

A SPLIT LIKELY IN IRISH PARTY
Mr. O'Brien, the Famous Nationalist, Resigns His Seat.
LEAVES UNITED IRISH LEAGUE
Is in Revolt Against the Land Act and John Redmond—Sketch of His Career.

London, Nov. 6.—William O'Brien, Irish Nationalist, has decided to resign his seat in Parliament and as a member of the governing body of the United Irish League.

In a letter to Father O'Flynn, president of the Cory branch of the United Irish League, announcing his decision, O'Brien complains that efforts are made in many quarters to "thwart the policy recommended by the national directory for the purpose of extracting the largest possible benefit for the Irish tenantry under the new land act."

He says in this connection that he himself has been pursued by many interests "with a ferocity and a hatred beyond that incurred by any Irishman of this generation."

When he finds that the policy which the Irish party, the national directory, the national convention and the representative boards of the country have approved is covered with opprobrium and derision by a newspaper which is the only source of information for half of Ireland, and when he finds that this counter-policy is shared by public men, including his own colleagues of the Irish party, the limit of endurance has been reached, and, after anxious deliberation, he is determined to resign without delay from Parliament and from the governing body of the United Irish League, and to leave the state to its alternative policy, the leadership of the party, but with O'Brien's resignation there is every probability of a far-reaching split in the Nationalist ranks.

O'Brien's resignation appears to have been forced by Thomas Sexton, who controls the Freeman's Journal, and by Michael Davitt, whose letter to that paper Oct. 4 indignantly denounced John Redmond for the terms of the new land act. "Mr. Redmond's action," wrote Davitt, "turns the whole land act into a farce."

Other members of the National party, including John Dillon, have been almost in open revolt against the land act and Redmond, whom they regard as too moderate. Owing to the powerful co-operation of O'Brien, Redmond has been able to retain the leadership of the party, but with O'Brien's resignation there is every probability of a far-reaching split in the Nationalist ranks.

(William O'Brien comes of revolutionary stock—his father having taken part in the 1848 events in Ireland. In 1848 and became noted as the editor of United Ireland, which he established in 1851. Secretary Foster in 1856 ordered its suppression for seditious utterances and O'Brien and fourteen members of the staff of the paper were imprisoned in Kilmain Jail as a result. After his release O'Brien renewed the war against Britain's administration in Ireland and was again arrested in 1887, serving two years in the Brixton Prison, where the arrest was made, and in Cork, where the trial was held. He was elected to the House of Commons for Mallow, and altogether his career has been a stormy one. He visited America in 1887, and again in 1890 with John Dillon and others.)

FIRE DESTROYS VILLAGE
It Was Close to Ashland, Wis.—Lost \$75,000.

Ashland, Wis., Nov. 6.—Bibon, a little village on the Omaha road, 20 miles south of here, was destroyed by fire last night. The village, which is without any fire protection, was the city for help, and engines were sent on a special train. The fire started in the mill of the Chicago Coal and Lumber Company, which it destroyed, burning all the lumber piles and tramways, and enveloping the entire village in flames. The mill is owned by J. H. Kreuger, of this city. The loss will reach \$75,000.

Communication between here and Bibon has been broken by the burning of both telegraph and telephone wires.

DISCUSSED THE BALKANS
Czar's and Kaiser's Ministers in Conference.

Berlin, Nov. 6.—The Tagblatt learns that the conference between Count Von Bismarck and Count Lamdorff, at the castle of Darmstadt, yesterday, was on the situation in the Balkans and in the far east. The correspondent of the Tagblatt in St. Petersburg says the Czar will return Nov. 19, and will not visit Copenhagen, although his presence there is greatly desired by the Dowager-Empress of Russia.

ASSAULT LYNCHED
Another Negro the Victim of Mob Justice.

New Orleans, Nov. 6.—Sam Adams, a young negro, criminally assaulted Mrs. Peter Ladouce, at Pass Christian, Miss., yesterday. He cut loose the horses from her carriage while she was standing in a field with nurse and child, and lured her from her companions under pretense of securing the animals. He escaped, but was captured and last night a mob took him from the jail, which had been guarded by armed men as a precaution, and hanged him to a tree.

The officers intended taking him to Mississippi City for safe keeping, but were overpowered.

POPPING THE QUESTION
A Mother's Method to Cure Boys of Bashfulness.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Mrs. Anna Coyne, has two bashful sons that caused her to be severely reprimanded in a police court recently.

"It is time you were getting married," Mrs. Coyne told her backward sons, Robert and John, a few weeks ago. "Oh, mother, I am too bashful to go calling," said one of the sons. "Even if I did I wouldn't know how to propose."

"Well, I'll show you how, then," said Mrs. Coyne. She gave several encores and selected Ethel and Florence Briggs, maids of seventeen and eighteen, for her daughters-in-law. She kept the girls in her house day and night to give the bashful boys a chance. Then Mrs. Briggs had the match-making mother arrested for detaining her daughters in her house.

"I wouldn't allow my girls to marry such sissy fellows," said Mrs. Briggs.

GERMANS WERE ALL MASSACRED
Bondelzwart Tribesmen Wipe Out an African Garrison—English Imprisoned.

London, Nov. 6.—According to the Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail, the Bondelzwart tribesmen, who are engaged in a native rebellion in Damara, a country of Southwest Africa, forming a part of the German possessions there, hearing that reinforcements were being sent against them, redoubled their efforts, and massacred all the Germans and took the English families prisoners.

A relieving force from the north met while engaged a large body of the natives, and heavy fighting ensued. The result of which is not known. The rising, the correspondent adds, is supposed to be the execution of a Bondelzwart chief by German officers.

BOY PIERCED BY STEEL NEEDLES
Accidentally Drawn Into Machinery—1,000 Needles Perforate His Body.

New York, Nov. 6.—Thomas Walsh, a lad of 14, employed in a rope factory here, has met with a peculiarly horrible accident, which undoubtedly will cost his life. His body was perforated by a thousand steel needles in the machinery.

Walsh's duty was to watch the machine, which separates the hemp into strands, and regulate the movement of the hemp. As he bent over to pick up a piece of hemp, the machine, which he was standing on, was drawn into it, shrieking for aid. There were 1,000 steel needles moving up and down and his body was fruitfully torn. The machinery was stopped, but it was found necessary to take it apart before he could be released. So acute was the pain that the boy fainted, and died after reaching the hospital.

HE VOTED ALL RIGHT
Denver Elector Overawed Judges With a Shotgun.

Denver, Col., Nov. 6.—R. M. Johnson, a Republican voter, has the distinction of recording his vote with aid of a shotgun, in spite of alleged Democratic intimidation. His ballot had been refused, but he returned to the polls with a gun and told the judges and clerks he was there to exercise his rights and would do so. He voted and remained all day to see that every masterful citizen of his precinct secured justice.

FRESHMEN HAZE SOPHS
College Victims Are Forced to Decorate Each Other.

Hamilton, Ohio, Nov. 6.—Omen K. Borling, of Saint Paris, H. R. Rodaburg, of Kenton, and C. E. Pattison, of Indiana, sophomores at Miami University, were captured and hazed by freshmen before dawn Wednesday. The freshmen began their fun at 2 a.m., by dragging a fish wagon decorated with their class colors into the college chapel. Then they raided the rooms of sophomores. The three men captured were bound and taken to the campus, where they were forced to paint designs on each other's bodies with the freshmen numerals in green and white paint. The prisoners, still bound, were abandoned, and did not get free until other sophomores found them.

COURTS CLEAR BRYAN
He Did Not Exercise Undue Influence Over Dead Millionaire.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 6.—Decision in the Philo S. Bennett will case, in which William J. Bryan appears both as an executor under the will and a beneficiary, and was a witness in his own behalf at recent hearings, was made by Judge Chas. M. Bennett in probate court today. The formal decree will be announced tomorrow, when Mr. Bryan will be present. The court finds that the sealed letter about which there has been a contest, providing for a gift of \$50,000 to Mr. Bryan and family, was not incorporated in the will. The judge said: "I find that the question of whether the will was properly executed was not raised. I find that the testator had sufficient testamentary capacity. I find that there was no undue influence by Mr. Bryan over Mr. Bennett."

LASHED TO MAST FOR 48 HOURS
Crew of Schooner Were Three Days Without Water.
WHILE SEAS SWEEP OVER THEM
The Gale Has Smashed Boats and Water Tanks—Rescued With Great Difficulty.

New York, Nov. 6.—After being lashed to the stump of a mast for 48 hours and without fresh water for three days, Capt. Gabrielsen and nine of the crew of the water-logged schooner John W. Linnell have reached this port aboard the Italian ship Gabrielle d'Adda.

Notwithstanding their privations, the shipwrecked mariners are not suffering from serious ill effects. The Linnell left Fernandina Oct. 17 and on the 24th plunged into a terrific gale. Owing to the heavy sea running, Capt. Gabrielsen reefed his light sails. The next day the wind blew a hurricane and it was found the schooner was leaking. The wrecking pump was started, but proved of no avail and in a short time there was six feet of water in the hold. The big seas had smashed the small boats and ruined the tanks holding the fresh water.

The sailors' plight was made more desperate by the fact that the vessel would turn turtle. To prevent this the masts were cut away and the crew lashed themselves to one of the stumps. The vessel was awash with the exception of the top of the after deckhouse and the sailors suffered terribly from lack of food and water. The waves broke over them continually.

On the 26th the schooner was deeper in the water and the gale continued with undiminished velocity. On the morning of the 27th Capt. Gabrielsen attracted the attention of the lookout on the Gabrielle d'Adda, and after a hazardous trip the Linnell's crew were transferred from the sinking hulk to the d'Adda.

WOULD U. S. LIKE HUDSON'S BAY?
The London Times Thinks It May Be a Source of Trouble.

London, Nov. 6.—The Times prints a two-column article, headed "Hudson Bay, an Ocean Route." It says that in the face of the Alaskan boundary dispute it will not be too extravagant a pretension on the part of the United States to hold that Canada can only assert her jurisdiction over a three-mile limit from the coast. It believes that the bay will offset the Atlantic outlets possessed by the Americans, and relieve Canada of her present almost absolute dependence upon the United States for the transportation of grain, paper, mineral, timber and furs. It says that Low, who considers the Canadian expedition to Hudson Bay, enjoys an enviable reputation among the scientists of the world.

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WEATHER BULLETIN
Tomorrow—Fine and Cool.

London, Friday, Nov. 6. Sun rises, 6:59 a.m. Moon rises, 6:25 p.m. Sun sets, 5:04 p.m. Moon sets, 3:17 a.m.

Toronto, Nov. 5-8 p.m.

Strong winds and gales have prevailed from the lakes to the Atlantic, with a change to much colder weather in Ontario and Quebec, and attended by general rain in Maritime Provinces. In the northwest the weather has been fine, with milder conditions in the Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-50; Calgary, 22-34; Qu'Appelle, 24-38; Winnipeg, 16-30; Pelly, 20-36; Edmonton, 24-40; Ottawa, 34-38; Montreal, 34-40; Quebec, 34-41; Halifax, 44-58.

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FORECASTS.

Today—Northerly winds, fresh to strong during the day; fine and cold.

Saturday—Winds becoming easterly; line; not much change in temperature.

Temperatures.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Max.	Weather.
Calgary	24	18	32	Clear
Winnipeg	24	18	32	Fair
Pelly	24	18	32	Fair
Edmonton	24	18	32	Fair
Ottawa	24	18	32	Fair
Montreal	24	18	32	Fair
Quebec	24	18	32	Fair
Halifax	24	18	32	Cloudy

WEATHER NOTES.

The cold wave is now centered over Lake Superior, and a pronounced depression has moved into the Northwest Territories. Strong breezes and gales have been general from the lakes to the Atlantic, attended by a change to much colder.

Local temperatures: Thursday—Highest, 57°; lowest, 20°.

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RAILWAY CHAIRMANSHIP
Rumor That It Was Offered to Mr. C. W. Spencer.

Montreal, Nov. 6.—When asked yesterday regarding the report from Ottawa that he was to be offered the chairmanship of the railway commission, Mr. C. W. Spencer, general superintendent of transportation for the C. P. R., said that he did not care to discuss the matter. "I can say nothing in that regard," he said, "for I know nothing."

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—The report that Mr. C. W. Spencer has been offered the chairmanship of the railway commission, or is like to get the position, is not credited here, for the reason that the Government have not even considered the matter as yet. It is believed that the Government's object will be to secure as chairman a gentleman who has both legal and railway qualifications.

CONDOR'S WRECK FOUND AT LAST
Gunboat Mysteriously Disappeared Two Years Ago.
LOST WITH 114 MEN ABOARD
Remains of the Ship Have Been Located in the Waters of Berkeley Sound.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 6.—After a search lasting almost two years, the wreck of the British warship Condor, which sailed from this port on Dec. 14, 1901, with 114 men on board, has been found in 25 fathoms of water in Berkeley Sound.

The disappearance of the Condor was most mysterious. The warship left Victoria Harbor in first-class condition and prepared for a long journey to the British possessions in the Southern Pacific. She was scheduled to touch in Honolulu, but her failure to do so, and the further fact that she was not sighted by one of the many vessels plying the Pacific, caused much apprehension. Search was instituted, a number of British warships being sent in quest of the missing vessel. All of their efforts were futile, however, and they returned to this port.

An occasional bit of wreckage was picked up and identified as having been a part of the Condor, but none of the men on the ship was ever heard of again.

Fatal Wrestling Bout.

Quincy, Ill., Nov. 6.—Fred Jansen and Fred Sacra, while wrestling, fell from a fourth-story elevator runway at the Miller carriage factory, Wednesday. The men were clinched in each other's arms until they struck the ground. Sacra is fatally injured. Jansen will recover.

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176 and 178 Dundas Street,
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\$4 00 SKIRTS,
Saturday \$2 50

12 only Ladies' Fine Cloth Skirts, in navy and black, nine gore, with overstitched seams, each gore trimmed with silk in Grecian style cloth, faced with eight rows of stitching on bottom, value \$4 00, Saturday for\$2 50

\$1 00, \$1 25 Waists, Saturday 50c and 75c.

Ladies' American Cotton Flannel Waists, fancy stripe in blue, cardinal, navy and olive, with tucked fronts, plain back, bishop sleeves, value \$1 00 and \$1 25, Saturday, 50c,75c

\$1 00 Wrappers, Saturday 60c.

3 dozen Ladies' Wrappers, Dresden and fancy stripes, in blue, cardinal, green and brown, with full skirt, fitted waist, lining, rolling collar, sizes 32 to 40, value \$1 00, Saturday60c

Saturday Morning Specials.

\$1 00 GOWNS FOR 69c.

Ladies' Nightgowns in blue, pink and cream flannel, with lace and embroidery yoke, full around neck and sleeves, full skirt, trimmed in three different styles, value \$1 00, Saturday morning at 8:30, each69c

\$1 00 AND \$1 25 BONNETS FOR 50c.

Children's Silk and Velvet Bonnets, in navy, brown and cardinal, with low crown, wide frill shirred and wired around face, some trimmed with fancy braid, value \$1 00 and \$1 25, Saturday morning at 8:30, for50c

35c HATS, SATURDAY 25c.

Children's Toboggan Hats, in navy, black, white and cardinal, with pink and blue fancy stripe in border, heavy tassels, value 35c, Saturday25c

Ask to see the new lot of Ladies' Belts, "Gibson Girl," red leather and silk, the latest buckles, at, 25c, 50c and75c

75c VEST, SATURDAY 50c.

Ladies' Plush Fleece-Lined Vests, lace-trimmed, button front, long skirt, drawers to match, regular 75c, Saturday, each50c

Wrapped Butter Scotch, value 20c, on sale Saturday, pound10c

35c HOSE, SATURDAY 25c.

Ladies' Fine Ribbed Cashmere Hose, fast black, seamless toe and heel, extra spliced, full fashioned leg, value 35c, Saturday25c

45c Hose, Saturday 25c. Ladies' Pure Wool Cashmere Ribbed Hose, extra spliced, seamless toe and heel, full fashioned, value 45c, Saturday, pair25c

25c HOSE, SATURDAY 15c.

Ladies' Light Fleece-lined Cotton Hose, spliced heel and toe, seamless, value 25c, Saturday, pair15c

25c RIBBONS, SATURDAY, 15c.

A new lot of Neck Ribbons just arrived, in blue, black, yellow, navy, white, red, rose and pink, 4 inches wide, in taffeta silk, value 25c yard, Saturday, yard15c

Ribbons for fancy work in all shades, plain and hemstitched, taffeta silk, value 8c, Saturday, yard5c

12 1/2c BAR SOAP, SATURDAY 9c.

Good large 3-pound bar of best quality Laundry Soap, sold all over Canada at 12 1/2c, the price stamped on it. We will sell 300 of these bars Saturday at a bar9c

25c VARNISH AND BRUSH, SATURDAY 10c.

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Drink our Tea and Coffee, grocer's price 40c, Saturday, our price, pound25c

45c GIFT BOOKS, SATURDAY 15c.

Buy your gift books now and save money. The assortment is larger and the prices are lower than they will be later. Good linen bound books, with large, clear type, gold lettering and gilt top, others with white covers and gilt lettering, suitable for Christmas gifts and Sunday school prizes, value 25c, 35c and 45c, Saturday15c

Special Attractions in our Basement Saturday

Our great sale of China Lamps will be continued when we will offer you some remarkable values. Examine for yourself—it will pay you. Every lamp purchaser thus far has been more than satisfied. We offer free storage till Christmas if desired. These lamps are all new, decorated bowls and globes and are worth twice what we ask for them. We mention here only a few of the special prices:

\$3 00 Lamps, Saturday\$1 50
\$5 00 Lamps, Saturday\$2 50
\$8 00 Lamps, Saturday, \$1 00
\$10 00 Lamps, Saturday, \$2 00
\$12 00 Lamps, Saturday, \$2 50

Other Bargains for Saturday.

BUGGY WHIPS.

4 dozen only, extra quality, Buggy whips, regular 35c, Saturday15c
3 dozen Whips, value 50c, Saturday25c
25 dozen genuine Rawhide Whips, value \$1 50, Saturday50c

5 only, good, strong Stable Brooms, value 65c and 75c, choice, Saturday25c

Just a few rope and web halters, value 25c and 35c, Saturday, to clear15c

Rope Ties, value 15c, Saturday, 2 for15c

WALL PAPER DEPARTMENT.

Our stock is large, Saturday we will offer some special bargains, space will not allow to mention many different lines. Terra-cotta Ingrain, value 15c complete, Saturday, roll5c
150 rolls light ground, Satin Stripe with Flowers, value 10c, for5c
100 rolls pretty Green Paper with Gilt, regular 15c, Saturday8c
Window shades in Green and Cream, regular 25c, Saturday30c
Table Oil Cloth, all colors and patterns, Saturday, yard25c
Oil Cloth for pantry shelves, Saturday, yard8c

Big Sale of Oranges
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WOODS' FAIR

BEST WISHES FOR NEW REPUBLIC

Panama Receives Congratulations From All Parts.

COLOMBIAN GENERALS SUBMIT

The Provisional Junta Issues a Proclamation of Independence—Troops Are Withdrawn.

Panama, Nov. 5.—The Government of the new Republic of Panama is constantly receiving congratulations from all parts of the world. Up to this hour nothing definite had been decided upon in regard to Colon, where the Government troops are still encamped. The Government of the Republic of Panama is making all possible efforts to prevent bloodshed, but it is understood that an ultimatum has been sent to Col. Torres, commander of the Government forces at Colon, announcing that it is the intention of the Government of the Republic of Panama, should Col. Torres refuse to consider the proposals to embark his troops and sail to Savanilla, to send an army to attack Colon. The telegraph lines communicating with the interior of the isthmus are kept busy transmitting notices from the inhabitants of outlying places of their adherence to the recently-declared Republic of Panama.

The revolutionary junta last night published a manifesto addressed to the citizens of the Republic of Panama, saying that the inhabitants of the isthmus had done what was inevitable, in view of a situation which was becoming graver daily. The manifesto recites grievances against the Bogota Government, and refers to the fact that the isthmus of Panama netted Colombia large sums in customs duties, but that Panama did not receive the benefit of the situation. The failure of the Hay-Herran canal treaty to meet with the approval of Congress at Bogota is touched upon. It is pointed out that only a few public men were opposed to the treaty, and that their opposition was purely selfish, in the belief that Panama would be the only part of the country which would receive direct benefits from the building of an inter-oceanic canal. The manifesto continues: "The people of the isthmus, in view of this notorious situation, have decided to recover their sovereignty, in order to work out their own destiny, and to insure the future of Panama in a manner in keeping with the evident destiny of the country, its vast territory and its immense riches. At the beginning of the life of this independent nation we fully appreciate the responsibilities which the present state of affairs imposes. But we have profound faith in the good sense and patriotism of the isthmians, and we believe that they possess sufficient energy to open the way, by their labor, to a happy future, without worry or danger. The separation of the isthmus from Colombia was accomplished without any feeling of hatred or any sentiment of joy. We therefore now begin to form one of the free nations of the world. We consider Colombia as being a sister nation, whenever circumstances may require it, and for whose prosperity we have the most fervent and sincere wishes."

Panama, Nov. 5.—Gen. Tovar and his staff have at last been convinced of the uselessness of their resistance to the provisional government, and have accepted the terms offered by the junta. There is great rejoicing all over the city, and the stability of the republic now seems assured. The fact that troops were already moving toward the line probably decided Gen. Tovar and his staff to accept the terms of the junta. A Colon dispatch says: At a conference this afternoon, Col. Torres, commander of the Colombian troops here, seeing that the situation was hopeless, agreed to embark his soldiers on the royal mail steamer Orinoco, sailing for Cartagena at 6:30 p.m. A special train from Panama will bring Gen. Tovar, who will also sail. The people of Colon are very jubilant. The flag of the new republic flies from the railway stations at Galun and Bahia Sotado, near Colon. Troops from Panama will doubtless take charge of the city tomorrow. Part of the troops have already embarked on the Orinoco, and the ammunition has been taken aboard. The municipal council of Colon has notified the provisional government at Panama of its adherence to the new republic. The royal mail steamer Orinoco, with 25 officers, 45 men and 30 women, sailed at 7:30 p.m. The United States auxiliary cruiser Dixie has just arrived.

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SEASON'S IMMIGRATION

In Ten Months Canada Has Received 121,000 Settlers.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 6.—A statement issued by the Interior Department shows the arrivals in Canada for the past ten months to have been 121,000. Of these 47,541 are from the British Isles, 39,066 from the United States, and 34,393 from the Continent of Europe. October arrivals numbered 7,892. The department is preparing for a more active campaign for immigration from the British Isles and from the rural settlements in France and Belgium. Mr. E. A. Wyllard, general agent for immigration in France, has returned from a tour of the west, and leaves shortly for France.

A CHILD CREMATED

A Distressing Accident at Sault Ste. Marie.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Nov. 6.—A fire occurred at Sault Ste. Marie, a suburb of the Soo, yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. Stewart, the parents having gone out, leaving two children and an infant in the house. When a neighbor noticed the fire and succeeded in entering the house, he found the oldest child almost overcome with smoke. He rescued it and gave the child some brandy. The parents, on arriving at their former home, were just in time to see the remains of the babe removed from the smoldering ruins. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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VENEZUELAN ARBITRATION

Germany's Counsel Says Blockaders Should Have Preference.

The Hague, Nov. 5.—On the resumption of the hearing of the arguments in the Venezuelan arbitration before the international tribunal, the German counsel, Herr Buezn, who spoke in English, upheld the claims of the blockading powers for preference, which he declared, were based on the solemn promise of President Castro, before the raising of the blockade, that all the claims of the blockading powers should be settled, and that he would hypothecate a sufficient amount of the customs as security. Therefore, it was on this basis that the negotiations were opened. Germany had proposed to arbitrate her differences on July 16, 1901, but Venezuela did not desire to reply to "Whitman" war, the German agent claimed, nothing would have been accorded. Equality of treatment, therefore, would be an injustice to the blockaders. Herr Buezn further contended that as the debt of the Caracas Water Company was part of the Venezuelan public debt, Belgium's claim in behalf of the company to participate in the 39 per cent of the customs should not be entertained.

THE ELECTION TRIALS

A Date Set for Those of North Grey and North Ontario.

Toronto, Nov. 6.—The Dominion election trials in North Grey and North Ontario will be held on Saturday, Nov. 14. The petition against T. I. Thompson, who won the bye-election in North Grey, will be tried at Owen Sound before Mr. Justice MacMahon. The protest against George R. Grant, who defeated Hon. George E. Foster in North Ontario last March, will come up at Whitby before Mr. Justice Street.

A motion was made yesterday before Mr. Justice Oslar at Osgoode Hall for an order setting the date of the election trials in the "Three Norths." North Ontario, North Grey, North Perth and North Norfolk. The matter was adjourned.

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DEATHS.
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The Boundary Award and After.

Mr. Aylesworth is being showered with compliments by the journals which reviled him for his manly protest against what he believed to be a wanton sacrifice of Canadian rights. When Mr. Aylesworth and Sir Louis Jetté penned their remonstrance the toadies and tuffhounds in this country raised a great hue and cry. The idea of more colonial lawyers daring to challenge or criticise the lord chief justice of England! It was "monstrous," as the London Free Press said. "What will they think in England?" was the question that worried the toadies, not what plain Canadians would think. The mass of the Canadian people resented this grovelling attitude even more than the defeat of the boundary award. Their impulse was to stand by their own commissioners. They believed the word of reputable Canadian jurists was as good as the word of any other men, and that Mr. Aylesworth and Sir Louis Jetté would not deliberately make such charges if they were not smarting under a sense of injustice.

This very natural and patriotic feeling on the part of the Canadian people was branded as disloyalty by a few funkies and politicians. An attempt was made to fasten on the Canadian Club of Toronto the suspicion of fomenting a secessionist spirit of which the banquet to Mr. Aylesworth was to be an organized expression. The promoters of that function were innocent of these motives, as the president of the Canadian Club gave the mischief-makers clearly to understand. Mr. Aylesworth, in view of the hubbub raised by the lip-loyalists, was also very emphatic in repudiating the idea of strained relations with the mother country, and spoke of the boundary award under some restraint, knowing that he was liable to misinterpretation. But he did not recede an inch from the position he took in his statement published in the London Times. His charge against Lord Alverstone stands in all its severity. To use Mr. Aylesworth's own words: "... the taking of the two important islands, Sitklan and Kannaqunut from Canada and giving them to the United States by a proceeding said to be judicial is, according to my true judgment, nothing less than a grotesque travesty of justice." With the information before them the Canadian people are before the opinion of Mr. Aylesworth. His former assailants, who are praising the tone of his speech, are really giving force to his accusations against Lord Alverstone. They inferentially admit that Mr. Aylesworth was not acting peevishly or petulantly, but from honest conviction, as an enthusiastic loyalist, when he refused to subscribe to the finding of the tribunal and denounced it as "a proceeding to the plain requirements of justice."

Mr. Aylesworth advises Canadians to accept the award and harbor no resentment. Canadians are prepared to do this but they were not prepared to meekly swallow an injustice and hear Canadian representatives traduced by a coterie of snobs. There is no gain-saying the fact that the lesson has sunk deeply into the Canadian mind and temper. It will stimulate the growth of self-reliance and national spirit, and these, with the material growth of the country, must in the course of time affect our political relations with Great Britain, but not necessarily in the direction of separation. Those who fought for responsible government in this country were called disloyal, and there is a survival of the old tyranny in the slurs cast at Sir Wilfrid Laurier for suggesting an extension of Canada's treaty-making powers. In the opinion of the Canadian people on this question could be focused it would be found that they hope to see Canada take on all the attributes of nationhood, and at the same time remain within the circle of the British Empire, with a voice in its counsels proportioned to Canada's contribution to the imperial strength and greatness.

Dingleyism May Be Tested.

The result of the state elections has given new life to the boom for Grover Cleveland's renomination as the Democratic candidate for the Presidency. In Ohio and Nebraska the Democratic conventions reaffirmed the free silver platform, and stood by Bryan. In these states the Republicans made enormous gains. In all the other states the gains were made by the Democrats. It is clear that in the next Presidential election the Democratic party will have to cut loose from Bryanism and free silver. Cleveland's historic defense of the gold standard, his record as a tariff reformer and his personal pre-eminence, combine to render him the only Democrat in sight to lead his party in a sound money and anti-protectionist campaign. But it would be a mistake to suppose that the Democratic party if it should return to power next year. In 1892 when Cleveland was re-elected for his second term, the country was entering a period of depression aggravated by the currency and tariff policy of the Republican party. Consequently the Democrats bore all the odium of the financial and business panic which prevailed during Cleveland's regime, and which was in reality a Republican legacy. The cause of tariff reform was craftily attributed hard times to the reductions in the tariff, although the Wilson bill was a fairly stiff measure of protection. The cycle of depression was passing away when the Republi-

cans came back to power, and of course they ascribed the return of prosperity to their tariff policy. The United States appears to be entering on another period of financial and industrial disturbance. The Republicans, having taken credit for good times, must shoulder the responsibility for bad times if they continue in power. The blame, however, will be shifted to the Democratic party if it should win the next election and overhaul the tariff, as it would be bound to do. Dingleyism is now upon its trial for the first time. If the Republicans stay in, the people of the United States will find out whether the highest tariff in the world is protection against hard times, as they have been almost led to believe.

The Business Tax.

At least three municipalities—Montreal, Winnipeg and Brandon, Man.—have adopted the so-called business tax as a substitute for the unjust and discredited personality tax which some Ontario cities are anxious to retain. The assessment commissioner of Winnipeg reports that only 200 people contributed to the old personality tax, whereas the business tax took in about 1,200 assessments, some of them very small, but the city suffered no loss of revenue. He suggests a tax of 1-1/2 per cent on the rental value of premises occupied for business purposes as being about sufficient to balance the loss of the personality tax. In Brandon the tax is 1 1/2 per cent of the rental value of the premises, a store or warehouse rents for \$1,000 paying \$125 taxes. There are special rates for hotels, lumber yards and other classes of business where the rental value is hard to get at. In Montreal the same system of taxation has prevailed for over thirty years. The assessment commissioner of that city reports as follows:

"In my humble opinion there is no more equitable basis than that of real estate and business tax as we now have it. The business tax presumes that the small dealer or business man occupies premises of small rental value and pays his business tax accordingly. The amount of stock he carries, and whether that stock is his own or his creditors', has nothing to do with the amount he must pay to the body corporate. If a man wishes to make a great display on his creditors' money, and take a six or seven-story building to do it in, he cannot do it at our city at the expense of his creditors, in so far as his liability to pay taxes is concerned. As an illustration, I enter your city and rent the finest building in it, purchase some \$50,000 or \$60,000 of printing presses and plant, upon which I must pay on the full value the balance being carried by my creditors. Your assessors would only charge me personally on the \$5,000 while you, in a similar line of business, having persevered for perhaps many years to clear yourself of all liability, must pay on the full value of your plant in our city, granting that the buildings were of equal rental value, both would pay the same amount of business tax."

Experience is the best teacher and the experience of the business tax has been satisfactory to the three municipalities mentioned. Those who are upholding the personality tax cannot claim that it is satisfactory, but they argue that it raises more revenue than the proposed substitute. The members of the assessment commission on the other hand think the business tax will produce more revenue than the present personality tax and will lighten the taxation on real estate. The special committee of the Ontario Legislature meets shortly to hear evidence on the question and if the municipalities do not think a tax of 10 per cent of the rental value of mercantile premises will make up the deficiency caused by the abolition of the personality assessment let them ask for power to increase the rate. The present system is inequitable and the municipalities should have courage to experiment with a new one.

St. Louis, the paradise of the boot-leggers, was shocked on Wednesday, but it took an earthquake to do it.

Another split in the Irish party is imminent. Yet the new land bill has shown what the Irish can do if they stand together.

The various boundary disputes between Great Britain and the United States have been a great historical drama, in which Canada has played the fatted calf.

The former Postmaster-General of the United States, Charles Emory Smith, tells Canada that her true safeguard is the Monroe doctrine. It was very kind and well-meaning on his part, but Canada would prefer to be kicked than patronized.

The London Mail says Mr. Chamberlain will have a place in history beside Pitt and Palmerston. Any statesman would feel it an honor to be classed with Pitt, but the Mail has no right to couple Pitt with Palmerston, the jingo and reactionary.

Mr. Morley's suggestion that the United States might put an export tax on raw cotton to retaliate on Great Britain is rather fanciful. The constitution of the United States would have to be changed and any change requires the assent of two-thirds of the states in the union. The cotton growing states would not assent, and the United States has sufficient trouble without taking another on its shoulders.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's stepmother, who will be buried at St. Lin, Que., tomorrow, enjoyed the care and devotion of the Premier to the last. Sir Wilfrid's own mother, who was a woman of rare gifts, died when he was four years old. His stepmother had been a nurse in the family. Sir Wilfrid's biographer, Mr. Willison, says of her that while she had not the gifts of the first Mme. Laurier, she was a kind, helpful, simple-hearted woman, greatly beloved by Wilfrid and his sister, who died in her early girlhood.

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This passage from Mr. Willison's book throws a pleasing light on the personal side of the great French-Canadian. "He (Sir Wilfrid) still makes an annual pilgrimage to the old home at St. Lin, and cherishes an unflinching affection for the aged stepmother. He has not allowed the increasing duties and responsibilities of public life to lessen his concern for her welfare, and has never neglected the frequent visits in which she delights and which are among his chief pleasures."

Patti's 23rd Farewell.
[Ottawa Citizen.]
Patti has arrived in New York for another positively farewell tour. This makes about 23 times the famous prima donna has warbled her swan song to dollar audiences on this side of the Atlantic.

Of Men and Women.
[Smart Set.]
Man admires woman, but loves himself; woman loves man, but admires herself.

He who thinks to please her by taking her at her word, is either a born fool or a self-made one. Man is logical, but unreasonable; woman, irrational, but convincing. If a man observes a woman carefully, he will learn everything about her—what she wants him to know.

The best cure for a man's conceit is woman's laughter.

An Unreasonable Request.
[Detroit Free Press.]
A dollar, dear?
Husband (testily) — No, I can't. Haven't I just spent \$2,300 on an automobile?

Disillusioned.
[New York News.]
Some officers of a British ship were

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THE return of cold weather brings the subject of Undergarments prominently to mind. The following specials are timely and of the most economical nature:

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The Challenge Fleece-Lined Vests and Pants, perfect-fitting, conforming to the figure, of unsurpassed value. In respect other offerings, then compare Ours. Very special **25c**

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HOSIERY.

Ladies' Fine Wool Hose, double soles, seamless and stainless, most comfortable **50c**

Special line of Ladies' Black Fleece-Lined Hose, fast black, Hermsdorf dyed. Special **25c**

Boys' line of Fine Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, double yarn throughout, the wearable kind **25c**

Boys' Extra Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, double heel and toe, all sizes, at from **30c**

Black Cashmere Hose, seamless felt, giving perfect comfort to the wearer. Very special **25c**

CORSETS.

Ladies' medium length, low bust, steel filled, double busk, well stayed at waist, with three straps, lace and ribbon trimmed. Under price **50c**

Corsettes Corsets, in white or drab, bias gored, long front, low bust, full hip, nicely trimmed, with lace **75c**

A few pairs left in odd sizes, regular price \$1.25, sale price **50c**

GLOVES.

Ladies' one-clasp, "Waldorf," pique sewn, gusseted fingers, for street wear, in gray, heaver, navy, green, oxblood, black and white **\$1.10**

Ladies' two-clasp, very fine Kid Gloves, "Carleton," over-seam, gusseted, Paris points, in white, pearl, heaver, gray, brown and black **\$1.50**

Ladies' two-clasp Suede Gloves, gusseted, Paris points, in white and black **\$1.10**

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READY-TO-WEAR CLOTHING means more today than it ever has—because of our efforts towards its perfecting. We've assumed a leadership—struck out on lines of improvement. Others have followed—but obviously followed behind—and while they are offering you better clothing than they used to, it's not up to the Oak Hall standard and never will be. The man who creates puts an unrecorded copyright on his work that can never be infringed—because he is always creating and keeping ahead.

Sovereign Brand is sold only by us. There is nothing better—there won't be anything as good for a long time—and by then we'll have something better. The young man of today is a clothing critic. He wants "what he wants." He doesn't want downiness—he wants style. He doesn't want a size larger boy's clothing, but a size smaller men's clothing, made especially for young men.

Sovereign Brand Suits For Men **\$15, \$18, \$20**

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The Prince Henry, slash pockets **\$10 to \$15**

Don't forget to see the odd sizes in Men's Suits. They are greatly reduced to clear, and your size may be among them.

Oak Hall, 154 Dundas Street.

WM GIBSON, Manager.

Lord's Day Alliance.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 6. — The Ontario Lord's Day Alliance elected the following officers this morning: President, Rev. Principal Caven; vice-president, Rev. W. L. Mills; Rev. A. Carman; Rev. Chancelor Wallace; Mrs. A. O. Rutherford; J. K. McDonald; Rev. S. D. Chown; Rev. L. T. Tucker; Hon. C. H. Bronson; secretary, Rev. T. Albert Moore; treasurer, J. C. Copp; committee on organization, Rev. W. G. Hanna (Mount Forest); legal committee, J. A. Patterson, K. C. (Toronto); finance, chairman, John E. Brown, Hamilton; legislation, chairman, J. K. Macdonald, Toronto.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets. Ten cents per box. All druggists. Even the surest-footed man cannot play a trombone without sliding.

Mr. Ed. J. Harris, Newbridge, Ont., was in poor health, but has now been restored to full health and vigor. Here is what he writes us: "Last spring I was in a very critical condition, my system was all run down. I felt drowsy and miserable, and thought I would surely die if I did not get something to build me up. After reading one of your almanacs I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and before I had taken two bottles I had gained ten pounds in weight, and am now in perfect health, and I can certainly recommend Burdock Blood Bitters to build up the system."

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Is the best Spring medicine on the market today. You may need one this Spring if so, get B.B.B.

Report of school section No. 1, Nissouri, for the month of October:

Class V.—May Pined, 322 marks.
Senior IV.—Earlton Bourne 322, Robina Duffin 492, Lexie Rogers 388, Percy Bourne 328, Nellie Ashman (absent).
Junior IV.—Blanche Piper, 374.
Senior III.—Mayme McFadden 266, Myrtle Piper 222.
Junior III.—Willie Rogers 135, Robbie Ashman (absent), Mary Duffin 127.
Part II.—Tommy McFadden 195.

ASTONISHING SILK SALE!

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It will take a good one to astonish you.
Well, just listen!

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Black and Colored Taffetas, worth 75c and 85c, for	37c
Black and Colored Japan Taffetas (every shade), worth 35c, for	19c
Black Peau De Soie, worth \$1.25, for	75c
Black Peau De Soie (short cuts), worth \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, at	50c
Black Moire Silk, worth \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, at	50c
Fancy Waisting Silk, worth \$1.25, for	50c

These are a Few from the Great Lot.

Be on the spot early. Stay as long as you like, but don't leave your pocket book home.

SALE STARTS SATURDAY.

BAILEY'S

NEARING THOUSAND MARK

Dundas Center Methodist School Has Over 900 Members.

Annual Meeting Shows the Progress That Has Been Made.

The annual meeting of the board of management of Dundas Center Methodist Bible school was held last evening. The pastor, Rev. C. T. Scott, B.A., occupied the chair, and the attendance was very large. The reports presented by the various officers were of a very encouraging nature and showed that the school had made considerable progress during the year.

The superintendent, Mr. A. McDermid, in his report, after referring to the general satisfactory condition of the school, gave it as his opinion that the Sunday school superintendent of the future would be a graduate of a training school, and will not only be familiar with the most approved methods of school management, but will be able to instruct teachers in teaching methods, so that their work will be made easier, and at the same time more effective. "Every theological school," he said, "should include in its curriculum a course of instruction in the various school methods and teaching; and thus every pastor would be a Sunday school expert. Less preaching and more teaching will characterize the work of the church in the good time coming."

The grading superintendent, Mr. M. W. Althouse, presented his report, which stated that the usual promotions had been made, and expressed satisfaction that the changes had met with the approval of the teachers. The work was made more effective by the fact that most of the classes have kept the same teacher throughout the entire year.

Mrs. James H. Bowman, superintendent of the home department, reported a membership of 142, a net increase of 11 over the previous year. The contributions amounted to \$109.55, an increase of \$33.08. Every class in the department was in good shape. The average attendance showed an increase of 15 over previous year. The membership roll totals 915. The average attendance for the year was 767 as against 711 the previous year. The highest attendance was 49, and the highest attendance for the year was 767 as against 711 the previous year. The average attendance for the year was 767 as against 711 the previous year. The highest attendance was 49, and the highest attendance for the year was 767 as against 711 the previous year.

G. H. KENT'S CASE AGAIN

He Was Cured of Bright's Disease in the Worst Form by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 2.—Deaths of prominent people from Bright's Disease have been so numerous during the past few months that the case of G. H. Kent is again talked of here.

Mr. Kent, who still lives at 408 Glenora street, this city, was dying of Bright's Disease. He had lost the use of his limbs and his whole body was swollen to a terrible size. Three doctors were positive that he must die. While watching by his bedside his wife read that Dodd's Kidney Pills would cure Bright's Disease. They were sent for as a last resort, and almost the first dose, Mr. Kent says, he felt benefited by them. After taking four boxes he was able to sit up. Seventeen days later he was completely cured. He has been a healthy man ever since.

Miss Ethel Bailey of Crystal Springs, Texas, sister of Senator Bailey, of Texas, has entered Mississippi politics as a candidate for State Librarian.

Radiant Home Stoves, Souvenir Stoves, McClary's Famous Stoves. All kinds of stoves at Hunt & Sons', feather pillow and mattress manufacturers, 593 Richmond street north. Telephone 997.

GREAT THINGS FROM LITTLE CAUSES GROW.—It takes very little to derange the stomach. The cause may be slight, a cold, something eaten or drunk, anxiety, worry, or some other simple cause. But if precautions be not taken, this simple cause may have most serious consequences. Many a chronically debilitated constitution today owes its destruction to simple causes not dealt with in time. Keep the digestive apparatus in healthy condition and all will be well. Farnell's Vegetable Pills are better than any other for the purpose.

Are You Going West?

Low rates via Grand Trunk until Nov. 30. From London to Billings, Montana, \$32.25; Helena, Ogden, Denver, Butte, \$37.25; Spokane, Nelson, Rossland, \$39.75; Portland, Seattle, Vancouver, San Francisco, Los Angeles, \$42.25. For reservations in tourist cars or tickets call on E. De la Hook, "Clock Corner," or C. E. Horning, station ticket agent.

OLCOTT SANG AS OF OLD

Irish Comedian Again Appears Before London Audience.

Has Lost Little of His Charm and Effectiveness.

Chauncey Olcott, sweet singer, Irish comedian, romantic actor, appeared at the Grand last night in "Terence," a dramatization of B. M. Croker's novel. Mr. Olcott is today the leader in that school of drama of which Joe Murphy and Andrew Mack are shining lights, and which was originated by the late lamented W. J. Scanlan. From the "Kerry Gow," first of the species, to "Terence," there has been little variation. As a basis there is a hero, necessarily handsome, and here—villainous—robbed of his birthright—and a collection, beautiful and big-hearted. You pepper this with a trifle of landlording and English oppression, throw in a love-song or a lullaby, and always introduce or refer to the "Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall."

Mr. Olcott has lost little of his charm and effectiveness since his last appearance in London. He is still good to look at, a wholesome, healthy, and fashionable, and if he is getting somewhat fat—which sooner or later spells ruin to your romantic actor—he still retains the old-time clarity of voice and richness of brogue. He sings with fascinating ease, and a refreshing lack of self-consciousness. "My Own Dear Irish Queen," and the lullaby, "My Sonny Boy," were especially effective.

As for the play, while commonplace and the usual complications, which threaten the happiness of the pair, due to the intriguing of a blackguard English captain, by the way, excellently played by Mr. H. S. Nordrup. In due season, everything rights itself—virtue triumphs, villainy foiled, true hearts united, wedding bells.

Mr. Olcott's support, apart from Mr. Nordrup, was only fair. The mounting and costuming were first-class.

WAS APPRECIATED

F. W. Merchant, M.A., at the Durham Teachers' Convention.

In speaking of the Durham Teachers' annual convention held at Bowmanville recently, the Standard of that town says: "The presence of the principal of the Western Normal School, Dr. F. W. Merchant, M.A., London, added immensely to interest and practical benefit. He is an easy, clear speaker, taking ample time for his illustrations and presents his ideas in plain and simple language to surely ingrain the thought into the mind of the listener. He also gave the teachers a most valuable lesson in patience by repeating three and four times any particular points which he wished to impress upon them. The question came to us as we listened to his repeated explanations to the teachers comprising his audience, how many times, according to his method, one idea advanced in our address of welcome."

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He tells of his experience in the following words: "For four months I was troubled with a lame back and all this time was unable to turn in bed without help. I tried plasters and liniments of all kinds but with no effect. At last I was induced to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and by the time I had two-thirds of a box my back was as well and as strong as ever and has kept so ever since."

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FALLS STRIKERS RESUME WORK

The Militia Guard Has Been Withdrawn Permanently.

ATTEMPT TO SHOOT OUT LIGHTS

By Foreign Rioters—Private of the Forty-Fourth Tackles Trouble. Flaker With Bayonet.

Niagara Falls, Nov. 5.—The guard of militia was withdrawn this evening and sent home. A small guard of special constables will be kept on duty. About sixty per cent of the strikers have returned to work at \$1.50 per day. About 150 of the strikers have left the town, and about 20 of the rioters are in jail at Welland. This has taken all the fire out of the balance behind on the works.

Several shots were heard at Dufferin Island at midnight. Soldiers advanced and found all quiet. The report was an attempt to shoot the lights out. Private Sloggett, of No. 1 Company, Forty-fourth Regiment, took a fairly loaded .38-caliber revolver from an Italian near the clay pits yesterday afternoon. Sloggett was a sentry on an advanced position. The Italian came on a bicycle. When halted he drew a revolver and threatened to shoot. Sloggett presented his revolver and the Italian to the fence with his bayonet. The Italian threw down his revolver, and as Sloggett stooped to get it, jumped on the wheel and got away. An Italian man then tried to pass the sentry near the works was tickled with a bayonet and fled.

Several South African veterans have joined the volunteers on duty. It is reported that the contractors will bring in hundreds of men to replace the strikers. This is sure to cause trouble. The carpenters, masons, stone-cutters, steam engineers, rock drillers and other labor unions, whose members in large numbers are engaged on the power works, are taking no action whatever in connection with the strike. The union men sympathize heartily with the strikers in their fight against the decrease in pay, but have done nothing to assist them. All those driven from work by the rioters went back at the earliest opportunity.

Public sympathy is with the men so far as the strike goes, but of course no one indorses their action in rioting and attacking other men. The idleness of so many men has done more of others will seriously affect the business of merchants in some parts of the city.

THE MOROCCAN WAR

Sultan Abandons Campaign Through Lack of Funds.

London, Nov. 6.—It is believed here that the abandonment by the Sultan of Morocco of his struggle against the rebels, as recently announced in news dispatches, is due to the fact that his resources have become exhausted.

The correspondent of the Standard at Tangier makes the interesting announcement that Lord Lansdowne, British Foreign Minister, and M. Delcasse, French Foreign Minister, have practically arranged an Anglo-French loan for Morocco of \$10,000,000. The details, adds the correspondent, have not been completed, but it is probable that the loan will be guaranteed on the customs.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHœA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's."

It is impolite to upset the gravity in the hostess' lap.

IT IS KNOWN EVERYWHERE.—There is not a city, town or hamlet in Canada where Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is not known—wherever introduced it has not been a success. It soothes and cures. Some merchants may suggest some other remedy as equally beneficial. Such recommendations should be received with doubt. There is only one Electric Oil, and that is Dr. Thomas'. Take nothing else.

Lame Back for Four Months.

Was Unable to Turn in Bed Without Help.

Plasters and Liniments No Good.

This was the experience of Mr. Benjamin Stewart, Zionville, N.B.

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GREATEST SKIRT BARGAIN OF SEASON

A fortunate purchase of twenty dozen Mercerized Satene Skirts, made to order for a firm in the west but canceled because the manufacturer failed to fill the order on time. We bought them at a remarkable bargain price, and we bring them to our customers with a great deal of satisfaction, because we can please you greatly with a \$1.25 Skirt at only 89c, and a \$1.75 Skirt for only \$1. Don't miss getting one of these Skirts. The greatest Skirt Bargain this season.

Waists, Shawls and Kimonas.

These are pretty garments and extra good value.

Ladies' Black Mercerized Waists, neatly made with clusters of fine tucks, two inches wide in front, back and sleeves

Ladies' White Luster Waists, wide tucks piped with black, and black buttons on pleat in front. Very new and only

Ladies' Black and White Silk Waists, new styles. Prices ranging from

Shawls Of good quality and in pretty patterns; colors of black, white and red. Prices from

Heavy Double Shawls in gray, brown and black. Extra good value from

Kimonas Ladies' Knitted Kimonas in pink and white and blue and white. Special value at only

Ladies' Biderdown Kimonas in pink and blue stripes

Black and White Mixed Tweed Skirts, made plain, selling at each only

Black Cheviot Skirts trimmed with tucks down from waist and ornaments below tucks. Only

Weather for Warm Coats.

You've been postponing getting your Winter Coat. The delayed cold weather will be here to stay, and you'd better be prepared for sudden changes.

Ladies' Black Beaver Coats, loose back style, new elbow sleeve, large pearl buttons, mercerized lining. Only

Ladies' Black Beaver Coats, 32 inches long, trimmed with cording, panel back and front, black velvet collar, bishop sleeve, fly front, lined. A bargain at

Black and Oxford Gray Frieze Cloth Coats, 32 inches long, semi-fitted, two capes, trimmed with broadcloth straps, mercerized lining. Extra value at

Ladies' Oxford Gray Vicuna Loose Coats, straps at back, double cape, stole collar, fly front, bishop sleeve, lined. Elegant style for only

GRAY & PARKER, 150 DUNDAS AND CARLING.

WHISKARDS' Three Busy Stores, 228, 230, 232 Dundas Street.

A Great Sale of Ready-to-Wear Hats for Ladies, Misses and Children.

WE JUST WANT A MOMENT OF YOUR TIME to demonstrate that these hats are worthy in every respect of your prompt consideration. They are all this season's hats. We are going to clear them at half and less than half price. See some of the styles in our window.

LADIES' HATS, that are worth \$2.00, we are selling at 75c each, in black and dark gray, only.

LADIES' HATS, that are worth \$1.50, we are selling at, each 69c

MISSIES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS that are worth \$1.00, for, each

Hosiery Bargains.

LADIES' FINE RIBBED WOOL HOSE, double knitted, seamless feet, regular 45c, now, pair

LADIES' FINE BLACK CASHMERE HOSE, seamless feet, regular 50c, now, pair

MISSIES' BLACK CASHMERE AND WOOL RIBBED HOSE, regular 35c, now 25c pair. All sizes. Card of black tanning wool goes with each pair.

Corset Bargains.

Two lines cut in price, new goods; sizes 19 to 24, regular 75c, for pair

Regular \$1.00 for pair

Bargains in the Underwear Department.

SPECIAL LINE OF LADIES' UNDERWEAR, open front, for each 15c

CHILDREN'S HEAVY FLEECE-LINED VESTS, beautiful goods, in sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7; these vests are worth 75c, our prices, each, 25c, 25c and

We have 22 dozen of CHILDREN'S FLEECE-LINED VESTS, in sizes 12 and 14 inch. We are selling at, each, 5c and

Bargains in the Ribbon Department.

25 pieces of FANCY RIBBON, in stripes, blue, mauve, black, white and cardinal's going at, yard, 5c, cheap at 10c.

SATIN RIBBON, in white, blue, and black, 6 inches wide, regular 15c, our price, yard

SATIN DUCHESS RIBBON, in white, pink, blue and black, regular 20c, 3/4 inch wide, our price, yard

SATIN BABY RIBBON, worth 20c, yard, all colors, we are selling, bolt of 18 yards for

Bargains in Ladies' and Children's Astrachan Gauntlets.

In Black, Gray, Red and White. Children's Red and White and Gray. ASTRACHAN GAUNTLETS, sold everywhere for 50c, sale price 39c pair. Don't miss this bargain. You'll want them lap on, and have to pay 50c for them.

Ladies' Black and Gray ASTRACHAN GAUNTLETS, regular 75c, sale price 50c pair. It will pay you to buy now.

50 Boxes of Fine Saxony Yarn.

In pink, gray, white, black, blue and

SHEETLAND FLOSS—In cream, white, and black, skein

BEST BEEHIVE (BALDWIN'S) FOUR-PLY YARN, navy, brown, gray with

all worth 10c, selling at, skein 5c

New Books at the Library

Driscoll—Christian Philosophy. God. Moody—One Thousand and One Thoughts from My Library.

Budd—Religion of Israel to the Exile. Matthews—The Social Teaching of Jesus. Chambers—The Governor-General's Bodyguard in Canada.

James—Young Woman's Friend, and Guide Through Life to Immortality. Guiding—Waves and Ripples in Water, Air and Ether.

Michelson—Light Waves and Their Uses. Ganong—Plant Physiology. Stone and Cram—American Animals.

Miller—Porty Years Among the Best. Johnson—Canadian Born, and Other Poems.

Kipling—The Five Nations. Poems. Abbott—The Tale of a Tour in Macedonia.

Cokerell—Southern Europe and the Levant, 1810-17. Journal. Pope—The Royal Tour of Canada, 1901.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. Fitchett—Nelson and His Captains.

John Morley—Life of William Ewart Gladstone. Rev. L. Bartlett—Joseph Russell Little (Uncle Joe Little).

Robinson—An Introduction to the History of Western Europe. Bradshaw—Self Government in Canada.

Cotes—The Pool in the Desert. Hutchinson—Bert Edward, the Golf Caddy.

Marriman—Barlasech of the Guard. Norris—Lord Leonard the Luckless. Riddell—Poor Fellow.

Somerville and Ross—All on the Irish Shore. Steel—in the Guardianship of God.

Tarkington—Cherry.

THE ARMENIAN MURDERS

Conspiracy to Wipe Out Entire Society Alleged.

London, Nov. 6.—The police have located the lodging place where Gorgie Yangle, the murderer of the two Armenian delegates to the revolutionary convention here, and are satisfied that he was identical with the man who was Sagat Sagoun. All the members of the Hentohakist Society are in a state of great alarm. They are satisfied that their enemies, the Alfarists, will appoint a successor to carry on the work of extermination of the Hentohakist leaders.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 6.—Speaking of the recent assassinations in London, Peter Kureghian, editor of Young Armenia, said: "There will be more yet; they will never rest until they have removed all of us of the old Hentohakist party. There were six of those fellows, 'terrors,' who sailed from New York for London three months ago. There are five more of them scattered over Europe. You will hear from them."

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CHAPTER VII.

Sly Work.

The next morning my duty led me directly in the way of that little friend of mine whom I have already mentioned. It is strange how often my duty did lead me in her way.

She is a demure little creature, with wits as bright as her eyes, which is saying a great deal; and while, in the course of our long friendship, I have admired, without making use of the special abilities I saw in her, I felt that the time had now come when they might prove of inestimable value to me.

Greeting her with pardonable abruptness, I expressed my wishes in these possibly alarming words:

"Jiminy, you can do something for me. Find out—I know you can, and that, too, without arousing suspicion or compromising either of us—where Mr. Moore, of Waverley avenue, buys his groceries, and when you have done that, whether or not he has lately replenished himself with candles."

The surprise which she showed had a touch of naivete in it which was very encouraging.

"Mr. Moore?" she cried, "the uncle of her who—?"

"The very same," I responded, and waited for her questions without adding a single word in way of explanation.

"She gave me a look—oh, what a look! It was as encouraging to the detective as it was welcome to the lover; after which she nodded, once in doubt, once in question and once in frank and laughing consent, and darted off. I thanked Providence for such a self-contained little aide-de-camp and proceeded on my way, in a state of great self-satisfaction.

An hour later I came upon her again. It is really extraordinary how frequently the paths of some people cross.

"Well?" I asked.

"Mr. Moore deals with Simpkins, just two blocks away from his house; and only a week ago he bought some candles there."

I rewarded her with a smile which summoned into view the most exasperating of dimples.

"You had better patronize Simpkins yourself for a little while," I suggested; and by that time which my words were received, I perceived that my meaning was fully understood.

Experiencing from this moment an increased confidence, not only in the powers of my little friend, but in the line of investigation, I set about means of settling the one great question which was a necessary preliminary to all further action: Whether the marks detected by me in the dust of the mantle in the southwest chamber had been made by the hand of the culprit, or whether the need of candles, albeit his house appeared to be fully lighted by gas?

The subterfuge by which, notwithstanding my many advantages, I was finally enabled to obtain an unmistakable answer to this question was of much hard thought. Perhaps I should have mistrusted myself more from the start. But I was a great egoist in those days, and I had reckoned quite above their inherent worth any bright ideas which I could safely call my own.

rogatives as a member of the police, I see."

The words came as easily from his lips as if his practice in affability had been of the very longest.

"I wonder how the old place enjoys its present distinction," he went on, running his eye over the dilapidated walls under which he stood, with very evident pride in their vast proportions and the air of gloomy grandeur which signified them.

"If it takes in the slightest degree the feelings of its owner, I can vouch for its impatience at the free use which is made of its time-worn rooms and halls. Are these intrusions necessary?"

Now that Mrs. Jeffrey's body has been removed, do you feel that the scene of her demise need hold the attention of the police any longer?"

"That is a question to put to the superintendent and not to me," was my deprecating reply. "The major has issued no orders for the watch to be taken off, so we men have no choice. I am sorry if it offends you. Doubtless a few days will end the matter and the keys will be given into your hand, suppose you are anxious to move in?"

He cast a glance behind him at the dog, gave a whistle which passed unheeded, and replied with dignity, if but little heart:

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British Oak defeated British Lion Lodge by a score of 35 to 20.

The schedule for the season is as follows:
Nov. 11—British Lion vs. Beresford.
Nov. 13—Chelsea vs. Trafalgar.
Nov. 15—Beresford vs. British Lion.
Nov. 17—Trafalgar vs. British Lion.
Nov. 19—British Lion vs. Trafalgar.
Nov. 21—Chelsea vs. British Oak.
Jan. 7—Trafalgar vs. British Oak.
Jan. 12—British Lion vs. Chelsea.
Jan. 15—Chelsea vs. Beresford.
Jan. 21—British Oak vs. Chelsea.
Jan. 27—Beresford vs. Trafalgar.
Jan. 29—Chelsea vs. British Lion.
Feb. 4—Trafalgar vs. Beresford.
Feb. 10—Beresford vs. Chelsea.
Feb. 13—British Oak vs. Trafalgar.
Feb. 24—British Lion vs. British Oak.
March 3—Trafalgar vs. Chelsea.
March 17—British Oak vs. Beresford.

NEW EASTERN LEAGUE.
Montreal, Nov. 5.—Plans are under way for the creation of a new international league, which will be put into execution as soon as Montreal is dropped from the Eastern League, as it is fully expected will be the case. The idea is to have Montreal, Rochester, Worcester and Providence as the nucleus of the new league.

AUTOMOBILE.
TWO NEW WORLD'S RECORDS.
Dourdan, France, Nov. 5.—At an automobile meet held today two new world's records were made. Dubray, with a 100-horse power machine, covering a kilometer in 26.5 seconds. Lamberjack, with a motor cycle, covered the distance in 34.5 seconds.

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

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ALVINSTON.
Alvinston, Nov. 4.—Miss Wiggins will deliver a lecture under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. in the Methodist Church on Friday evening, Nov. 13.

On Wednesday, Oct. 28, Miss Evelyn Errett, of Canada, was united in marriage to Mr. Alex. McPhail, of Aberfeldy, by Rev. Mr. Curry.

Miss Johanna and Jennie Munroe, who have been attending the international convention of the Church of Christ, in Detroit, have returned home.

Miss Minnie Houston is visiting friends in Ridgeway.

Mr. Hicks, principal of Alvinston public school, on Monday evening tendered his resignation, which was accepted by the school board.

Mr. John Daniels, of Chatham, is visiting at his home in this place.

Mrs. Harvey, of Watford, is the guest of Miss M. C. Clarke.

Garnet McFadyen, of Montreal, who has been visiting his home in Oil Springs for a few weeks, called on Alvinston friends on Tuesday on his way back to Montreal.

Mr. D. H. Newcomb is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Gagnier, of Dresden.

Mr. W. A. Moffat, of this place, has secured a splendid position with the Canadian National Bank.

Miss Eva Bartram, of Oil Springs, is the guest of Mrs. John McCreter.

Mr. M. Sinclair, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. J. C. Cherry this week.

Mrs. Leitch, of St. Thomas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Leitch.

Miss Nellie Clarke, of the public school staff, attended the Y. W. C. A. in Toronto last week.

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FOR Saturday, Nov. 7, we offer many special lines of OVERCOATS—the best values we've ever been able to present. Last Saturday you astonished us. The great outpouring of customers was both surprising and gratifying, and tomorrow (Saturday) we start our greatest month with the following extraordinary Overcoat values:

\$35, \$40 and \$45 Overcoats for \$25 and \$28.

The best you can buy should be your aim. In saying that they are the best fitting and the best tailored Overcoats we ever made, is simply quoting what our customers are repeatedly telling us. The fabrics used in our \$28 Overcoat is Carr's Melton, made by the best makers of Melton in the world. The collars are hand-felled and the shoulders hand-padded and concealed.

\$15, \$16 and \$17 Overcoats at \$13.

This is beyond all shadow of doubt the greatest overcoat event ever known in this city. The coats come in Frieze, Cheviot and Scotch Tweeds. The very natiest productions of this season. The above cut will give you a very accurate idea of the appearance of the garments. The man with the belted coat wears one of our Scotch Tweed Overcoats with belted back; the one sitting is wearing one of our Scotch Cheviot Coats; the man with his back to you gives an exact view of the back of our Celebrated Grafton Frieze Overcoat, beyond all question the peer of any other coat at the price, in this Dominion. \$15, \$16 and \$17 values, Saturday, November 7.

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Men's Suits—\$12, \$12.50 and \$13 Values—Special Saturday for \$10.

We always keep extra special value in a Ten-Dollar Suit, but at the popular price for tomorrow we have grouped eighty-nine of our best \$12, \$12.50 and \$13 Suits. Space limitation renders description impossible, but take our word for it, we promise the greatest suit event of the season. The materials are Colored and Black Worsteds, Scotch and English Tweeds and Cheviots, etc. Your choice on Saturday, Nov. 7, for

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—Col. Denison, of the barracks, is in Ottawa on private business.

—Col. Young, of Wolseley Barracks, is away on a two weeks' shooting trip.

—Mr. James Weston and two children have gone on a trip to England.

—Sergeant Wanless, district clerk at Wolseley Barracks, is holidaying in Guelph.

—Lieut. Cliffer, of Ancaster, has completed a short course of instruction at the barracks and has returned home.

—Mrs. W. A. Wilson, of Hyman street, has received word from Battineau, North Dakota, that her brother, Mr. Richard Cox, is dead. The late Mr. Cox, who was 60 years of age, came here after the Wanstead wreck to at-

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tend the funeral of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Stewart, who were killed.

—Miss H. Alway, London, has been visiting at H. Finch's Harrietsville.

—Miss Francis Tremaine, of London, is the guest of Mrs. J. Maynard, Woodstock.

—Mrs. Henry Finch, Harrietsville, is spending a few days among relatives at London.

—Mrs. Thos. E. Round, of this city, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Baker, at Aylmer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod, of this city, attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Queen, Jun., at St. Thomas.

—The stairway of the West London school will be altered at a cost of \$40. This was decided by No. 2 committee of the board of education.

—Mr. and Mrs. Peter McInnes, of this city, have been visiting a few days with Mrs. Wm. Dyer at Belmont.

—Robert W. Faulds, of this city, won the first prize given by the Star Monthly, Oak Park, Ill., for nature studies, the subject being "The Loon from Life."

THE NEW IRON WORKS.

The brick building lately occupied by the Acetylene Gas Company on Colborne street north, is mentioned as the possible location of the Port Huron iron works, which proposes to come here.

A NEW DIRECTOR.

Mr. Malcolm McGugan, M. P., of Mount Brydges, has been appointed director of the Industrial Mortgage and Savings Company, at Sarnia, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Archibald Gibb.

MORE CAMP CLASSES.

Mr. Norman H. Camp, of Chicago, may start union Bible classes in Brantford, Stratford and Port Huron. Should more be started he will probably have here during the winter.

CALL TO FORMER LONDONERS.

Rev. Ira Smith, at one time pastor of the Talbot Street Baptist Church, has received a call from the Clinton Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, where for the past four weeks he has been conducting special evangelistic meetings.

EVANGELIST MURPHY.

In the course of his mission, Rev. Arthur Murphy will preach three special evangelistic sermons on Sunday, morning, afternoon and evening, at St. John's and Emmanuel Churches.

The main hall will close with an address on the second coming of Christ at St. John's Church next Monday evening.

LIBRARY BOARD.

The public library board met last night to adopt reports. The library committee recommended the acceptance of the tender of the Red Star News Company, for supply of periodicals, adding "The Garden," "The Captain," and "Art Interchange," to the list.

The cards issued under number 10,577, 163 having been issued during October. The average circulation of books and magazines was 1,000.

Number of books sent out during the month being 7,425. Since the last meeting 43 volumes had been put on the shelves.

GAME IS PREVALENT.

Some idea of the prevalence of game and the increasing popularity of hunting in the province of New Brunswick, may be gathered from the fact that over \$14,000 has been collected by the surveyor-general, as the receipts from game licenses.

As the license fee to the residents is nominal, this means that New Brunswick is fast becoming a Mecca for American and upper province sportsmen.

The greater part of this money was paid for the privilege of shooting moose and caribou, and there is still another month before the season expires. The early snow in the northern woods has made the tracking of the animals easier, and the hunters are meeting with unprecedented success, particularly in the Concomi woods, within short distances of the line of the Intercolonial Railway.

THE TRUANT-OFFICER'S WORK

A Summary Has Result of sending children to School.

The police magistrate told a man with a whisky shake this morning that the police department was not maintained for the special purpose of arresting him whenever he was drunk. The come-too-often man was fined \$5 or ten days.

An assault case laid by David Hargan against Alex. Russell was withdrawn before court opened, on the payment of \$2 costs of the court.

Truant Officer Weir withdrew his case against William Bugler for neglecting to send his children to school. The summons had answered the purpose of the officer.

There was only one other case, and that, too, was withdrawn. A barber was charged with having a sign out over the sidewalk without permission.

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The Cash Bargain Grocery on King street, opposite the market, is getting lots of trade these days. The manager, Mr. Norman McLeod, has now had this store for a year or more and has made it a popular place to get provisions. Everything in the place is clean and the store is at all times attractive. The best of everything is kept in stock and Mr. McLeod's patrons are assured of being satisfied.

When Mr. McLeod opened this store at 123 King street he did so on the cash basis which has proved of benefit alike to himself and to those who deal with him. He has paid for everything he has sold and everything is sold for cash. In this way goods are sold at closest margins.

The proprietor, Mr. Norman McLeod, is of course well-known to Londoners and the people of the surrounding country. Prior to his opening of his present place of business he had a large store in East London and before that was with Elliott Bros., and with W. R. Simpson. For these merchants he roasted coffee for twenty years as well as becoming expert in all branches of the business as well as this special line.

The store he has now is bright and attractive and in a position where it is convenient to country and city residents alike.

A Noted Lecturer

It will be a pleasure to those who heard Professor Alexander on his previous visits to know that he will give another course of lectures, beginning at the Auditorium next Wednesday evening. Since his last visit here he has lectured in Great Britain and throughout the United States, and to crowded houses everywhere.

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