs, sub; Mitchell, sub.

Jubilees—Charlton, goal; McLeod, center; Scott, half back; McDonald (captain), rusher; Crispman, rusher; Egg, sub; Lewis, sub; Stokes, sub.

Referee, John S. Brown.

One of the best features of a sea bath, says the family doctor, is the salt water inadvertently swallowed by the bathers, which is a wonderful tonic for the liver, stomach and kidneys.

WANTS TO PLAY FOR CHAMP TITLE

Challenge Is Sent on Behalf of Intercollegiate Rugby Union Winners.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—On behalf of the Intercollegiate Rugby Union, senior champions, whoever they may be, Secretary Alex. Davidson last night forwarded a challenge for the Canadian championship to Secretary R. T. Shillington at Ottawa. The college championship looks sure for 'Varsity, but one never can tell. McGill has a chance, and Saturday's game here will decided how much it's worth. The college season does not end until the 18th, but after that date their champion team will be ready to meet all-comers.

BOTH SATISFIED.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—Dundas and Peterboro have both written to the O. R. F. U., stating that they were satisfied with the schedule as arranged by the subcommittee.

BROCKVILLE BACKS OUT.

Toronto, Nov. 1. — Brockville notified Secretary Woodworth, of the O. R. F. U., today that they would not likely be able to go any farther in the intermediate series owing to lack of funds.

HOME-AND-HOME GAMES.

Toronto, Nov. 1. — Galt and Stratford have agreed to play home-and-home games in the second round of the junior series, as follows:

Nov. 4—Stratford at Galt.

Nov. 11—Galt at Stratford.

BOWLING.

A PERFECT SCORE.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 1.—Percy Hill, of this city, made a perfect score of 300 in a bowling match game here yesterday.

THE RING.

BIG FELLOWS MAY MEET.

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—Jimmy Coffroth is negotiating with Bob Fitzsimmons and Jack O'Brien to box for the middleweight championship in November. Coffroth expects to secure the November permit from the supervisors, and perhaps he may capture the December one as well. It is said he has made peace with the political powers. A challenge came over the wire Saturday night from Bob to Jack, so Coffroth can easily make the match.

McGOVERN ACCEPTS OFFER.

New York, Nov. 1.—That every effort is being made by the fight promoters of Philadelphia to bring about a match between Battling Nelson and Terry McGovern was shown today by Jack McGuigan, matchmaker of the National A. C. of that city, who recently offered a purse of $8,000 for the men to fight in a six-round bout, made a further inducement to the fighters by offering them 80 per cent of the gross receipts in case they amounted to more than the $8,000. As soon as McGovern's manager received this new offer he accepted it.

TURNED DOWN BIG OFFER.

Louisville, Nov. 1.—Battling Nelson tonight received an offer from Jack McGuigan of the National Athletic Club of Philadelphia, for a fight with Terry McGovern in December. McGuigan said he would give a purse of $18,000 for this fight, but Nelson does not like the offer. He says the club must offer a bigger purse for the bout. He and his manager are expecting to go to Europe in eight or ten weeks, and it is not probable that he will fight in this country before he leaves.

ATTELL BESTED TUCKER.

New York, Nov. 1.—Abe Attell fought and bested "Chick" Tucker in three rounds last night before a lower east side athletic club, in which 600 sportsmen looked on and cheered every time a damaging blow was landed, says the World.

Tucker was first to appear in the ring, and it was apparent that his nose which was operated upon recently bothered him considerably. Attell began by reaching Tucker's nose, bringing blood. Throughout the fight Attell kept hammering Tucker's nose. "Chick" fought back fiercely but vainly.

Throughout three rounds Attell stopped only twelve punches, while he gave his opponent ten times as many.

In the preliminaries Charley Steger, had "Whitey" Lewis so nearly out that the crowd cried to he referee to stop the fight and he did so.

BASEBALL.

EASY CHAIR FOR PHILLIPS.

The McClary baseball team, City League champions for 1905, completed the business of the year at their annual post-season meeting held at the residence of their manager, Mr. J. W. Smith, last night. After the business was finished a social evening was spent by the members of the team, and all enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. Smith, their host. The most pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of a handsome easy chair to Pitcher Phillips, of the team. Manager Smith made the presentation on behalf of the club, and Secretary-Treasurer J. E. McConnell read the address.

Phillips made a most eloquent reply. The club had a very successful season in every respect.

"Thou Shalt Not Steal'."

The problem arising from the aggrandizement of wealth may be briefly stated thus: To find and mark the place in the accumulation of wealth where a man ceases to collect money fairly earned by service to society, and keeps on collecting morally unearned money to use in giving him improper power over society. But to find and to mark that place requires a moral and spiritual growth among the people. Perhaps a thousand or ten thousand men in America might find and mark the deadline now; but until the great mass of the population learn "Thou shalt not steal" in some other manner than by rote, until they make the commandment as much a part of their lives as they make the commandment against murder, they will not have the moral sense to find the place where a man's accumulation of wealth must stop, nor the moral fervor to stop it. The pyramid of government may not stand upon its apex now any better than it could ten thousand years ago. Until men cease to wrong one another in small private transactions, they cannot in justice demand as rights the suppression of similar large public transactions by their government. The public rights of the masses are circumscribed by the private wrong upheld by the masses.—Atlantic Monthly.

The Australian jungle fowl, instead of a nest, builds a huge earth mound, often fifteen feet in height, with a circumference of 150 feet. These mounds are under cover and are so enveloped in foliage, that, in spite of their size, they can scarcely be discovered.

There are only three national holidays in Japan. Jan. 1 is one of them, and the birthday of the reigning Emperor, Nov. 3, is another. But Feb. 11 is the greatest of the three dates, for it is the anniversary of the first emperor Jimmu.

SINKING SUBMARINE; A THRILLING STORY

RESCUE OF FOUR SURVIVORS DESCRIBED.

The Plymouth trawler Chanticleer, the crew of which rescued the four survivors of the recent submarine disaster, has returned from her fishing cruise, having been absent since the work of rescue was so admirably carried out. The crew consists of the master, Richard Johns, and the two deck hands, Edward Knox and James Phillips.

"When I first saw the submarines," said Mr. Johns, "the two of them were following the torpedo boat in a line on end, the three vessels being about 100 fathoms apart. How fast they were going I shouldn't like to say, but it was certainly at a high rate of speed. The torpedo boat was kicking up a white smother under her counter and the submarines were tearing through it in a perfect sluice of foam.

"When I first took notice of these craft they were heading away from us, but very soon after this they took a long, sweeping curve and came bearing down directly towards us. The torpedo boat went across our bows and so did the first submarine, which had the figures 'A 7' painted on her top side. But we were going through the water all the time ourselves, and I reckoned that if the second submarine tried to cross us in this fashion she would be cutting it rather too fine. I was following the rule of the road by merely holding steadily to my own course. There were people on top of the cone or tower of each submarine, and I allowed they had their eyes open and knew what they were about.

HEARS LIEUTENANT'S ORDER.

"There was a lieutenant on the cone of this sternmost submarine, No. A 8. I could spot him by the two gold rings around his cuff. I take it that he saw he could not cross our bows and decided to change direction so as to pass under our stern. Anyhow he called something down below. These boats you know are steered by a wheel placed down under the conning tower. The helmsman cannot see where he is going, but can only obey instructions. The craft was so close to us at this moment that we could hear plainly the quick clamping of her motor and the noise of the water parted by the thrust of her hidden bow.

"We three men, who saw the accident happen under our very noses, are all agreed as to how it came about. The submarine was going very fast, as I have told you. She looked well trimmed and was going along on a level keel, though perhaps just a little deep, which, I am told, was due to her carrying a double crew. When the lieutenant shouted below to change course—so as to clear our vessel, as I allow—the man at the wheel must have spun his helm hard over.

"The boat came curving round in a hiss of white froth and began instantly to heel over. You must have noticed that if the helm of a steam launch or any high-speed small craft is suddenly jammed over it will throw her broad on her side. I have several times seen royal naval picket boats almost capsized in Plymouth Sound by this same cause.

SEES HIS AWFUL PERIL.

"Well as I say, the submarine came swerving round in a way that brought my heart into my mouth. The lieutenant saw what was going to happen; never a doubt of it. I heard him roar out in a startled voice, 'Man, what are you doing? You'll have us all over!' Then, a second later a voice that sounded as shrill as a woman's shrieked out, 'Oh, she's gone!'

"The submarine rolled right over, until her cone was flat on the water and her bow rose up till we could see the stem. The four men were simply flung off her deck as she went roaring on; then there came a strange, sobbing sound, and all of a sudden she had vanished. You may believe that every word I am telling you is heaven's truth when I say that the submarine was no more than fifteen yards away from our port quarter when she disappeared. They say there was an explosion as she went down. There may have been, but all I can tell you is that neither I nor my two mates saw or heard anything of the kind. It was a shocking job for the suddenness of it; one instant a big gleaming boat buzzing through a race of foam, the next a blank sea with four men struggling in it.

"Our punt, a great heavy boat sixteen feet long and weighing three-quarters of a ton, if an ounce, lay on her bilge along the fore part of the deck, up against the bulwark. To have unshipped the gangway and slid her out in our usual fashion would have meant time. I dropped the helm and ran forward, crying out to my mates, who were silent and pale as death, 'Out boat to save life, for God's sake!'

GO TO THE RESCUE.

"How ever we did it I shall never understand to my dying day. We just have had the strength of giants given us for the occasion. But in less time than it takes to tell you about it we had shouldered up that heavy punt until her keel rested on the bulwark rail, and then ran her sheer overboard. We were well nigh being in too much hurry, for nobody thought of making her fast. Luckily, I saw that the end of her chain painter—trawlers always tow their boats with a chain painter—was hanging over her bows, and just managed to grab hold of it as she soused afloat.

"Knox and Phillips jumped sprawling on the boat and flung the oars over like a brace of madmen. I ran aft to the helm and put it hard down, so as to bring the vessel up head to the wind. We were only just in time. My mates had to row about one hundred yards to reach the spot where the four men lay. One of them, a petty officer, had heavy sea boots and oilskins on, dragging him down, and the lieutenant was doing all that mortal could to support him. They picked him up last. It took four men to pull the poor fellow in, and he went all in a heap in the bottom of the boat, sobbing out, 'God bless you, fishermen, for saving my life!'

"By this time the torpedo boat had seen what had happened, and, stopping her engines, lowered her little cockleshell of a boat. But for some reason which I can't explain, this craft filled with water at once and was useless. Perhaps the speed at which the torpedo boat was going towed her under when she was lowered. Our own boat now came alongside, and the first question I asked was, 'Are there any more of you in that sunken craft?' 'Fifteen more, God help them!' came back the answer, and the lieutenant put his hand to his eyes and groaned.

"I asked whether they would come aboard our trawler, but the officer, in a broken voice, said no: they would get on the torpedo boat. This vessel now came steaming close up alongside of the smack, with the other submarine following in her wake. We put the four survivors on board the torpedo boat, and her commander thanked us for what we had done, and I could have sat down and cried like a child over the horror of it all. Then we got our boat aboard again and bore away to sea."—London Standard.

Sir Henry Edmund Knight, former lord mayor of London, has just landed in Boston after a 12,000-mile journey through the United States, and says that the great prosperity of the country is the most impressive thing he noted.

It's an exceptionally poor rule that refuses to work either way.

September a Busy Month in Local Real Estate

Assessment Commissioner Grant today gave out the figures of the realty transfers in this city since June last up to Sept. 30. Owing to the press of work in the office, the figures, which are usually given out each month, were delayed.

As compared with a year ago, the transfers for 1905 average about the same in consideration, but in September of this year the real estate business showed a decided gain.

In that month 103 sales were recorded. The properties were assessed for $108,108, and sold for $143,290, or for $35,182 more than the assessment. In September a year ago, only 97 sales were recorded, the properties being assessed for $85,590, and selling for $109,589, or for $23,999 more than the assessed value.

The following are the figures for nine months of this year:

	Number of Transfers.	Assessment.	Selling price.	Difference.
January	59	$ 57,116	$ 76,867	$ 18,751
February	51	37,556	63,313	25,757
March	105	74,439	100,253	25,814
April	132	173,563	236,903	63,340
May	132	112,007	149,878	37,871
June	109	81,642	117,206	35,564
July	99	103,824	141,126	37,202
August	91	82,192	110,035	27,843
September	103	108,108	143,290	35,182

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Davis have left Wardsville to reside here.

—John S. Brown returned this morning after a two weeks' visit to New York.

—Mrs. James H. Campbell, of St. Catherines, is visiting friends in London.

—Mrs. James Gammack, of Port Huron, has been entertaining Mrs. McMillan, of this city, during the past few days.

—George Mason, with his baby organ and Alexander songs, will have charge of the service at the York Street Mission Hall next Sabbath.

—Miss Bessie Nixon, of Hyde Park, leaves this afternoon via the C. P. R. for Montreal, where she will sail on Saturday for the old country.

—Rev. H. C. Speller, formerly of London, now stationed in Guelph, and Rev. L. H. Thomas are assisting the Galt Baptist Church in evangelistic services.

—The London lodge of the Elks held a very large and enthusiastic meeting at their lodge rooms last night, when the report from the grand lodge meeting in Hamilton was given by Mr. Frank Lawson.

—Members of the local lodge of Elks desire to state that the application for liquor privileges was made by the Toronto lodges of the order, and that the London lodge was not interested in it.

—The Misses Florian Nash and Olive Tune were hostesses at the latter's home on Wednesday afternoon when the girl friends of Miss Elvie McBroom, who is soon to leave the city, presented her with several gifts.

—Number three committee of the council has decided to remove the electric light near the west end of Lichfield street to a point half-way down the steps leading to Blackfriars bridge. This will mean the lighting of the steps and at the same time it will not leave the street in darkness.

—Last evening, Miss Hilda Hersey, of Sydenham street, entertained about forty of her young friends to a unique masquerade party, which was held in honor of her guest, Miss Connor, of Strathroy. The evening was spent in games appropriate to the Hallowe'en season, and the gaily-attired young people enjoyed themselves very much. During the course of the evening, Miss Stella Cushing was made the recipient of a beautiful pin as a farewell token, she being about to leave the city.

DIED WHILE VISITING FRIENDS.

The death of Mrs. Samuel Lauton, of this city, took place suddenly this morning in Berlin, where she was visiting some friends. The remains will be brought to London and will be interred in Oakland Cemetery.

BIGGER BUSINESS DONE.

During the week ended today, the clearings at the London Clearing House totaled $1,081,320. For the same week a year ago, they amounted to $965,123, showing an increase of $116,-197.

THE CITY HALL POP.

Miss Maud Buschlen, who appears for the first time in London at the city hall Pop next Saturday evening, is Canada's foremost lady violinist. She has been appearing in Toronto and eastern cities this season, and has made a decided sensation in musical circles. A welcome contributor to the programme will be Mr. W. Crooks, the eminent tenor, who delighted two large audiences in the First Methodist Church some weeks ago. Miss Mary Muriel Craig, the popular reader, and Milton Francis, baritone, with Mr. A. D. Jordan, accompanist, complete an excellent bill.

DIED IN CALIFORNIA.

The death occurred at Los Angeles, Cal., on Monday night, of Mr. W. A. Lipsey, who for many years was manager of the Agricultural Savings and Loan Company of this city. Mr. Lipsey was widely known and highly respected in London, and when he was compelled to retire from business on account of ill health regret was general. He is survived by a widow, two brothers, Thomas Lipsey, of Chicago, and Charles Lipsey, of Hudson, N. Y., and one sister, Mrs. J. C. Lindop, St. Thomas.

THE HUTCHINSON SUIT.

Before Judge Macbeth this morning, City Engineer Graydon was examined for discovery in the suit brought by Dr. John Hutchinson against the City of London for damages alleged to have been received at the Maitland street crossing of the Grand Trunk some time ago through an alleged defective walk. Dr. Hutchinson was also examined.

A GREAT SNOWPLOW.

The Pere Marquette has a new Russell snowplow which will be put into operation this winter on some of its lines. This is the latest design in this kind of machine, and is guaranteed to take care with ease of any drift that may be encountered. The force used in its operation is entirely compressed air, furnished from the engine. Notwithstanding its great size and power the mechanism of the big machine is simple and easy of operation. It is figured that with this one man can do the work that four or five would have done under the old form of plow. It is expected to run at the rate of 25 miles an hour.

HILL—RITCHIE.

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place recently at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ritchie, Layard street, when their daughter, Margaret, became the bride of Mr. Leslie Hill, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. D. Martin, pastor of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church. The bride, who was given away by her father, was becomingly attired in a gown of cream cashmere, trimmed with all-over lace and satin ribbon, and carried a shower bouquet of carnations. The bridesmaid was Miss Lizzie Burgess, who was attired in a gown of Indian lawn with pink ruchings. The groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. Roy Hill. After the ceremony the company sat down to a sumptuous repast. The wedding presents were very beautiful, among them being a splendid kitchen cabinet and oak stand, the gift of the employes of Sterling Bros. The many gifts testified to the esteem in which the young couple are held. Mr. and Mrs. Hill will reside at 390 Egerton street.

OCTOBER SCHOOL REPORT

Pupils Who Did Well in Class IV. at St. Peter's School.

The following is the October report of the Senior IV. Class at St. Peter's school, the names being in order of merit:

Eighty per cent and over of the total marks given—Gertie Brennan, Kathleen Bradish, Irene Roddy, Joseph Devine, Angus McLellan, Albert Murphy, Stanley Mooney.

Between 60 per cent and 80 per cent—Mary Elliott, Willie Tierney, Agnes Dwyer, Norah Gleeson, Marguerite McGuire, Annie Fallahe, Antionette Cortese, Joseph Chaffer, Alfred Pocock, Harold McPhilipps, Gracie Onti, Stephen Warren, Geo. Webb, Martin Donohue.

Between 50 per cent and 60 per cent—Marion Meaden (Frank Lortie, Willis Fallahe, Frank Walsh), Annie Cooney, Lily Best, James Mahony, Joseph Hevey, Alma Dibb, Willie Donohue, Louis Quinn, Geo. McGuire.

ILDERTON.

Ilderton, Nov. 2.—Mrs. Annie Forbes desires to thank the members of the Ilderton Camp of the Woodmen of the World for their kindness at the death of her late husband, Mr. John Forbes.

Jersey Cattle for Sale.

A handsome Jersey cow (milking) and a Jersey heifer (in calf) will be sold by Mr. J. W. Jones, auctioneer, at the sale of thoroughbred horses and cattle on the premises of Johnston Bros., corner of South and Wellington streets, on Saturday next.

WILL TELL OF THE GREAT WELSH REVIVAL.



On Sunday next London will be visited by a trio who were in close touch with the great revival in Wales last season.

Mr. J. Tudor Rees, Mr. M. Dewi Michael and Rev. G. O. Griffith are making a tour of the leading cities of Canada and the United States, and it has been arranged for them to be in London on Sunday and adress the afternoon meeting for men at the Y. M. C. A. They will deal particularly with the revival.

Mr. Rees is a lawyer by profession, and was special correspondent for the London, England, Standard during the revival. He was intimately associated with Evan Roberts and was his authorized biographer.

Mr. Michael is not a prominent speaker, but is known throughout Wales as a tenor vocalist. He sang at all of the large religious gatherings.

In the group, reading from the left, are Mr. Rees, Mr. Michael and Mr. Griffith.

WENT AS ENEMIES; LEFT AS FRIENDS

Cook and Crockett Settled Differences at Court—Gave Each Other Glad Hand.

John Cook and Charles Crockett were at variance with each other when they entered the police court this morning, but they departed together with their troubles amicably settled through the peace-making ability of Magistrate Love.

The former had lodged an information against Crockett, charging him with using abusive language, although he admitted that the language had not been aimed directly at himself. In fact Cook had used some language himself not altogether complimentary to Crockett, who was employed with him by Mr. Scarrow. The magistrate thought that Mr. Cook's remarks might almost justify a warm reply by Mr. Crockett.

Mr. Judd, for Crockett, thought that the two should have settled their differences out of court. Crockett was willing to shake hands and Cook was agreeable, if the former would admit having thrown a plank at him. This was Cook's particular sore spot.

"He was up above me on the scaffolding and aimed a plank at me. It struck my hat and might have injured me severely," said Cook.

Crockett laughter at the idea.

"Why, the board slipped out of my hands. It had been snowing and the wood was therefore quite slippery," was his explanation, which caused a few smiles about the courtroom.

Cook waived his point and gave Crockett the glad hand. In future the two men will stick closer than brothers.

Alexander Gooding, young, married and the father of two children, was up on two charges of a criminal nature. To make matters much worse, Mr. Gooding's wife is at present very ill.

Mr. Tripp charged Gooding with obtaining two pairs of shoes from him under false pretenses, after Gooding had left his employ.

"I had been working for him, your honor, and thought that my position was still good," said the young fellow.

Gooding had done some collecting for Mr. Trafford, the amount obtained being $10 75. He claims to have lost this money, but Mr. Trafford charged him with taking it and using it for his own purposes. Gooding maintained, however, that he lost the money. He was bailed on his own recognizance to appear tomorrow morning, when the cases will come up again.

One lonely booze-fighter was told not to come back again.

FORMER LONDONER DEAD

C. A. Morley, Butcher, Dies in the Isle of Wight.

The death occurred yesterday at West Cowes, Isle of Wight, of Charles A. Morley, butcher, of this city. The late Mr. Morley was very well known here, having conducted a business on Richmond street nearly opposite St. Peter's Cathedral, for upwards of 20 years. He was highly respected by all who knew him, and was a man of strong character and estimable qualities. About four years ago he was married, since which time he had resided in England.

REVENUE FELL OFF

Excise Returns for October $3,800 Less Than a Year Ago.

The London inland revenue returns for October amounted to $35,095 54. The amount for the same month a year ago was $38,957 52, being a decrease of $3,-861 98.

The returns are:

Spirits	$ 5,973 76
Malt	7,162 14
Raw leaf	6,048 36
Cigars, ex-factory	10,496 67
Cigars, ex-warehouse	5,365 35
Methylated spirits	49 26

WEDDED 25 YEARS

Rev. J. Knox Wright and Mrs. Wright Celebrate at Vancouver.

The Vancouver Province of a recent date had the following regarding one of the first pastors of the King Street Presbyterian Church:

"A very pleasant meeting was held last evening in Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Seventh avenue, Fairview. It is customary for this congregation to hold its annual social about this time of the year, but a more than usual interest was given to the proceedings owing to its being a kind of triple anniversary. It is just two years since Chalmers Church ceased to be an augmented charge and became entirely self-supporting. It is just four years since the pastor, the Rev. J. Knox Wright, was inducted, and a few days ago the ladies of the congregation made the discovery that it was also exactly 25 years since Mr. and Mrs. Wright were married, and Mr. Wright was ordained to the Christian ministry. Under these interesting circumstances the ladies determined to show their appreciation of the pastor and his lady in a practical way, and accordingly they made a hurried canvass of the congregation, with the result that in the interval of a pleasant social evening, Dr. McKechnie called forward the reverend gentleman and Mrs. Wright, and in a felicitous speech, presented them with a silver tea-service of four pieces, and a cabinet of sterling silverware, suitably engraved. Mr. Wright made a feeling reply, and the presents were left for the inspection of the assembled friends. After this, the ladies served an excellent supper in the basement, and after some singing and instrumental music, the meeting dispersed. Besides the present from the congregation, Mrs. Wright was the recipient of a beautiful little silver basket of very chaste design, filled with silver coins, from another friend, who was unable to be present at the meeting.

"One of Rev. Mr. Wright's classmates, Rev. James R. Craigie, of Toronto, was present last evening, and took part in the programme of the evening."

DO NOT LET a cold settle on your lungs. Resort to Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup at the first intimation of irritation in the throat, and prevent disease from lodging in the pulmonary organs. Neglected colds are the cause of untold suffering throughout the country, all of which could have been prevented by the application of this simple but powerful medicine. The price, 25 cents, brings it within reach of all.

Some people breathe through the nose only because the mouth is otherwise too busily engaged.

MR. BARTRAM MAY BRING AN ACTION

He Claims City Bought Land It Already Owned—Wants Bargain Undone.

Mr. W. H. Bartram, barrister, today wrote City Clerk Baker threatening an action against the city in connection with the recent purchase of land for the West London breakwater.

The land is located along the river bank, south of Dundas street, and east of Wilson avenue.

Mr. Bartram contends that the city, in purchasing twenty feet of the river bank from Mr. Scarrow, simply bought land which belonged to the city, and which Mr. Scarrow had no power to sell. Consequently, he alleges that the city is guilty of misappropriating funds.

He refers to a case brought by him against Mr. Scarrow in 1899. Mr. Scarrow had fenced in the river bank of what is known on the survey as lot 18, or the lot on the corner of Dundas street and Wilson avenue, and had built a barn on what Mr. Bartram contended was the right of way. The result of the action was that Mr. Scarrow removed the fence boards and took the barn away, but the posts were allowed to remain up.

And now Mr. Bartram cites this as evidence that Mr. Scarrow admitted he did not own the land which the city has now bought.

If the city does not undo the bargain Mr. Bartram threatens an action.

NON-JURY COURT

Several Cases Already Entered—The Chief Justice to Preside.

The fall non-jury assize court for Middlesex will open on Monday next, with Chief Justice Falconbridge presiding.

There promises to be quite a large docket, several cases having already been entered.

HOW SOCIETY MAKES VICE

It Refuses to Pay Virtue Decently, Says Bernard Shaw.

New York, Nov. 1. — A cable dispatch to the Sun from London says: Your correspondent yesterday interviewed George Bernard Shaw in reference to the suppression by the New York police of his play, "Mrs. Warren's Profession," Mr. Shaw said:

"If Police Commissioner McAdoo has earned, by his public services, the confidence of the American people as a man of higher character and deeper insight into and greater concern for the good of the community, than I, it is not for me to question his qualifications, or to incite Mr. Daly to resist his authority. I have a certain reputation in the world, which will not be altered by Mr. McAdoo's conviction that I am a blackguard. The New York police have a certain reputation in the world, and that also will not be altered by my conviction. I know my own business better than they do.

"I am extremely proud of having written the play. It has made me more friends than any other work of mine, especially among serious women. Mr. Daly offered to abide by the verdict of the New York press. For my own part, I would prefer a jury of public-spirited women with experience in rescue work, and slum life to any other jury whatever. They know how society makes vice by refusing to pay virtue decently."

HE SAVED THE EXPRESS

Derailing Locomotive and Freight Prevented Wreck of Flyer.

Lonisville, Nov. 1.—By derailing Big Four yard engine No. 3 and five of a string of thirty freight cars in the Jeffersonville yards, Pennsylvania passenger train No. 18, southbound, was saved from a disastrous wreck, with probably frightful loss of life, as it was crowded with passengers.

Engineer Robert Brown, of Louisville in jumping from the Big Four engine suffered a fracture of the left leg below the knee, and Fireman Mayhall, who also resides in Louisville, received a sprain in the back. Conductor R. Johnson was uninjured.

The accident seems to have been the result of a failure of the brakes to perform their duty. As the yard freight struck the Jeffersonville incline the signal for brakes was given but they failed to respond. Repeatedly the call was made with the same result. The crew remained with the engine until within a short distance of the D-rail, and then they all jumped.

The engine tumbled on her side and five cars went off the track.

Conductor Robert Johnson stated that the red lights were seen, and everything possible was done to stop, but the brakes refused to work and the train was beyond control.

The engine tumbled over within 30 feet of the crossing at Twelfth and Walnut streets, on Twelfth street, and the Pennsylvania train stopped within ten feet of Twelfth on Walnut street.

The D-rail was all that prevented a disaster.

A REAL WILD MAN

Had Horns and Tusks, But Former Were Screwed Into Skull.

Springfield, Ill. Nov. 2.—A real wild man with horns and huge tusks was discovered here yesterday. He is George Brown, a big negro, hailing from Georgia, who applied to Dr. Walter Ryan to have the silver plate which held the horns in place removed from his head.

For more than a year and six months the negro had been carrying the plate about on his head, concealed beneath the scalp, but recently it began to slip out of place, causing considerable discomfort. He said that the plate had been inserted under his scalp for the purpose of fastening two horns upon it. At the same time two of his front teeth had been sawed off and supplied with gold crowns, upon which could be screwed down two formidable-looking tusks, and when this had been accomplished he went on the road with a show, posing as a real wild man.

He declared that in this fashion he had traveled all over the State of Georgia, attracting wondering multitudes of people, who came to gaze upon the real live wild man captured in the recesses of Africa. As the negro said that the plate had been hurting him for some time, Dr. Ryan took the man to St. John's Hospital, where he removed it.

MEDICOS ELECT BANQUET OFFICERS

Lively Contests This Morning Between the Sophs and Freshies at College.

Great excitement has prevailed in the Medical College owing to the fact that the election of officers for the annual banquet was announced for today at 10 o'clock.

Keen was the rivalry and many were the bribes offered and threats uttered by the candidates.

To make matters still more exciting, the sophomores at 9 o'clock began by putting the freshies out of the window. The scent of battle had long been in the air, and though the sophs were few in numbers they were determined to defeat their enemy, the boastful freshies. So well were their plans laid that in sixteen minutes not a freshman remained inside.

Now came the contest of the day when the whole school met to vote for the men of their choice. The following were the officers elected:

President—Thos. McQuaid, '06.

First Vice-President—W. G. Russel, '07.

Second Vice-President — C. W. Sawers, '08.

Third Vice-President—P. D. Q. McKenzie, '09.

Secretary-Treasurer—L. E. Downing, '08.

Executive Committee—A. Ardiel, '06; J. Adams, '07; A. R. McMillan, '08; W. Rickhart, '09.

Reception Committee—H. Brown, '06; J. Watson, '07; F. McPherson, '08; F. More, '09.

The speakers chosen were Mr. Charlton, '06, and Mr. Stockwell, '09 for the undergraduates, while it was the concensus of opinion that C. W. Brown was the proper one to represent "The Ladies."

Delegates were also chosen to represent the local school at Toronto and Kingston. F. Reid, '06, was chosen for the former, while J. McDonald, '06, will be sent to Kingston.

BARON KOMURA FOR PEKIN POST

Tokio, Nov. 2.—It is reported that, as the result of conferences between Marquis Yamagata and Marquis Ito, two of the elder statesmen, Baron Komura will not resign the foreign portfolio, but will devote himself to settling the Manchurian and Korean problems. It is believed that he will shortly proceed to Pekin, accompanied by several of the members of the Portsmouth committee, for the purpose of making a treaty relative to the state in which the Russians leave Manchuria.

The opposition papers apprehend difficulty with China over the latter's demand for 6,000,000 yen ($3,000,000) for her interest in the Eastern Railway south of Changchu, but the Asahi says it believes that China will appreciate the fact that the treaty of Portsmouth really established her sovereignty in Manchuria. Therefore she should hesitate to seriously oppose the carrying out of articles V. and VI of the convention.

It is understood that Marquis Ito, with an imperial suite, will go to Seoul to confer with the Emperor of Korea respecting a final adjustment of the Japanese protectorate over that country. The Jiji Shimpo points out that the development of Korea will be chiefly agricultural on lines suitable for Japanese methods and resources, while Japan will be unable single-handed to exploit Manchuria, which is nearly the size of the United States, but must secure European capital and co-operation.

Twelve Cars Smashed Up.

Belleville, Nov. 2.—A rear-end collision occurred on the Midland Railway near Foxboro, when a way freight coming south ran into a north train. Nobody was hurt, but twelve cars were smashed, and traffic was delayed for hours.

WILL IT STAY WHERE YOU PUT IT? Oh, yes. "The D & L" Menthol Plaster will, and it will quickly cure rheumatic pain, lumbago, sciatica, faceache, neuralgia, etc.

A smart man may not know all that people think he knows, but he knows a lot of other things.

THESE TWO desirable qualifications, pleasant to the taste and at the same time effectual, are to be found in Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. Children like it.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS.

McCANN—In this city, on Nov. 2, 1905, John N., yongest son of Mary A. and the late Robert McCann, in his 18th year.

Funeral from the family residence, 85 Van street, on Sunday, Nov. 5, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 61u

FOR SALE—YOUNG MARE, SUITABLE for carriage or delivery wagon; also a promising colt. Apply Mrs. Ladd, 204 Rectory street. 61c

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 2—Receipts at the cattle market today were 126 loads, including 1,950 cattle, 1,865 sheep and lambs, 1,200 hogs and 132 calves; no demand for exporters, quotations nominal; demand good for feeding steers and stockers of good quality; butchers' cattle slow, with rough cattle of all sorts hard to sell; no prospects of an immediate improvement in trade. Export cattle, choice, cwt, $4 25 to $4 50; export cattle, $4 to $4 25; export bulls, light, $3 to $3 25; export cows, $3 25 to $3 50; butchers cattle, picked lots, $4 to $4 25; do, medium, $2 75 to $3; do, light, $2 50 to $2 75; do, bulls, $2 to $2 25; stockers, choice, $3 to $3 25; do, common, $2 75 to $3; stock bulls, $2 to $2 25; heavy feeders, $3 25 to $3 50; short-keep feeders, $3 60 to $3 75; milch cows, choice, each, $40 to $55; do, common, $25 to $35; springers, each, $25 to $40; export ewes, cwt, $4 to $4 50, firm; bucks, $3 to $3 50, firm; lambs, $5 50 to $5 65, dull; calves, $2 to $12 each, or 3c to 5½c per lb; all sold, trade slow; hogs, singers, 5⅝c; fats and lights, 5⅜c, off cars.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, Nov. 2.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
December	$ 88⅞	89⅜	88⅜	89¼
May	89⅞	90⅜	89⅝	90⅜
Corn—				
December	46⅛	46⅜	46	46⅜
May	46⅛	46½	46	46½
Oats—				
December	30	30¼	29¾	30¼
May	32¼	32⅝	32¼	32⅝
Pork—				
January	12 50	12 52	12 47	12 50
Lard—				
January	6 80	....	....	....
Short Ribs—				
January	6 52	6 52	6 50	6 50

STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becher, stock broker, next Free Press building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today:

New York, Nov. 2. — Noon. — Not much attention was paid to the lower quotations from London. Our market openings were generally strong, with the specialties again in the lead. Railway Springs was a feature, reaching a new record. It is comparatively easy to create bullish sentiment in regard to this stock, as it compares favorably as a 4 per cent dividend. Reading and Erie were favorably affected by a report that Mr. Mitchell had declared that there would be no strike among the anthracite coal workers in the spring. The traction stocks became prominent after the first hour, without any definite explanation. It was said, however, that certain politicians had been buyers of Metropolitan, and that the insiders were helping the manipulation to enable the politicians to secure profits. The animation of the opening did not last, but a moderate reaction took place. The undertone to the market is strong, and the room is bullish. Penna became extremely strong, the theory being it would look cheap when it sells ex-dividend, the 3 per cent recently declared. Sales to noon, 543,200.

NEW YORK.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, for The Advertiser.

New York, Nov. 2.

	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper	84¾	85	84⅜	84⅝
Amer. Sugar	142	143⅛	142	142⅛
Amer. Locomotive	72¾	73⅛	71¾	72¾
American Foundry	40½	42⅝	40½	41¼
American Refining	141½	142¾	140¾	141¾
Atchison, com	88⅜	88⅝	88¼	88⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	112	113	112	112⅝
Brooklyn Transit	75⅝	76⅜	75¼	76½
C. P. R.	173¼	174	173¼	173⅝
Ches. & Ohio	55⅛	56⅛	55⅛	56
Chicago G. Western	21⅝	21⅜	21½	21¾
Col. Fuel & Iron	45½	46⅝	45½	45½
Erie	47¾	48¾	47¾	48⅝
Erie, pfd	81½	..	..	..
Edison Gen. Electric	186½	187	186½	187
Illinois Central	178½	..	..	..
Kan. & Tex., com	37	37¼	36	37
Louisville & Nash	153¼	153⅛	152⅞	153¼
Metropolitan St. Ry	119⅛	121¼	119	120¾
Met. Securities	78	79¼	77⅞	78¾
Mexican Central	24⅛	24⅜	24	24⅜
Missouri Pacific	103¾	104¼	103¼	103⅞
N. Y. Central	151¼	152⅞	150¾	152½
Norfolk & Western	86¼	86½	86¼	86½
Ontario & Western	54⅞	55	54⅝	54⅞
Pacific Mail S. S.	48½	49	48½	48¾
Pennsylvania	145⅝	146¾	145⅜	146
People's Gas	104½	104⅞	104½	104⅞
Reading	128⅝	131⅜	128⅜	130¾
Republic I. & S.	25½	26½	25½	26½
Rock Island	30	30	29⅜	29⅜
Southern Railway	36	36⅜	35¾	36⅛
Southern Pacific	70⅝	70⅞	70⅜	70⅝
St. Paul	180½	181	180⅜	180⅝
Soo Railway	138	138½	138	138½
Texas	35½	35½	35¼	35½
Twin City	117	..	..	..
Tenn. Coal & Iron	93	94⅞	93	94¼
Union Pacific	133¼	133¾	133⅛	133⅝
U. S. Steel	37⅞	38⅛	37⅝	38¼
U. S. Steel, pfd	105	105¾	105	105½
Wabash, com	22	22½	21½	22
Wabash, pfd	42¼	42½	41½	42⅛

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 2—12:30 p.m.

	Ask.	Off.
Ontario Bank	135	133
Bank of Toronto	240	..
Bank of Commerce	169	168
Imperial Bank	236	235
Dominion Bank	269½	..
Standard Bank	232	230
Bank of Hamilton	223½	222¾
Ottawa Bank	..	230
Traders' Bank	..	144
British American Insurance	..	90
Western Assurance	..	91
Imperial Life	..	149
Consumers' Gas	..	209¼
Ont. & Qu'Appelle Land	..	100
Northwest Land pfd	..	99
C. P. R. Stock	..	173⅜
Montreal Power	..	91
Toronto Electric Light	160	157¼
Canadian General Electric	154½	152½
Dominion Telegraph	..	118½
Bell Telephone	158	156¼
R. & O. Navigation	..	70
Niagara Navigation	122	121
Northern Navigation	79	77
St. L. & C. Navigation	..	124
Toronto Street Railway	107¼	106½
Twin City Railway	117¼	116¾
Winnipeg Electric Railway	190	..
Sao Paulo Tramway	141	140½
Dominion Steel, com	22	21
Dominion Coal, com	76½	..
Nova Scotia Steel, com	67	66⅞
Mackay, com	49¼	49⅛
Salt	110	..
British Canadian L. & I.	106	..
Canada Landed	119	..
Canada Permanent	128	..
Canadian S. & L.	..	128
Central Canada Loan	..	170
Dominion S. & I.	..	70
Sao Paulo, bonds	96½	..
Hamilton Provident	..	121
Huron & Erie L. & S.	..	184
Imperial L. & I.	..	70
Landed Banking & Loan	..	123
London & Canada L. & A.	105	104½
Manitoba Loan	..	85
Toronto Mortgage	..	108
London Loan	..	113
Ontario Loan & Debenture	..	128
Toronto Savings & Loan	..	130
Dominion Steel, bonds	85	..

SALES: Commerce, 16 at 169; Sao Paulo, 50 at 140 5-8, 25 at 140 5-8, 20 at 140 5-8, 25 at 140 5-8, 25 at 140 5-8, 25 at 140 5-8, 25 at 140 5-8; Imperial Bank, 15 at 236; Ottawa Railway, 10 at 23; Traders' Bank, 24 at 14; Niagara Power, 14 at 121; Northern Navigation, 5 at 58½; Mackay, 25 at 48 5-8, 25 at 49, 50 at 49¼, 10 at 49¼, 50 at 49¼, 50 at 49 1-8, 50 at 49 1-8, 25 at 49 1-8, 50 at 49¼, 50 at 49 1-8, 25 at 49 1-8, 5 at 49 1-8, 25 at 49 1-8, 50 at 49 1-8, 25 at 49, 10 at 49, 50 at 49, 25 at 49 1-8, 50 at 49, 50 (preferred) at 74, 100 at 74; Nova Scotia Steel, 50 at 6¼, 25 at 6 5-8, 25 at 6 5-8, 50 at 6¾, 25 at 6 7-8, 100 at 6¾; War Eagle, 100 at 18; Canada Permanent, 100 at 128; Hamilton Providence, 30 at 121; Consumers' Gas, 20 at 209½, 25 at 209½; C. P. R., 12 at 173¼, 9 at 173¼.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 2—12:30 p.m.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	174	173⅝
Minneapolis & St. Paul	139	138
Montreal Railway, b. c.	236½	235¾
Toronto Railway	107	106⅞
Twin City Railway, xd	117¼	117
Detroit Electric Railway	92	91½
Halifax Railway	106	103¼
Toledo Railway	34	33
West India Electric Railway	55	45
Sao Paulo Electric Railway	142	..
R. & O. Navigation	73	70
Motreal Power, xd	94	91¾
Dominion Steel, com	21¾	21½
Dominion Steel, pfd	75	71¼
Dominion Coal, com	76½	75½
Textile, pfd	99	97¾
Nova Scotia Steel & Coal	66⅞	66⅝

Nova Scotia Steel, pfd	116	114
Bell Telephone	157	156
Ogilvie Milling, pfd	130	..
Mackay, com	49	48⅞
Mackay, pfd	74¼	73¼
Lake of the Woods, pfd	114½	113½
Lake of the Woods, com	95	90
Laurentide Paper	90	..
Laurentide Paper, pfd	105	..
Havana, bonds	97	94
Montreal Cotton	125	119
Bank of Montreal	260	259
B. N. A. Bank	..	139
Molsons Bank	230	224
Bank of Toronto	..	238
Merchants' Bank	..	160
Royal Bank	..	220
Nova Scotia Bank	272	267
Eastern Townships Bank	170	163½
Quebec Bank	150	143
Union Bank	149¼	147¼
Bank of Commerce	..	169
Hochelaga Bank	143	142
Ottawa Bank	..	225
Havana, com	30	29¾
Havana, pfd	78½	77½
Textile bonds, A	..	95½
Textile bonds, B	..	95½
Textile bonds, C	..	95½
Textile bonds, D	101	..
Montreal Power, bonds	103	101½
Canada Col. Cotton, bonds	..	99
Dominion Coal, bonds	105	102½
Winnipeg Electric, bonds	..	108
Dominion Steel, bonds	80	84⅝
Motreal Railway, bonds, xd.	-03½	..
Ogilvie Milling, bonds	..	117
Lake of Woods, bonds	113	112
Sao Paulo, bonds	..	95½

SALES: Street, 25 at 236; Twin City, 25 at 117½, 25 at 117; 5 at 117 3-8; Toronto Railway, 40 at 106½; Soo, common, 25 at 138 1-8, 50 at 138¼; Duluth, common, 10 at 17½; MacKay, preferred, 75 at 73 5-8; Scotia, 25 at 66½, 25 at 66¾; Bank of Montreal, 8 at 259, 11 at 260; Havana, common, 25 at 30½; Toledo, 15 at 34; Woods, preferred, 25 at 114; MacKay, common, 25 at 48 5-8, 150 at 49, 75 at 48 7-8; Detroit Railway, 100 at 91½, 15 at 92; Iron, common, 50 at 21¾; Iron Bonds, 18,000 at 84¾; Woods Bonds, 3,000 at 113; Telephone, 5 at 157; Textile Bonds, 5,000 at 96c, 5,000 at 96a, 10,000 at 96c, 100 at 96¼c; Textile, preferred 3 at 97½; Switch, preferred, 25 at 109¾; Street Bonds, 500 at 102¾, 100 at 103¼; Scotia Bonds, 1,000 at 109¾.

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MARKET PRICES

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Nov. 2.

There was quite a large crowd at the market this morning. The demand in every line represented was brisk. Prices were well maintained.

Grain—About a dozen loads of oats sold quickly at 37c to 41 per cwt. Three loads of wheat sold at 73c per bushel. One load of corn sold at $1 10 per cwt.

Hay and Straw—Hay went off with a rush again today. There were 30 loads offered, and were sold almost as soon as they were weighed at $8 to $9 per ton. A couple of loads of straw sold at $8 25 and $8 50 per load.

Butter and Eggs—There was a scarcity of both of these commodities. Butter was firm at 22c for crocks and 23c for pound rolls. Eggs sold at 21c to 22c per dozen.

Vegetables and Roots—There were nearly twenty large loads of potatoes offered. The demand was brisk and nearly all of the loads sold at 45c per bag by the load; by the single bag 70c was obtained. Parsnips sold at 45c per bag. Celery 40c per dozen.

Fruits—Apples sold well. There was a small supply on sale. Prices ruled at 60c to 90c per bag. Grapes sold at 25c per basket.

Dressed Hogs—Quite a few on sale. Prices were a trifle easier. Sales were made at $8 to $8 25 per cwt, mostly at $8 25.

Poultry—There was a fairly large supply. Sales were fairly brisk. Prices were inclined to be easier. Turkeys, dressed, sold at 14c to 15c per pound. Ducks were scarce at $1 to $1 10 per paid. Dressed chickens went at 60c to 80c per pair; alive, 45c to 60c per pair or 8c per pound.

Butchers' Meat—Beef sold slow, as there was a large supply offered. The prices are lower at $4 to $5 per cwt. Veal, mutton and lamb were firm in price.

GRAIN, PER CENTAL.

Oats	$ 35	@	1 00
Wheat	1 25	@	1 25
Corn	55	@	1 10
Peas	1 05	@	1 10
Barley	85	@	90
Buckwheat	1 00	@	1 00

GRAIN, PER BUSHEL.

Oats	33	@	34
Wheat	75	@	75
Corn	51	@	55
Barley	38	@	49
Peas	60	@	66
Buckwheat	52	@	56

FRUITS.

Apples, per bag	60	@	90
Apples, per bbl	1 00	@	2 50
Pears, per bu	1 00	@	1 00
Grapes, per basket	20	@	25
Chestnuts, per bu	4 00	@	4 25
Quinces, per basket	40	@	50

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Eggs, per doz., wholesale	20	@	22
Eggs, per doz., retail	22	@	24
Butter, rolls, wholesale	22	@	23
Butter, rolls, retail	23	@	25
Butter, crocks, wholesale	20	@	22
Honey, strained, per lb	8½	@	9
Honey, comb, per doz	1 60	@	1 75

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bag	65	@	70
Turnips, per bag	25	@	25
Onions, per bu	50	@	80
Carrots, per bu	20	@	25
Parsnips, per bu	50	@	70
Celery, per doz	30	@	40
Cabbages, per doz	25	@	40
Sage, per doz	20	@	20
Savory, per doz	20	@	20

POULTRY, DRESSED.

Chickens, per pair	60	@	80
Chickens, per lb	11	@	12½
Hens, per pair	60	@	75
Hens, per lb	8	@	8
Ducks, per pair	90	@	1 10
Ducks, per lb	9½	@	10
Geese, each	75	@	1 10

POULTRY, ALIVE.

Chickens, per pair	55	@	60
Chickens, per lb	7½	@	8
Hens, per pair	50	@	60
Hens, per lb	5	@	5½
Ducks, per lb	7	@	7½
Turkeys, per lb	10	@	10½

FARM PRODUCE.

Hay, per ton	$ 00	@	9 00
Straw, per ton	5 00	@	5 50
Straw, per load	2 00	@	2 50

MEATS.

Dressed hogs, per cwt	$ 00	@	$ 25
Beef, per cwt	4 00	@	6 50
Veal, per cwt	7 00	@	8 00
Lamb, per cwt	10 00	@	11 00
Mutton, per cwt	6 00	@	8 00

LIVE STOCK.

Hogs, per cwt	5 50	@	5 50
Pigs, per pair	5 00	@	5 50

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ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Nov. 2.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 7d. Futures quiet; December, 7s 2½d; March, 7s 1½d; May, 7s 2½d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 2½d. Futures quiet; January, 4s 5½d; March, 4s 4½d.

Peas—Firm; Canadian, 6s 6½d.

Flour—Steady; St. Louis fancy winter, 5s 6d.

Hops (in London)—Easy; Pacific coast, £2 to £3.

Beef—Quiet; extra India mess, 77s 6d.

Pork—Nominal; prime mess western, 70s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 49s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 51s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 48s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 48s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 45s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 32s 6d.

Lard—Quiet; prime western, in tierces, 58s 6d; American refined, in pails, 38s.

Butter—Nominal; good United States, 85s.

Cheese—American finest white firm, 55s 6d; do, colored firm, 57s.

Tallow—Prime city firm, 23s.

Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 51s.

Rosin—Common firm, 10s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 7½d.

Linseed Oil—Steady, 18s 6d.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Nov. 1.—Cattle are quoted at 9½c to 11½c per lb; refrigerator beef, 8¾c to 9c per lb.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; best strong, others steady; beeves, $3 60 to $6 30; cows and heifers, $1 25 to $4 40; stockers and feeders, $2 10 to $4 25; Texans, $4 40 to $4 25; westerns, $3 25 to $4 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,600; 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $4 80 to $5 25; good heavy, $5 to $5 25; rough heavy, $4 45 to $4 75; light, $4 80 to $5 20; pigs, $4 60 to $5 10; bulk of sales at $4 85 to $5 15.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; strong; sheep, $4 25 to $5 75; lambs, $4 75 to $7 80.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Nov. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; fair demand for good, dull on common; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 200 head; slow and 25c lower, $5 50 to $8 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,100 head; fairly active and strong; heavy and mixed, $5 20 to $5 55; Yorkers and pigs, $5 10 to $5 20; roughs, $4 25 to $4 50; stags, $3 25 to $4; dairies and grassers, $5 to $5 10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5,000 head; sheep active and steady, lambs dull, 10c lower; lambs, $5 75 to $7 25; yearlings, $6 to $6 25; wethers, $5 50 to $5 75; ewes, $5 25 to $5 50; sheep, mixed, $2 50 to $5 75; Canada lambs, $6 75 to $6 80.

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PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—Wheat—Firm on light offerings; holders asking 73c for No. 2 red and white, with 72c to 73c bid at outside points; goose is in demand, at 75c; spring, 73c to 74c, outside; Manitoba is easier, at 86c for No. 1 northern, 84c for No. 2 northern, and 82c for No. 3 northern.

Flour—Offerings light; $3 10 to $3 15 for 90 per cent patents, in buyers' bags, at outside points; Manitoba unchanged, at $4 90 to $5 for first patents, $4 50 to $4 60 for second patents, and $4 40 to $4 50 for bakers.

Millfeed—Bran, in car lots, $12 50 to $13 per ton, outside; shorts, $16 to $17; Manitoba bran, $15 50 to $16; shorts, $17 50 to $19, at Toronto and equal points.

Oats—No. 1 white, 34c, west.

Barley—No. 2, 50c to 51c; No. 3 extra, 48c to 49c; No. 3, 45c, at outside points.

Peas—72c to 73c, outside.

Rye—66c to 67c, outside.

Buckwheat—55c to 56c, at outside points.

Corn—New American corn is now offering at 60c, Toronto freights.

Rolled Oats—Barrels on track here at $5 65, and bags at $2 50; 25c more for broken lots here and 40c more outside.

Butter—Steady; receipts fairly large; demand active.

Eggs—Firmer, at 20c to 21c.

DAIRY MARKETS.

WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, Nov. 1.—At the regular weekly meeting of the Woodstock cheese board today, 4,070 offered; 2,820 colored at 11¾c to 11⅞c bid, and 1,240 white, at 11 5-16c bid; no sales.

PICTON.

Picton, Nov. 1.—At the cheese board today 14 factories boarded 975 boxes, all colored; all sold at 11⅝c. Buyers: Magrath, Morgan, Benson, McCaw and Sexsmith.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 1.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 17½c to 22c; dairies, 17c to 20c. Cheese—Firm, 12½c to 13½c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 1.—Butter—Easy; receipts, 8,325 packages; street prices, extra creamery, 22c to 22½c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 16c to 22c; western factory, common to extra, 15c to 17½c. Cheese—Firm and unchanged; receipts, 7,028 boxes.

OIL MARKETS.

LONDON.

London, Nov. 1.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 13-16d; spirits, 8⅞d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Nov. 1.—Petroleum, 19 francs 50 centimes.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 1.—Oil opened and closed at $1 61.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Nov. 1.—Credit balances, $1 61; shipments, 52,724 barrels.

FLAXSEED.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Flaxseed—Northwest, $1 05; southwest, 93½c.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—Baled Hay—The market is suffering from a shortage of cars; prices are quoted steady, at $8 50 per ton for No. 1 timothy, in car lots on track here, and $6 for No. 2.

Baled Straw—Unchanged; cars lots on track here are quoted at $6 per ton.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Nov. 1.—Beans—November, $1 58 asked; December, $1 58, nominal; January, $1 60 bid.

SUGAR MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—Sugars are easier in tone, although many dealers think the bottom of the declining market was about reached with the 10c decline of this week. Quotations here are: Extra granulated, $4 40; yellow, $3 90; bags, 5c less; Ontario sugar, $4 25; bags, 15c less.

CHANGE IS BADLY NEEDED IN STREET-WATERING SYSTEM

Matter Brought Before No. 3 Committee by Ald. Gillean —Hamilton's Way.

Before the year is ended the question of an improved system of street watering may be thoroughly threshed out by No. 3 committee, and the council, and an important recommendation passed on to the aldermen of 1906—a recommendation that may bring about the abolition of the contract plan, and result in the street watering being done more satisfactorily.

At the regular meeting of No. 3 committee last night, Ald. Gillean brought up the matter, and referred to the flooding of the streets, which had been so prevalent, and the endless complaints made by citizens about the poor service. Ald. Gillean wanted the question thoroughly discussed before it was sent to the council. He felt that it was about time for a change. He had written Ald. MacLeod, chairman of the committee having charge of the street watering in Hamilton, and he received some information that may prove of benefit to the London committee. In the Ambitious City, the street watering is now done under the direction of the seven district foremen, instead of as formerly, under the supervision of one man. The system now in vogue gives better results, and is more economical, both in the matter of cost and in the amount of water used. For a time under the old regime, it took 32 carts to do the work. A larger mileage is now done with 23 carts. More attention, however, is paid to removing the dust from the streets, and the carts start on their beats at 7 o'clock in the morning, and continue until 5 p.m. Formerly the carts returned each morning to a central yard, but this plan had been abandoned, the carts being stationed in the district in which the work is done. The cost has been cut down from $15,000 in 1902 to $9,000 in 1904, and $11,000 this year, the increase this year over 1904 being due to the season commencing a great deal earlier and continuing somewhat later. Another saving has also been effected by paying the teamsters by the hour, instead of by the day — that is, if a cart goes out in the morning, and is stopped by rain or from some other cause, payment is made only for the hours worked. Each cart, it is estimated, should take care of three miles of roadway a day.

Engineer Graydon was present, and in reply to a query by Ald. Saunders, he said the trouble in London was not due to the street-watering inspectors, who did their work well.

"It is with the contractors," said the engineer. "If you stood over them with an axe you could not get them to do their work properly."

Mr. Graydon went on to say that some of the contractors had been in the habit of getting out at 5 o'clock in the morning, flooding the streets in their districts before 7, and then working all morning for other people. The streets would be flooded again at 1 o'clock, and the contractors would manage to get in two or three hours for other people during the afternoon. By this means, they were able to make $7 or $8 a day.

Mr. Graydon thought the work could be done by the day, instead of by contract, and money saved the city. The asphalt district had been done by day work, and a saving of $150 effected this year.

The engineer does not like the contractors—or the way they have done their work. One of the chief causes of all the trouble lies in their refusal to have the sprinklers on the carts properly adjusted.

"Time and again," said the engineer, "the sprinklers have been set so that the streets would not be flooded, and I would no sooner get my back turned than the drivers would open them wide again. You can't do anything with them. They will flood the streets, anyway."

After informally discussing the matter for a short time, the committee deferred action. At the next meeting Ald. Gillean will furnish the committee with an outline of how he thinks the street watering can be done here.



ELIZABETH LOWERY,
Victim of the Atrocious Murder at Rodney Last April.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"The Princess Chic" is the offering at the Grand Opera House tonight. The cast contains forty people, is said to have a number of unusually good voices, and a chorus that is well trained and delightful to look upon. Miss Elaine Von Thiele will sing the title role. Miss Von Thiele is a Chicago girl; the most of her life has been spent abroad. Her father is a well-known musician, having been director of the orchestra at McVicker's Theater, Chicago, for many years.

EDNA GOODRICH.

The Grand Opera House will offer a day of rare fun Saturday, matinee and night, when Henry Woodruff and Miss



EDNA GOODRICH.

Edna Goodrich, supported by an excellent company, will present the new farce comedy success, "The Genius and the Model." It is a humorous satire, and the make-believe art devoteee in certain fashionable circles in New York is held up to ridicule in the most laughable manner. The genius is Henry Woodruff, and the part fits him perfectly. Miss Goodrich, who plays the model, is a very beautiful young woman, whose charming modesty and winsome personality are admirably suited to the part. Her performance has been very highly praised in other cities. The production is a very handsome one scenically, and the gowns worn by the women show the latest creations in the modiste's art.

The people of London may look for a treat on Saturday evening at the 24th Auditorium Pop. The Cecilian Ladies' Trio will sing, as will also Mr. Dewi Michael, a noted Welsh tenor. These will be assisted by local talent. Miss Elva McBroom, violinist, and Miss Estelle Livingstone, entertainer.

The Lyric Glee Club, assisted by Agnes Doyle, the Irish dialect reader, will open the Y. M. C. A. big course next Tuesday evening in the Auditorium. The glee club is rated by the lyceum bureaus to be the most entertaining company of singers on the platform. They are new to London audiences, but no doubt they will sustain the big reputation which they have attained abroad.

MISS WORDETTE.

To many persons who have enjoyed the clever acting of Miss Estelle Wordette, who is appearing at Bennett's this week in the merry little sketch, "When the Cat's Away," the query has been evoked, "What has she done previous to her vaudeville career?"

She began playing parts some years ago in Chicago under the management of Col. John Hopkins, and while there played almost all the characters in the known drama, her successes being in such roles as Leonie in Bryton's "Forgiven;" Sue Endaly, in "Blue Jeans," and Barbara Hare, in "East Lynne," a part she played 122 times. She starred one season in "Miss Hersey from Jersey," and has been at the head of her own company three years in vaudeville. Miss Wordette adapts all her own sketches, having written "When the Cat's Away," her present vehicle, and "A Honeymoon in the Catskills," the mirth-provoking comedietta which introduced her to London audiences.

Her manager and partner in vaudeville is Mr. Jules Kusell, the well-known actor singer, whose irresistible humor has made him a prime favorite here.

The recital of Dr. Drummond, the Habitant poet and Irish humorist, in the Auditorium, Nov. 28, will be based on his latest volume of poems, "Le Voyageur." He will also read some original sketches, both prose and poetry, hitherto unpublished. He will be assisted by J. Parnell Morris (tenor), and W. H. Hewlett (pianist). Admission, 50 cents. Tickets on sale at Anderson's and Mills' book stores.

Some Seasonable Advice.

The uniform success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy has won for it a wide reputation and many people throughout the country will agree with Mr. Charles W. Mattison, of Milford, Va., who says: "It works like magic, and is the best preparation I know of. It couldn't be any better." He had a serious attack of dysentery and was advised to try a bottle of this remedy, which he did, with the result that immediate relief was obtained. For sale by all druggists.

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ALDERMAN KNOCKS MAYOR'S PROPOSAL

Chairman of No. 3 Doesn't Approve of Second Steamer—Wants City to Wait.

At the meeting of No. 3 committee of the council last evening, Mayor Campbell introduced the question of asking the people to vote in January on an issue of $10,000 or $12,000 debentures for a second steam fire engine. In support of the proposition, the mayor pointed out that it might pave the way for a fire hall in the north end, where one had been wanted for several years, and it would also bring about a reduction in the insurance key rate. "It may be," said the mayor, "that the engine would not be needed more than once a year, but its work at a single large fire might save more than its cost.

Ald. Matthews is one of the "knockers" on Mayor Campbell's proposal. "Is it not the intention to have a better water pressure by laying a second main?" he asked.

"A second main may give more pressure," said the mayor.

Ald. Matthews referred to the present steamer as an elephant on the city's hands. The initial cost of the engine was not what he objected to so much as the cost after it was purchased. An engineer and horses would have to be kept, and in addition to this there was the cost of keeping the water in the engine at the boiling point at all times. If the city was to have a new main, additional springs and an increased pressure, it did not need a second fire engine.

The mayor replied that the pressure may be good 49 times in 50, but there will come a time when the second engine will be needed, and it might be the means of averting a catastrophe.

"Wait until we see what the pressure will be with the second main before we buy an engine," interrupted Ald. Matthews.

To which the mayor answered that many people do not feel assured that the waterworks extension is going to better the pressure.

The matter was then dropped.

Fire Chief Clark brought up the question of a cable to replace the old one on the aerial truck the other day, when the firemen were at practice. The Waterous Company, of Brantford, will be asked for a price.

The petition for an electric light on Beaconsfield avenue was laid over. The committee will visit the thoroughfare before reporting on the petition. It is hardly likely any action will be taken this year, as the committee has no funds at its disposal.

Ald. Matthews (chairman), Gillean, Saunders and Abram, Mayor Campbell, Secretary Bell and Market Clerk Maker were present.

BAD WINGHAM FIRE

Entire Block Wiped Out in an Early Morning Blaze.

Wingham, Nov. 1.—The Button Block was almost completely wiped out by fire here today. Several families who lived in the block escaped in their night clothes. There were several narrow escapes from death.

The total damage is placed at $12,000.

Fire had broken out in the block on Monday afternoon, but had been put out. It is thought that it smouldered between the partitions and was overlooked till it got such headway at 5 a.m. that it could not be checked.

The list of losses and insurances is as follows: W. Frank Vanstone, owner, loss $5,000, insurance, Waterloo, London, $3,250; L. G. Kruse, tenant, grocer, $2,500; insurance, Equity, Royal and Standard, $1,500; Chas. Swanson, barber, $500; no insurance; L. Bisbie, bookkeeper, $500, no insurance; Thos. Fells, butcher, $600, insurance, Liverpool, London and Globe, $300; Mrs. Aley, milliner, $2,000, insurance, Metropolitan, $1,000; Mrs. McLean, $900, insurance, Anglo-American, $350.

TO WITHDRAW ALLIED ARMS

Kaiser Takes Steps to Remove the Foreign Troops From China.

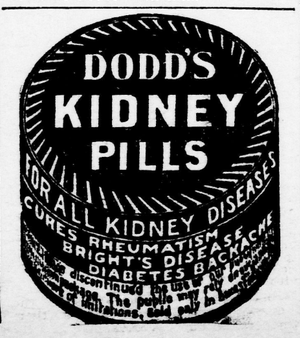
Washington, D. C., Nov. 1.—The American State Department has been informed that at the instance of Emperor William steps have been taken to secure the withdrawal of the troops of the allied powers associated in the suppression of the Boxer uprising, which was assigned to the protection of the road from Pekin to Tien Tsin.

One of the articles of the treaty which terminated the Boxer uprising conferred upon the powers the right to police this road, the purpose being to insure a safe line of retreat from Pekin for the diplomats and other foreigners in that capital, and thereby avoid a recurrence of the siege of the legations of 1900.

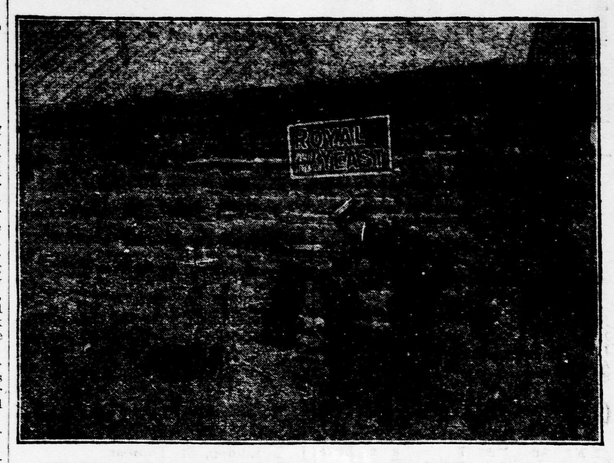
America refrained from stationing troops on the road. A small guard of soldiers, however, was stationed at the American legation in Pekin, and this force has only recently been relieved by a detachment of about 40 marines.

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ELEVEN WHALERS FAST IN THE ICE

Caught by the Arctic Winter and Must Remain There Until Next Summer.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 1.—Eleven whaling vessels, comprising almost the entire fleet which sailed from this city, have been caught in the ice floes of the Arctic Ocean.

They will not be able to get out until next July or August, and in the meantime their crews of 440 men must face the hardships of a winter in the north.

Most of the vessels now in the ice left San Francisco last spring and are not provisioned for a stay in the Arctic. The Government will be asked to send out a relief expedition to forward supplies to the imprisoned men.

MRS. DIAMOND CLEARED

Grand Jury No Bill in the Belleville Alleged Poisoning Case.

Belleville, Nov. 1.—The grand jury this afternoon returned "no bill" against Mrs. Susan Diamond, of Queensboro, charged with the murder of her daughter-in-law by strychnine poison administered in a dose of salts.

At the preliminary investigation for committal before Magistrate Wood an effort was made to show that bad relations existed between the younger and older Diamond women.

Harry Diamond, husband of the accused, told the story of a dose of salts being made up for him by his wife, he taking castor oil instead. The salts remained over night in the pantry, deceased taking them the following morning. The result was convulsions, and, subsequently death in about six hours.

Druggist Atkins testified that his register shows that on July 8, 1902, Mrs. Diamond purchased five cents worth of strychnine.

Dr. Alexander testified that he tested the salts out of which the fatal dose was taken and there was no strychnine in it.

The mother of the victim, Mrs. Henry, testified that the couple agreed well. Her daughter came home at times and her husband would come and fetch her away.

A LIGHT IN THE WINDOW

Mother Kept It There for Eighteen Years for Son's Return.

Omaha, Nov. 2.—After watching and waiting eighteen years, every night of which she placed a light in the window for her son, who left home years ago, Mrs. Naomi Welles, a widow, died here yesterday. She refused to be moved to the county hospital during her sickness for fear that the boy would return and find his mother absent.

The son, Frank, left home when 16, eighteen years ago, to make his fortune, as he said. A week after his departure a letter came from St. Joseph, Mo., from him. Since that time Mrs. Welles has heard nothing from him.

The world's merchant marine of giant steamers of over 12,000 register tons now includes 56 vessels, 31 of which are under the English flag.

PROBATION FOR ONE-TIME DRUNKS

Deputation Ask Whitney to Put It in Operation in Ontario.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—A deputation called on Hon. W. J. Hanna, provincial secretary, today, and asked him to personally take a trip to Massachusetts and other states where the probation system in dealing with various classes of offenders is widely used.

The speakers said they had facts and figures of their own which they considered very convincing, but they would prefer Mr. Hanna to secure independent data, which could not be charged with being colored by the special advocates of the system.

If he is unable to go himself, they askd that he send one of his inspectors.

The scheme being advocated is to extend the probation system not only to juvenile offenders, but to inebriates and first offenders among all adults.

The deputation claimed that splendid results have been secured from this plan in France and in some of the United States.

The deputation included Rev. Robt. Hall and Hamilton Cassels, representing the Prisoners' Aid Society; Rev. Dr. Perry, representing the Associated Charities; Col. Farewell, of Whitby, representing the Conference of Charities and Corrections; Dr. Rosebrugh, Dr. Oldright, Dr. Barrick and Dr. Harley Smith, representing the Society for the Reformation of Inebriates.

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What a multitude of women there are who feel that these words exactly suit their case. From early morn until late at night they have been on the go, year in and year out, attending to the daily household duties, looking after the wants of her children and spending the rest of her time attending to social and church work. Is it any wonder then that sooner or later there comes a general collapse? The action of the heart becomes weak and palpitating, the nerves become unstrung, the brain feels in a whirl half the time, and the usual force of vitality is lacking.

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LONDON AND DISIRICT

—Mrs. A. Brown, Horton street, has returned after a month's visit with her nieces in Camden and Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Friend, of Los Angeles, Cal., are visiting their old home here.

—Mr. Elmer W. Gram, of South London, has left on a trip to Calgary, for the benefit of his health.

—The Bishop of Huron will pay his first visitation to St. John's Church, Sandwich, on Sunday afternoon next, for the purpose of confirming a class.

—Rev. Dr. Crummy, of Toronto, will address the congregation at both services next Sunday in Dundas Center Church. Dr. Crummy is one of the stalwarts of Methodism in Canada, and is one of their ablest speakers.

—The Thistle Club dance on Friday night promises to prove one of the most enjoyable events of the entire season. Invitations are being eagerly sought, and the committee is working hard to make a success of the affair in all particulars.

—All friends are invited to attend a meeting of the Literary Society of the Western University, which will be held in convocation hall at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening. The programme includes a debate and musical and literary numbers.

—At a meeting of the veteran firemen a new constitution was adopted. After the election of officers in January it is proposed to hold the annual reunion and banquet, an event which brings youthful days back again to the old-time fire-fighters.

—Mr. Harry A. Collins, of Toronto, announced on Monday night that he will no seek re-election as potentate of Rameses, Temple of Mystic Shriners, in December. He has held the office twenty years. A number of London members of the shrine were at the meeting when Mr. Collins made the announcement.

—Mrs. Sarah Allen, widow of the late James Allen, of St. Catharines, died there on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Allen leaves four sons and two daughters—James, John, George and Fred, and Miss Augusta Allen, of St. Catharines, and Mrs. W. T. Wilson, of this city. Mrs. Allen was born in Niagara, but had resided in St. Catharines for the past 45 years.

—The announcement is made that the combined recital, which was to have been given in the First Methodist Church tonight, has been postponed on account of the illness of Madam Maconda, who, with Mr. George Fax, were to assist Mr. Jordan. The recital will be given Thursday evening, Dec. 7, with the programme as already arranged. Subscribers for tonight's concert will use the ticket they hold now for the concert Dec. 7.

—Mr. E. B. Eddy, president of the E. B. Eddy Company, Hull, Canada, was in the city yesterday. He has been in business since 1851, and few names are better known in Canada than that of the venerable founder of the above company—in fact, it is a household word to two generations. There is only one customer of Mr. Eddy's now in this city carrying on business under the same firm name as that of 50 years ago.

DICK RALPH BUYS HOTEL.

It is understood that the saloon in Detroit which was formerly run by Daniel V. Gray, has been purchased by ex-Police Officer Richard Ralph, of this city.

THE STOVE UPSET.

The firemen were called by 'phone at 5:38 yesterday afternoon to the home of Mrs. Switzer, 8 Belton street, West London. A coal stove upset, but the fire did not manage to reach the woodwork before the department arrived. No damage was done. Before returning to the hall, the firemen set the stove up.

MORE RAIN THAN A YEAR AGO.

According to the figures of the local observatory, the rainfall during the month of October, 1905, amounted to 2.90 inches, as compared with 2.19 in October, 1904. Rain fell on ten days this year in October, and eleven in the corresponding month of 1904. The snowfall was 0.09 inches in October just ended. The highest temperature during the past month was 8.15 degrees, on the 30th. In October, 1904, the highest temperature registered was 74 degrees, and the lowest 19, the same as during the month just closed.

LOBO LADY DEAD.

Mrs. Martha Harrison, wife of Mr. Benjamin Harrison, passed away yesterday at her home in Lobo. Deceased was a very old resident of Lobo, being 79 years of age at her demise, and had spent the greater part of her life in that township. She is survived by her husband, three daughters—Mrs. Mason, of Grey street; Mary and Martha at home, and three sons—Alfred, of Rectory street; Benjamin, of Lobo, and Godfrey, at home. One sister, Mrs. Eleanor, of Sarnia, also survives.

NEW PASTOR ORDAINED.

The London Presbytery met at Appin on Tuesday, when Rev. George F. N. Atkinson, of Wardsville, was formally ordained to the ministry after having sustained a lengthy and thorough examination in systematic theology, church history, New Testament Greek and Hebrew. Mr. Atkinson also delivered a sermon on a text chosen by the moderator of the presbytery. Subsequent to the ordination he was inducted to the pastoral charge of Appin and North Ekfrid, to succeed Rev. Alex Henderson. Rev. T. R. Shearer, of Melbourne, presided, the moderator being absent and the others present were Revs. Mr. Kelso, of Wallacetown; H. Mackay, of London Junction; Dr. McDonald, of Mosa; A. Henderson, clerk; James Malcolm, of Dutton; D. T. Ellison, of Dunwich; George Weir, of Glencoe, and Principal Merchant, of London.

LONDON LADY WEDDED.

Brantford Expositor, Wednesday: Brant Avenue Methodist Church was the scene of a quiet wedding this morning, when Mrs. E. N. Hunt, of London, daughter of Mr. Woods Lyons, of this city, was married to Mr. William J. Loughead, of Wilmington, Ohio. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Harvey. Miss Ella Bowes was bridesmaid and Dr. H. L. Hunt best man. Mrs. A. C. Lyons acted as matron of honor, while the father gave the bride away. The bride's dress was of green silk, trimmed with lace, and a hat to match. She carried white roses. Miss Shannon, of this city, played the Wedding March. A luncheon was served to the few friends present at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lyons, Napoleon street, after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Loughead left for New York en route for an extensive old country tour.

MR. DEARNESS IS FIT.

The Windsor Record, in speaking of its nomination of Vice-Principal Dearness, of the London Normal School, for the position of deputy minister of education says that the nomination has met with general approval, and adds: "There can be no question as to the fitness of Mr. Dearness among the classes best qualified to judge, namely, the teachers of the public and high schools of Western Ontario, who have profited so largely by his scholastic versatility, and the eminently practical bent of his mind in things pedagogical. One of his best recommendations is, he has risen from the ranks, and thus is familiar with educational needs in all grades. Only one thing stands in the way of Mr. Dearness, and this is his extreme modesty, a quality which, although usually an attribute of profundity, is liable to confine its possessor to the 'cool, sequestered way' of educational life, while the more showy, but merely superficial man, manages to keep himself in the limelight."

THE NEWSPAPER AND ITS COMMUNITY.

Speaking of what a newspaper does for a community, United States Senator David Davis, of Illinois, made an address that remains ever green in the memories of newspaper men. He said: "Every year every local paper gives from 500 to 5,000 free lines for the benefit of the community in which it is located. No other agency can or will do this. The editor in proportion to his means does more for his own town than any other man. He ought to be supported, not because you happen to like him or admire his writing, but because a local paper is the best investment a community can make. It may not be crowded with great thought, but financially it is of more benefit than both preacher and teacher. Today editors do more for less pay than any man on earth. Patronize your home paper, not as a charity, but as an investment."—Newspaperdom.

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PEN-PICTURE OF IRVING'S BURIAL

Solemn and Impressive Scene in the Abbey.

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London, Nov. 1. — I have never seen the sun shine so brightly within the Abbey as it shone when the ashes of Henry Irving were laid to rest. Hardly once during the splendid ceremony of farewell did that clear light fail us or permit us to remember the common aspect of this house of "strange shadows." To many the opportunity may have come as a revelation of unknown beauties in our midst; the beauties of great spaces and mediaeval distances, of nave and aisle and choir, of vault and arch and screen. . . but chiefly of that spell of antiquity which the Abbey can put upon us as no other church in Europe. Here, we may have read, is the scene of the greatest emotional dramas in the national story. The least imaginative sat at the feet of great kings; the voices of the dead seemed to be heard in the intervals of sound.

Henry Irving's funeral, and a country in heart and thought there by the graveside! Every child of London, every citizen, many afar, will know the place they had prepared to receive the venerated ashes. Our first memories of the Abbey dwell here in this lofty transept, where glass of wondrous colors gave vistas unforgotten to our childhood, and all the mystery of the nation's Valhalla seemed to be most surely fostered. "Poets'" corner we have known and read of; the tombs and tablets that adorn or disfigure it; alike the farrago of false thoughts and nonsense," as Charles Lamb named the monument to Garrick, and the words which Benson should have devoted to Milton, but disposed upon himself. For many of us it is sufficient that Chaucer lies here and Spenser near by. If we look up at the paltry memorial to Shakespeare, it is but to note that Irving's grave is open before it. A shallow grave, draped about with violet cloth, and soon to receive some of those flowers which have overflowed into the very cloisters, so that entering the Abbey by Little Dean's Yard your first impression is of sunshine and then of lilies. Wreaths and crosses and bouquets — the humblest lay their tribute upon Henry Irving's heart — such an offering of flowers as can scarcely have been known within living memory.

There was a large concourse of people in the nave as I passed through but so admirably had everything been organized by the stewards, that never at any time did the semblance of a hitch occur or any evidence of overcrowding. In the choir, Mr. Bourchier, Mr. Fred Terry, Mr. Edward Terry, Mr. Cyril Maude, Mr. Hayden Coffin and others were marvels of diligence and cleverness in helping to seat the people; while elsewhere Mr. George Alexander and Mr. Lewis Waller achieved their heavy tasks with a result which could not fail to be gratifying to them. To me it seemed that this vast gathering was just such a one as Henry Irving would have wished to be present at, for it was a gathering typical of no class or school or art or profession, but of that great world which oftentimes knows little pleasure other than which such men as he have given it. In the streets from the earliest hours there had waited those who used to wait in the old days, patiently and laboriously, at the doors of the Lyceum. One seemed to recognize the very faces, old and young, anxious and doubtful; to catch the familiar phrases from the lips that had so often spoken them; to hear in imagination once more that resounding welcome, long sustained and echoing, from the very souls which uttered it. And within for the most part were the great actor's personal friends — His Majesty the King to be first named, as represented by Sir Dighton Probyn, and so downwards to the humblest who prized the term as a precious possession.

I entered the Abbey a little after 11 o'clock. Sir Frederick Bridge was then playing that supreme expression of pathos in music, Chopin's "Funeral March." Upon the altar two candles were lighted, and these, with apostle and gospel lights and those about the catafalque, gave golden aureoles to the sanctuary. So silently that one was hardly conscious of their passing, those who mourned Henry Irving went to their seats beneath the lectern or in the choir. Actors and actresses, many of them. Here also art was represented, and letters and law and medicine. Indeed, the many activities of London's intellect seemed to move amid the throng and to recall every instant some story of friendship, of success, of great achievement and splendid endeavor. In the interval of waiting Purcell's solemn funeral music fell upon the air as a dirge of unearthly voices singing a De Profundis. There were trumpets for this, the brazen notes ringing out defiantly beneath the vault and ebbing away to a rolling sound as of many drums. Then came Schubert's diviner melody . . . and then upon all things a hush as of a tense moment of waiting, a knowledge that we stood in the presence of the dead. Far away the trebles of the choir could just be heard as a sweet echo upon the still air. Anon, the sounds became clearer, and the words of a hymn could be distinguished.

We stood and waited, many with emotions to which no other expression but that of silence could be given; and the music of the hymn swelling louder, the golden cross was borne uplifted to the sanctuary, and the scarlet cassocks of the choristers lent the first flash of color the day had shown to us. And now we stand so close to the coffin of the man we have loved that the outstretched hand could almost touch it. A green pall of sewn laurel leaves is thrown over the shell—his sons bend over it; the faces of his friends are all about it; the pomp and magnificence of the scene are a worthy expression of the national homage. But many of us are blind to these things at the moment, for we are saying farewell in our hearts, and the last words that he spoke to us are spoken again as he goes from us, and we know that we shall hear him never more. And here is the final, the ultimate pathos of death. Not in farewell, but in memory —for that which was and shall never be again.

We are glad to see the Dean of Westminster in his accustomed place, robed in a violet cope, as was the sub-dean, Canon Duckworth. The majestic dignity of the scene attained its highest expression, I think, when the canon and the clerics, preceded by the cross bearers, entered the sanctuary, and knelt upon the north side of the high altar, now draped in violet and with candles glowing upon it. In Westminister Abbey none may quarrel with the mediaeval, and surely none quarreled with it yesterday. Here was a service typically English, yet as expressive of the simpler truths of a common religion as the finest offices of Rome. The altar throne, the priests in copes, the mellow light of candles, the "storied windows richly dight," the sweet music of young voices, the deeper harmonies of bass and organ, the black throng of people, and, above all, the vault of that Abbey whereto the mighty dead have been carried almost since England had a story—these made their sure appeal to the imagination of the worshipers and invited the quick response. Standing upon the threshhold of Henry Irving's grave, the words had become words of hope rather than of sorrow. "Weep ye not for the dead"—the anthem went; and upon that the ecstatic cry of revelation —"I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write. From henceforth blessed are the dead which die in the Lord: even so saith the Spirit: for they rest from their labors." And to this every heart said amen. It was our thought as we listened to Goss' exquisite music; we heard it again during the lesson; it followed us to the graveside while Sir Frederick Bridge played the funeral march from the music to "Coriolanus" and the dean said the last prayers. "Upon such a tide as moving seems asleep." So had he gone from us.

The procession moved to the southern transept, and to those in the choir the music and the voices became sounds afar, echoing above us in transcendent harmonies. We heard the dean for the first time; the six candles burned by an empty catafalque, prayers were intoned, a hush fell, and then, as rolling thunder, trumpets and organ and voices swelled out in the superb pean, "Praise to the Holiest in the Height." The hour of the dirge had passed. Henceforth it should be a thanksgiving, the recognition of triumph, of achievement, of gain. Such a life as this shall end in tears and in joy; but gladness that it was lived must be the last expression.

And then upon this tumult of loud harmony there came benediction, again saying "Blessed are the dead." We stood for the Dead March, and the choir and clergy passed out. The sun still shone through the rich glass of the transept windows, the lights still burned upon the altar, the grave was open, and the flowers thick upon it. But none said farewell, for the voice of thanksgiving still rang victoriously in our ears.

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