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HENRY IRVING IN NEW YORK. New York, Oct. 26.—Henry Irving, Miss Ellen Terry and their company of 54, arrived on the Marquette from London today.

Transvaal War Is No Picnic!

Total British Casualties Reported by the War Office, 597,

The Bombardment of Mafeking by Cronje's Men in Progress.

A Number of Houses Are Now in Flames!

A Missing Troop of British Hussars Cut Their Way Through the Enemy's Lines and Join Their Comrades

Pretoria, Oct. 24, via Lorenzo Marquez.—The bombardment of Mafeking by Gen. Cronje's command began this morning. The women and children were given ample time to leave the

The shelling of Mafeking was resumed at daybreak this morning. Sever-

al houses are in flames. GENS. YULE AND WHITE IN

Cape Town, Oct. 25-Evening-It is officially announced that Gen. Yule is in touch with Gen. Sir George Stewart White at Ladysmith

REPORT FROM GEN. WHITE. London, Oct. 26.—The war office last evening made public the following dispatch sent by Gen. White from Ladyith at 3:50 in the afternoon:

"The advance guard of the force sent out by me this morning to get in touch with and help Gen. Yule's column, was within three miles of that column, which had temporarily halted have occupied all the strong positions burg, dated Oct. 23: "The proclama-on the road to Ladysmith, and I have | tion of martial law throughout Natal no further anxiety about them. I have received from Lieut. Kenrick, signalling officer of the Queen's regi-ment, who has ridden in, and also from Col. Dartnell, of the Natal Police, who the troops, who are very anxious to cational department.

meet the enemy again.'

THE CASUALTIES. The war office issued the following: There is nothing to add to Gen. White's description of the engagement near Ladysmith, as given in his dispatch, except that we now learn the

following casualties: "First Gloucester-Killed-Col. Wilford. Wounded-Lieut. Hickie, Second Battery, Field Artillery; Lieut. Douglass, Fifty-third battery, Field Artillery; Major Adby, Lieut. Perrau, Lieut. Hobart.

"Nineteenth Hussars-Lieut. Holford. The following casualties occurred among the non-commissioned officers and men:

"Nineteenth Hussars-Killed, 1; wounded 2. Fifth Lancers-Wounded, 1. "Artillery-Wounded, 5.

"First Devonshire Regiment-Killed ; wounded, 5. First Gloucester Regiment-Killed, 7; wounded, 52; missing, 3. "Natal volunteers, Carbineers-Killed, 1; wounded, 10.

"Natal Mounted Rifles-Wounded, 2. "Border Mounted Rifles-Killed, 2; wounded, 10. The total number of casualties, as corrected, is: Killed, 13; wounded, 93;

missing, 3. "We learn from unofficial sources that the following officers, whose ab-sence had not previously been notified to us, are prisoners in the enemy's

"Eighteenth Hussars — Lieut-Col. Moller, Major Greville and Capt. Pollock. "Dublin Fusiliers—Capt. Lonsdale, Lieut. Lemeseurier, Lieut. Garvice, Lieut. Grimshaw, Lieut. Majendie and

Lieut. Shore. "It is presumed that the whole squad-ron of the Eighteenth Hussars, under the command of the officers named, were made prisoners.' [A squadron of hussars usually consists of three troops of 28 men each, so about 80 officers and men of the Eigh-

teenth Hussars were apparently cap-TOTAL BRITISH CASUALTIES. The war office returns show that the total British casualties since the the total British casualties since the beginning of hostilities reached 597—18 officers having been killed and 55 wounded, and 76 men killed and 435 wounded. There are thirteen unaccounted for. This total, however, does not include the gaubaren of the

not include the squadron of the Eighteenth Hussars which went astra; near Dundee, and the officers of the Dublin Fusiliers. The report of heavy losses sent from Rietfontein came as unpleasant surprise, as Gen White's telegram to the war office gave the impression that there was merely THIS LOOKS BETTER.

A special dispatch from Ladysmith, dated Oct. 23, says the troopers of the Eighteenth Hussars who got astray in pursuing the Boers after the battle of Glencoe, have arrived at Ladysmith, the troopers having fought their way through with the loss of three horses. A dispatch to the London Daily Telegraph from Ladysmith, dated Monday, says: Thirty of the Highteenth His-

you doctor's bills by their warmth and comfort, try our men's WATER-TIGHT shoe, and our ladies' SUB-STANTIAL walking shoe. For ele-Biggarsberg, the enemy pursuing and firing at them at a range of 300 yards. They arrived here at 10 o'clock this morning. Three of the troop are missing, owing to the breakdown of their horses. The Boers used a Maxim. The lieutenant of the Hussars, who

REINFORCEMENTS ON THE WAY. Gen. Sir Redvers Buller is expected to arrive at the Cape early next week, and the indications are that some troops have already arrived at the front and been in the fighting whose arrival has not yet been announced. There is every probability, therefore, that reinforcements are now moving up. This is calculated to hasten Gen. Joubert's attack on Ladysmith, and news of a big battle is daily expected. About half a complete army corps is now afloat, and a lull has occurred in dispatching the remainder of Gen. Buller's troops, owing to some diffi-culty in obtaining transports. The The mobilization and embarkation of 12,000 men have preceded with the utmost smoothness and completeness, winning admiration from even the severest critics of war office organization.

AT KIMBERLEY. London, Oct. 26.-Advices from Phillipstown Tuesday say that the search-lights of the Kimberley defences were visible the night previous, and that therefore Kimberley is still intact. The latest dispatch from Kimberley gives details of the arrangements made by the British commander, Col. Keke-wiche, for the defence of the town. The meat consumption is limited to a pound daily. A fire brigade has been formed, and its members are prohibited from joining in the defence of the place, as their services are likely to be otherwise required. The townsbe otherwise required. The towns-folk are working ungrudgingly, notwithstanding sleepless nights and the absence of business. Miles of barbed wire surround the town. The Boers remain out of reach of the guns.

FROM PIETERMARITZBURG. London, Oct. 26.-The Daily Mail at Sunday River at about noon. I has the following from Pietermaritzhas given great satisfaction.

"Among the Boer prisoners at Ladysmith are Dewitt Hamer, member of the Raad for Barborton, and Dr. Van-Col. Dartnell, of the Natal Police, who accompanied the column, the best account of the spirits and efficiency of Jong, secretary of the Transvaal edu-"It is now expected that Gen Van

Kock, the Boer commander, will recover. Gen. White gave him the option of being taken to Pretoria or of remaining at Ladysmith, and he chose the latter. "The heavy losses of the King's

Royal Rifles at Dundee seem to have been due to the black belts worn over the khaki, which afforded an excellent target." SERIOUS BUSINESS.

Speaking at Dublin to the departing troops, Gen. Lord Frederick Roberts of Kandahar said that however important previous campaigns in South Afhad appeared at the time, they dwindled into insignificance when com-pared with the great event in which the British troops were about to en-

STRENGTH OF THE TWO FORCES. ner, military attache of the United States at London, who has been ordered to South Africa, to witness the military operations there, has, the Herald publishes, sent to Washington this statement of the present and prospective strength of the British army: Force now in South Africa, regulars 12,000, volunteers 14,000; reinforcements to arrive before No. 1, 10,000; total force in South Africa by No. 1, 36,000. Reinforcements forcements contemplated: One complete army corps, divided thus—Caval-ry, 5,534; infantry, 29,253; corps, troops, including artillery, engineers, etc., 5,-122; troops on line of communication, 9,297; troops to be left at base, 2,832; total, 52,338. Contingents from Queensland and New Zealand, 250; grand to-

Col. Sumner also sends an estimate of the Boer force, said to be the official figures of Commandant-General Joubert. These total 50,864 men.

JUNCTION

Armies of Gen. Yule and Gen. White United.

Death of the British Commander, General Symons, Announced in Parliament.

Landon, Oct. 26.-The war office has received the following dispatch from Gen. White: "Ladysmith, Oct. 26, 12:40 p.m.-Gen. Yule's column has just marched in here after a very hard march during a night of exceptionally heavy rain. The men, though done up, rest. The enemy did not molest them."

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5,000 troops to sail for South Africa between Nov. 4 and Nov. 18.

GEN. SYMONS DEAD. London, Oct. 26 .- The death of Gen. Sir William Penn Symons, the British was with a party, was driven back to Glencoe. The Hussars were fired at as far down as Mowderspruit. in the stomach with the battle of the Boers there, was officially announced

in the House of Commons today. THE SITUATION. London, Oct. 26 .- The dispatches from the front are so diversified and contradictory, that it is difficult to outline the situation with any degree of exactitude. Three or four main facts, however, stand out prominently. Gen. Symons' fight at Glencoe was not anything like the decisive victory at first alleged, and Gen. Yule would in all probability have been annihilated, or have met with the same fate as the captured Hussars if he had not retreated. Gen. White's antillery duel at Rietfontein was a very severe engagement, in which the rifle did great execution, and in which success was only achieved

HUSSARS PRISONERS IN PRETO-RIA. The bombardment of Mafeking has commenced, with unknown results, and the Boers have got their Hussar prisoners safely to Pretoria. Altogether, the campaign is being rushed by the Boers so strenuously and on such sound strategical lines that the situation of the British must in all probability give them cause for deep anxiety for some diately. Apart from the fatigue suffered, regiments like the Gordon Highlanders and Royal Rifles, have been practically without officers since the fight, and 135 additional officers have been ordered to leave England as speedily as possible. An official British ac-

at a distressing cost.

count of THE FIGHTING AT RIETFONTEIN, given out at Cape Town, says: "The enemy posted a battery two miles south of Modderspruit, and opened with infantry fire at long range on the British advance guard, consisting of the 19th Hussars. This was followed by artillery fire, directed with considerable accuracy against the British guns. An action lasting six hours ensued at Rietfontein farm. The enemy were driven from the hills commanding the roads. Sir George White's object being accomplished, the column returned to Ladysmith. The enemy is believed to have suffered. Several Boers own officially that they lost over 100 killed at Elandslaagte. Three hundred prisoners, wounded and unwounded are in the hands of the British, including several of high position. The frans-vaal force defeated at Elandslaagte was the Johannesburg comps.

THE CAPTURED HUSSARS. Pretoria, Oct. 26 .- The British prisoners captured Friday near Dundee were entrained at Dannhauser. They filled ten trucks. The officers traveled first class, and a separate van was provided for the wounded officers. An enormous crowd assembled at the station. here to witness their arrival, but New York, Oct. 26.—Col. S. S. Sum-they alighted the prisoners were received with funeral silence upon the part of the crowd. The greatest order and decorum prevailed while they were traversing the streets. The wounded were taken to a hospital, while the other officers and men were marched to the racecourse, and escorted by mounted burghers, and were encamped on the spot where Jameson's troopers were confined. The officers (Lieut,-Col. Moller, Major Greville and Capt. Pollock, of the Eighteenth Hussars, and Capt. Lonsdale, Lieut. Le Meserieur, Lieut. Garvice, Lieut. Grimshaw, Lleut. Majendi and Lieut. Shore, of the Dublin Fusiliers) looked in good health. They are quartered in a building apart from the men. On giving their parole they will be allowed the freedom of the whole inclosure. The men appear indifferent, and spend most of their time smoking. They sleep on the grand

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The special service officers will inblude Col. Sam Hughes, M.P., Lindsay; Major Caruwright, assistant adjutantgeneral, Ottawa; Major Sept. Denison, London; and either Lieut.-Col. Les-lard, Royal Dragoons, or Lieut.-Col. Pelletier, D.O.C., of No. 7 district, Que-

The expedition is to be no mere plants. If the war be not over before the Canadians arrive in Cape Colony, they will assuredly go to the front and smell powder.

His Excellency Lord Minto and household leave for Quebec on Friday for the purpose of seeing the contin-

The time for the departure of the Sardinian was fixed for the unearthly hour of 1 a.m. on Tuesday next. Protests have been made to the department against leaving at such an hour, as the send-off to the troops would be spailed by a late parade. The department does not, however, consider sending of the contingent to South the sending of the commission. On the Arrica as a holiday affair. On the contrary, it is a very serious business. The Allans have pledged themselves to have the vessel ready on Monday, and the department will not lose a moment in getting her away. The only thing which may retard the departure of the Sardinian until Tuesday noon, or possibly a few hours later, will be the securing of the clothing. The Sanford Manufacturing Co., of Hamilton is working day and night to furnish the requisite outfit, but the notice was so short that they may not be able to complete the contract and get the goods to Quebec by Monday

THE NURSES.

The staff of nurses was completed today by the appointment of Miss Bessy Russell, daughter of Dr. Russell, medical superintendent of the Hamilton asylum. She is the only one of the staff of nurses who has seen war service. At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war Mass Russell was engaged in hospital work in New York. Volunteering for service with the Red Cross Society, she was accepted, and for several months was employed in the Philippines. Miss Russell has re-cently returned home from Manila.

BATTALION ADJUTANT.

Capt. A. H. Macdonell, R. C. R. I., the Montreal, or E. Company, is appointed battalion adjutant.

NO CLERGYMEN. It looks as if no elergymen are to go with the contingent. There has been so much wire-pulling for posi-tions of chaplains that the minister has decided to settle the matter by sending none. Instead, the offer of the Provincial Young Men's Christian Association of Ontario to send a competent man with the troops has been accepted. Dr. H. G. Barry, of 44 Collier street, Toronto, has been nominated by the executive of the provincial body, and accepted by the department, who will give transportation, the asso-ciation finding his outfit and paying his salary. Dr. Barry is secretary of the college branch of Y.M.C.A. work. He will look after the mental and moral welfare of the men, do the letter-writing of those who require it, and generally act as friend and coun-

MOVEMENTS OF THE PREMIER

Bir Wilfrid Laurier's Ontario Tour Concludes This Week.

Several hundred citizens were presented to Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the Tecumseh House yesterday afternoon. and were charmed by the cordial, gracious manner in which they were received by the premier. Early in the afternoon the premier and his party together with a number of prominent citizens were handsomely entertained at luncheon by Col. Leys, M.P.P., at his home in South London.

The opportune arrival of the premier in time to participate in the farewell to B Company of the South African contingent was most gratifying to the oldiens and to the citizens generally.

The premier and his party went east y the G. T. R. at 4:40. They stopped wer at Harrisburg, and later went on to Guelph, where Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. Mr. Fielding spent the right. This morning they went to Fergus, where the premier spoke this afternoon. Saturday he will spend at Smith's Falls, in the eastern part of the province, which will conclude his ered 49% feet. Four bags are regarded present Ontario tour. He will then go by cement consumers as equivalent to to Ottawa.

BUYING OUT HARPER & BRO. New York, Oct. 26 .- J. Pierpont Morgon has bought a controlling interest in the old publishing house of Harper & Bro., according to the New York Mr. Morgan is described as having invested a great sum—some reports mention \$1,000,000, and others 22,000,000. To Mr. Morgan is attributed the installation of S. S. McClure as the active manager of Harper & Bro.

LIVELY SCENES

Chief Williams, Intervenes Between Mr. Bartram and Mr. Scarrow.

The Beech Street Case Sent Over to the December Session.

Mr. W. H. Bartram had ex-Ald.Wm. Scarrow before the police magistrate this morning, charged with the unlawful appropriation of a part of Beech street, West London, near Wilson avenue, and thereby causing the thor-

dangerous as a driveway. City Clerk Kingston read bylaw 202 of West London, providing for the extension of Beech street, by lot 18, Mr. Scarrow's property. In reply to Mr. Scarrow, witness said Mr. Bartram was the only one who had complained

to the council. Assistant City Engineer Ironside was called, and stated that he had been given no instructions to survey the land in dispute.

Mr. Kingston stated that the council had passed a resolution, authorizing the land to be surveyed, and he had instructed the city engineer to do the same, as requested by Mr. Bartram. Mr. John Chapman, chairman of the West London board of works in 1886, swore that the fence surrounding Mr. scarrow's property had been moved

out about 20 feet. Mr. Bartram-Mr. Scarrow deliberately stole 37 feet of land from the pub-Mc, and he knows that to be the truth. Mr. Scarrow asked the court to protect him from this abuse from Mr. Bartram, and further asked to have him committed for contempt of court. Mr. Bartram-That won't help you in trying to keep your stolen property. I have as much right to steal it as you The public may let you steal it, but I won't, when it makes a common nuisance out of a public highway.

Magistrate-Order, gentlemen, order! The evidence of Mr. Thomas Culbert went to show that the fence had been moved out a number of feet. He thought it was before Mr. Scarrow owned the property that the fence was moved. Mr. Bartram-Mr. Scarrow has evidently been "stuffing" you, and you are making a fool of yourself in the wit-ness box. He has been lying to you, and told you that I wanted to get his and your property.

Magistrate Parke-Now, Mr. Bart-

ram, I think I have let you go far en-Mr. Bartram-I don't ask for favors from this or any other court. All I am here for is to assert the law. Magistrate Parke-That remark is

uncalled for. Mr. Bartram-Well, it is a fact that I don't get any favors.

built it under Mr. Scarrow's instruc-Mr. Bartram, the complainant, stated that the fence encroached fully 25 feet on city property, and caused the highway to be dangerous to drive or walk upon. The fence had been built by Mr. Bayley for Mr. Scarrow by his in-

Mr. Scarrow-You brought action out spite against me, because I would not consent to West London suing the city some time ago, and to your bood-

Mr. Bartram-So you were in with the Meredith gang against West London, were you? and that is where you got your pull to steal city property. I am glad you have given yourself away as one of the Meredith clique.

Mr. Scarrow-I can prove what I say about your attempts at boodling.

Mr. Bartram—You can't prove anyas you can't tell the truth. Mr. Scarrow—Yes, and you shoot your neighbors' chickens and pigs. Mr. Bartram-Yes, when they come on and destroy my property. I am dehighited to know that crowd have bought you body and soul,

and that is the reason you are pro-The atmosphere at this juncture became very heated, and the magistrate had to ask the chief of police to restrain the gentlemen. Mr. Scarrow, lasked that the case be

adjourned to allow the engineer to survey the land and report. The magistrate decided to send the matter to the December count of ses-

DISCREPANCIES IN THE TESTS

Special Committee Dealing With the Cement Sidewalk Investigation at Work.

The special committee dealing with the alleged discrepancies in the quantities of cement used by the two cement sidewalk contractors in the city, made a test in Contractor Graham's territory on Mount Pleasant avenue yesterday. The result was that four bags of Owen Sound cement covby cement consumers as equivalent to one barrel, and in the test made Tuesday of the cement used by the Silica-

Yesterday's investigation is spoken of guardedly. Ald. Parnell states plainly that he is not satisfied with it. The four bags of cement used were weighed at Jones' store, and the certificate given was for 403 pounds, and the ordinary weight of a barrel of Owen Sound cement is 350 pounds. The engineer had four bags which had been shipped

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to the Silica-Barytic Company weighed this morning. They weighed 347 pounds. Ald, Parnell went to a local dealer and found that four bags taken at random weighed 350 pounds gross. Another test made later of three bags gave a weight of 250 pounds.

Ald, Wilkey was asked to account for the difference in areas covered, and he said it might be due to the fact

he said it might be due to the fact that Contractor Graham used a lot of water and floated the cement in, while the other contractors pound their walks.

As to the discrepancy between 49% feet and Contractor Graham's average of 55%, the members of the committee would not speak. On some of the walks laid by Mr. Graham the average is as high as 60 square feet for each barrel

oughfare to be so narrow that it was The Farewell Address by Lady Aberdeen.

> Closing Session-Resolution of Gratitude to the Queen-Hamilton

Hamilton, Oct. 26.-The sixth annual convention of the National Council of Women closed last evening, when Lady Aberdeen, the advisory president, presiding, made a farewell address. Her ladyship expressed warm thanks to the good people of Hamilton for their hospitality. She said: "I will not at-tempt to record my thanks for the loyalty, confidence and affection shown towards me as president, and which has made my task one of such delight. My dear friends, let me tell you again what I have told you before, you have enriched my life at every point, and you have helped me far beyond my power of expression. I can only thank God for this wonderful experience in my life, and pray that it may bring forth fruits. It is therefore with proud thankfulness that I hand on my office to one who is so worthy of it. I can promise her your full and faithful allegiance, may I not? I rejoice to think beforehand of the good work you and she will do together. It is a joy to me to think that I am allowed the privilege of being her chief adviser, and in this way, and also through the hostage of my friend. Miss Wilson hostage of my friend, Miss Wilson, whom I intrust to you, I expect to be in very constant communication with you." Lady Aberdeen referred to the patriotic character of the National Council. She advanced three proofs of its patriotism. They were: Its promo-tion of unity of thought and action amongst the women of Canada from the Pacific to the Atlantic; its training up a new army of workers for the country's good, whether in its private homes, in its philanthropic institutions or on its local boards; its stirring up of a new public spirit amongst its members. The council's first aim was unity. "It lifted high the old standard of self-sacrifice, of living for others, of doing unto others in all relations of life what we would they should do unto us."

A. Stinchcombe, sworn, stated that the driveway was dangerous. He knew that the fence was moved about eight or nine years ago.

Mr. Alex. Stewart built a barn for the defendant on the property that is said to be a part of the highway. He built it under Mr. Scarnow's instruc-

A SECRET SESSION.

The council held a secret session in the morning on matters of interest to the delegates. A resolution was passed, expressing gratitude to the Queen her .majesty's graciousness to the delegates to the international congress. Mrs. Fitzgibbon, Toronto, who has been with the Doukhobor women, gave an address on the interesting subject. She stated that the women, many of whose husbands were in exile in Russia, needed material with which to work the coming winter. She suggested that a loan fund be started for this purpose, and her suggestion was acted upon. A committee was ap-pointed, with Mrs. Fitzgibbon convener, and the ladies undertook not only to provide work for the Doukhobor women but to sell their work for them. Votes of thanks were given to all who had assisted to make the convention a pleasure and a success.

VICTORIAN NURSES

The National Council delegates devoted the afternoon to considering the Victorian Order of Nurses, Lady Aberdeen, the founder, presiding at the well attended meeting. Miss McLeod, chief superintendent of the order, gave an encouraging report of its progress, and of the good work it had done and was doing. Miss Eastwood reported for the Toronto branch, and Mrs. Bullard for the Hamilton branch, both reports being highly satisfactory. Congratulatory remarks were made by Mr. Thomas W. Watkins, president of the local board; Mr. B. E. Charlton, Dr. A. Woolverton, Mr. W. A. Robinson and Dr. Alice McGillivray.

Miss Dakin, the Victorian nurse in this city, was formally admitted to the order by Lady Aberdeen, who pinned on Miss Dakin's waist a bronze badge as a token of the good wishes of the central board of the order.

FRAUDS IN .BYE-ELECTIONS

Commission of Three Judges to Invesgate the Matter.

For some time the government has been considering the propriety of issuing a commission to examine into the election frauds committed in the byeelection held in January last. Although the trial took place in June, it was not Barytic Company a barrel covered 44 until Aug. 24 that the report of the judges was received by the government. The first action of the government on the receipt of that report was to cancel all appointments held by Mr. Duncan Bole, who was reported by the judges for personating a deputy re-turning officer, but the question of a mmission to inquire into election frauds generally in West Elgin was a larger one, and required fuller consid-

> For a considerable time before the late premier retired it had been agreed that a commission of three judges should be appointed for this purpose, and we now take great pleasure in making the intentions of the govern-

ment known to the public.
The late premier, in his farewell ad-The late premier, in his farewell address to his constituents, expressed very aptly his abhorrence of election frauds, and amongst other things said that any person tampering with the purity of elections was "an enemy of the Liberal party." His colleagues shared his opinion and are now acting accordingly.

accordingly.
We understand also that proceedings will be taken against all persons re-ported for corrupt practices at other election trials, as the statute provides.



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JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

BELMONT.

Belmont, Oct. 26.—The residence of Neal McLachlin, 44 Perry street, De-troit, was the scene of a pretty event on Wednesday, Oct. 18, when his daughter Effa was married to Harvey Burton Levy, accountant of the Detroit lead works. The bride looked charming in a suit of gray cashmere, with and carried a bouquet of red roses. Miss Etta McLachlin, sister of the Lacox, of Toledo, was groomsman. The gered about an hour in terrible agony. ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Miller, beneath an arch of palm trees. After the elegant dejeuner the happy pair left for New York and Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. McLellan, of Lawrence Station: Mrs. Ramsay, of Shedrence Station; Mrs. Ramsay, of Shedden; Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McCallum, of Gladstone, and A. D. McCallum, of Belmont, were among the Canadian

John McNicol shipped two carloads of hogs on Thursday for Ingersoll. The price paid was \$4 per cwt. Messrs, Alva Jones, Daniel Thompson, John Harkness and James Fow-

ler, harvesters of Manitoba, have re-Andrew Scott, of Glanworth, shipped 191 barrels of apples on Monday to Morden, Manitoba.

GLEN OAK.

Glen Oak, Oct. 26.—Joseph Whittaker entered a suit against Samuel Paisley, both of this place, in order to get satisfendant's part of the fence, at a cost of \$10. The same fence was built a short time previous for \$250, hence the lawsuit to recover the fence-viewers' fees and the said \$10 from defendant. An amusing part of the case was before the supreme court, in which the appeal was bagfull of odds and ends cut off his neighbor's fence-rails, lapping over on urday in Strathroy before Judge Elliot, of London, who decided that plaintiff should pay all fees and costs. Bartlett for plaintiff, and Ross, of Strathroy, for defendant.

We had three fine rains within the last week. Last Sunday it rained all day, being the greatest rain we have

The new tobacco factory at Leamington opens this week. Mr. Thomas Ellis, one of the pioneers

of Dereham, died at his home near THE FINANCES . his 75th year. Kate Sparr, charged at Strabford with the concealment of the binth of her child, was committed for trial at the

November assizes. A young man named Edmond, employed at Henry Laforest's, lake shore, Rochester township, is down with a disease believed to be smallpox. The case of Conductor Bright, charged at Stratford with manslaughter has

again been postponed on account of the absence of G. T. R. Solicitor Bell. Oct. 31 was appointed for the resumption of the case. Henry Blore and John Lavin were ar-

rested Tuesday in Windsor on suspicion of attempting to steal a team of horses belonging to John Rose, liveryman, of Essex. They have been selling medicine throughout the county, hired the team several weeks ago, and had not been at Essex since.

A new coal stove had been placed in Mr. F. W. Wanzel's house at Stratford, and the pipes connected with a chim-ney which of late has not been in use. The chimney was so filled with soot as to prevent draft passing through, re-sulting in the escape of gas, which nearly smothered Mr. and Mrs. Wanzel and family. In the morning the whole family were very sick, but now feel

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Mr. Patrick J. McLaughlan, Beauharnois, Que., states:
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death of James Chambers, one of the pioneers of Oxford county, oc-curred at his late residence, Ingersoll, on Monday afternoon, in his 68th year. He had been a resident of Ingersoll for the past thirteen years, and was high-ly respected by all who knew him. As a horse buyer he was well known, and was among the first to ship horses to

ing in a suit of gray cashmere, with two years of age, was burned almost trimmings of white satin and pearls, and carried a bouquet of red roses. mother was out of the house at the time, at work in the milkhouse, and left the child at play. All the clothing bride, attended her. She was costum-ed similarly to the bride, and carried a bouquet of red roses. Mr. Charles hair upon the child's head. She lin-

a stone in Turnbull's factory, and this cure. Mothers should never be without is the result. There is an anti-toxine a bottle when their children are teethused in such emergencies, and his physician has wired for a supply. Knight's case, while not positively hopeless, is alarming.

Miss Craddock, sister-in-law of P. Ritter, proprietor of the Arlington Hotel, Woodstock, and the servant girl employed by Miss Craddock, narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation at the hotel Tuesday night. Only by chance were they rescued from death from suffocation by gas. Mrs. Ritter, under medical attendance, is doing well, while the girl, who was less affected, is

completely recovered. During a heavy thunderstorm that passed over St. Marys Tuesday morning, shortly after 7 o'clock, lightning faction re a line fence. As near as can struck the lower part of the nouse of be learned, the facts are these: The Isaac Robinson and occupied by Wm. parties entered into an agreement that Wood, about 11/2 miles down the River parties entered into an agreement that each should build his share of the line fence, as required by the township bylaw, at a stated time. This being attended to, the plaintiff, dissatisfied with the defendant's part of the fence, called out the fence-viewers, and the result was that defendant's part was decided to be a good lawful fence, while the plaintiff's part was condemned. At this the plaintiff employed men to pull down and rebuild defendant's part of the fence, at a cost and Mrs. Wood, about 1½ miles down the River Thames, tearing up a portion of the floor and knocking Mr. and Mrs. Wood to the floor, partially stunning them. The electric fluid left a burned tracing on their limbs. A sideboard close by emptied it scontents of dishes on the floor in a broken mass. A trap door to the cellar was thrown several feet, and a cistern tub in the ground outside the house was also destroyed. It was a miraculous escape from death for Mr. and Mrs. Wood. Some wire fencing runs

was the plaintiff carrying into court a preme court, in which the appeal was ial Oil Company. The appellant in this case is plaintiff in the action, and his side. The case was heard last Sat-deals in lumber in the county of Lambton. He got his logs through a stream called Bear Creek, and above his place on the creek two dams are maintained for the benefit of the oil company, who do not own the land, where the dams are, but used the water stored in there for refining purposes. These dams interfere with the appellant's lumber business, and injure him as a riparian proprietor, for which he claims damages, and an injunction against the maintenance of the dams. The courts below held that the upper dams were maintained by the owner of the land, on which they stood, and that plaintiff suffered no damage by the other, and dismissed the action.

OF ONTARIO

Whole Question of Assests, Liabilities and Investments To Be Inquired Into by a Commission.

Toronto, Oct. 26.-The opposition has frequently complained that there was no audit of the public accounts of Ontario by which the public could be satisfied that the financial transactions of the province for the last 25 or 30 years were accurately disclosed. To this complaint the government made answer that the treasury department was conducted by an expert book-keeper, that the public accounts were audited annually by the public accounts commit-tee of the house, and that, besides, there was a provincial auditor, responsible directly to parliament, and entirely independent of the government, whose statements were not open to dispute. Notwithstanding these explanations for many years past these charges were constantly repeated by Messrs. Marter and Matheson and the campaign orators of the opposition. So persistent were they that apparently no assurances of the government would satisfy them. The great body of the people have

unquestionably the utmost confidence in the financial record of the govern-No proof has ever been given that there was an attempt either at concealment or falsification. No evidence was ever submitted to the public accounts committee that a single dollar voted by the house was misappropriated, or that the money voted by parliament was not applied as authorized by parliament. Still the premier, in taking over the treasury department, felt that it would be an advatage both to himself and the public that some additional assurance should be given of the accuracy of the accounts furnished to parliament from time to time, as well as of the methods practiced by the treasury department in keeping the accounts of the province. For that purpose it was agreed Tuesday last, on the recommendation of the premier, that a commission of bankers, as well as accredited financiers, should be at once appointed to examine the books and accounts of the treasury department, and to report, among other things, first, as to the methods of book-keeping employed in the department; second, as to whether the statements made by the treasury department are as full and complete as statements usually made by large financial concerns: third, as to the correctness of the annual balance sheet submitted to parliament; fourth, as to the character of the investments of the government; fifth, as to the assets and liabilities of the province.

The commission will be endowed with ample power to report in regard to all

which might, however, have resulted matters that in their opinion would be fatally. ment. The commission will consist

THE LATE GRANT ALLEN.

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 26. - Charles Grant Allen, whose death was an-nounced yesterday by cable from Lon-Manitoba.

An accident happened at Elford on Tuesday afternoon by which William, the 16-year-old son of Frederick Sweetman, lost his life. The boy was riding on a load of gravel when, by some means, he silpped off and fell between the wheels. The heavily laden wagon passed over his body, crushing him so badly, that he died in a few minutes.

The only child of Alf Whittal, about two years of the was an able exponent of Darwinish and stories of fiction, science, sociology, plant life and poetry were pro-duced from his fertile mind. Many of the stories were signed with persuasive pseudonyms—"Cecil Power," "J. Arbuthnot Wilson," One of his latest and more serious works was upon "The Evolution of the Idea of God."

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J. P. BURNYEAT, Civil and Mining Engineer, Surveyor and Draughtsman, Vernon, B.C. Vernon, B.C., Oct. 9, 1899.

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Referring to yours of the 4th inst., regarding your properties, Rob Roy and Highland Chief, my candid opinion is that these claims are ALL RIGHT, and, on development, will fully meet your most sanguine expectations. Being located on the main ledge with good surface indications and out-croppings throughout the entire length of properties, there is every reason to believe that under proper development they will eventually become good paying properties. The Center Star (about 300 yards S. of Highland Chief), has lately been bought up by some Wisconsin lawyers who intend doing a lot of work on it at once. Dear Mr. Welch:of work on it at once.

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pense 1, Princess Fedora 2, Scarlet Lily

Time, 1:09%. Fourth race, 1% miles, selling—Elyria

New York, Oct. 26 .- Fire on Tuesday

destroyed the brood mare stable on

the stock farm of the racing firm of

Two mares and six fillies, quartered in

the stable were burned, efforts to res-

cue the valuable horses being unsuccessful. It is estimated that the dam-

age on the building and stock will

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, Oct. 26.-At the Newmarket Houghton meeting yesterday, My Lady's Maid won the Newmarket sec-

ond welter handicap; Sea Fog was

second, and Nil Desperandum was

Honey Pot won the maiden plate.

Forward finished second, and Sweet

The subscription stakes were won

by Chinook, Diey Donna and Erger were second and third respectively.

The Cambridgeshire stakes were won

by Irish Ivy. Airs and Graces was second, and Mazeppa finished third.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Weather clear and

First race, 6 furlongs-Little Land 1,

Second race, 6 furlongs Nettle Regent 1, Man of Honor 2, The Rush 3. Time,

Third race, 5 furlongs, selling-Sister

Alice 1, Little Jack Horner 2, Vice

Fourth race, 21/4 miles—Hub Prather 1, Hold Up 2, Host 3. Time. 4:001/4. Fifth race, mile, selling—Mission 1,

Monteagle 2, Sir Fitzbugh 8. Time,

TIPS. Mr. G. W. Graydon, of this city, has

sold his 4-year-old horse, Judge War-dell, and the 3-year-old Duke of Mid-dleburg, to a New York gentleman for

a large figure, understood to be in the neighborhood of \$10,000. Both horses

are well known to the American

tracks, having won many races. The Duke of Middleburg captured the Waterloo handicap at Toronto, beside the Washington and Carter handicaps.

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mia 2, Vincinnes 3. Time, 1:541/2.

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Time, 1:001/2.

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Football Game on the St. John's Athletic Club Grounds.

Jeffords, the Young California Scrapper, Kucked Out-Turf Events.

FOOTBALL.

MEDICOS VS. F. C. B. C. A football game was played on the grounds of St. John's A. C., yesterday enternoon, between teams representing the Medical School and the Forest City Business College. The game was a fast one, and was won by the "Meds." on the close score of 3 to 0. Elliott, for the Medical School team, did very effective work. The teams were: Medical School-McEvoy, Little, Mc-Gugan, Morrow, McNeil, Elliott, Armstrong, Turner, Downing, Bryant, Rus-

Forest City Business College-Parsons, Ellis, Barr, James Westervelt, J. T. Stewart, Horton, Bingle, Thompson, E. G. Stewart, Fitzgerald, Hefferman. FISTIC.

JEFFORD'S DEBUT.

New York, Oct. 26 .- Jim Jeffords, the young Californian pugilist, made his debut at the New Broadway A.C. Tuesday, and was knocked out in the fifth round by Gus Ruhlen, the Akron, O.,

TURF. AT THE AQUEDUCT.

New York, Oct. 26 .- Four favorites and one well-backed second choice were first past the judges at the Aque-

duct yesterday.
First race, selling, 6 furlongs-Gaze 1, Cauthouche 2, Theory 2. Time, 1:14%. Second race, 1 1-16 miles, selling— Queen of Song 1, Rare Perfume 2, Lady of the West 3. Time, 1:491/s. Third race, 5½ furlongs—Carbunole 1, The Amazon 2, Uncle Josh 3. Time,

Fourth race, 1 mile and a furlong—Wait Not 1, Warrenton 2, Lothario 3. Time. 1:55. Fifth race, selling, about 7 furlongs-Erwin 1, Ceylon 2, Midwood 3. Time,

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards-Pickwicklan 1. Miss Soak 2, St. Simonian 3. Time. 1:45.

AT LATONIA.

Cincinnati, Oct. 26.-Recompense, alt odds of 25 to 1, gave the talent a big surprise at Latonia yesterday, by winning the second race, in a drive, from Fedora and Scarlet Lily. First race, 1 mile, selling—Friesland Capsicum 2, Dandy H. 2. Time,

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Were Given a Rousing Reception and Serenaded.

Started for Quebec Along With the Queen City Contingent-Notes by the Way.

Toronto, Oct. 26.-The London com-We cannot refrain from praising the beauties of our

Toronto, Oct. 26.—The London country of the contingent for South Africa arrived here last evening, and found the Toronto company at the Union station awaiting them. The boys were given a rousing reception, and were given a rousing reception, and were serenaded by the Queen's Own Band. The two companies left for Quebec to-

The departure of the Toronto district company of the Transvaal contingent was made the occasion of a demonstration absolutely unequaled in the history of the city. Fully 100,000 people assembled along the line of march. As the soldiers passed along they were greeted with an outburst of tremendous cheers and patriotic cries, mingled with the greetings of their friends. The scene in the armories, before the men marched out, was most affecting. Their relatives had been given tickets Col. E. G. Rathbone, who is in of admission to the armories, that they might say good-bye there, and while the city regiments mustered for the parade in honor of the volunteers, the women folks of the departing soldiers clung to them and said their farewell words amid tears. Patriotic addresses were delivered by Mayor Shaw and other members of the council, and afterwards the souvenir silver match boxes and other gifts of the citizens were presented to the men. Prayers were then said by Rev. Arthur H. Baldwin and the chaplains of the various regiments, after which the march to the station began.

The city's gift to the contingent consists of £25 to each officer and £5 to

each man, supplemented in the latter case by 10 shillings to each man by Ald. Hallam. The life of every member of the contingent is insured for \$1,000 at the expense of the citizens' committee, and the relatives of the volunteers will be cared for during their absence when necessary. At the Union station, when the train moved out, the enthusiastic people broke all bounds. Barriers were thrown down, women fainted and a vast crowd surged into the station, covering the plat-forms, besieging the train, while old voterans of former wars crowded-around, praying to be taken with the contingent. The volunteers left amid the cheers of thousands.

NOTES BY THE WAY. The Nova Scotia company left Halifax for Quebec amid a scene of un-

paralleled enthusiasm. Dawson City has made an offer to the imperial government to equip and maintain 100 riflemen, most of them mounted police, for the Transvaal. Woodstock had a half-holiday, and when the military train from London reached the town it was met by thousands of people, including officers of the Twenty-second Battalion and band. The Woodstock members of the company-Sergts. Henry Lane, G. W. Leon-Fifth race, 6 furiongs—Florisar 1, Pamonia 2, John W. Patton 3. Time, ard, Garnett and Victor Odlum-were each given \$25 by the council. Each member of the Oxford Rifles who went was presented with a \$1,000 insurance policy by the members of the Twentysecond Battalion.

The Prince Edward Island men were given a rousing send-off on leaving Charlottetown. Delhi's representative on the contin-

gent, Frank Burkhort was presented with a purse of \$50 by his fellowtownsmen. The Montreal company reached Quebec Tuesday ofternoon and was given an enthusiastic reception. The men from Ottawa and Kingston arrived in

the morning.

It is said the departure of the contingent has been fixed for Wednesday. Miss Betsy Russell, of Hamilton, who has just returned from duty among the United States wounded in the Philippines, will accompany the con-

tingen't as nurse. A militia general order, dated 25th, provides: A company—Major H. M. Arnold to be captain, vice Capt. M. G. Blanchard, to be lieutenant. E com-pany—Capt. C. K. Fraser, Fifty-third Battalion, to be captain, vice Macdonnell, who will be appointed a battalion adjutant; Lieut. C. J. Armstrong, Fifth Battalion, to be lieutenant, vice Fra-ser, appointed captain. N.-C. officers and men belonging to the permanent corps who have been accepted for enrollment in the special service, will be at once enrolled by the enrolling officer. The enrollment will, however, be dated the 31st October, up to which date the men will be considered as still belonging to their respective permanent units, and will be paid on the pay list of those units. These N.-C. officers and men will be transferred to the special service force from the 1st

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Large Numbers Again Threaten Calamba-Macabebes Want to Enter he U. S. Army

Manila, Oct. 26.—The funeral of Maj. Guy Howard, son of Gen. O. O. Howard, killed Oct. 22 near Arayat, took place yesterday. The body was placed on the transport Belgian King.

Insurgents have returned to the vi-cinity of Calamba increased in numbers and are surrounding the town on land sides. Gen. Blanco's 400 Macabebes are returning from the Ladrones. It is be-lieved they are desirous of entering the

American army and completing the regiment of Macabebes.
At San Isidro 30 hours' rain has raised the river and supplies are arriving in canoes of natives.

Gen. Otis reports the arrival at Manila of the transport Grant, with the 26th 'volunteers and the Aztec with civilian employes. The Aztec lost seven of its cargo of horses on the

trip.
The transport Olympia and Pennsylvania leave 'Frisco for Portland to embark the 40th regiment and part of the 39th, and upon sailing for Manila

Col. E. G. Rathbone, who is in charge of the postal service in Cuba, arrived in New York from Havana yesterday. He says the postal service of Cuba has been thoroughly reorganized, and bankers and merchants of Cuba now send remittances averaging at least \$150,000 a day by mail. Cubans are being given the jobs as far as possible.

CYLINDER KNOCKED OUT. St. Thomas, Oct. 26 .- A startling acyesterday morning. The bolt connecting the driving-rod to the crank-pin broke, allowing the piston to knock out the head of the cylinder. A terrific re-port was the result, and the head of the cylinder was knocked about 40 feet, into an oil house. Fortunately no person was hurt. The first engineer, Mr. Roberts, escaped by jumping through a window. Mr. R. N. Price, foreman of the mill, and Mr. Corey were standing about four feet from the spot where the head of the cylinder The difficulty experienced was in getting the steam shut off, as in a very few minutes it had filled both engine and boiler rooms, loosening the cement on a number of belts. It will be necessary to send the high-pressure cylinder to Galt for repairs.

JAMESON'S SCOUT: Windsor, Ont., Oct. 26 .- Charles Macdonald, of Detroit, who claims to have been Dr. Jameson's chief scout during his famous raid into the Transvaal, called on Col. Guillot to see if he could get permission to join the Canadian contingent enlisted for service in South Africa. Macdonald says he knows every foot of ground in the Transvaal, and is aching for a chance to fight the Boers. A reward of \$2,500, he says, was offered by the Transvaal government for his capture.

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has handed the American ambassador a final offer of arbitration in the Alaskan boundary dispute. The Assoclated Press has sent out so much balderdash from Washington in connection with this question that its latest story must be accepted on trust until officially confirmed. The statement is that as a condition precedent to arbitration, Canada would concede Dyea and Skaguay to the United States without further claim, if the United States would concede Pyramid Harbor to Canada-this arrangement to hold good irrespective of the result of arbiration on the main question.

Is this really a new offer? The Assoclated Press some months ago affirmed in its Washington dispatches that the United States had rejected exactly the ame proposition. It is a fair offer, and should be accepted. It shows a spirit of compromise, and involves no surrender of principle or national honor. It would give Canada what she few and unimportant. greatly needs and desires-a seaport for her gold regions. We may as well frankly recognize the fact that the Americans have the whip hand. They hold the territory which we think is ours. We ask permission to prove our this permission, or even to compromise with us, what are we going to do our rights without Great Britain's help, embroil herself in a war with the for compensation, United States while the jealous nations of Europe are waiting for the first chance to hurl themselves against the

It is disgusting to see the attitude of the Toronto Mail on a question like this, which concerns the very existence of the Empire. The Mail accepts as gospel truth the Associated Press dispatch, and makes this ill-natured comment: "If there is anything more that Uncle Sam wants he had better mention it at once, for we may not have much longer a Federal Government that is ready to make such liberal concessions." The identical dispatch on which the Mail founds its malicious sneer states that the Canadian Government's action was due to Imperial pressure. But what do the Mail and Its breed care for that? The fact that in hitting the Canadian Government they hit the British Empire, makes no difference to them. Luckily, the blows

Paying for the War.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, in his usual blunt fashion, declares that the cost of the present war will fall largely on the Transvaal, and not on the British texpayers. There is a sort of grim up arms on behalf of the Uitlanders, who are the taxpayers of the Transvaal. It is only right that the Uitlanders, who will profit by the war, should indemnify Great Britain, in chael pointed out that the Transvaal was wealthy in its gold fields. There had been complaints that the gold min- cents per ton mile. ing industry was burdened by excessive taxation, and Sir Michael expressed the belief that under pure and homest government it would be perfectly possible for the Transvaal to pay not only the ordinary expenses of government, but also a sum toward the expenses of the war, with a reduction at the same time of the taxation of the gold fields. This opens up a pleasant prospect. No one needs to be told that the Boer Government has been extravagant and corrupt to the core, and that it has laid so heavy a hand on the gold mining industry that production has been serlously retarded. While many of the mines yield fabulous dividends, others, particularly those of low grade ore. have had to be closed down because the cost of operations was artificially enhanced by taxation. It is estimated that mining expenses in the Transvaal are 33 per cent higher than they would be under fair conditions, because of the monopolies and the other imposts, direct and indirect, with which the Boers have hedged the industry about. A pure and honest government and lower taxation, which will follow British rule. should give a wonderful stimulus to the Transvaal, and cause a further influx of British, which will completely, ewamp the Boer element.

High Praise for Canada.

Ex-Governor Hoard, of Wisconsin. one of the greatest dairymen and authorities on scientific agriculture in the United States, has been visiting Hon. Sydney Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture. Mr. Hoard is no stranger to Canada. He has frequently addressed dairy gatherings in this country, and has made a serious study of our dairy conditions. His opinions, therefore. have a special value. He gives some of them to an Ottawa Interviewer as fol-

"Canada is in elemost every respect clearly to the front in dairy education and dairy accomplishments. We find one thing in Canada which we might wish existed in the United States, and in a box under the breach. After the first cartridge is exploded the force of the receil cartridge is exploded and first the gun Governments, Dominion and Provincial, have maken on the operation of adulterating and counterfetting of human foods. By winter of the form of the grown of

adulterators and counterfeature. Moreover, the efforts of your delly exercistions, and your Dominion and Provincial Governments, to maintain the very high grade of excellence in your cheese, have given poir almost a monopoly—at least, a leadership—in the English market. And you are fast coming to the same condition of things with your butter product. I believe one great reason for your reputalieve one great reason for your reputa-tion in the English market is the rigid laws which exist on Camada against An Associated Press dispatch from the manufacture or sale of oleomargar-ine or filled cheese. You have never debased your reputation with the conbehalf of the Canadian Government, sumer by dealing in any such commodities, and you are all the wealthier for it, and all the more prosperous."

> Isn't it mistaken bravery for British officers to refuse to lie down until they are laid low by the enemy's bullets?

> It is not generally known that that august patriot, President Kruger, once held a job under the British Government, when the British owned the Transvaal. He resigned because the British refused to raise his pay. Perhaps that little fact has had something to do with subsequent history.

The statistics of the British Board of Trade show that last year was marked by unprecedented industrial activity in Great Britain. No fewer than 1,003,290 workmen received an addiltion to their weekly wages, and for the first six months of the present year 1,000,000 more have had their wages increased. Strikes have been

American lumbermen are making heavy purchases of Ontario timber limits, despite the law requiring that the timber shall be sawn in this Province, instead of being rafted over the title. If they are so unjust, as to refuse lake to give work to Michigan sawmills. This proves that Michigan magnates who had bought Ontario timber about it? We are powerless to enforce limits before the law went into operation, have suffered no hardship, and and could we ask Great Britain to have no real claim on this Province

> The death of Grant Allen removes one of Canada's most illustrious sons. He was a popular novelist and a popular scientist, a rare combination of qualities, disproving the poet's assertion that "one science only will one genius fit." Mr. Allen's literary gifts reinforced his scientific attainments, and enabled him to present studies of natural history in a form attractive to the lay mind. His death at so early an age, and in the noonday of his fame, is particularly sad.

Is the red coat losing prestige?-the coat, not the man that wears it. Most British troops in Natal are wearing the khaki, or coffee-colored tunic, with helmet to match. The dispatches say that the regiments that statesmen to enable them to conceal retain their regular uniforms, such as the Gordon Highlanders, suffered heavier loss because their bright colors were better targets for the Boer marksmen. The color note of the he was called upon to take, and the African landscape is invariably brown, consequences of making any mistake and the khaki has been chosen to on his part. It was not desirable to include in an official dispatch collateral

The English motor vehicles are shown by conveyed in a speech. A similar warning was given by Lord Sallsbury to be economical in operation as compared with horses. The London Daily humor in the idea of conquering a Mail recently obtained some statistics Respecting today's speeches, they are country and making the conquered upon this subject which made a very country foot the bill, but there is no favorable showing, E. H. Bayley who injustice in such a policy, as applied employs about 1,000 horses, and is from the Radicals, who in principle to the Transvaal. Great Britain took chairman of a motor vehicle company, oppose the war." Regarding Mr. is quoted as one who has excellent opportunities to judge of comparative costs. He estimates the total operating cereiy, and he added: "I would pay expenses of a motor car with a carrying capacity of 31/2 tons at 3 cents per whole or in part, for the cost. Sir Mi- ton mile, including working, wages, fuel, repairs and insurance. The cost with horses he estimates at 18 to 24

Light and Shade.

"What do you think of your new neighbors?" asked the hostess of the "You know that I never speak unkindly of any one. I have nothing to say of her, but I will say of her husband that I feel very, very sorry for

By the time a man succeeds in reaching the top of the ladder he is too old to enjoy the scenery.

Mrs. Newwoman-Dear, dear me! I have lost my collar-button down the Mr. N.-I sympathize with you, dear. Just stand on your head and let it fall

After listening to a parliamentary candidate's fervid appeal, a shrewd old farmer was asked what he thought of the speech. His reply was, "Well, I dinna ken, but I think six hours' rain would ha' done us a deal mair

guid."-Youth's Complantion. Dick-How neat Tom always is! His linen always looks as iff it had just come out of the drawer. And yet I am told that Tom can't get the money together to pay his laundry bill. Jack-That's the reason he can put clean collar every day. couldn't do it if he had to pay for his

THE MURDEROUS MAXIM GUN!

washing.-Boston Transcript.

Hiram's Latest Pattern-Expels 500 to 600 Bullets Per Minute-Shoots and Loads Itself.

Hiram Maxim's latest gun, which is be ing used with such terrific effect in the Boer war by both sides, is one of the most diabolical inventions of modern warfare.
This gun fires and loads itself, and can expel from 500 to 600 bullets per minute at

Mr. Chamberlain Again on the Defensive.

Michael Davitt Gives His Reasons for Resigning.

Huge Conspiracy Unearthed in Russia's Black Sea Fleet-Japanese Towns Suffer Severely.

London, Oct. 26.-The House of Commons yesterday, by a vote of 224 to 28, passed the second reading of the appropriation bill. Mr. Michael Davitt, Irish Nationalist member for South Mayo, in announcing that he would resign as a protest against the Boer war, denounced the jingo press, and said that the present war, for the meanest and most mercenary aims, would be known as the greatest crime of the century. He declared that if he had been offered home rule and an Irish republic he would not accept them, if accompanied by the condition that he vote for the war. As a protest he would ask to be relieved from attendance in the house. He had been in the house for five years trying to obtain justice for Ireland, and he left it, convinced that "no cause of justice and right would have the support of the house unless backed by force."

There was a lively scene between Mr. Gavin Brown Clarke, Radical member for Caithness, ex-agent of the Transvaal, and Major Rasch, Conser vative member for the southeast division of Essex. Mr. Clarke denied Mr. Rasch's statement that he was in the Boer camp at the time of the fight of Majuba Hill, and characterized the statement as "a sample of the misrepresentation now prevailing."

Mr. Rasch retorted that his statement was made on the authority of Mr. Clarke himself, who told him so six years ago, adding that if Mr. Clarke again denied the statement, he (the major) would take the first opportunity of repeating the statement to him outside of parliament, when he could take what steps he liked.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the former Liberal leader in the house, said he desired to again call attention the provocation of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the secretary of state for the colonies, during the negotiations and in his speech at Highbury.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN DEFENDS HIMSELF.

Mr. Chamberlain, repudiating the intention to be provocative, said he only intended to be plain and free from ambiguity. He only followed in the negotiations the principles observed by all statesmen during the past ten or twenty years. There was a time when diplomacy was regarded as given to their thoughts. That might fairly be dent Kruger the seriousness of the step suggestions and indications of opinion but semi-official warning was frequentto the sultan at the Guildhall banquet simply a rechauffe of old arguments from Inish members, whose boast is that they are England's enemies, and Davitt, Mr. Chamberlain said he recognized that he had hitherto cussed the matter moderately and sinthe greatest attention to his arguments in regard to any British wars, which are based on his enmity to England. What would have been the Irish argument in the Spanish-American war, in which Spain showed herself infinitely less capable of defending herself than the Transvaal?" Here William Redmond, Parnellite member for East Clare, shouted: "The Transvaal did not blow up your war-

THE TRANSVAAL AS A FOEMAN. Mr. Chamberlain continued: "The great, almost determining, contest between the United States and Spain was fought without the loss of a single American. We have never denied that

ON BABY'S FACE

Mother Ashamed to Take Him Out. Everything Failed to Cure. CUTICURA Cured in 3 Days.

I have had my baby elek with his face full of ringworm, and tried everything and failed. I was ashamed to take him out, for every one would look at him. I was told to get Curioura. I got it on Wednesday, and by Saturday his face was all dried up. Now I can take him everywhere. I cannot say asough about Currouna. If people only knew about how his face looked a week ago, and see it to-day, they would never be without it.
The people in the house can tell you how his MRS. J. POTTER.

Oct. 8, 1898. 894 So. First St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Doctor & Institutes Could Not Cure. Cured in 2 Months by CUTICURA,

I have been troubled over two years with eccema on the top of my head. It first started to itch, something fierce. My doctor said it was eczema, and treated me for six menths, with failure, so I tried more doctors, but they did the same, I tried a New York institute, which treated me for six months, but could not reach any further than the rest. I had it worse than from the start, ma the rest. I had it worse had from the start, as it commenced to get in my eyes, and nearly got me crazy with itching. I noticed your advertisement in the N.Y. World, and thought I would try Curicuna remedies. In two months' time I did not know that I had any trouble at all, and I feel like a new man now. ALFRED MEISEL, Oct. 13, 1568. 625 W. 48th St., N. Y. Oity.

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IN THE COMMONS FORECASTS FOR FR

Notwithstanding the magnitude of our stock, it's difficult at times to select specials for one day's selling. Everything in the house is so economically priced. On Friday, however, we must have special bargains at any cost, and anything we advertise for that day will be a bargain in every sense of the word,

You Can't Afford to Miss Extras Like These for Friday Only

Dress Goods.

15 Pieces Ladies' Suitings, in shades of green, blue, brown, and gray, 46 inches wide, all wool, regular 75 and 85c yard, Friday pattern, aweeds, fancy stik effects, stylish, up-to-date stuffs, worth \$7 50 to \$9 suit, Friday only.....\$3 50 10 Pleces Only Black Crepon, our regular \$1 25, \$1 50 and \$1 75 Plain Cloth Dress Goods, all shades, 44 inches wide, regular 25c and 35c yard, Friday only.... 18c

Linens.

This department contains many special lines and special prices at the present time, both in Table Damasks, and Fancy Linens, but this list is for Friday only and are "extra special" 2 dozen only, Beautiful Damask 5 o'clock, fancy drawn Centers, fringed, size 34x34 inches, regular Damask 5 o'clooks, belautiful goods, size 35x35 inches, regular value \$1 40 each, Friday, only 95c 20 only Tray or Carving Cloths, size 16x26 inches, drawn and em-broidered, hemstitched, regular value 45c each, Friday only 35c

Corsets and Whitewear.

18 only, Damask Covers, with fringe,

size 31x31 inches, regular value

20 dozen R. & C. Corsets, fine gray coutilte jean, heavy double steels on sides, Tace trimmed, sizes 18 to 26 only, regular 75c pair, Friday plain, with tucks, fine even cotton, regular 25c pair, Friday 15c dozen Special Flannelette Wrap-pers, red and black figures and

checks, lined and well finished, derskirts, umbrella flounce, spe-In corduroy, cashmere and plain

cloth, regular 40c to 75c each, two pairs on Friday20c and 30c

Gloves.

Ladies' Ringwood Gloves, a good assortment of colors, regular 25c and 35c goods, Friday 15c Children's

House Furnishings.

Balmoral Carpets, regular 75c and 85c a yard, Friday Good Tapestry Carpets, regular 60c
a yard, Friday 44c
White Quilts, regular price \$1 each,
Friday 79c
Heavy Bed Comforters, regular price \$1 35, Friday 98c

Clothing and Furnishings.

100 Pair Men's Tweed Pants, good indigo blue, checks, all sizes, 14 to cloth and farmer's satin, regular \$4 50 to \$6 50 each, Friday\$2 00 50 Only Men's Tweed Suits, lined with farmer's satin, good sleeve linings, sizes 34 and 35 only, regular price \$6 to \$8 suit, Friday, \$4 00

O Dozen Gentlemen's Four-in-Hand and Bow Ties, all good colors and shapes, regular 25c and 35c, Friday 15c, or 2 for 25c 10 Dozen Men's and Boys' Cloth Caps, with peak, worth 25c to 35c Heavy Socks, just as good as home-made, Friday we offer

Boot Bargains for Friday

them at 2 pairs for 25c

47 Pairs Women's Dongola, button and lace, in Goodyear west, hand turn and sewed, flexible soles, all sizes, regular \$2 50, \$2 60 and \$3; Friday all one Price \$1.80 EXTRA SPECIAL — 155 Pairs Misses' and Wo-

men's Lace and Button Boots, some with extension soles and pointed toes. some coin toes, all solid leather, worth from \$1 50 to \$2; all sizes, from 11 in Misses' to No. 7 in wo-men's, Friday extra speci-

al price 98c 120 Pairs Women's Tweed Slippers, nailed and sewed

Ladies' Vests.

Fleeced Vests, regular 15c, Friday, 10c Fleeced Vests, regular 25c, Friday. 19c Open Front Fleeced Vests, regular Fleeced Vests, open front, gusset gleeves regular price 40c. 1 Extra Fine Quality, Fleeced Vests, day......... 35c

Millinery Department.

10 boxes Fancy Feathers and Quills, were 50c to \$1 25 each. Friday.... 25c 60 only Rough Rider Felt Hats, silk bands, with quill, regular \$1 25 to \$2 each. Friday only 50c

Smallwares and Notions. 50 Stamped Linen Center Pieces, quality, in fancy box, Friday 150 Playing Cards, regular 19c, special 20c package, Friday 2 packages Hair Pins, regular 2c and 3c package, Friday only 10
Assorted Sizes in Safety Pins, regular 5c dozen, Friday 2 dozen Friday 3 for 50

Friday in the Basement.

6 dozen Engraved Thin Glass Water Tumblers, in assorted designs, 5c each, or 6 in a carton for..... 25c 40 large Rock Teapots, in black or brown, regular 35c line, for..... 25c One package of Printed Bowls, suitable for oysters, bread and milk, etc., assorted colors, each...... One cask of Assorted Vase Lamps, with decorated globes, good value at \$150; your choice for 950 20 pounds of Redpath's Granulated Black or Mixed 40c Tea for 25c Choice Canned Tomatoes and Peas, per tin Choice Red Salmon, per tin Wine Biscuits, per pound 10c Crisp Ginger Snaps, per pound 5c New Select Raisins, Case Currants, Layer Raisins, New Peels, a specialty in the Basement.

Ribbons and Embroideries.

20 pieces Plain Taffeta and Fancy Striped Ribbons, regular 25c; special for Friday, per yard Shot Silk Gauze, in light shades, with chemille spot or plain, regular 20c and 10c. Friday only, able for flannelette trimming, in red, blue, pink and white. Friday only, per yard 1c Fancy Colored Finishing Braids, regular 50 per yard. Friday only, 3 yards for 50

Special in Wrapperettes,

pieces Printed Wrapperettes, good designs and good cloth, regular value 10c and 12c a yard. Friday, while they last 50 the morning to get a glimpse of

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the Transvaal was a foeman worthy of the Dutch in the Transvaal, which our steel. Not only was the disparity they refused us? (Cheers.) between the forces in the Spanish-American war as great as those now engaged, but the contention of the United States and the right of interference arose from the fact that at some distance from their territories there was much persecution, not of American citizens, but of another race and people, that justified the intervention of the United States in the eyes of the civilized world-or, at any rate, in the eyes of Englishmen and Irishmen. But we are interfering in behalf of our own people. It is perfectly certain that Mr. Davitt, but for the town. Over 200 houses were dehis hatred of England, would sympa-stroyed, and more than 100 people perthize with us, as he did with America." Mr. Chamberlain then replied to the criticism of his not accepting the mediation of Mr. Hoffmeyer, the Afrikander leader, pointing out that while yet he could not forget when President ye he could not forget when President Kruger made "absolutely illusory pro-posals for a settlement," Mr. Hoffmeyer was perfectly ready to accept them. President Kruger misled, Mr. Hoff-meyerin promising him proposals which differed materially from those he really

CROOKEDNESS. "There has," continued Mr. Chamberlain, "been on the part of the Transvaal crookedness altogether in-comprehensible if they desired a settlement. I believe that from first to last President Kruger never intended to give anything approaching equal rights to the white people or any acknowledgment of British supremacy. War was, therefore, inevitable. We are called upon to bring the war to a quick conclusion, and send across the sea a force no nation in history ever before sent. This is entirely due to the preparations which made the Transvaal an armed camp, and which not only secured it a defensive position, but enables it to take the offensive against the large force now engaged. Such a strain could not be endured forever. We would have needed a permanent force of 25,000 men in South Africa. One great Teutonic people wanted to hold in subjection another large Teutonic people, but this has never been our course. It is impossible to pretend that the Dutch at the Cape are crushed by our rule, when they have all the rights Englishment processes and even in individual men possess, and even in individual cases are permitted to talk and write treason. Whatever may be the result of the war and the premature talk of the result of the present war, does any one imagine that we shall fail to do for others what we claimed for ourselves, or refuse equal rights to

BIG WAVES AND TYPHOONS. Oriental advices say the typhoons through which the transport Senator passed proved more disastrous on land than on sea. In Tokio and Yokohama hundreds of houses were wrecked. A train bound for Fuhushima, from Myeno, when crossing the Hokogowa River was blown into the water. It was carrying about 100 passengers. One person was killed, 60 injured and one woman is missing. News of another disastrous catastrophe comes from Tagonaura. Oct. 7 a tidal wave swept ished. A telegram from Miyazaki reports a tidal wave at Mimitsumachi Oct. 6.

BIG SYSTEM OF FRAUD. A gigantic system of official fraud and corruption has been unearthed at Sebastopol. Forty-three government officials have been arrested and will be tried by court-martial Dec. 2. Among those interested are nearly every chief engineer of the ships in Russia's Black Sea fleet. It is reported that several of the accused have committed sui-cide rather than stand trial, for, if found guilty they would be banished to Siberia. Vice-Admiral Tyrtoff, Rus-sian naval commander in the Black Sea, responsible for the arrests, alleges that the accused have been engaged in a huge conspiracy to misappropriate funds and sell government supplies, covering their defalcations by forgery and suppressing information by widely distributing bribes. The affair has created the greatest consternation.

It is believed Russia is attempting to

secure a naval station between Vladivostok and Laio Tung, and has selected Masamps, Korea. Germans at Apia are hoping Germany may refuse to permit partition of the Samoan Islands. The German

protected cruiser Cormoran has been ordered to remain at Apia. St. Peterburg rumors are current that the 19 Russian mem-of-war in the Pacific will shortly be reinforced by 6 ships from the eastern squadron. Berlin papers see in this a connection with the rumors of the Chino-Japanese

MR. BREITHAUPT APPEALS. Toronto, Oct. 26 .- Mr. Breithaupt. through his solicitors, has filed an appeal against the decision of Judges and get prices. Large variety of Meredith and Osler, setting aside the election in North Waterloo. The appeal will probably be heard some time next month.

Questions Answered.

VERBAL SURETY-A sells goods to B. but when A goes for his pay B says that he has not got the money and his son says in presence of witness that he will pay it if given a little time. A agrees with B's son not to look to his father. The time was set by the son, but he has failed to pay. The faither died, and the debt is still unpaid. Can A collect the money from B's son? Ans.-No; his verbal promise is not legally binding.

LIEN.-A does some work on goods for B, to be ready in five days. When A goes with work it suits B, he has not got the money to pay for it. A goes every week for six weeks, and still B has not got money. How long before A could dispose of these goods to someone else to make his own, and could A use same goods as samples if B told him not to? Ans.—After three months from the time he should have been paid he may sell by auction on giving one week's advertisement, stating name of B, amount of debt, description of goods, time and place of sale and name of auctioneer and a Nke notice in writing to B. The proceeds of auction to be applied to pay debt and costs and balance, if any, handed to B on application by him. A cannot use the goods as samples or sell by private sale.

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No afternoon quotations owing to half holi

BIG MONEY IN SAFE MINING STOCKS

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Local Market.

London, Thursday, Oct. 26. While the market this morning was not an extra large one, still it was very fair for a Thursday. It could hardly be said that the number of purchasers was large, but they were there to buy, not merely to ask prices, and the farmers were satisfied.

In the meat stalls the over-supply of beef was again noticed. This was about the only commodity of which there was too much.

Grapes were the only fruit supplied in quantities this morning.

Chestnuts dropped to \$2 and \$2 25

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Thursday, Oct. 26.
Wheat, white, per bu66c to 671/20
Wheat, red, per bu66c to 671/20
Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 671/20
Oats, per bu
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu
Barley, per bu
Rye, per bu
Today's grain deliveries were light

Wheat was a little easier, selling at \$1 10 to \$1 12. Oats went from 85c to 88c, the latter price being paid for private use only. No other kinds of grain offered.

Hay receipts were light; sales ranged from \$9 50 to \$10. Dressed hogs were scarce, the de-mand limited, and prices just the same

as on Tuesday. Live hogs were contracted for at \$4 for singers for delivery at once and Monday. Young pigs were dull, as usual, no business being done until noon. Quotations: GRAIN

Oata non 100 16	40	1 12
Oats, per 100 lbs	(a)	87
Peas per 100 lbs 92	0	1 05
Corn per 100 lbs 75	(2)	80
Barley, per 100 lbs	(80
Rvo ner 160 lha 1 00	0	1 10
Beans per bu	0	- 10
Beans, per bu	4	
Cheese, per lb 10	•	10
Cheese, per lb 10	@	12
Eggs, single dozen 18	a	19
Eggs. fresh. basket, dozen 17	(4)	18
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks 19	0	20
Butter, pound rolls, retail 20	(0)	22
Lard. per lb 8	@	10
WHOLESALE DEALERS' PR	ICE	
Eggs, store lots, doz 16	@	17
Butter, pound rolls, baskets 19	36260	21
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FRUIT.	4	
Quinces, 12-quart baskets 40	æ	50
Pears, per basket 50	100	75
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Pears, per bbl 3 25	@	4 00
Snow apples, per bbl 3 00	0	3 50
Dried apples, per lb 4½	0	5
Grapes, per basket 20 Tomatoes, per basket 25	0	40
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VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes, new, per bag 55	(0)	65
Turnips, new, per bag 30	6	40
Vegetable Marrow, per dat 50	0	60
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	11.75	40
Cauliflowers, per doz 50	0	1 00
Celery, per dozen 30	(6)	40
Beets, per bag 40	0	50
Omions, per bag 1 25	@	1 25
Carrots 30	(0)	40
Parenips 50	0	60
LIVE STOCK.		
Died was in	•	
Beef, per ib	@	5
Hogs, light, per 100 los 4 00	6	4 00
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs 3 00	(4)	3 50
Hogs, singers 4 00		4 00
Pigs. young, per pair 2 00		4 00
Sows, por 100 lbs 3 25	0	2 50
Ducks, per pair 40	é	50
Wild Ducks 45	100	45
Spring ducks, per pair 40	0	60
Chickens, spring, per pair 30	•	50
Hens, per pair		40
HAY AND SEEDS.	400	
Hay, per ton 9 00	0	10 00
Straw, per load 2 00	@	3 00
Straw, per ton 6 00	(0)	6 00
MEAT. HIDES. ETC.	165	146 - 216
Beef. per lb 45		53
Dock. box 10		072

BIRD SEED.

Sheepskins.
Wool, washed, per lb.
Wool, unwashed, per lb.
Turkeys, per lb.
Geese, pet lb.

Mutton, quarters, per 10...

Lamb, quarter.

Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, selects. 5 25

Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy 4 50

Hides, No. 1, per lb. 73

Hides, No. 2, per lb. 65

Hides, No. 3, per lb. 55

Calfekins, green. 8

Sheenskins. 45

Beef. per lb.

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to \$250; timothy seed, \$150 to \$175; clover seed, per lb, 54c to 54c. The Dairy Markets.

MONTREAL, Oct. 25 .- Cheese, 10c to 11c. Butter, 20c to 21c for townships, 16c to 17c for western.

NAPANEE, Ont., Oct. 25.—885 cheese boarded, 510 white, 375 colored; bids, 11c and 11 1-16c; no sales; buyers present, Magrath, Van Luven, Alexander, Brentnell, Thompson and Cleall.

PETERBORO, Ont., Oct. 25.—At the cheese sale held here today, 7,000 colored cheese were offered, being the make of October; sales were made as follows: Cluxton, in round figures, 1,500 et 11% of 11% Whitten 1,650 et 500, at 11%c to 11%c; Whatton, 1,650 at 11%c to 11 7-16c; Rollins, 1,300 at 11%c to 11 7-16c; Bailey, 700 at 11%c; three or four factories were unsold at the close of the board; offers were made, but not accepted. This sale was the last of the season, the board adjourning until next spring. Buyers present: Whitton, Claxton, Squires, Cook, Wrighton, Bailey, Rollins and Fitzgerald.

PICTON, Ont., Oct. 25.—Ten factories boarded 610 boxes, all colored; high-est bid, 11 3-16c; no sales.

17c to 22½c; imitation creamery, 15½c to 20c; state dairy, 16½c to 20c; state creamery, 17c to 24c. Cheese quiet; large white, 12c to 12½c; small white, 12½c; large colored, 12½c to 12½c; small colored, 12½c; small

CHICAGO, Oct. 25 .- Butter weak; creameries, 15c to 22c; dairies, 14c to 19c. Cheese strong; creameries, 12c to

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 25.—At to-day's cheese market two factories boarded 6,544 boxes of cheese, 2,474 white and 4,075 colored; no sales off board; highest price bid was 11c, but salesmen held for the half; market held only every two weeks for the balance of the season.

If you have any to offer quote lowest price f. o. b., either in small or car lots. Also butter, eggs, or other produce. CHAS ABBOTT, 172 King Street, London. Phone 1283

Oil Markets. PITTSBURG. Pa., Oct. 26.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 50.
PETROLIA, Oct. 26.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 45.
OIL CITY, Oct. 25.—Credit balances, \$1 53; certificates, \$1 54 bid for cash.

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

WHEAT-		et. 21.)ct.		oct.		oct. 25.
Red Winter	5	111/2	5	1156	5	111/2	5	111/2
No. 1 Nor. Spling	6	2	6	2	6	2	6	2
No. 1 Cal	6	3%	6	314	6	31/2	6	314
Dec	5	11%	5	11%	5	11%	5	111%
March	8	05%	6	03%	6	134	6	03/4
May	6	07/8	6	11/4	6	1	6	1
CORN-	-	-/8		-/4	-		1	
New	3	814	3	8	3	8	3	71/2
Old	3	814	3	8	3	8	3	734
Nov	3	73%	3	8		73%		73%
Dec	3	75%	3	83/3	3	81/4	3	71/8
Jan	3		3	714	3	71/8	3	71/8
Feb	3	6	3	67/3	3	678	3	634
March	3		3		3	634	3	6
Mar	3			61/4	3	61/8	3	
May			3	6				53/4
Flour	20	1)	20		20	0	20	0
Peas	9	9	5		5	9	5	9
Pork	73.	**	35	0	55	0	52	3
Lard	1		29	9	29	9	29	9
Tallow	1		24	9	24	9	24	9
Bacon, light		14-1	32		32	6	32	0
Cheese, white	174	+3	54	6	54	6	54	6
Cheese, colored	55	U	56	0	56	0	56	0

American Markets

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.-Wheat got below the 70c mark, December options, again today, but corn came to the rescue, and the loss was fully regained, December closing a shade higher, at 70½c to 70½c. Buying by oversold shorts strengthened corn, and that commodity closed with gain of 4c to %c. Oats closed a shade higher, January pork advanced 20c, and lard and ribs 5c to 7½c each. Chicago received 170 cars, 5 of which graded contract. Minneapolis and Duluth got 548 cars, compared with 956 for the corresponding day a year ago. Total western primary receipts were 1,021,000 bu, against 1,587,000 bu last year. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour equaled 350,000 bu. Cash demand both here and at the seaboard was slow.

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The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat

Oct., 69c; Pec., 70½c to 70¾c; May, 74½c.

Corn—Oct., 31½c; Dec., 31½c to 31½c; May, 33½c to 33½c. Oats—Dec., 22½c; May, 24½c.

Mess Pork—Dec., \$8.05; Jan., \$9.60. Lard—Dec., \$5.20; Jan., \$5.37½. Short ribs—Dec., \$4.82½; Jan., \$4.97½. Cash quotations—Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 69½c to 71c; No. 3 spring wheat, 64c to 70c; No. 2 red., 70½c to 71½c; No. 2 corn, 32½c; No. 2 vellow corn, 32½c. No. 2 oats, 23c; No. 2 white, 25½c to 29c; No. 3 white, 24½c to 25½c. No. 2 spring wheat, 64c to 70c; No. 1 flaxsed, \$1.30½; Northwest, \$1.30½. Prime timothy seed, \$2.30. Cloversed, choice, \$7.50. Mess pork, \$8 to \$8.05. Lard, \$5.20 to \$5.25. Short rib sides, \$4.75 to \$5.15. Dry salted shoulders, 6c to 6½c. Short clear sides, \$5.40 to \$5.50. Sugar, cut loaf, \$5.70; granulated, \$5.10, Eggs, strong, fresh, 16½c to 17c.

RECCEIPTS—Flour, 13.000 barrels; wheat, 198,000 bushels; corn, 703,000 bushels; oats, 305,000 bushels; ryc, 250,000 bushels; barley, 173,000 bushels.

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SHIPMENTS-Flour. 184,000 barrels; wheat, 24,000 bushels; corn, 405,000 bushels; oats, 262,000 bushels; rye, 4,000 bushels; barley, 27,000 bushels

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25 .- There was a fairly active demand for cattle today at about former prices, the middling grades being barely steady; good to fancy grades brought \$5 50 to \$5 70; common to medium, \$4 10 to \$4 45; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 75; cows stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 75; cows and bulls, \$4 to \$4 25; Texans, \$3 50 to \$4 10; calves, \$5 to \$7 50; trade was brisk in hogs at steady prices; fair to prime lots, \$4 25 to \$4 42½; heavy packers, \$3 80 to \$4 17½; mixed, \$4 10 to \$4 35; butchers, \$4 15 to \$4 42½; light weights, \$4 to \$4 35; pigs, \$3 90 to \$4 30. There was an excellent demand for sheep and lambs at the recent advance. sheep and lambs at the recent advance; poor to choice sheep, \$2 25 to \$4 30; lambs, \$3 50 to \$5 50 for the poorest to the best. Receipts-Cattle, 14,000; hogs,

EAST BUFFALO, Oct. 25.—Cattle—There were no offerings, but fair inquiry for choice butchers, giving a steady feeling. Calves were in light supply, active demand and quite strong; choice to extra word. strong; choice to extra were quotable at \$8 25 to \$8 50; good to choice, \$7 75 to \$8 25. Sheep and lambs—The market was unusually steady, with 15 loads, including 4 loads of Canada lambs; the basis was a shade higher on basis. including 4 loads of Canada lambs; the basis was a shade higher on choice lambs, and full strong on sheep; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$5 to \$5 35; good to choice, \$4 75 to \$5; common to fair, \$4 to \$4 50; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4 25; good to choice, \$3 75 to \$4; Canada lambs were quotable at \$5 to \$5 35; not all offerings were sold. Hogs—The trade was dull were sold. Hogs-The trade was dull and 5c to 10c lower, on a total of 20 loads for the day; in fact, it was a \$4.50 market on all tradeable grades of heavy, mixed, medium and Yorkers and pigs; grassers, \$430 to \$440; roughs, \$375 to \$385; stags, \$335 to \$350; the close was about steady.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Oct. 25.—Wheat, old, per bu, 68c; wheat, new, 68c; oats, 25c to 27c; peas, 50c to 60c; barley, 35c to 40c; rye, 60c; corn, 45c to 50c; flaxseed, \$2 45

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THE FIGHTING AT RIETFONTEIN London, Oct. 26.—Details of the fighting at Rietfontein are coming in slow-ly. A special dispatch from Lady-smith, dated Oct. 24, filed after the fight, says: "On discovery that the Boers were massed to the westward of the main road to Dundee, an attempt was made by a train to discover the body of Col. Scott-Chisholme, killed at Elandslaagte. The train was fired upon and obliged to retire, and Gen. White moved out to attack the Boers, believed to be Free Staters, who should have joined the Transvaalers at Elandslaagte. Gen. White commanded personally. The Fifth Lancers were placed on either flank. They first came in touch with the Boers below Modder-NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Butter firm; spruit, where 1,500 burghers occupied a strong ridge, whence they opened factory, 14½c to 17c; June creamery, 17c to 22½c; imitation creamery, 15½c to 20c; state dairy, 16½c to 22c; state creamery, 17c to 24c. Cheese quiet; unscattled through an opening in the ridge under the fire of a Beer gun. ridge, under the fire of a Boer gun, while the Imperial Light Horse took part of the crest of the ridge, the Boers retiring. At about 9, however, a Boer gun stationed on the crest of Natawanaskep opened fire with great accuracy on the main force, which, in the mean-time, had come up; but the shells failed to explode, and the British artillery silenced the opposition. The whole British force then ad-

vanced, and the action became general. A large body of Boers occupied strong positions at Matawanskop, and the precipitous ridges surrounding it. The British guns shelled the positions and the infantry advanced under cover of

The Gloucesters and Devons crossed a fearful fire-zone beneath Tuitanyoni hill, whence the Boers poured a withering fire with such effect that 30 of the attackers dropped within a distance of 200 yards. Seeing the peril of the Devons and Gloucesters, Gen. White dispatched the Carbineers and Liverpools to take the enemy in the rear. A fierce rifle and artillery duel was maintained for some time. The Britmaintained for some time. The British Maxims rattled, but the Boers, under cover of the rocks, remained cool and replied with an incessant rifle fire. The British artillery swept the face of the hill and at length the shells became so destructive that the Boers retreated to another ridge, whence they were dislodged by the volunteers in the face, of a galling fire. The Boers soon re-formed and took up a position on another ridge, but the volunteers dashed across the intervenng plateau, again rushed on the Boer position and drove them back to the main force, occupying Mataawanas Kop. The British then shelled the lat-ter until clusters of Boers were seen

der until clusters of Boers were seen leaving and remeating westward, when the engagement closed.

A special dispatch from Glencoe camp, dated Oct. 25, says: After the victory on Friday the British imagined they were free from further molestation for some days, but they soon found that the earlier reports of a sweeping success were exaggerated. guns was incorrect, the burghers succeeding in removing some of them beceeding in removing some of them before the British carried the hill, leaving only the riflemen behind to cover THE EVACUATION OF DUNDEE.

On Saturday news was received of the approach of Gen. Joubert's main column, threatening Dundee. Gen. Yule quickly recognized the impossibility of defending both Dundee and Glencoe against such superiority of numbers sent word to Ladysmith of Dundee, which commenced with longrange firing by the big guns at daybreak on Sunday. The Boers made excellent practice, and the shells from a 40-pounder occupying the Impati Mountains dropped in and around the town. In the meanwhile the British had reached Glencoe in safety. There orders reached Gen. Yule on Monday to fall back on Ladysmith. At the same time he was informed that a large force was awiating at Elandslaagte to assist his retirement. his retirement. Glencoe camp accordingly was quietly evacuated. The precarious position of the British not not known to the Boers. PROCLAMATION TO THE BASUTOS

President Steyn, of the Orange Free State, has issued a proclamation to the Basuto nation, explaining the reasons for the war, and also stating that Boer forces have been placed near the Basutoland border. He makes known that the republic is at peace with the Basutos and wishes to continue so, adding that no injury will be done to Basutos remaining quiet and not assisting the British.

TALK OF FOREIGN COMPLICATIONS

Great Britain Alleged To Be on the Verge of a Crisis.

London, Oct. 26.-The extent of the British naval preparations causes a reiteration of the rumors of serious foreign complications. It is now said that Rear-Admiral Lord Charles Beresford will command the Mediterranean squadron, and details of the activity at the dockyards and navai stations are coming in hot and fast. The Associated Press learns, however, that whether or not Great Britain seriously fears French or Russian aggression. the naval preparations have been un-der consideration for several months, and it was the admiralty's intention to put them in force as soon as war with the Transvaad was declared, deeming it necessary to increase the active strength of the navy, in order to insure the large fleet of transports cure against every possible contingency.

The exact condition of affairs con-

sists of ordering the naval reserves to be in readiness to rejoin their ships inside of 24 hours' notice, while all the cruisers of the reserve class have been notified to be ready to sail in the same time limit. These vessels, though at the dockyard, are never out of commission, and are always supposed to be ready for immediate manning. A dozen cruisers, ranging from 6,000 to 11,000 tons, are now only waiting the

word to embark the crews.

In addition to these preparations, work on the uncompleted vessels is being hurried day and night. The special attention being paid to the cruisers is taken by many naval authorities to indicate that Great Britain intends to indicate that Great Britain intends to form a menacing flying squadron, using the term "menacing" because the naval force at sea now is ample to convoy the transports, and is thoroughly capable of preventing any interference in South African waters.

While the British officials do not conTHE WEATHER TODAY—Rain; cooler weather.

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All-Linen Huck Towels, hemmed, colored border, good large Oatmeal Cloth, fringed, colored border......121/2c yard

numbers, sent word to Ladysmith of his dangerous situation, and ordered the evacuation of Dundee. Most of the inhabitants went southward on Saturday. The British camp was also removed in anticipation of an attack on moved in anticipation of an attack on

149, 151 and 153 Dundas Street.

ceal their knowledge of German, French and Russian antagonism and their irri-tation thereat, they do not give the slightest hint that European hostility will crystallize into any probable overt act. But the belief that Great Britain is on the verge of a crisis, or even a conflict far greater than that in the Transvaal, has many supporters, though the lack of all official confirmation favors the conservative view that the remarkable military and navel activity is due to a desire to take thorough precautions, which, though omi-nous, have at present no special bearing upon Great Britain's European re-

The British cruisers Furious, Pelorus and Pactolus sailed from Queenstown yesterday afternoon, en route to Cape Clear, where they will meet eight battleships and two cruisers of the Channel squadron, from the north of Ireland. The fleet will then proceed ostensibly to Gibraltar, but it is thought that possibly the fleet's destination is a Spanish or Portuguese port, and the vessels have taken out bills of health from the consuls of these countries. Dispatches from the continent to the Daily Mail say that the British fleet has received instructions to watch the

movements of the French Mediterran-ean squadron, and that the Italian squadron is under orders to be prepar-ed to sail. QUEEN CITY CASE.

John Blow, 67 Princess Street, Toronto, Implicated in a Cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto, Oct. 23 .- Mr. John Blow, 67 Princess street, has had his name appear in the provincial press lately in connection with a cure made by Dodd's Kidney Pills. His case was a compli-cation of Lumbago and Diabetes, for which he had tried every remedy he ever heard of.

"When I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills," said Mr. Blow. "I had lost faith "I have used in all five boxes and am

thoroughly cured - a strong, healthy, hearty, vigorous man, whereas before I started to use your Dodd's Kidney Pills I was a constant and miserable sufferer. I cannot find words to express my entire confidence in Dodd's Kidney Pills."

A British syndicate is reported about to establish a big paper mill near Nia-gara Falls, N. Y.

gara Falls, N. Y.

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

MERELY MENTIONED &

New Orleans has just received 1,381 Italians, who purpose settling in Southwestern Louisiana.

The National W. C. T. U. closed its 22nd annual convention and silver jubilee at Seattle, Washington, yesterday.

A Conservative rally is to be held in Ottawa next Monday evening, at which Sir Charles Tupper will be the principal speaker. Gen. Andrade, ex-president of Vene-

zuela, who was driven out of his country by insurgents, has arrived in Brighton, Barbadoes. The numerous and extensive brass plants in the Naugatuck valley, Con-

necticut, are about to combine. They do a \$25,000,000 annual business. Epworth Heights, Cincinnati, Methodist camp meeting ground has lost buildings and trees valued at \$50,000. Two women caretakers started the fire

to burn some fallen leaves. An authoritative denial is given to the report from Hong Kong that U. S. Consul-General Wildman is to be withdrawn from Hong Kong because of his connection with Aguinaldo. Consul Wildman, it is alleged, is to

be recalled from Hong Kong for his prominence in Aguinaldo's business. The same report names as his successor Dr. Bedloe, late consul at Can-The passenger elevator in the War-

ren Springer building, 231 South Canal street, Chicago, dropped six floors with four men. John Hinkus was in-stantly killed, and Wm. Fritz and Fred Schultz may die. Dr. William Mingle Comfort, one of

the oldest physicians of the district, died suddenly of heart failure on Monday at his home in North Pelham. Deceased had entered on his 78th year on the day of his death.

Because he stopped a runaway team in San Antonio, Texas, four years ago and saved the life of John Wallace, a wealthy farmer, J. L. Reilly, city councilman of Cleveland, Ohio, has fallen heir to \$80,000 of Wallace's wealth. A special cable from Panama, Colombia, says that in consequence of the revolution that has broken out there the government has declared martial law. All the newspapers in the country have been required to suspend pub-

John A. Thomas, reeve of Colchester North, died at his home on Tuesday of typhoid fever. Imitations.

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SUSAN B. ANTHONY

Will Retire From the Presidency of the Woman Suffragists.

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 26.-Susan B. Anthony corroborates the statement that she would retire from the presidency of the National Suffrage Association. She has endeavored to keep the matter a secret. She said it was premature to assume that Carrie Chapman Catt would succeed her, and that Rev. Anna Shaw was also so con-

Miss Anthony has been at the head of the movement for 43 years, and will be 80 years old in February, and now raising half a million dollars as a per-manent suffrage agitation fund. Seattle, Wash., Oct. 26.—The Women's Christian Temperance Union delegates at Scattle, after a heated controversy, passed resolutions denouncing the Philippine war. Mormon Roberts, lynching, immoral shows, army canteens, Gen. Alger and trusts.

School Girls' Nerves.

Many a pale, weak school girl, suffer-Every good thing is imitated. There are lots of vile compounds of alum, etc., which crack the feet and injure the leather. These afford big profits to the seller, but if you want comfort and satisfaction, ask for FOOT ELM, and take nothing else. 25 cents at druggists, or postage paid from D. A. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont.

Many a pale, weak school girl, suffering the evil effects of an exhausted nervous system, and thin, watery blood, has been fully restored to the vigor and buoyancy of robust health, by using Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food. The healthful glow on the cheek and the brightness in the eye tell of the building-up process which is taking place in the body.

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New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Oct. 26.

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Northern Pacific 75%	75%	76	753/4	76
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Reading 61	611/8	615/8	603/4	60 7/8
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THE POOL BOOK	

Toronto Produce Market.

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TORONTO, Oct. 26.-Wheat is dull, at 661/2c for red and white, goose is quoted at 69c to 69%c, west. Manitoba wheat is steady, at 81c for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit, and 80c, west. Flour is quiet, cars of straight roller, in bar-rels, are quoted at \$2 90, west. Millfeed is steady, at \$11 50 to \$12 for bran, west. Barley steady, at \$42c to 43c for No. 2, west. Buckwheat steady, at 48c, west. Rye steady, at 53c, west. Corn quiet, at 421/2c for No. 3, and 43c for No. 2, American, yellow here. Oats steady, at 25½c for mixed, and 26½c for white, west. Peas quiet, at 57c, north and west. Eggs firmer, at 18c to 19c for fresh gatherings and 15c to 16c for limed. Butter steady, at 16c to 181/2c for choice dairy tubs, and 10c to 14c for inferior, and medium large rolls 16c to 17c; creamery steady, 22c to 23c for prints, and 21c for solid. Dressed hogs, \$5 80 for cars of mixed weights

American Markets

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Opening—Wheat, Dec., 70% to 70%; May, 74% to 74%. Corn, May, 34% to 34%; Dec., 31% to 31%. Oats, May, 24%. Pork, Jan., \$9 57%. Lard, Jan., \$5 35 Rib.; Jan., \$4 97 to \$5.

NEW York, Oct. 26.—Flour—Receipts, 27,094 bbls; sales, 2,700 pkgs; state and western ruled quiet, as buy-ers refused to meet the higher prices asked. Rye flour-Quiet; good to fair, \$3 40 to \$3 45; choice to fancy, \$3 45 to \$3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 257,700 bu; sales, 1,350 bu; options opened steady and afterwards advanced sharply on active covering, stimulated by a jump in corn, and light offerings; May, 791/sc to 791/2c; Dec., 75 9-16c to 76c. Rye—

There are three conditions: When the blood is poor; When more flesh is needed: When there is weakness

of the throat or lungs. There is one cure: that is

Scott's Emulsion. It contains the best codliver oil emulsified, or digested, and combined with the hypophosphites and glycerine. It promises more prompt relief and more lasting benefit in these cases than can be obtained from the

use of any other remedy. 50c. and \$2.00, all druggists.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.) Dull; state, 62c to 63c; No. 2 western, of Europe and the United States, for the attraction.

Receipts, 221,825 bu; sales, 25,000 bu; HE MAY DIE.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, Oct. 26.

Puts, 70%. Calls, 71%. Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Oct. 26.-Hogs-Market asier. Mixed and butchers, \$4 10 to Cattle—Receipts, 8,500; market steady; beeves, \$4 25 to \$6 50; cows and heifers,

er, Sir Dodfrey Lagden, was present.

\$1 75 to \$4 90; Texas steers, \$3 50 to \$4 10; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 85.

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Oct. 26-10 a.m.-Probabililes for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Winds, shifting to northerly; rain be-

Friday-Moderate northerly winds.

un and Guitar Club of the Y. M. C. A. have issued invitations to a reception to be held in their parlors tonight.

-R. Howard, the young man committed for trial by Squire Smyth, elected trial by jury before Judge El-liott this morning, and will be tried at the assizes. -Copies of The Advertiser, ready for

mailing, containing a full account of the departure of the London Volunteers, can be had at the countingroom. -Miss Lela Bradley, 280 Clarence

street, lost a purse on Tuesday and advertised for it in the cuy papers. Mr. Foster, 139 Fullarton street, called at this office today with the purse. The Advertiser leads every time! -Bert Wheatcroft, one of the South African contingent, was yesterday presented by the Orient club, of which he

is a member, with a massive gold ring and an insurance policy for \$1,000 in favor of his mother. -Mr. W. H. Hewlett will be assisted by Signor Riccardo Ricci at the twi-light organ recital to be given in Dundas Center Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon next. Signor Ricci will sing "Honor and Arms" (Handel)

and the "Creation Hymn" (Beethoven), -Mr. Harry Beaton, of 473 Park ayenue, was stricken with parallysis yesterday at one o'clock. His left side and arm are affected. He was reserious condition. The attending physicians, however, hold out the hope

that he will recover. -Among those who will take part in the concert at St. Thomas tonight, in aid of the London street railway strikers, are: Messrs. Corbin brothers and Williamson, the London Musical Trio: Mr. Dave Walsh and Miss Pickard. The L. E. and D. R. R. report a large sale of tickets, and say that three coaches full of people will go from London.

-Messrs. George Taylor and Ray Little, members of the Balmoral Club, who left with the London contingent for the Transvaal, were entertained in the club room Monday night, and each presented with a handsome gold ring, suitably inscribed. This will make five members of the club in South Africa, the others being Messrs. Deacon, Rattray and Wallace.

-The funeral of the late Nicholas Ranahan took place yesterday to the Catholic cemetery. Services at St. Peter's Cathedral were largely attended. Rev. Father McKeon celebrated mass, and Rev. Father Aylward conducted services at the grave. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Butler, Frank Coles, sen.; Hubent Dignan, Wm. McPhillips, Thomas H. Purdom, Q.C.,

and Thomas Rowe. -At St. Peter's Cathedral, Monday norning, at 8 o'clock, Mr. Wm. Massie and Mrs. Sarah Coleman were wedded by Rev. Father McKeon. The bride was assisted by Miss Kate Moore and Norvis. After the ceremony the wedding breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Gray, 128 Fullarton street. The bride received many handsome presents.

SOLDIERS AT THE CITADEL. A dispatch from Quebec states that the London and Toronto detachments of the Canadian contingent arrived at Levis at 2:10 p.m. today.

THE OPENING CONCERT. The music loving public of London is looking forward with a great deal of interest to the opening of the Auditorium popular concert course Friday night, when Mrs. Frank Mackelcan, the great contraito, and Signor Ricci, the famous basso, who has sung with great success in every musical penter

Receipts, 221,825 bu; sales, 25,000 bu; options strong and active on builish crop news and long account buying; May, 39c to 394c; Dec., 4984c to 46c. Oats—Receipts, 178,800 bu; options quiet but firm; on track, white state and western, 30c to 35c. Butter—Receipts, 4,616 pkgs; firm. Cheese—Receipts, 4,201 pkgs; barely steady. Eggs—Receipts, 5,294 pkgs; dull. Sugar—Raw firm, refined firm. Hops—Quiet. Lead—Quiet; bullion price, \$4 40; exchange price, \$4 60 to \$4 65. Wool—Dull.

HE MAY DIE.

Mr. Joseph Farr, who was injured by street cars yesterday, lies in a very serious condition, and his physicians hold out no hope of his recovery. Upon examination at his home yesterday it was found that his injuries were very grave. Three ribs were torn from his breast-bone. It is also thought that the breast-bone itself is broken. was found that his injuries were very grave. Three ribs were torn from his EUGENE V. DEBS COMING

The big labor demonstration in aid of the street railway strike has been definitely decided on for Wednesday evening, Nov. 1, when the labor element will turn out in full force and parade to the Jubilee Rink. A St. Thomas delegation has signified their intention of being present, and running a special train from that place, bringing a band with them. Outside speakers will also take part. Eugene V. Debs has been secured to speak in London on the evening of Dec. 20. "B" COMPANY AT TORONTO.

The Toronto Mail and Empire says: "The Grand Trunk provided dinner for officers and men of the London company in the station dining-room, and they will breakfast at Montreal, where they will arrive at 7:30 a.m. They were a fine, soldierly-looking lot of men, and will be a credit to the London district. Members of the Argonaut Rowing Club met the train when it arrived and presented Captain Mason with a handsome token of their re-A number of the city officers and others paid their respects to the London men, and they were very warmly greeted. Their train moved out at 9:30 sharp.

THE BARRACKS

Unmarried Men of No. 1 Company May Be Sent to Toronto.

Soldiers Despoiled of Their Buttons by Enthusiastic Souvenir Hunters.

It did not take long for affairs at the barracks to fall back into the old routine. From appearances there this morning no one would suppose that, a few hours before, it had been the scene of such enthusiasm and the focal point of such intense interest. The number of men in barracks is small at any time, but after the crowds that have lately inhabited it, the men say that When Col. Buchan goes away the dominant spirit of the barracks will be gone, and it is rumored that, in a short time, all the unmarried men will be sent to Stanley Barracks, Toronto, and non-coms. and married men will be left to keep up the establishment. If this arrangement is brought about, it will last until the officers come back

Col. Holmes says that yesterday he made arrangements with the Grand Trunk authorities and issued orders to he city officials to have the east end of the station kept clear by the police, in order that there might be a clear space in which the relatives of the volunteers could bid a last farewell to the boys. As it was the police were not there in time, the crowd swarmed over the platform, and mothers and friends had to crush in near the cars or be content to let their boys go without good-byes.

SOUVENIRS FOR THE GIRLS. A number of the regulars were in he stores department this morning, buying in a fresh supply of ornaments and buttons. They say that, at the station they were besieged by girls, who, under the impression that they were the members of the contingent, coaxed them for souvenirs. The boys who went away had hardly any buttons or ornaments left on their serges, so great was the demand made upon them by the fair enthusiasts.

TEN SOLDIERS WERE DISMISSED

After Being Sworn in as Members of B Company-Only 107 Men Went Away.

When Col. Holmes was spoken to in regard to the ten men dismissed yesterday from "B" Company of the contingent, he said that it was a private matter between Col. Otter and Capt. Stuart. The authorities at the barracks had nothing to do with it. He knew, however, that Capt. Stuart had received an order to take only 107 men, including the seven from the barracks, after he had sworn in 110 outside men. This necessitated the dismissal of the extra ten, and the officers told the least capable men to leave. There is no record at the barracks of the men who were dismissed.

Caramel Cereal.

To nine people out of every iten coffee drinking is positively injurious. Tea is just as bad. For some people it is Caramel Cereal is the only ideal drink. It is stimulating, fragrant, delicious. It is nourishing, aids digestion and makes rich blood. It is made entirely from pure wholesome grains, but treated in such a manner as to impart the full, rich flavor of the best mocha coffee. One cup of Caramel Cereal will lure the most confirmed coffee-drinker away from his favorite beverage. In a few weeks the muddy complexion of the coffee drinker will give place to the bright, clear skin of perfect health. Ask your grocer for Caramel Cereal, or telephone 1253.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done it will do again.

F. Lichtenheim, ex-vice-president of the suspended Ville Marie Bank, has been committed for trial on a charge of having made a false and deceptive statement of the affairs of the bank to the government.

A DINNER PILL-Many persons A DINNER PILL—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healing nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctivee of another troubles. They correct acidity such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take it troubled with indirection.

Wounded at Dundee

When He Evacuated the Place and Started for Ladysmith.

Mafeking Was All Right on the 21st and Kimberly Was Quiet Up to the 23rd Inst.

London, Oct. 26.-The war office today received the following telegram from Gen. White:

"Ladysmith, Oct. 25 .- Brigadier-General Yule's force has left Dundee with a view of concentrating at Ladysmith. To avoid the risk of life which a long march would have entailed, the wounded were left at Dundee under medical supervision. Yesterday Mr. George White (having ascertained by a previous reconnoissance that the Free State forces had moved eastward from Bester's Station, and were attempting to gain the road from Ladysmith to the north), moved out in the direction of Elandslaagte, with the Fifth Lancers, Nineteenth Hussars, Imperial Light Horse, Natal Mounted Volunteers, two field batteries, one mountain battery, and a brigade of infantry. "All was well at Mafeking on Oct.

"All was well at Kimberley on Oct. 23. The defenders are in good spirits." A BOER DEFEAT THAT ENDED IN A ROUTE.

Late accounts dwell on the severity of the rifle fire at Reitfontein. They say that when the Boers finally re-treated the Lancers cut them off from their horses and inflicted severe loss on them. The retreat, it is added, ended in a general route.

It is announced today, in a dispatch

from Ladysmith, dated Oct. 23, that strong reinforcements of infantry and artillery have arrived there from Pietermaritzburg. It was also reported that the Boers were again massing near Elandslaagte, and that a Free State force, several thousand strong, was occupying Bester's Station.

BASUTOS WITH THE BRITISH. Advices from Cape Town today show that the assembly at Putiatsu River was attended by all the principal Ba-suto chiefs. The resident commissioner Sir Godfrey Lagden, was present. The action of the paramount chief, Lerothodi, in pledging the nation's loyalty was emphatically confirmed by the chief's urging the claim that they be regarded as the Queen's soldiers, it seems as though everyone had left. and be allowed to share in Great Brit-When Col. Buchan goes away the ain's struggle. Three cheers were given for the Queen by thousands of natives, led by Lerothodi. The British commissioner discouraged the idea that the British required assistance, and bade the chiefs quell excitement and beware of false reports. CLOSING AROUND KIMBERLEY.

There is little news from the western border. The cordon around Kimberley is drawing closer, but hopes are expressed that a flying column will shortly be sent to its relief .. The Boers have occupied Windsorton, an unpro-

The Portu se authorities have re-conducted o the border 500 white and black prooners, whom the Boers released from their jails and turned loose in Pontuguese territory.

CONTINGENT

Col. Buchan to Command One Battalton of the Canadian Regiment Bound for South Africa.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, Oct. 26.-Minister Borden and Buchan, in command of No. 1 company, R. C. R. I., London, will command one battalion, and it is understood that Lieut.-Col. Pelletier will command the other. Lieut.-Col. Pelletier is a son of Sir Alphonse Pelletier, speaker of the senate. Of course, Lieut.-Col. Otter will be over both. Capt. McDougall, R. C. R. I., will be regiment adjutant. Major Biggar, of Belleville, will likely be quartermaster, but this is not yet settled. The special service officers will in all probability be Lieut.-Col. Hessard, Toronto; Major Cartwright, headquarters staff; Major S. Denison, and Lieut.-Col. Hughes, M.P.

TURNED IN A BLANKET.

Pain Too Severe From Rheumatism to Have Even the Nurse's Trained Hand Touch Him-South American Rhoumatic Cure Got Him Out of Bed in 24 Hours.

"Some time ago I was attacked with very severe rheumatic pains. My joints swelled and stiffened. I had to be turned in bed on a blanket. I had best doctors and best nurses, but could not get relief. Death would have been welcome. A friend called and recom-mended South American Rheumatic Cure. I procured it, and in 24 hours after taking it there was a wonder-ful change. I was able to get out of my bed in a chair without assistance. I have continued using it, and although 88 years of age, I do not feel within twenty years of it. I am my natural self again, free from pain. I trust you will use the testimony as you think best for suffering humanity's sake." Samuel Haight, Sparta, Ont. Sold by C. McCallum & Co.

Steamship Arrivals.

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	Marquette	New York	Londo

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Rogers' No. 1847 Plated Knives... \$4 00 per doz.
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Rogers' No. 1847 Table Spoons and Forks.
Colluloid Table Knives...... \$2 00 per doz.
Colluloid Table Knives...... \$1 90 per doz.
Colluloid Dessert Knives \$1 90 per doz.
Children's Sots, Knives, Forks and Spoons,
Berry Spoons, Pie Knives, Butter Knives,
Soup Ladles, Sugar Shells.
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denced in a remarkable degree this afternoon, just prior to his departure for Quebec to take the position of second in command of the Canadian contingent. At the London Club 45 of his friends, all but two or three of whom were members of the club, attended a luncheon in his honor and presented him with a purse containing 80 sovereigns. Sir John Carling presided, and speeches of a complimentary and patriotic character were delivered.

Subsequently, at the barracks, Mayor Wilson, on behalf, of the city, presented the gallant colonel with 20 sovereigns, Ald. Graham also being pres-Col. Buchan expected to leave for

Quebec at 4:40 this afternoon. **AMUSEMENTS**

"MONTE CRISTO." For the big production of monte Cristo," which appears at the Grand Opera House on Saturday matinee and night, the company will include the well-known leading actor, Mr. Herbert Colby, who has been leading man With the famous Boston Museum Stock Company, who played the principal role in Chas. Fromman's production of "Men and Women," and appeared in the original production of "The Ensign." Mr. Colby will be seen as Monte Cristo. Another talented actor is Mr. Will Burnett, who was lately identified with Henry Misner's production of "Human Hearts," and was a member of Hopkins' Stock Company, Chicago. For a leading actness the management obtained the services of Miss Carolyne McLean, a well-known actress of exceptional talent. Miss McLean was

leading woman with the popular tra-

gedian, Mr. Robert Downing. Earlier in her career she was with Thomas A. Seabrook's Company. In "Monte Cristo" she will be seen as Mercedes, the emotional lead. FRANK DANIELS' NEW PLAY. This city's lovers of mirth and melody will be pleased to learn that Frank Daniels will be here next Tuesday. He Gen. Hutton are conferring this morning in regard to dividing the Canadian contingent. It is stated that Col. that "The Ameer" affords him the best vehicle he has ever had for the display of his talents. The scene of the opera is in Afghanistan. The story is described as being remarkable for its originality and richness of humor, the central theme being the methods which the Ameer is compelled to employ to preserve his life. Frank Daniels enacts the title role, and his interpretation is said to be excruciatingly funny. Punctuating his interpre-tation is three or four topical songs,

on a par with his celebrated "Tattoed

Man," in "The Idol's Eye." The pro-

duction of "The Ameer" is set forth as

being decidedly the most amusing thing

yet attempted by the Daniels man-

"THE CHRISTIAN." The principal event of the year will be the production here of Hall Cain's be the production here of Hall Cain's great play "The Christian," which comes to the Grand for an engagement of one night, Tuesday, Nov. 7.
Tunis F. Dean, business manager of the organization, is now in the city perfecting the approximent for its production. feeting the engagement for its produc-tion. The company numbers over 50 people, and two cars are necessary to transport the massive scenery. Effle Ellsler, a most charming actress, and well-known here, appears as Glory Quayle, in which she has made the success of her life. J. M. Colville, one of the best romantic actors on the stage, has also scored an unqualified hit as John Storm.

THE LONDONERS REACH MONTREAL

McGill Boys Turn Out in Honor of Capt. Ross-"He's All Right." [Special to The Advertiser per G.N.W.]

Montreal, Oct. 26.-The Toronto company of the Transvaal contingent arrived here about 3 o'clock this morning by the C. P. R., and at 9 o'clock it took the Intercolonial for Quebec. THE LONDON CONTINGENT,

which arrived this morning by the Grand Trunk, took the same train. A lot of McGill boys turned out to honor Capt. Ross, of London, who is a McGill student, and there was no mistaking the manner in which he was declared to be "all right," and the loyal enthusiasm which was manifested.

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LATE SPORTING

Canadian Jumpers Took All the Prizes at Kansas City-Saturday's Football Match.

FOOTBALL.

SATURDAY'S GAME. The event of the week in amateur athletic circles is the football game to be played Saturday afternoon at Tecumseh Park, between the London Juniors and the Toronto 'Varsity team. The Juniors are training hard and have already proven themselves worthy of the hearty support and patronage of the public.

TURF. CANADIAN TOOK ALL THE

PRIZES. Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 26.—In the jumping class at the horse show last night George Pepper, of Toronto, Ont., took all the prizes with his Queensbury and Victoria.

SWINDLER WITH A DIALECT

Ordered Glass for a Church Window and Borrowed Five Dollars.

Edwin Hill, a representative of the Toronto Plate Glass Company, called at the police station here last night and stated that a man giving the name of Joseph Miller had swindled him out of Miller represented himself to Mr. Hill as one of a committee appoitned to get the glass for windows in a new church at Wolseley, a town near Belle River. After making arrangements for the glass Miller wanted a loan of \$5, which was given him. It has since turned out that the story told by Miller was pure "fake." Miller swindled a well-known London merchant some time ago, and attempted to work a game on another a few days since. He is a German 5 feet 6 inches in bight. is a German, 5 feet 6 inches in height, reddish mustache, four or five weeks' growth of beard, about 50 years of age, and has a ruddy complexion. He speaks broken English. The police have no clew as to his whereabouts.

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The Strange Metamorphosis.

They entered the church, and Paul was sent down to the extreme end of e pew next to the one reserved for the doctor and his family. Dulcie was atting there already on the other side of the partition, but she gave no sign of her having noticed his arrival, being apparently absorbed in studying

he rose window over the altar. He sat down in his corner with a sense of rest and almost comport, though the seat was not a cushioned one. He had the inoffensive Kiffin for a neighbor, his chief tormentors were far away from him in one of the back pews, and here at least, he thought, no harm could come to him. He could allow himself safely to do what I am afraid he generally did do under the circumstances—snatch a few intermit-tent but sweet periods of dreamless

But, while the service was proceeding Mr. Bultitude was suddenly hor-rified to observe that a young lady, who occupied a pew at right-angles to and touching that in which he sat, was deliberately making furtive signals to

him in a most unmistakable manner. She was a decidedly pretty girl of about fifteen, with merry and daring blue eyes and curling golden hair, and was accompanied by two small brothers (who shared the same book and dealt each other stealthy and vicious kicks throughout the service), and by her father, a stout, short-sighted old gentleman in gold spectacles, who was perpetually making the wrong responses in a loud and confident tone.

To be signaled to in a marked manby a strange young lady of great personal attractions might be a coveted distinction to other schoolboys, but

"I suppose that's 'Connie Davenant." he thought, shocked beyond measure as she caught his eye and coughed demurely for about the fourth time.
"A very forward young person! I
think somebody ought to speak seriously to her father."

Good gracious! she's writing something on the fly-leaf of her prayer-book," he said to himself presently. "I hope she's not going to send it to me. I won't take it. She ought to be ashamed of herself!"

Miss Davenant was indeed busily engaged in penciling something on a blank piece of paper; and, having fin-ished, she deftly folded into a cocked hat, wrote a few words on the outside and placed it between the leaves of her book.

Then, as the congregation rose for the Psalms, she gave a meaning glance at the blushing and scandalized Mr. Bultitude, and by dexterous management of her prayer book, shot the little cocked hat, as if unconsciously, into the next pew.

By a very unfortunate miscalculaproper object, and, clearing the partition, fluttered deliberately down on

the floor by Dulcie's feet.
Paul saw this with alarm; he knew that at all hazards he must get that miserable note into his own possesion and destroy it. It might have name somewhere about it; it might seriously compromise him.

So he took advantage of the noise the congregation made in repeating a verse aloud (it was not a high church) to whisper to Dulcie: "Little Miss Grimstone, excuse me, but there's a —a note in the pew down by your feet. I believe it is intended for me." Durcie had seen the whole affair, and had not been a little puzzled by it, a clandestine correspondence being a new thing in her short experience; but she understood in this golden-haired girl, her elder by several years, she saw her rival, for whom Dick had so

basely abandoned her yesterday, and she was old enough to feel the slight and the sweetness of revenge. So she held her head rather higher than usual, with her firm little chin projecting willfully; and waited for the next verse but one before retorting, "Little Master Bultitude, I know it

"Could you—can you manage to reach it?" whispered Paul, entreat-

ingly. "Yes," said Dulcie, "I could." "Then will you-when they down?"

"No," said Dulcie, firmly, "I shan't." The other girl, she noticed with satisfaction, had become aware of the situation, and was evidently uneasy. She looked as imploringly as she dared at remorseless little Dulcie, as if appealing to her not to get her into trouble; but Dulcie bent her eyes obstinately on her book and would not

see her.
Mr. Bultitude began now to be seriously alarmed. The fatal paper must be seen by someone in the doctor's pew as soon as the congregation sat down again; and, if it reached the doctor's hands, it was impossible to say what misconstruction he might put upon it. or what terrible consequences

might follow.

He was innocent, perfectly innocent; but though the consciousness of innocence is frequently a great consola-tion, he felt that unless he could im-

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oue the doctor with it as well it would not save him from a flogging.

So he made one more desperate attempt to soften Dulcie's resolution: "Don't be a naughty little girl," he said, very injudiciously for his purpose; "I tell you I must have it. You'll get me into a terrible mess if you're not careful!" not careful!

But although Dulcie had been extremely well brought up, I regret to say that the only answer she chose to make to this appeal was that slight contortion of the features with which contortion of the features with which a pretty girl is euphemized as a "moue," and with a plain one is called "making a face." When he saw it he knew that all hope of changing her purpose must now be abandoned.

Then they all sat down, and, as Paul had foreseen there the white cocked had foreseen, there the white cocked hat lay on the dark pew carpet, hideously distinct, with billet doux in every fold of it!

It could only be a question of time

now. The curate was reading the first lesson for the day, but Mr. Bultitude heard not, a verse of it. He was waiting with bated breath for the blow to fall.

It fell at last. Dulcie, either with the malevolent idea of hastening the crisis, or (which I prefer to believe for my own part) finding that her ex-lover's visible torments were too much for her desire of vengeance, was softly moving a heavy cassock toward the guilty note. The movement caught her mother's eye, and in an instant the compromising paper was in her

watchful hands.
She read it with incredulous horror, and handed it at once to the doctor. The golden-haired one saw it all without betraying herself by any outward confusion. She had probably had some experience in such matters, and felt tolerably certain of being able, at the worst, to manage the old gentleman in the gold spectacles. But she took at early opportunity of se-cretly conveying her contempt for the traitress Dulcie, who continued to meet her angry glance with the blandest

unconsciousness. Dr. Grimstone examined the cocked hat through his double eyeglesses, with a heavy thunder-cloud gathering on his brows. When he had mastered it thoroughly, he bent forward and glared indignants past his wife and daughter for at least half a minute into the new where Mr. Bultitude was to the pew where Mr. Bultitude was cowering, until he felt that he was coming all to pieces under the pierc-

ing gaze. The service passed all too quickly after that. Paul sat down and stood up almost unconsciously with the rest; but for the first time in his life he could have wished the sermon many times longer.

The horror of his position quite petrified him. After all his prudent resolutions to keep out of mischief and to win the regard and confidence of his jailer by his good conduct, like the innocent convict in a melodrama, this came as nothing less than a catastrophe. He walked home in a truly dis-

mal state of limp terror. Fortunately for him none of the others seemed to have noticed his misfortune, and Jolland made no further advances. But even the weather tended to increase his depression, for it was a bleak and cheerless day, with a bitter and searching wind sweeping the gritty roads where yesterday's rain was turned into black ice in the ruts, and the sun shone with a dull coppery glitter that had no warmth or geniality about it.

The nearer they came to Crichton House the more abjectly miserable became Mr. Bultitude's state of mind. It his knees positively clapped together when the doctor, who had driven home, met them in the hall, and said in a grave voice, "Bultitude, when you have taken off your coat I want you in the study."

He was as long about taking off his coat as he dared, but at last he went trembling into the study, which he found empty. He remembered the room well, with its ebory-framed eachings on the walls, bookcases and blue china over the draped mantelpiece, even to a large case of elaborately carved Indian chessmen in bullock-cants and palanquins, on horses and elephants, which stood in the window recess. It was the very room to which he had been shown when he first called about sending his son to the school. He had little thought then that the time would come when he would attend there for the purpose of being flogged; few things would have seemed less probable. Yet here he was. But his train of thought was abruptbroken by the entrance of the doctor. He marched solemnly in, holding out the offending missive. "Look here, sir!" he said, shaking it angrily be-fore Paul's eyes. "Look here! what do you mean by receiving a flippant communication like this in a sacred edi-What do you mean by it?" "I-I didn't receive it," said Paul, at

his wit's end. "Don't prevaricate with me, sir; you know well enough it was intended for you. Have the goodness to read it now, and tell me what you have to say for yourself!" (To be Continued.)

No Lady Would Do Such a Thing.

No lady would take her watch when out of order, to the first person who dis-played the sign "Watches Regulated and Repaired." But she would carefully enquire for a man whose acknowledged skill entitled him to take in charge the delicate mechanism.

How much more careful should a woman be, when she herself is disorderded, not to entrust the delicate and complex mechanism of her being to the first man or woman who displays the sign "Medical Advice Given." No sign is to be trusted which says "Medical Advice Given" and stops there. Medical advice can be given only by a physician. An accredited physician will put his title with his name. Suppose a sign his title with his name. Suppose a sign reads, "Medical Advice Given by a Man." What woman would not instantly say, "The fact of being a man doesn't qualify him to give medical advice. He must be a physician to do that." But suppose the sign reads: "Medical Advice Given by a Woman." Is not the fact just as patent that being a woman does not qualify her to give medical advice. The woman must be a physician to do that. Medical advice given by an unskilled woman is just as dangerous as if given by an unskilled

In inviting sick and ailing woman to consult him by letter without charge, Dr. Pierce points to an experience and practice of over thirty years, devoted specially to diseases peculiar to women. In that time Dr. Pierce and his associate staff of medical specialists have successfully treated more than half a million women. All correspondence is treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Letters are promptly answered, and the answers are mailed in perfectly plain envelopes, without any printing upon them. Write without fee and without fear to Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consult-ing physician to the Invalide' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. V.

National Organization Amends Its Constitution.

Lady Physicians for Public Institutions-Comforts for the Volunteers,

Hamilton, Oct. 26.—The National Council of Women passed a series of resolutions amending the constitution. The first provided that any person whose name is accepted by the executive committee may be made a life member of the National Council on payment of a fee of \$25. In addition to this the council decided that it should be understood that any local council, nationally organized society or individual subscribers sending in over and above the fees might, with it, send the name of a person for life membership, with the approval of the executive committee.

Mrs. Lamonth, Ottawa, and Mrs. Yarker, London, moved a resolution, which was carried without discussion, providing that any person whose name is accepted by the executive committee may become a life member of a local council on payment of a fee of

The third and last amendment proposed was to the effect that the meetings of the National Council should be held biennially instead of annually.

The motion was lost.

The following resolution That the National Council of Women recommends the addition of women physicians to the medical staff of hospiltals, asylums for the instane, and other institutions where women and children are provided for.

It was agreed that copies of the resolution should be sent to the provincial governments.

The following resolution caused some discussion, but was carried unanimously: That the members of the National Council of Women of Canada be invited to consider whether a larger measure of freedom and beisure can be given to storekeepers and their ployes on Saturday by customers shopping on Friday, or, when this is impossible, on Saturday morning, and that local councils be asked to consider how the weekly half-holiday for employes in stores and other places of business can be promoted.

The delegates decided to meet next year in Victoria. The Victorian local council will fix the date. Lady Aberdeen announced that Mrs. Sanford had subscribed \$100 toward the fund of the standing committee for arranging for the comfort and con-

to South Africa, and the ladies applauded. They also received with evident pleasure the announcement that Mrs. Willoughby Cummings had been appoint-

venience of the Canadian contingent

Sectional conferences were held in the afternioon, the Women's Art Association and the Dominion Women's Enfranchisement Association being particularly concerned therein. In connection with the first Mrs. Dignam spoke on the various sides of art in whilsh women might make money. Mrs. Hoodless gave an address on the technical side of art, and Mrs, Ed-wards, Monitreal, on miniature paintwas as much as he could do to crawl ing. Mrs. Holmstead, Dundas, gave the steps to the front door, and an interesting sketch of art as it

seen at country fairs. Association Hall was filled at public meeting of the National Council of Women at night, when an interesting programme was presented, Lady Taylor presiding.

BOLD BURGLARS IN A BREWERY

Assault and Rob the Watchman and Endeavor to Rifle the Safe.

Brantford, Oct. 26.-The brewery of the Bixel Brewing and Malting Com-pany, corner Alfred and South streets, was entered by burgiars Tuesday night. At about 10 o'clock, when Alexander Cunningham, the night watch, was going his rounds and was leaving the house, he was met at the door by a man who grafished him Seeing the one man, Cunningham struck out at him, when two other men ap-One of them struck him on the head with a hammer. This stunned Cunningham, and the three burglars proceeded to bind him with a clothesline, winding It all around him. They then took all his money, between \$16 and \$17, valuables and keys on his person, and then carried him to a lane between the brewery and the office, where they held a consultation, after which they took him to a room in the brewery, and one man, with door partly closed, watched him, while the others proceeded to unlook the office door. After getting into the office they proceeded to blow the safe.

During this time Cumningham was

struggling in the dark to free himself. After an hour, he succeeded in getting one hand free, and, getting out his knife, cut the clothesline that he was tied with, and escaped out the back way unobserved. Going for the nearest telephone he called the police. Three policemen arrived while the men were alt work in the building, but for some unaccountable reason the three burglars were allowed to escape. They made two efforts to blow the safe door open, but only succeeded in getting it open an inch or two. They secured no valuables excepting what they took from Cunningham. A man named Smith, living across the road from the brewery, heard the noise, and went over to see what it was, when one of the burglars drew a revolver at him and he left. The police are working the

ONTARIO SUNDAY SCHOOL CON-VENTION.

Galt, Oct. 26 .- The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Provincial Sabbath School Association of Ontario opened proceedings in the Central Presbyterian Church on Tuesday. About 500 delegates from all parts of Ontario are in attendance. The executive committee passed a resolution recommending the appointment of two permanent secretaries—one to devote his time to visiting all the Sabbath schools in Ontario, and the other to remain in the head office is Toronto. The general secretary reported that under existing conditions he found it utterly impossible to break new ground, and at the same time give the necessary attention to existing organizations. He suggested a superintendents' union for cities. The afternoon session was taken largely by routine business. The night's session closed with a song service and addresses of welcome

The Banque Jacques Cartier, which closed during the financial trouble following the Bank Ville Marie crash in July, reopened today. All of the bank's agencies excepting two have been disposed of the other banks.

BEFORE THE EYES OF HIS MOTHER

Fred Sweetman Was Crushed to Death Near Essex-Jane McDonald's Death.

Windsor, Oct. 26 .- A 12-year-old boy named Fred Sweetman met a horrible death near Essex yesterday morning. The lad was riding on a wagon loaded with gravel, in company with a number of companions, and a playful push from one of them threw him under the vehicle, the heavy wheels of which passed over his abdomen, crushing out his life. His mother was riding in a buggy only a few yards behind, and witnessed the accident Terror-stricken, she jumped from the buggy ran to she jumped from the buggy, ran to where her boy lay, and clasped him in her arms. He tried to speak to her, but died before he could utter the words. Only about five years ago another boy in the same family was killed in a similar way.

Amherstburg, Ont., Oct. 26.-The verdict of the jury in the coroner's inquest, held here, re the death of Mrs. Jane McDowell, who was killed in the township of Anderdon by being dragged after a horse and buggy, criminal neglect of John Welsh, who was the driver of the rig. It appears the victim and a Mrs. Dick Dunn went for a drive with Welsh, and all got drunk. Welsh became abusive, and Dunn jumped out of the buggy. It is supposed Mrs. McDowell attempted to jump, and caught her foot in the side bar of the buggy, and her body was dragged for half a mile. The deceased was a widow, without children, and about forty years old.

THE RAILWAYS

Report That the M. C. R. Will Absorb Two Lines.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 26 .- It is stated here by a prominent railroad man that the proposed consolidation of the Flint and Pere Marquette Railroad with the Chicago and West Michigan and Detroit, Grand Rapids and, Western, really a move in the interests of the Michigan Central system. It is stated that the Michigan Central will before many months be identified with the proposed consolidation, and that it will acquire all the lines of road interested in the consolidation.

HEALTH REPORTS

City of Toronto Showing Marked Decrease in Deaths From Bright's Disease.

Not Only Bright's Disease, but All Kidney Diseases Decreasing - Dodd's Kidney Pills the Cause of Decrease F. Borland Cured.

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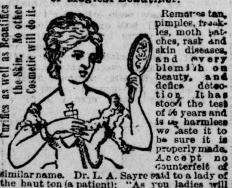
completely at bay in Toronto. Mr. Fred Borland, 677 Markham street, writes: "I have been a suf-ferer from Bright's Disease and impure blood. I could not get anything to help me until I had taken two boxes of your Dodd's Kidney Pills. am now cured of the disease, which I am told has always been considered incurable. Publish this letter. It may

BIG LOAD OF APPLES. Sarnia, Ont., Oct. 26.-An unusual shipment was made from this port, when the steamer United Empire, of the Beatty Line, carried a full cargo, consisting of 11,000 barrels of apples for consumption in the Northwest. This was one of the many shiploads of this class of product from the orchards of Ontario which have been taken into that district this season.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Oct. 25-8 p.m.—The trough of low pressure which extended last night from Lake Superior southeastward now stretches from the Gulf of St. Lawrence southeastward to Texas. Its general tendency is to move more to the south of the lakes and Eastern Provinces, whilst higher pressure from the northwest, accompanied by cool weather will likely spread over the lakes and the Eastern Provinces. Lower pressure is setting in over Alberta, which will probably cause an increase in temperature there. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-50; Kamloops, 32-44; Calgary, 18-48; Battleford, 23-44; Qu'Appelle, 28-40; Winnipeg, 36-44; Port Arthur, 42-50; Parry Sound, 52-68; Toronto, 48-70; Ottawa, 42-70; Montreal, 48-70; Quebec,

48-66; Halifax, 38-56. Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, Oct. 25 were: Highest, 74.5; lowest 51

degrees. Today sun rises at 6:46 a.m.; sets, 5:19 p.m. Moon rises at 11:58 p.m.; sets, 1:32 p.m.

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-Nov. 30 will be Thanksgiving Day in the United States. -Mr. Robert Reid, sen., is recover-ing from the effects of his recent ac-

-Dr. W. M. English has been appointed surgeon to the C. P. R., succeeding the late Dr. Flock.

-Mrs. Will Davis, of West London, to join her husband in Vancouver, B.C. -The Bishop of Huron will conduct the morning service in the Church of the Advent at Delhi next Sunday morn-

ing. -Chief of Police Williams returned last evening from a two-weeks' holi-day in the hunting grounds of the

—Miss Ferguson and Miss Blanche Ferguson, of Maple street, have ar-rived home from a three weeks' visit to Chicago friends.

—Mr. George McCarty, G.T.R. brake-man, St. Thomas, had his finger crush-ed while coupling cars on Tuesday. Amputation was necessary.

-Mr. Gilbert Woolway, of the London police force, is spending a few days in Windsor, the guest of his brother-in-law, Harry Bradley. -The firemen were called to No. 724 King street lest night to extinguish a

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small blaze caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove. Damage slight. Sergt. Frank Burkhant, of Delhi, who is a member of the Toronto com-pany of the Canadian contingent, took a course at the barracks here some

-Rev. Dr. Wilkie, of India, is visiting at St. Andrew's manse, and will address the annual thank offering meeting of the St. Andrew's W. F. M. S. . this evening.

-The Froebel Society held a social meeting at the West London kindergarten last Tuesday, to welcome home their president, Miss Mackenzie, who has been on a three months' trip to the old country. A short informal programme of vocal and instrumental music, with the presentation of a basket of roses to Miss Mackenzie, occupied the first half of the programme. The latter part was spent in viewing some of the treasures from across the wa.ter.

—An information against Harry Phipps has been laid by F. J. Spetti-gue, a Westminster dairyman, charging him with committing an assault with intent to recover three head of cattle. Phipps is a neighbor of the complainant. The assault is alleged to have taken place yesterday while Spettigue was driving three of Phipps' cows to the pound. The cattle had been grazing on Spettigue's property. A warrant was issued by Squire Smyth for the arrest of Phipps.

-The harvest home entertainment in the Colborne Street Methodist Church Tuesday night was largely attended. It was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. Ald. Chas. Graham, occucupied the chair and spoke briefly. Rev. Mr. Livingstone, of Windsor, gave an interesting address. Vocal numbers were contributed by the Misses Templeton, Cooper, Dixon and Pickard, and by Mr. R. Albert Brown. The ladies of the church provided an appetizing spread.

-The supreme court at Ottawa has dismissed the appeal of John Purdom, London, against John A. Robinson, barrister, this city. It will be remembered that Mr. Robinson secured an injunction from Justice Meredith restraining Mr. Purdom and other sum-mer residents at Port Stanley from crossing the beach on his property. Mr. Purdom appealed to the court of appeal but it was dismissed, and the supreme court has done the same, and Mr. Robinson comes out on top.-St. Thomas Times.

-Maurice Poure, violinist; Sandy Drennan, comic character singer, London; Miss Daisy Lewis, elocutionist; Miss Ina Riddle, fancy dancer; Y. M. C. A. Mandolin and Guitar Club; Miss Florence Clapp; Mr. Frank Murphy; Y. M. C. A. Male Quartet, Miss Susie McGail, R. A. Ingram, Walsh and Birmingham, Ruthven McDonald, Miss Gleason, Mr. McWilliams and Victor Chamberlain will take part in the concert in the new Grand Opera House tomorrow night in aid of the London street railway strikers' fund. A large number of Londoners will attend, and a parade will take place from the L. E. and D. R. R. station to the theater. -St. Thomas Times.

-One of the earliest pioneers of Strattford, died at the hospital the other day, in the person of Mr. Thomas Stoney, late city mail gatherer, at the advanced age of 79 years. Thomas Stoney's biography is a history of Stratford, for when he went there 51 years ago there were but six houses in the village. The deceased was born in Burford, Brant county, in 1820, and when quite a young man came to Lon-don, where he learned the trade of saddler and harness maker, having with him as a fellow apprentice, the late Isaac Carling. Subsequently, he went to Stratford and set up a harness maker's and saddler's shop, and did a large trade. He was elected to the village council in 1852, and for many years was prominent in municipal circles. As years went by he filled the office of reeve, and was appointed mayor in 1873.

A WARM RECEPTION.

An Otterville correspondent, writing on the 23rd, says: "Robert Wheeler, a street car conductor in London, returned to our village on Saturday night and visited the home of his wife for the purpose of getting her to return to London with him. They had been parted for some time. On entering the house he was accosted by his wife and Will Daikens and received a se-vere beating. He then returned to the hotel and had his wounds dressed. He and his children will return to Lon-

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Appointment Gives Great Satisfaction -Stray Notes From "B" Company.

The announcement that Lieut.-Col. Buchan, commanding officer of No. 1 company, R. C. R. I., at Wolseley Barracks, had been appointed second in command of the Canadian contingent, was received by local military men here last evening with great satisfaction. It is understood that the contingent, when formed into a regiment, will be divided into two battalions, and of one Lieut.-Col. Buchan will have command. Lieut.-Col. Buchan is one of the most experienced and efficient officers in Canada. Before leaving for Quebec this afternoon he will be entertained at luncheon by a number of his friends at the London Club, and presented with a purse containing \$300. The popular officer will be greatly missed at the barracks and in the city. Major Douglass Young will be senior officer at Wolseley's Barracks during Lieut.-Col. Buchan's absence.

Company Notes.

The brave men who left London yesterday for South Africa received many tokens from their friends. Sev-eral outside places contributing members for the contingent, through their councils, gave substantial evidence of their loyalty to the mother country and regard for their boys who go to

One of the most interesting presentations of the day was made at Victoria. Park after the farewell addresses. when Dean Innes pinned on the breast of Sergt. George Sippi the medal pre-sented by the Royal Humane Society for bravery displayed in saving a

Just before the train pulled out, A. H. Wheatcroft, of the Seventh, was handed four and a half sovereigns by Mr. Allan Berry. The money was a gift from Mr. Wheatcroft's fellow-employes of the R. Greene Manufacturing Company.

A St. Thomas deputation, consisting of Mayor Meehan, Ald. Thout, Ald. Clark, Ald. McColl, Ald. Robertson, Ald. Wallis, City Treasurer Perry, and City Clerk Doherty, came to the city yesterday, and presented the six St. Thomas members of the company -Messrs. A. H. Anderson, J. E. Farley, J. Sutherland, H. Westaway, H. Pink and F. G. Stanbury-with two sovereigns each, which had been voted them by the city council. The citizens of St. Thomas are also raising a fund to insure the lives of the men for \$1,000

Dr. Rice, of Woodstock, was in the city Tuesday and examined the eight Oxford county men for the Transvaal preparatory to their being insured for \$1,000 each at the expense of the offi-cers of the Oxford Rifles. He found them all fit and sound, and the policies were presented to the men at Woodstock yesterday together with the \$25 subscribed by the town council for the

four Woodstock men. Dr. Radford, mayor of Galt, and S E. Melross, representing the Ontanio Mutual Insurance Company, were here Tuesday "writing up" the Galt Transvaal volunteers, in pursuance of the resolution passed by the Galt council. Each of Galt's soldier boys received a gold pin bearing the Dominion coat of arms, and the simple inscription

The amount subscribed by the Sarnia friends of the four young men from the Twenty-Seventh Battalion who have joined the Camadian contingent for South Africa was over \$100. The balance of the money was received by Capt. Fred. Gorman before leaving this city yesterday. Dr. T. G. Johnston, M.P., Dr. Hows and Mr. Alex. K. Wanless, city editor of the Observer, were among the Sarnia visitors to the city for the "farewell."

George Taylor and R. H. Little, of the First Hussars, were entertained on Tuesday niight by the Balmoral Club, and presented with gold rings, suitably engraved. The presentations were made by Messrs. James Taylor, president, and W. Neville, secretary of the club.

The people of Tilsonburg in about an hour subscribed \$60 for Lieut. H. R. Wilson, of that place, and the money was presented to Mr. Wilson yesterday by Rev. E. Hughes.
Court Brighton, 6,507, A. O. F., passed a resolution Tuesday night that the court will may the dues of all members

on the Transvaal contingent while they are away on active duty. Archdeacon Davis presented two members of his Bible class who are with the contingent. Privates F. W. Hessel and J. T. Hennessy, with handsomely-bound copies of the English Church service and prayer books.

MISUNDERSTOOD. Stratford Beacon: Col. III. A. L. White has refused to accept the public subscription which was subscribed by the members of the town council and others in the council chember Monday others in the council chamber Monday evening for the Canadian contingent, as the object was not simply for the money subscribed, but to have the town as a comporate body to express their loyalty towards the Mother Country in the South African war, and as this was not done in the manner asked for he declined to accept it. because if he had intended to have taken up a public subscription he

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hopes and enthusiasm were highest, were told that they could not go. HAVE BEEN THERE BEFORE. Among the Northwest veterans of

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Jury, Ptes. W. Hodgins, J. T. Martin,
S. O. Lancaster, Geo. McComb, Dr. S. O. Lancaster, Geo. McCollo, S. Gibson (Watford), Dr. Hyttenrauch (Appin), Lieut. Harry Bapty, Color-Sergt. Jackson, Bugler Reid, Bugler Sergt. Anundson, Capt. F. Coghlan, Sergt. Anundson, Capt. F. H. Butler, Lieut. A. G. Chisholm, Ptes. H. Arbuckle, Geo. Davis, Gray, Jas. Harding, McRoberts, Sergt. Somerville, Harding, McRoberts, Sergt. Somerville, Ptes. Burleigh, Smithson, Sergts. Wilson, Owens, W. D. Mills, Ptes. W. J. Blackburn, H. Dignan, Corp. R. Ironsides, Sergt. Neilson, Ptes. McNamara, Geo. Norfolk, S. Notley, W. Hayden, Albert McNamara, Jas. Quick, Thos. Mills, Jas. Moese, Lieut. Pope, Sergt. Fuller, Ptes. Terry, S. McCoy, N. Wilson, J. McDonald, C. Thomas, H. Clarke, J. Dickens, J. Drennan, Sergt.

Conroy, Ptes. W. Brazier, N. Pate. NOTES. The bouquets provided for the members of the contingent by the Maple Leaf League were presented to the men by Miss Hamilton, secretary of

the league. B Company's special train was attached to the regular 2:10 accommodation. Engineer George Phemister and Conductor E. Higgins were in charge.

Notwithstanding the immensec rush at the G. T. R. station yesterday, the movements of eight regular trains coming in and leaving the city between 2 and 2:40, were on time

WORTH TELLING.

"So you were at Santiago?" we said to the young trooper whom we met at the close of a Christian Endeavor service. "Yes," was the answer, "and I only wish there was some way I could tell everybody what we boys owed to General Wood and Colonel Roosevelt. During the hottest of the fight I fell exhausted, but by good luck Colonel Roosevelt was coming that way. He got off his horse and kindly asked if he could do anything for me one of the boys of another regiment. 1 told him that I supposeed I was only over-come by heat and fatigue and would be all right in a few moments. He unswung his canteen and said, 'I hope you don't want whisky, my man; because I haven't got any. but here is some coffee that will do you good.' He not only insisted upon my drinking from his canteen but he poured half of what was left in mine; helped me into his own saddle and carried me to a place of rest and safety. And I've seen Wood do more than that for a child. The day after the surrender I saw the general pick up a little Cuban not more than 7 years old who had tried to reach our camp to get something to eat, and had fallen by the way from sheer weakness. I saw Wood gather that little Cuban bundle of bones up and carry him to headquarters and nurse him better than his own mother would. And when we marched into Santiago if there wasn't that little chap, with nothing on but a pocket handkerchief, holding something in his hand closely wrapped up in an old rag he had found somewhere. He caught the general's eye and succeeded in pre-senting his gift to him. It proved to be a little yellow chicken about a week old. Wood sent it back to America, I was told, and I hope it is alive yet. But I warrant he thinks more of it than of any military honors he has won." And what the corporal told to us we thought worth telling to all our readers.—The Intertor.

