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Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.
McDONALD-DICKSON—At the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Mr. Hannason, Presbyterian minister, Donald McDonald, of the Hudson Bay Service of Brunswick Post, Algoma, to Florence Dickson, fourth daughter of Alex. Dickson, J.P., Arcona.

DIED.
FAIRBAIRN—On Sept. 15, 1900, James Fairbairn, in his 44th year.
Funeral from his late residence, No. 640 Wellington street, on Monday, Sept. 17, at 2:30 p.m., service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

TUKE—In this city, on Sunday, Sept. 16, 1900, John, eldest son of William and Ellen Tuke, aged 17 years and 7 months.
Funeral will leave the family residence, 823 Lorne avenue, on Tuesday, at 2:30 p.m., services at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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Meetings.

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WESTERN ONTARIO LIBERAL ASSOCIATION.

Sir Richard Cartwright,

Hon. Geo. W. Ross,
and others, will address a Public Meeting, in the
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WEDNESDAY EVE, SEPT. 19, 1900,
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The purchaser shall pay a deposit of 20 per cent of his purchase money to the liquidator, and shall pay the balance within ten days thereafter to the liquidator without interest. No allowance shall be made for deficiency on the assets. Dated at Toronto this 15th September, A.D. 1900.

NKIL McLEAN,
Chief clerk of the master-in-ordinary. 60c xzv

The Situation In the Far East

British Make Preparations for Further Hostilities.

Permanent Telegraph Line Between Tien Tsin and Peking Being Built—Reiteration of the Statement That the Dowager Empress Intended a General Massacre of Foreigners.

London, Sept. 17.—Dr. Morrison, the Peking correspondent of the Times, in the course of a long dispatch, dated Sept. 5, continues to protest against the evacuation of the capital, but he agrees with the Peking correspondent of the Morning Post that the withdrawal of the Russian troops, owing to their barbarous habits, would be an unmixed benefit. He asserts that further convincing proofs have been obtained of the intention of the dowager to massacre all foreigners. Prince Ching, he says, fails to realize the real situation, evidently being convinced that all the powers can be squared by the payment of a money indemnity.

TUAN THE TOOL.
Baroness Von Ketteler leaves for Germany, via America, tomorrow, cables the New York Herald's correspondent at Peking, under date of Sept. 15. The murder of her husband on June 19 by government soldiers in the main street, prevented a general massacre of all foreigners in Peking, as all the foreign ministers, except Baron Von Ketteler, had decided to accept a Chinese assurance of protection for their journey to Tien Tsin. It is now known that Prince Tuan had arranged for their annihilation en route.

MORE BRITISH TROOPS.
London, Monday, Sept. 17.—A. M.—In connection with the prediction by Sir Robert Hart that there will be further hostilities in November, it is understood that the British government is already considering the transfer of troops from South Africa to India, in order to make it practicable to send more British troops to China.

It is probable that the Russian legation has already been removed from Peking to Tien Tsin, but there is no definite news as yet as to whether Li Hung Chang will after all go to Peking. Gen. Doward is going to the capital, leaving the British troops at Tien Tsin under the command of Brigadier-General Horne Campbell.

The Americans have begun at Halo Wu a permanent telegraph line between Peking and Tien Tsin.

The Peking correspondent of the Daily News says that the assassin of Baron Von Ketteler has been shot.

The Morning Post's representative says that the question is being discussed in Manchuria, where 200 miles of railway have been destroyed and a number of stations have been burned. There has been much fighting and many Russians have been killed. Three regiments have left Peking on their way overland to Manchuria.

A gradual reduction of the Russian forces in Peking has begun. Five regiments have already been withdrawn. The number of Russian troops is now about 70,000, of which number 25,000 are Japanese. Baron Nishii, the Japanese minister, favors the withdrawal of 15,000 troops, to be held in reserve in Japan.

It is announced that, owing to the impossibility of getting the railroad through before the winter sets in, the Russian forces will make Tien Tsin their headquarters.

SAVED BY BENGAL LANCERS.
A Tien Tsin dispatch of the 14th says: "A British signal officer reports a sharp engagement between a company of 14th United States Infantry and 2,000 Boxers at Mo Tao (Ma Tow) on the road to Peking. The Americans made a gallant stand and a detachment of Bengal Lancers near by, hearing the firing, came to their rescue, and charged the Boxers in the rear. The Chinese were routed, leaving 200 dead. The Americans had no casualties. The Germans report an engagement with a heavy force of Boxers west of Peking yesterday (Thursday). The German loss is said to have been 20."

The same dispatch says: "The British have issued an order prohibiting within the limits of the British concession. The Germans are pouring in to Tien Tsin, and all nationalities are scrambling for buildings. The British battery and 200 Australians have arrived."

The Tu Lu expedition has returned to Tien Tsin. The march back was unopposed, and it is reported that the Boxers have retired in force to a village 30 miles up the Grand Canal.

Twelve thousand Germans have arrived at Tien Tsin.

IN MANCHURIA.
St. Petersburg, Sept. 15.—Official dispatches received here announce the capture of Fuliarda on Sept. 8, giving the Russians command of the Manchurian Railway. Gen. Orloff and Gen.

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IS DEWET DEAD?

Report That He Was Fatally Wounded at Potchefstroom.

Kruger Has Helped the British by Running Away.

Pretoria, Sept. 16.—There is strong reason to believe that Gen. Dewet, who has caused the British so much trouble, was killed on Sept. 7 near Potchefstroom. His kaffir servant, who has reached Vereeniging, states that Gen. Dewet was shot through the lungs and died a few hours afterwards. The British captured 42 engines at Barberton. At present, however, they are of no use, as Kaapmuiden, the place where the Barberton road joins the main railway, is still in the hands of the Boers.

KRUGER HELPED THE BRITISH.
London, Sept. 16.—There can be no doubt that Kruger's last step has greatly helped the British. Free and in the Transvaal, he would be a governmental center for exerting a powerful influence over all burghers. Captured, he would have been a source of the greatest embarrassment to his captors. But now, under the protection of the Portuguese government at Lorenzo Marquez, it is felt that he is off the stage, powerless both for his friends and against his foes.

KRUGER AS A LECTURER.
London, Monday, Sept. 11.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Vienna says that the manager of the Orpheum will offer ex-President Kruger \$1,000 a week for six weeks to lecture on the war in South Africa.

SMASH-UP ON B. C. RAILWAY

Head-on Collision Between Two Freight Trains.

Engines Crash Together—Robert Fisher, Manager of the Alexandria Mine, One of the Victims.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 16.—A fatal head-on collision occurred yesterday morning between two freight trains on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway, as a result of which four men are dead. The killed are:

Sam Walton, engineer, a native of Toronto, who has been here three years, and who leaves a widow and family in Toronto.

Robert Fisher, superintendent of Alexandria mine, and formerly manager of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company.

Hugh Thompson, fireman.

Henry Saunders, brakeman.

The operator was slightly injured. The wreck was caused by a mistake of the operator, who reported the line clear. The trains met on a trestle bridge two miles north of Ladysmith, to which the line inclines from either side. When the engineers saw each other's trains approaching they put on brakes and reversed, but the speed was too great and the trains plunged into each other.

Supt. Fisher tried to jump, but was caught among the wreckage and frightfully mangled. Walton, who died on his engine, was terribly cut up and scalded. The force of the collision was so great that two loaded cars shot clear over the telegraph wires. Both engines were reduced to scrap iron, and the cars were piled on them, making a heap of debris as high as a three-story building.

Immense pulp mills are proposed for Port Frances on the Rainy River, a town which will soon be directly connected with Winnipeg by rail.

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Sporting

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Brooklyn	67	51	.568
Pittsburgh	60	58	.510
Philadelphia	59	59	.500
Boston	58	60	.492
Chicago	57	63	.475
St. Louis	53	63	.453
Cincinnati	52	64	.445
New York	50	67	.429

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	52	.520
Milwaukee	52	.520
Indianapolis	50	.500
Detroit	49	.490
Kansas City	48	.480
Cleveland	47	.470
Buffalo	46	.460
Minneapolis	45	.450

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Providence	50	.500
Rochester	49	.490
Hartford	48	.480
Worcester	47	.470
Springfield	46	.460
Toronto	45	.450
Montreal	44	.440
Syracuse	43	.430

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston	R. H. E.
Chicago	01100000-10-2-11
Boston	00100000-7-10-1

Batteries—Menefy and Kling; Dineen and Sullivan.

At New York—
Pittsburgh 01000000-1-6-2
New York 00100000-1-2-8
Batteries—Phillips and Zimmer; Carrick and Bowerman.

At Philadelphia—
Cincinnati 31000000-5-13-2
Philadelphia 00104000-1-6-12
Batteries—Halm, Newton and Kehoe; Donohue, Dunn and McFarland.

At Brooklyn (First Game)—
St. Louis 11010000-4-9-0
Brooklyn 11010000-2-5-10
Batteries—Young and Robinson; Kitzson and Farrell.

Second Game—
St. Louis 02111-5-9-2
Brooklyn 03320-8-12-3
Batteries—Hughey and Bulow; McGinnity and McGuire.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Kansas City—First game—Kansas City 3, Detroit, 2. Second game—Kansas City, 2; Detroit, 4.

At Chicago—Chicago, 4; Buffalo, 5.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto—
Toronto 00200000-2-10-1
Hartford 23010000-6-9-2
Batteries—Alloway and Bemis; Flaherty and Steelman. Umpire—Egan.

At Montreal (First Game)—
Springfield 000010400000-4-9-0
Montreal 020010000000-0-0-0
Batteries—Toft and Brown; Moran and Cross. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

Second Game—
Springfield 0000100-1-0-10-1
Montreal 12000-3
Batteries—Moran and McFarlane; Toft and Woods. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

At Providence—
Providence 01010000-6-11-1
Syracuse 01010000-2-8-3
Batteries—Evans and Leahy; White and Duff.

At Rochester—First Game—
Worcester 01000000-1-6-4
Rochester 1020012-6-4
Batteries—Horton and Kitzridge; McPherson and Phelps.

At Rochester—Second Game—
Worcester 010011-3-8-1
Rochester 12000-3-6-1
Batteries—Cristall and Kitzridge; Morse and Dixon.

SUNDAY GAMES.

At Chicago—Chicago, 6; Indianapolis, 0.

At Kansas City—Kansas City, 5; Buffalo, 3.

At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Minneapolis, 4.

At Rochester—
Rochester 00211003-13-10
Rochester 001002011-3-10-2
Batteries—Magee and Kitzridge; Bowen and Phelps. Umpire—Rinn.

At Milwaukee—First Game—Milwaukee, 3; Cleveland, 2. Second Game—Milwaukee, 1; Cleveland, 8.

THAT NEW LEAGUE.

Milwaukee, Sept. 16.—August Koch, who tried last year to purchase the Detroit league club, and Joseph O'Brien, who was a candidate for secretaryship of the American League of baseball clubs, are on their way to Philadelphia for the purpose of making another effort to organize the association for next season. The plan is to have the circuit comprise the cities of Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Louis, Detroit, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. It is said that A. J. Clark, of Chicago, is to own the team; Gus Koch the Philadelphia club; and McGraw the Baltimore club. Ex-Senator Clark, of Montana, is said to be one of the principal backers of the scheme.

EDDIE KNAUFF DEAD.

Philadelphia, Sept. 15.—Eddie Knauff, a baseball player, is dead of a broken back, after having lingered in a hospital here for three years and a half. His case was unique in medical history. After retiring from the ball field he became a fireman, and while on duty at a fire was crushed by a falling beam. From that day he lay on a cot in the hospital, and although many eminent surgeons interested themselves in his case, they could find no relief for the sufferer. Knauff was one of the pitchers of the Athletic club when that organization won the American Association championship, and was also a member of the Baltimore and St. Louis clubs of that association.

THE TURF.

SATURDAY'S WINNERS.
At Windsor—Ambrose, Monk Wayman, Lake Fonso, Innovator, Zuffall, Virgie O.

At New York—Montaci, Cock Robin, Conroy, Imp, Lf Prince and Greenock.

At Chicago—Banish, Sim W., Bonnie, Laseack, The Lady, May Beach, Onnet and Branch.

At St. Louis—Passaid, Orlandin, Grantor, Tinto, Ida Ledford, Peter Duryea.

AT NEW YORK.
New York, Sept. 15.—The local Grand Circuit meeting came to a close at the Empire track today, and was lightly attended, there being but two races on the card. Summaries:

Road wagon race, final heat—Hontas Crooke 1, Quadriga 2, Silvermaker 3. Best time, 2:10. Waynes distanced.

Ham race, second heat—Demost 1, 2:10.30.

RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF LABOR

[By Cardinal Gibbons, in the New York Journal.]

I say labor contributes to the prosperity of the country, and whatever conduces to a nation's welfare is most worthy of commendation. It is not the office or occupation that dignifies the man, but it is the man that dignifies the office.

"Honor and shame from no condition rise. Act well your part—there all the honor lies."

Cincinnati lent dignity to agriculture by the plow. Caligula, by an infamous life, degraded his crown and imperial purple!

De Tocqueville could not pay a juster and more beautiful tribute of praise to the genius of our country than when he wrote in 1835 that every honest occupation in the United States was honorable.

The honest, industrious man is honored among us, whether he work with his hands or with his brains, because he is an indispensable factor in the nation's progress. He is the bee in the social hive; he is the benefactor of his race, because he is always producing something for the commonwealth.

Our sympathies for dignity in our employment, whether in the household, the mines, or the factory, are wonderfully quickened by putting ourselves in their place and asking ourselves how we wish to be treated under similar circumstances.

We should remember that they are our fellow-beings, that they have feelings like ourselves, that they are stung by a sense of injustice, repelled by an overbearing spirit, and softened by the reflection that others are made to be clothed with sorrow or radiant with joy.

Surely men do not amass wealth for the sole pleasure of counting their bonds and of contemplating their gold in secret. No, they acquire it in the hope that it will contribute to their rational comfort and happiness. Now, there is no enjoyment in life so pure and so substantial as that which springs from the reflection that others are made content and happy by our benevolence. And I am speaking here not of the benevolence of gratuitous bounty, but of fair-dealing tempered with benignity. Considerate kindness is like her sister Mercy.

"It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven Upon the place beneath; it is twice blessed; It blesseth him that gives, and him that takes; 'Tis mightiest in the mightiest; it becomes The throned monarch better than his crown."

While applauding the tender feelings and magnanimity of many capitalists, I am constrained in the interests of truth, humanity and religion, to protest against the selfishness of others who number for the honor of our country, as I hope, comparatively small.

No friend of his race can contemplate without painful emotions these heartless monopolists exhibiting a grasping avarice which has dried up every sentiment of sympathy, and a sordid selfishness which is deaf to the cries of distress. Their sole aim is to realize large dividends without regard to the claims of justice and Christian charity. These trusts and monopolies, like the car of Juggernaut, crush every obstacle that stands in their way. They endeavor, by all means, to suppress without success, to corrupt our national and state legislatures and municipal councils. They are so intolerant of honest rivalry as to use unlawful means in driving from the market all competing industries. They compel their operatives to work for starvation wages, especially in mining districts and factories, where protests have but a feeble echo, and are easily stifled by intimidation.

In many places the corporations are so large that the monopoly of stores of supply, where exorbitant prices are charged for the necessities of life, bills are contracted which the workmen are unable to pay from their scanty wages, and their forced insolvency places them entirely at the mercy of their task-masters.

To such Shylocks may well be applied the words of the apostle: "Go to, ye rich men; weep and howl for your miseries which shall come upon you. . . . Behold the hire of the laborers, which is kept back by you, crieth, and the cry of them hath entered into the ears of the God of Sabbath."

How forcibly this language applies now to our own country, and how earnestly the warning should be heeded by the constituted authorities! The supreme law of the land should be vindicated and enforced, and ample protection should be afforded to legitimate competing corporations as well as to the laboring classes against unscrupulous monopolies.

But if labor organizations have rights to demand redress, and if they have also sacred obligations to be fulfilled and dangers to guard against.

They should exercise unceasing vigilance in securing their body from the control of designing demagogues, who would make it subservient to their own selfish ends, or convert it into a political engine. They should also be jealous of the reputation and good name of the rank and file of the society as well as of its chosen leaders.

For while the organization is ennobled and commands the respect of the public by the moral and civic virtues of its members, the scandalous and unworthy conduct of even a few of them is apt to bring reproach on the whole body, and to excite the distrust of the community.

Activity is the law of all intellectual and animal life. The more you live in conformity to that law, the more you will be. An active life, like the purring riddle, is an unfailing source of gladness, health and contentment, while an indolent life, like the stagnant pool, breeds discontent, disease and death. No man enjoys with a keener relish the night's repose, and the Sunday and holiday rest than the son of toil.

A life of patient industry is sure to be blessed with a competence, if it is not crowned with an abundant remuneration. The great majority of our leading men of wealth are indebted for their fortunes to their own untiring industry. Take an active, personal, conscientious interest in the business of your employer. Be as much concerned

about its prosperity as if it were your own.

Foster habits of economy and self-denial. No matter how modest your income may be, always live under it. You will thus protect your liberty and business integrity, and guard yourself against the slavery and humiliation of debt, which is too often the precursor and the incentive to commercial dishonor.

While honestly striving to better your condition, be content with your station in life, and do not yield to an inordinate desire of abandoning your present occupation for what is popularly regarded as a more attractive avocation. Remember that while the learned professions are overcrowded, there is always a demand for skilled and unskilled labor, and that it is far better to succeed in mechanical or manual work than to fail in professional life.

Be not over eager to amass wealth, for they who are anxious "to become rich fall into temptations and into the snares of the devil, and into many profitable and honorable desires which drown men in destruction and perdition."

A feverish ambition to accumulate a fortune, which may be called our national distemper, is incompatible with peace of mind.

Moderate means with a contented spirit are preferable to millions without it.

Sobriety will be an angel of tranquility, contentment to yourself and family. While this virtue should be cultivated by all men, it ought to be especially cherished by the laboring class, who are so much exposed to the opposite vice. Intemperance has brought more ruin and sorrow to the family than the sword, and is a more unrelenting tyrant than the grasping monopolist.

The Fall Fairs.

Central, Ottawa, Sept. 14-22.
Southern, Brantford, Sept. 15-20.
South Huron, Exeter, Sept. 17-18.
Tavistock, Sept. 17-18.

Stephens and Osborne, Exeter, Sept. 17-18.
Middlesex, Stratford, Sept. 17-19.
North Waterloo, Berlin, Sept. 18-19.
Northwestern, Goderich, Sept. 18-19.

Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 18-19.
S. Wallace, Listowel, Sept. 18-19.
St. Catharines, Sept. 18-19.
E. Elgin, Aylmer, Sept. 18-20.

Central, Guelph, Sept. 18-20.
Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept. 18-21.
Hay Ag. Soc., Zurich, Sept. 19-20.
North Huron, Ailsa Craig, Sept. 20-21.

Clinton Township, Sept. 20-21.
E. Lambton, Watford, Sept. 21-22.
N. Wallace, Palmerston, Sept. 21-22.
North Bruce, Port Elgin, Sept. 21-23.

Turnberry, Wingham, Sept. 21-23.
Mornington, Milverton, Sept. 21-23.
Springfield and South Dorchester, at Springfield, Sept. 22, 23.
Camden, Dresden, Oct. 2-3.

South Waterloo, Galt, Oct. 2-3.
North Dorchester, Oct. 3.
West Zorra, Embro, Oct. 4.
E. Huron, Brantford, Oct. 4-5.

Windsor, Sept. 25-26.
Fullerton and Logan, Mitchell, Sept. 25-27.
Westminster Ag. Soc., Lambeth, Sept. 27-28.
N. Oxford, Woodstock, Sept. 28-29.

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Cabled Comment

On Old World Topics—The Approaching British Elections—Russia and Germany Working Together in China—The Boers' "Vanishing Guns"—Portuguese Neutrality—French Grand Army Maneuvers—Mrs. Maybrick's Case.

London, Sept. 16.—I. N. Ford cables to the New York Tribune this morning as follows: It is growing more and more evident that Russia and Germany are working together in China. They are apparently honoring Li Hung Chang and speeding his movements to the north. There is, however, very little actually fresh news from the Far East this morning of any particular importance. The Observer argues that the REAL MASTER OF THE SITUATION

in China is Sir Robert Hart, whose experience is unique, and who is the person best qualified to answer if the policy of the "open door" shall be resolutely maintained. It is supposed that the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to London is of great political importance, as the beginning of a rapprochement between England and Germany.

THE ELECTIONS.

The closing scenes of the war are watched with apathy and indifference in London. Military comment has ceased, and the clubs and drawing-rooms are preoccupied with the election talk. The Liberal leader has finally made an appointment for a speech in Scotland late in this month. His party, while badly demoralized, is pulling itself together for the general elections under Herbert Gladstone's coaching, but will not waste its resources by contesting hopeless districts. Some excellent candidates are coming forward on the Liberal side. Sir Edward Reed is one, and Anthony Hope Hawkins is another. The government shows no sign that the elections are close at hand, but it is not neglecting any opportunity for emphasizing the importance of the battle for the unity of the empire.

SALISBURY'S POSITION.

The signal for the dissolution of parliament is expected early next week, when the Queen's decision can be learned at the privy council. She will follow Lord Salisbury's advice without doubt, but will have a decisive voice on one question of the first importance. This will relate to Lord Salisbury's own position in the cabinet. If he be weary of public life and anxious to spend the remainder of his days in well-earned retirement, there will never be a better opportunity for rounding out his career.

DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT.

The question of the dissolution of parliament cannot be separated from the policy of reconstruction of the cabinet. One is a simple matter, for which Sir William Walpole and Unionist managers are fully prepared. The other is a complex and harassing question, which Lord Salisbury, with his characteristic caution, may be inclined to put off to a more convenient season. Dissolution for this reason may not come so quickly as working politicians affect to believe, although Lord Roberts' proclamation and the collapse of the Boer military operations have opened the way for it. The reconstruction of the cabinet is necessary and inevitable, and cannot be deferred many weeks.

SUCCESSOR TO LANDOWNE.

A successor to Lord Landowne will have to be found for the war office, since the reorganization of the military system is accepted by common consent as the first work of the new parliament. The Spectator remarks with emphasis that the war office must be placed in the hands of the ablest and most vigilant administrator in the kingdom. This is a distinct recommendation of Mr. Chamberlain, but no other public man would encounter more resistance from "the Aldershot gentry," which has not yet forgiven him for allowing the war in South Africa to come on a year ago, when it was unprepared for it.

The influence of Mr. Chamberlain has been steadily increasing over the present cabinet, and there has been only one man in it with force of character sufficient to resist that influence. That man is Sir Michael Hicks Beach. He was neither originally nor broadly of mind, but he is a true British bulldog, holding fast and fighting strenuously. If he were not in the cabinet the natural course of events would be Mr. Balfour's transfer to the foreign office, with or without elevation to the peerage, and Mr. Chamberlain's promotion to the leadership of the House of Commons, with the office of chancellor of the exchequer, where he could do great work as a financier. As matters stand, Mr. Chamberlain seems destined for the war office, and Lord Salisbury is likely to remain in the foreign office, unless he can find a more trained diplomatist, like Lord Cromer, to take his place. Lord Salisbury will appeal to the country on the general record of the cabinet and the issues of paramount importance.

When the elections are over the cabinet will be reorganized; Mr. Chamberlain will be transferred to the war office, half a dozen men will be turned down, and as many promising young men, such as Mr. Wyndham and Mr. Brodrick, will be promoted.

PORTUGUESE NEUTRALITY.

The back door leading to Delagoa Bay is virtually closed since the Portuguese officials have been warned from Lisbon that President Kruger must not be allowed to carry on war against the territories recently annexed by Great Britain. He has temporary rights of asylum; but the officials, after welcoming him coolly, are now anxious to speed the parting guest by the first German steamer. The rigorous enforcement of neutrality, now that Kruger is a fugitive, contrasts strongly with the zeal with which the Portuguese territory was used as a Boer base of supplies during the protracted campaign. Neutral traders now perceive that they have lost their market for munitions of war, and are anxious to reopen the railway to Pretoria, and sell supplies to the British army. Their sudden change of attitude is a warning to President Steyn and other Boers still in arms that the entrance by the back door of a political asylum is a privilege not to be abused.

WILL PORTUGAL SELL TO BRITAIN?

The suddenness with which the Portuguese officials, under instruction from

Lisbon, have turned against the Boers, convinces some observers that the purchase of the neutral territory will speedily be effected by the British Government. The conclusion is probably premature. The Portuguese will naturally want to find out what value their East African possessions will have under the new conditions of a united British South Africa. The British Government and Germany have agreed upon a partition of those territories as soon as a purchase can be effected.

Gen. French's occupation of Barberton

has deprived the Boers of another depot of supplies, and thereby reduced them to such convoys and relays as they have between Nelspruit and Katkop, and also at Pilgrims Rest, the refuge beyond Lydenburg not yet captured by Buller.

"VANISHING GUNS."

Lord Roberts' expressions of satisfaction over the capture of rolling stock and large droves of cattle and sheep reveal the magnitude of the difficulties with which he has been contending in feeding his army; but French was as unsuccessful as Buller in capturing "Long Toms," "pom-poms," and the other terrible artillery of which the military experts had so much to say last December. Those vanishing guns are the most mysterious weapons of modern warfare. If Komatipoort is reached without any important capture of Boer artillery, there will be a loud call in England for the detention of the prisoners in Ceylon and St. Helena, until all the guns buried in the two Dutch states are brought to light. President Steyn is believed to have as many as ten at Nelspruit; and both, when he resigned command, had a dozen or more, but this is a largely exaggerated figure at the end of a campaign which opened at Ladysmith, Colenso and Magersfontein with Creusets and Krupps by scores.

HONORS FOR CANADIANS.

The arrangements made for the reception in London of picked representatives of the body of colonial volunteers and their review by the Queen are well calculated to inspire loyalty throughout the empire.

SALISBURY AT WORK.

Another correspondent cables: Lord Salisbury is back at his post. Sir Cliffron Chen Lo Peng Lu, the Chinese minister, had a conference at the foreign office yesterday with Lord Salisbury. The United States, German, French and Russian representatives were also there, yet none of the great London dailies has a word of editorial comment this morning on the subject that is uppermost in the thoughts of the world's diplomatists. It is a striking exemplification of how completely befogged is the public of every European nation with regard to the purpose of their representatives. It is learned, however, that a definite exposition of the diplomatic situation and the aims of the powers may be expected early in the week, together with some inkling as to how it is proposed to attain the objects in view, but at the present the main point of discussion continues to be the question whether the powers shall or shall not evacuate Peking. This, it is asserted, is already provisionally settled.

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As a matter of fact, Dr. Chase's Ointment has come to be considered the standard preparation for itching skin diseases, and has by far the largest sale of any similar remedy. Try it when the feet are chafed, and a sore with walking. Try it when the skin is chafed, inflamed and irritated. Try it for pimples, blackheads, hives, eczema, salt rheum, and every form of itching skin diseases. It cannot fail you.

Mr. M. A. Smith, Brockville, Ont., writes: "I suffered many years with chafing, burning and itching of the skin, and never found anything to do me good, or even give relief, until I used Dr. Chase's Ointment. I would advise all sufferers, and especially bicyclists, to always have it on hand."

This is a copy of the letter from Mrs. James Bradley, Amberley, Huron county, Ontario:

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ried negatively by Great Britain and Germany, who are hopeful of gaining the united adhesion of the powers to a temporary postponement of the scheme.

RUSSIA'S COURSE.

In the opinion of diplomatists the way has been somewhat cleared for the accomplishment of this by recent notes from St. Petersburg explaining that Russia's real intent is wholly different from the meaning deduced from the text of the original proposal as intimating that Russia may compromise. Considerable importance is attached to the fact that Russia recognizes the impossibility of the allied occupying Peking unless the Chinese Government immediately enters, so that there will be no interval without a government. Additional confirmation of this view is found in the fact that Russia has resumed sending forces to China. This is entirely contrary to the expectation of the Russian note and prepares observers for a change of plans after the apparent failure of the policy favored in the original note.

MUSCOVITES MOVE.

Officials in London take little stock in the carping complaints of the Russophobes, though they are fully alive to the possibility of a Muscovite move in some unexpected quarter, and perhaps, also some surprise from Germany. They point out that many allegations of intrigue, founded on the most trivial incidents, and others, like the report that Li Hung Chang is traveling under the protection of Russia alone, have already been disproved. They deprecate the attempts to manufacture international friction from such petty causes.

INSTITUTE OF JOURNALISTS.

The conference of the Institute of Journalists, held in London during the present week under the auspices of the lord mayor, Mr. A. J. Newton, passed a number of remarkable resolutions, the results of which are awaited with a great deal of curiosity. For instance, he decided if the members of the institute are obeyed, editors must refrain from inviting contributions from persons of wealth and position, society stars, etc., because they thus deprive of valuable space those who are engaged in the pursuit of their profession, and have no other means of livelihood. It was also resolved to form a committee, whose duty is to investigate charges against papers manipulating items of news or unduly expanding cablegrams. Another committee was appointed to draw up a scheme for the examination of all persons aspiring to a newspaper career.

MRS. MAYBRICK'S CASE.

Dr. Clark Bell, who sailed for New York from Rotterdam, Sept. 12, said to a representative of the Associated Press before sailing: "I am by no means dissatisfied with the results of my visit in behalf of Mrs. Maybrick, through the home secretary has not yet taken action. The matter is being handled by the home secretary. I have since learned on high authority that Lord Russell kept his promise to Mrs. Maybrick, and in the capacity of lord chief justice prepared a long statement strongly urging her release, and concluded as follows: 'In my opinion, as head of the judiciary of England, Mrs. Maybrick ought to be immediately released.'"

"This letter was shown to Lord Russell (fifth son of the Marquis of Salisbury, and at one time private secretary to his father as secretary of state for foreign affairs), and others before presentation to the home secretary (Sir Matthew White Ridley) and in the opinion of the best informed barristers in England those representations constituted an official act of the chief justice, and the home secretary ought to so regard them."

A GERMAN VIEW.

The Chinese situation is deemed to be highly unsatisfactory and most complicated, though no sensational events are immediately expected, and isolated action on the part of any one power is not anticipated. According to the opinion here, all the interested powers are too firmly convinced of the importance of continued harmony and solidarity to jeopardize them when no necessity calls for it. It is not expected in Berlin that either Russia or France will withdraw their troops hurriedly from Peking, and it is believed the United States will not be in any greater hurry. Information has reached Berlin that Russia, in any event, will keep her troops in Peking, not only in the frontier provinces of Mongolia, Manchuria and Kirin, but also in the interior and the coast districts of Pe Chi Lu.

INSISTS ON PUNISHMENT.

Regarding Germany's attitude, she will in any case insist on severe punishment being inflicted on the treacherous Chinese authorities, to which purpose the confession of Baron von Ketteler's assassin came opportunely. Germany will not accept Gen. Lung Lu as a peace negotiator if he is charged against Lung Lu that he led the attack against the Peking legations are proved. But Germany, through her foreign office, insists on the principle of severe punishment.

AUTOMOBILES IN THE ARMY.

The grand maneuvers of the French army entered their final stage today. At La Beauce, the great wheat plain of France, four army corps are taking part in that mimic warfare. The maneuvers conclude Sept. 20, and a review of 100,000 troops by President Loubet at Chartres. A striking feature of the operations is the introduction, on an extensive scale, of automobiles, in order to secure a practical test of their military utility. The generals' aides-de-camp covered unprecedented distances in a few hours. Gen. Brugere's orderly officer ran 170 kilometers in the morning, making a complete circuit of the two contesting armies, and furnishing Gen. Brugere with details of the situation by noon. The forage and provision auto also doing valuable work for the commissariat. The roads around Chartres simply swarm with automobiles, motor cars and wagons, and work by electricity, petroleum and steam.

4,000 YEARS OLD.

Between Worms and Frankenthal there has been laid bare an immense tomb field with prehistoric remains 4,000 years old. The skeletons show they are those of a tall, strong race. The bodies were all buried in a stooping position.

CHOLERA MORBUS, CRAMPS and kindred complaints annually make their appearance at the same time as the hot weather, green fruits, melons, etc., and many persons are debilitated from eating these tempting fruits, but they need not abstain if they have Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, and take a few drops of it. It cures the cramps and cholera in a remarkable manner, and is sure to check every disturbance of the bowels.

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Tuesday and Wednesday we will sell 120 pairs of Women's Fine Kid Lace and Button Boots, in extension or single soles, new worthy styles, worth regular \$2. Special at \$1.50.

Ladies' Kid Boots, \$1.25

Ladies' Medium Strong Dongola Laced and Button Boots, Sorosis tip, flexible soles, good stylish shapes, all sizes, 2 1/2 to 7, four styles, Tuesday and Wednesday, \$1.25.

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Ladies' Imperial Kid Button Boots, in all sizes, and a few pairs Laced Boots, sizes 2 1/2 to 4 1/2, good shapes, regular price \$1.25 to \$1.50, special \$1.00.

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Extra Bargain in Men's Shoes—A number of broken lots of \$2.00 and \$2.25 Laced Boots, all sizes in the lot. Tuesday and Wednesday for \$1.25.

BEST OF ALL—A pair of J. D. King's or Sovereign \$3.00 Shoes. Don't forget our \$3.00 sellers are uncommonly pretty and comfortable.

Men's Trousers. Months ago we bought the cloth below value; today we have the pants ready to wear—a grand lot of them\$1.50

Boys' and Youths' Hats. About ten dozen in the lot—Splendid Soft Felt Hats, black, navy and brown, crush and fedora shapes, silk bands and binding, regular 60c to \$1.50, for, each12c

Fall Weight Underwear. Men's Wool Mix Shirts and Drawers, soft finish, shaped cuffs and ankles, full sizes, medium light weight for fall wear; special value for Tuesday and Wednesday 60c

Men's Stylish Fall Top Coat, \$10.00

New Fall Top Coats for Men. Men's Light Shade Herringbone Weave Whipcord, full box back, short coat, deep French facings, finest Italian linings, custom tailored and perfect fitting, a \$12.00 seller, our price \$10.00.

The Best Serge Suit, \$9.50

Talk about Serge Suits! Our \$9.50 line last season was a great seller. This season, the same cloth, better trimmings, a number of extras in the make-up, cost us a little more; we sell them at the same old price, \$9.50.

Custom Tailored, \$10.00

Men's Wide or Fine Wales Imported Serge, double-breasted coats, double-breasted vests, specially trimmed and stylishly made, pants any width, positively none better at \$10.00.

Boys' Two-Piece Suits. Boys' Fine Tweed Two-Piece Suits, neat pleated coats and lapel collars, or double-breasted coats, knickerbockers well lined, new gray shades, sizes 22 to 30\$2.50

Child's Vestee Suits. Finest Clay Twill Serge, Braided Sailor Collar and All-Wood Tweed Suits, with wide white lapel collars, neat braiding and new style vestee, new, natty fall shades, sizes 21 to 26\$3.50

Boys' Three-Piece Suits. Boys' Strong Serviceable School Suits, in tweed and serge, dark and medium shades, coats trimmed with strong Italian vests, shades, sizes 27 to 33\$5.00

A DISASTER AT HAMILTON

Two Young Men Killed by a Train.

Nine-Year-Old Boy Mangled by a Street Car at Toronto.

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 17.—Thomas McLellan, aged 18, of 230 Wellington street north, and Charles S. Mumme, of 228 Emerald street north, while driving across the Victoria avenue crossing of the Grand Trunk Railway about 9 o'clock Saturday night, were run down by the Buffalo express from the east and instantly killed. McLellan's body was carried to Stuart street station, packed between the smokestack and headlight of the engine, and Mumme's was removed by the latter's trunk from his boarding house on Emerald street north to Mrs. McLellan's house, where he intended to live in future. The Victoria avenue crossing of the G. T. R. is guarded by gates and a watchman, but the man is off duty at 7 p.m. each evening, and after that hour the gates remain upright until the morning.

Mr. Williamson's horse was killed, and the wagon was smashed into small pieces. McLellan was the only son and principal support of a widowed mother. Mumme was about 21 years of age. He was an employee of the Canadian Screw Company, and a member of the Thirteenth Battalion.

KILLED BY A STREET CAR.

Toronto, Sept. 16.—Alfred Pulfer, a 9-year-old lad, living with his mother, a widow, at 23 Ontario Place, was run over by a Sherbourne street car on Saturday night, and so badly mangled that he died before the ambulance arrived. He had been playing tag with some companions, and ran right in front of a car. No blame is attached to the motorman.

HORSES NOW

In Demand, and a Ready Sale for Almost Any Kind.

[New York Times.]

With all the world fighting or getting ready to fight, the demand for American horses is giving the American dealer a rather pleasant and profitable season. It has been prophesied that if the demand continues the market will be drained in a short time, but American dealers seem to have no fear of that, though just now some of them have to exercise considerable ingenuity to get the material for immediate trading.

Early last week an old Bull's Head market dealer, who generally handles only high-class animals, figured prominently in person and through agents at the horse sale of a city street car line, having substituted electricity for horse power, disposing of its now useless stock. The horses offered were well worn, and their condition was none too good, but the dealer mentioned took all the animals he could get as long as they gave promise of living until he could dispose of them.

"I have a place ready for them," he said, "and it will not take many weeks of rest on grass to freshen them up and get them into shape to put back on the market. I have no fears of not finding buyers. Almost anything in the shape of horseflesh that can stand on four legs will command some sort of price, and this lot is not as bad as appearances would lead one to judge. The only trouble is that these horses have not had proper care, the knowledge that they were soon to be sold having made the men in charge of them rather indifferent. It would

not surprise me if in a few months some of them are fighting as United States cavalry regiments."

Some idea of the demand for horses for military service alone may be gained from the fact that within the two months before Oct. 1 more than 5,000 head will be shipped from the Pacific Coast to the Philippines and China by the United States. These will go in ships from San Francisco, Seattle and Portland. Big shipments of mules will also be made. From New Orleans only a few weeks ago about 3,000 horses bought by the British government for military service in South Africa, were shipped. The same government is also buying mules in large numbers.

Agents of the German government are in America buying horses for the German cavalry, and though the buyers are holding out for a high standard, it is said that 10,000 horses will be bought if animals coming up to the specifications can be obtained. The United States government has horses up to the requirements of the cavalry service so hard to obtain, however, that a recent big shipment of plains ponies was made to the coast.

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Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s.
Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 37s 9d
prime western, in tierces, firm, 36s.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 15 lbs, dull, 4s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, steady
41s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 47s; long
clear middles, light, 30 to 36 lbs, firm, 41s;
long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm
42s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm
43s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s.

A FATEFUL... ...DIAMOND

CHAPTER XLII.
"I shall go straight through this alley to the Rue Castiglione," Louis said to Margaret, as they stepped into the narrow street; "the distance is not great, and we shall not attract attention this way. I can get a carriage for you there, and send you comfortably home."

"Louis, I shall go to the office with you—you may need my testimony, you know."

"I hope that the company will accept my explanation of the affair without adopting any legal proceedings, for I dislike, exceedingly, the thought of dragging you before the public."

Margaret glanced up at him. His face was very pale and wore an anxious expression.

"I shall go with you," she repeated, decidedly, and he made no further objection.

They walked on silently and swiftly, both feeling a desire to get the precious contents of that basket into a place of safety as soon as possible.

They reached the end of the alley, turned the corner to the left, and were at the office door.

The outer door was open, and the young couple entered, and the

Louis hesitated a moment as his hand touched the knob upon the inner door, and Margaret could see that he was greatly agitated.

But it was only for an instant—the next he had entered that familiar room, followed by his faithful betrothed.

There was no one in this outer office. The clerk had evidently just gone out, and for a few moments only, his desk was littered with papers and letters.

Louis passed with a rapid step across the room to the inner place, where the cashier was sitting before his desk, busily engaged in making up some accounts.

He glanced up with an impatient air as Louis entered, as if annoyed at the interruption.

But instantly a look of astonishment spread over his face.

It grew to one of horror, as if he almost believed himself confronted by a disembodied spirit in the matter."

His pen dropped from his nervous fingers, and he staggered weakly to his feet.

"Mon Dieu, Dunbar!" he cried in a hollow voice.

"Yes, it is Dunbar, and not his ghost, as I see you are half-inclined to believe," Louis said, putting down the basket, and holding out his shivering hand to his old comrade.

The man took it mechanically, but still regarded him with a sort of dazed air.

"We—I thought you must be dead," he stammered at last.

"Then you did not believe that I had absconded with the company's money?" Louis questioned.

"Dunbar—if it is indeed you, as I am half-inclined to doubt," began the young man, shaking himself, as if to arouse his benumbed faculties, "I knew you were as true as steel. I never believed for a moment that you played any trick upon us."

"Then others believed it if you did not," quickly returned Louis, with a pained quiver in his voice as he noticed the emphasis upon the pronoun.

"Well," he answered, flushing, "of course, people will believe all sorts of things when a man disappears as you did, and a lot of money with him; but I knew you too well to believe anything of the kind. I was confident that there had been foul play in the matter."

"Thanks. There has been foul play," Louis answered, deeply hurt that the company, or any member of it, should have doubted his integrity.

"Well, I was never more glad to see anyone," said the cashier, heartily shaking the hand he still held. "But, come, tell me how it was—give an account of your adventure—for an adventure I am sure you must have had."

"Ah, pardon," he continued, as he caught sight of Margaret, who had remained in the background.

"Miss Houghton, Monsieur Froque," Louis said, presenting Margaret to him.

They saluted each other in mutual recognition, and then the polite Frenchman sprang to get a chair for the young lady, after which he again turned eagerly to Louis for an explanation of his startling appearance.

"Look that door, pull down the shades. The money must be counted. I must know how much is missing."

He himself strode to the door and locked it, while the excited cashier drew the shades before the windows and the half-glass partitions that separated the inner from the outer offices.

Louis then put his precious burden upon the desk, threw back the lid, and revealed the treasure within.

Monsieur Froque grew white as death as he looked upon it.

"Ah, this is wonderful, wonderful!" he murmured.

"Count," Louis commanded, while he lifted the crisp notes out for himself, and pushed the gold coins toward the cashier.

For a long time there was not a sound heard in that room save the rattling of paper and the musical clink of gold.

People came into the outer room, tried the door leading into the inner office, and finding it locked, wondered what private business was being transacted within. But no attention was paid to them, and they were obliged to wait, or go about other affairs, as they saw fit.

"The bills are all here!" Louis at last said, as he laid the last package down; "The villain evidently did not dare to pass them, fearing their numbers had been taken, and he would thus be detected. How does the coin come out?"

The cashier had not finished his counting, and did not answer; he simply pushed a heap of the gold toward Louis, motioning him to assist him in his work, and another silence of ten or fifteen minutes ensued.

At last it was finished.

"How much is missing?" Louis asked, with dry lips and a husky voice, when Monsieur Froque had footed up the different amounts.

"Less than a thousand francs," he replied, and he hastily returned it to the tin box.

"I will take it myself," said Monsieur Froque, after a moment spent in deep thought.

He put on his overcoat, donned his hat, and taking up the box, left the room.

In the outer office he stopped to confer a moment with the clerk, who had returned soon after Louis entered, and who was as much astonished to learn of his presence as the cashier had been by his sudden appearance; while, judging from the glance of suspicion directed toward the inner office, and the strict watch kept upon its door while M. Froque was away, he had not the utmost confidence in the man who had been so long and strangely absent.

At the same time messages went thrilling along the wires, summoning the directors and other members of the company for an immediate investigation of the matter.

Louis knew very well as soon as the door closed after the cashier, that he was to be held a prisoner in that room until an examination of his statements had been held.

But this did not disturb him; he had expected it, and was as anxious as anyone could be to have the mystery explained, and his own position and his honor re-established.

"How long he is!" Margaret remarked, uneasily, when a half-hour had elapsed and M. Froque did not return.

Yes; it will take some time to deposit the money, for, of course, it will have to be counted again at the bank."

At last there came the sound of many footsteps in the room without.

The door was then thrown open, and M. Froque, accompanied by the other gentlemen, made his appearance.

Louis arose to receive them, and was greeted with profuse expressions of delight over the fact of his safe return and the restoration of the money.

The cashier explained that he had immediately telephoned for the gentlemen upon leaving for the bank, thinking that time would be saved if a number of the directors could hear his story at the same time.

This would have given Louis no uneasiness, neither would he have suspected the motives of M. Froque, if his quick glance had not caught sight of an armed policeman in the outer room as the gentlemen entered. He knew that the cashier had some misgivings still, and had determined to secure his arrest if his story should not prove satisfactory in all points.

[To be Continued.]

China has not yet learned to its full extent the use of the check and the bank of deposit, the money order or the bank draft in her mercantile transactions.

A Girl with GPH

Will "go" until she drops, and think she's doing rather a fine thing. Very often the future shows her that she was laying the foundation for years of unhappiness. When the back aches, when there is irregularity or any other womanly ill, then the first duty a woman owes to herself is to find a cure for her ailments.

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British Preference

[Montreal Herald.]
Q.—What is the effect of the preferential tariff?

A.—It gives to Canadian consumers a reduction in the rate of duties paid on British goods, and leaves Canadian manufacturers a fair protection.

Q.—Are the duties on English goods lower than they were in 1897?

A.—Yes, they are considerably lower, anywhere from one-fourth to one-third.

Q.—How do they compare with the duties before 1878?

A.—They are slightly higher as a rule, but in some cases even lower. This is true, for example, in the case of certain lines of cottons used in large quantities in Canada.

Q.—Are the manufacturers satisfied with the present tariff?

A.—Yes, they are satisfied as the tariff is now, as is shown by the continued activity in their industries, but they would probably object to a further reduction.

Q.—Is there any likelihood of any such reduction?

A.—No, for Mr. Fielding has formally pledged the government to the view that the tariff may well remain much as it is for a considerable time.

Q.—As the tariff stands, therefore, is it satisfactory and advantageous to Canadians?

A.—Yes, both to makers and buyers; and because they are satisfied that Great Britain, Canadians are pleased that there is also an advantage to Great Britain.

Q.—Why does Sir Charles Tupper object to this?

A.—Because he says we are giving Great Britain something of value to her without getting something in return.

Q.—Does he not also say that the preference is of no value to Britain?

A.—Yes, he sometimes makes the two statements in one sentence.

Q.—Does Britain likely to grant a preference for Canadian goods in the British market?

A.—No, there is no reason to believe so; and all her prominent statesmen have at one time or another expressed the idea.

Q.—Who has spoken in this tone?

A.—Lord Rosebery, Lord Salisbury, most of the Liberal leaders, and Mr. Ritchie, president of the Board of Trade in the present cabinet, who said quite recently that a 5 per cent preference is the last thing he would be prepared to advocate.

Q.—Would their views be changed by her enemies that her final undoing is accomplished, for like most of the family Testudinidae a turtle can draw its head into the shell and close its flippers close to its sides, making itself practically impervious to attacks. This is what the turtle does, and, when ready to slough off, he pokes its head with a stick, until it stops the annoyance, the animal extends its head, when it is cut off by a well-directed blow with the flippers or axe.

Some persons claim that there can be found in the turtle portions that taste like and resemble in appearance chicken meat, veal and beefsteak, but the average marooner finds in the turtle only turtle, which both in texture and taste closely resembles beefsteak.

Turtles are still quite numerous on Warsaw, though not nearly so plentiful as they were several years ago, when as many as nine have been turned in one night. Their average size from the comparatively small one of 100 pounds to 500 pounds, and in exceptional cases 600. One caught seven years ago weighed 60 pounds more than the last number, and established a record for large turtles that has since remained unbroken. A few have been caught during the present season, but not very large ones. Only last week one was caught under exceptional conditions. It crawled out on the beach of Cabbage Island during the broad daylight. Its life paid for its temerity, for it was soon seen by a negro fisherman, who forsook his lines for the bigger game, and succeeded in bagging it.

Pilot, Lan' de Boat.

De win' blow soft from de heavenly sho',
Pilot, lan' de boat.
Ouf' de boat carry de loads no mo',
Pilot, lan' de boat.
De han' on deek an' dey all done gwine
To hit de bank wif de long tow line,
Den de ransom' chilian all rise an' sing,
Pilot, lan' de boat.

De roosters stan' in' roun' de long stage plank,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
Soon gwine to lanch 'er to de Zion bank,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
De bright shore crowded wif de angel host,
Come down to de levee to see us lan',
De'll tell us 'howdy' wif a welcome han',
Pilot, lan' de boat.

She's loaded down wif de poo' los' sheep,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
De cent's swif' an' de watch's deep,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
De wheels poun' hard in de river's breast,
De sun gone down in de fiery west,
We's nea' de po' of de sternal rest,
Pilot, lan' de boat.

We's all dead weary, for de trip was long,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
De deek han' singin' de landin' song,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
De toil an' sorrow ob de trip am past,
De boat done powered from de jack-staff mast,
We climb de levee an' we make her fast,
Pilot, lan' de boat.

De steam's shut off an' she's roun' in' to,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
De captain stugin' wif de coal-black crew,
Pilot, lan' de boat.
We hea' de tinkle ob de engine bell,
De waves wash de landin' from de ole swell,
Fa'well, ob riveh, bid ye long fa'well,
Pilot, lan' de boat.

—Denver Evening Post.

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How They Are Captured by Fishermen of the Georgia Coast.

[Savannah Morning News.]
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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 16, 8 p.m.—Stormy weather prevails from Lake Superior to the Maritime Provinces; a gale has generally been experienced, and in the lake region it has been particularly heavy. In the Maritime Provinces also it has been locally severe, attended by excessive rain falls. Heavy frosts were recorded in the Territories and Manitoba last night. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 46-52; Kamloops, 46-58; Calgary, 51-46; Prince Albert, 24-58; Qu'Appelle, 24-54; Winnipeg, 34-54; Port Arthur, 26-44; Parry Sound, 56-64; Toronto, 55-70; Montreal, 52-69; Quebec, 48-58; Halifax, 46-64.

Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday, Sept. 15, were 79 and 44.8 degrees; on Sunday, Sept. 16, 80 and 55.3 degrees. Today (Monday) the sun rose at 5:58, and sets at 6:26. The moon rose at 9:56 a.m., and sets at 3:41 p.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mrs. Wesley Showler, city, is the guest of Hamilton friends.

—Miss Dora Lambert, of Hamilton, is visiting friends in London.

—Miss Nellie Davidson, of Exeter, is visiting her cousin, Miss Emily Braund, city.

—Miss Kingstone, of Montreal, is visiting Miss Edith Treleven, York street.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Hunt, of Newick, are visiting Mrs. Baird, of Pall Mall street.

—Examinations for the Dominion civil service will commence here the second Tuesday in November.

—Mr. H. O. Lindsay, night operator at the Bell Telephone central office, here, is spending his holidays here.

—Students at the Normal School are to be tendered a reception at the Askin Street Methodist Church to-night.

—Miss Ivy Campbell, of this city, has returned from Sarnia, after spending the summer holidays with her cousin, Miss Maggie Corcoran.

—Mr. W. R. Hobbs, city, has been elected a member of the executive committee of the Canadian Wholesale Hardware Association.

—Rev. S. T. Bartlett, of the Western Methodist Church, Napanee, and Mrs. Bartlett, are spending a vacation of a couple of weeks in this city.

—Miss Carrie Gunn, city, who has been appointed to labor among the Chinese women in British Columbia, will be designated in St. Andrew's Church tomorrow evening.

—Miss Iva Peters, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Mayell, Toronto, is in the city, the guest of the Misses Brown, 516 King street, on her way home to Kansas City, Mo.

—Mr. George W. Carver, Canadian representative for Duke & Sons, Kent, England, manufacturer of sporting goods, is at present laying in Victoria Hospital III with typhoid fever.

—Walter Willison, of the Commercial Hotel, Woodstock, assigned Friday to George Vance, Woodstock, the representative of Canning & Co., city. The liabilities are under \$1,000; the assets are unknown.

—Secretary Nellis has returned to his down town office, and is winding up the affairs of the big show. The special committee that was appointed to deal with alleged gamblers returned several hundred dollars, and averted a suit that they threatened to bring upon the association.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Kennedy, Delaware, took place on Friday to Hunt's cemetery, Westminster. Messrs. W. Scott, D. McPherson, J. McFarland, A. Thompson, J. McNichol, Donald Macpherson, were the pallbearers. Rev. Mr. Couzens, of Lambeth, conducted the services.

—Squire Smyth on Saturday fined James H. Hodgins, reeve of London township, \$1 and costs for using insulting language towards Richard Beamish, a township pathmaster. The trouble between Hodgins and Beamish arose over Hodgins digging a hole on the roadside and Beamish asking him to fill it in. The insulting language was used in the presence of a friend of the complainant. Hodgins may appeal.

—Col. Jacobs, chief secretary of the Salvation Army in Canada, arrived in the city on Saturday and conducted special meetings in the citadel. The

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OPPOSITE MARKET SQUARE.

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gatherings were well attended. At the bollens meeting yesterday morning Col. Jacobs spoke on "The Baptism of the Holy Ghost," and in the afternoon he gave an interesting talk on Sampson. While in the city Col. Jacobs was the guest of Major McMillan, the chief officer for the Western Ontario Province.

EX-MAYOR GLASS WRITES FROM PARIS.

Ex-Mayor David Glass, who is traveling around the world, writes The Advertiser from Paris. In a communication received here today he says: "Having seen most of the countries, and now, having examined their best effort here, I say to all young men that Canada, on the whole, offers more advantages than any other part of the world."

AN APPEAL FOR AID

Galveston Typographical Union Asks Sister Unions to Help Sufferers by the Calamity That Has Befallen That City.

Mr. Wm. Hunter, city, financial secretary of the Typographical Union, No. 133, has received the following telegram from the Galveston Typographical Union, asking for aid for the sufferers of the terrible disaster in that city:

"Sept. 15, 1900.

"Houston, Texas.

"Secretary Typographical Union, London:

"Standing within the presence of the most overwhelming calamity in the history of the Western Hemisphere, Galveston Typographical Union, No. 23, sends this appeal to her sister unions for aid to care for the living and to bury the dead. Immediate action absolutely needs to be taken. There can be no exaggeration. Conditions are as indescribable as they are horrifying and hopeless. We are absolutely homeless. Send contributions to chairman of the relief committee, George E. John, chairman; George H. Lantz, president; G. C. Harris, secretary-treasurer; F. M. Walker, G. R. Lowe, J. T. Quigley, Frank Willard, relief committee."

MEMBERSHIP IS ATTRACTIVE

Increasing Popularity of the C. O. K. G.

—The Knights of the Grip Formulate Plans for the Future.

Commandery No. 3, Canadian Order, Knights of the Grip, held the first regular meeting since their very successful picnic, on Saturday night. A majority of the membership were present. A final and satisfactory report of the picnic committee was submitted. The commandery has now a membership of more than 130, with nearly 40 accepted applicants awaiting initiation. Among these are the best commercial men on the road. The success that has so far attended it has been due mostly to the admirable aims of the order, and also to the personal popularity and energy of Sir Knight High Chief W. H. Eecott and Secretary Air Gunther. All the members anticipate a year of increasing prosperity.

The London grip men will have another opportunity of proving their abilities as entertainers in December, when the supreme commandery of C. O. K. G. of Canada will meet here in annual session. A committee will soon be appointed to arrange for either a ball or a banquet on that occasion.

A resolution instructing the secretary to convey to Mr. Geo. Black and the gentlemen who acted as judges at the recent picnic, the thanks of the commandery for their kind assistance on that occasion, was unanimously adopted.

Several new names were balloted for and accepted, and three new members were initiated.

A committee was appointed consisting of Sir Knight W. Blake, C. H. Firth, S. F. Glass and J. A. Connor, to complete arrangements for a smoker and concert to be held in October.

SHIPMENTS OF FRUIT

Over 100,000 Baskets Being Handled

Daily by the Grand Trunk From the Grimsby District—Enormous Output.

For some time past the Grand Trunk has been handling on an average about 55 carloads daily of fruit out of the Grimsby district. Each car contained 3,000 baskets, making a total of 165,000 baskets per day. Assistant Superintendent Egan, of the G. T. R., spent several days in the Grimsby district, and says he never saw anything approaching the yield of fruit to be found in the Grimsby orchards. None of the late Crawford peaches and few of the grapes have reached their appearance yet, and it is expected that the fruit season will last three or four weeks yet.

It is not an uncommon sight to see a Chinese soldier with a fan and an umbrella strapped across his back.

Introduction of the trolley in the French Riviera has resulted in injury to the telephone lines, which are of the ground pattern.

The Canton of Graubunden, in Switzerland, has passed a law prohibiting the operation of automobiles within the limits of the canton.

First Prize Honey

The honey we're selling took first prize at the Western Fair.
Secure some now as it is scarce this year.
COMB HONEY IN SECTIONS.
10-Pound Pails,
5-Pound Pails,
Glass Jars
(all sizes.)

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T. A. Rowat & Co.,

234 Dundas Street. Phone 317.

DIVINE SERVICE

Attended by the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

A Helpful Sermon by Rev. J. G. Stuart
—Good Work of the Order—
Splendid Turnout.

The annual parade to church service which the Ancient Order of United Workmen held yesterday afternoon to the Knox Presbyterian Church, was largely attended by members of the order. It was headed by the 26th Regiment Band, which first marched with the members of electric Lodge from Society Hall, East London, to Albion block, where the members of the various city lodges met, and proceeded to the church. The sermon that was preached by the pastor, Rev. J. G. Stuart, was particularly appropriate, and was listened to with earnest attention by the Workmen. From the text "Pure religion before God and the Father is this, to visit the fatherless and the widow in their affliction, and to keep yourselves unspotted from the world," Mr. Stuart evolved several thoughts concerning the truly religious man. A man should not be an idle talker, but teachable, and while slow to speak he should be swift to hear, and be especially anxious to hear the word. He should be kind to others and slow to wrath, because the righteousness of God was never moved by the wrath of man. Purity and cleanliness also were tests of true religion, and men should be doers and not mere hearers of the word, so that they might be bearers of fruit. A man who did not bridle his tongue and yet thought that he was religious, was deceived for "out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh."

The positive side of religion was that which moved a man and affected his own life and character. A vast amount of good was being done in the world by such societies as that of the Workmen, and in America, where two million members belonged to them, the enormous sum of \$3,000,000 had been given for the assistance of widows and the fatherless. In lands where Christ was not known and honored, such institutions were rare. A vast work was being done to relieve the weak and the needy. In the early days the church did this, but now a better way was being done in teaching the truth to men and lives to himself, nor dies to himself. During the past year the order of the Workmen had been doing an effective work. The membership in Ontario alone now 40,000, and half a million dollars had been expended in the exemplification of the truth.

While speaking in praise of the order, but being done by the order, Mr. Stuart impressed upon his hearers the knowledge that this work was not to be considered truly religious, and members should not permit themselves to look upon their society as their religion. The clean life, where a man, clean in lip and life, helped his fellow-men, was what God wanted, and all were urged to be steadfast in faith, to be strong and noble and pure men.

PASSENGER TRAFFIC

On the G. T. R. During Fair Week—
Brought Over 18,000 People to the City—Decrease of 1,200 Over 1899.

Following is the official return of the passenger traffic on Grand Trunk Railway during the Western Fair, and also the traffic for 1899, showing that there was a decrease of 1,200 people:

	1899.	1900.
Saturday	911	1,037
Sunday	49	87
Monday	1,068	1,308
Tuesday	5,522	5,723
Wednesday	3,314	4,701
Thursday	6,430	6,581
Friday	559	736
Totals	15,133	19,333

The C. P. R., M. E. R., and L. E. and D. R. R. also brought large crowds to the city, but the G. T. R. traffic was decidedly the heaviest.

A Chinese drink is made of lamb's flesh, bruised with rice, and fermented.

TRAINED NURSE.

Remarks About Nourishing Food.

"A physician's wife, Mrs. (Dr.) London, gave me a packet of Grape-Nuts about a year ago, with the remark that she was sure I would find the food very beneficial, both for my own use and for my patients. I was particularly attracted to the food, as at that time the weather was very hot and I appreciated the fact that the Grape-Nuts required no cooking."

"The food was deliciously crisp, and most inviting to the appetite. After making use of it twice a day for three or four weeks, I discovered that it was a most wonderful invigorator. I used to suffer greatly from exhaustion, headaches and depression of spirits. My work had been very trying at times, and indigestion had set in."

"Now I am always well and ready for any amount of work, have an abundance of active energy and cheerfulness and mental poise. I have proved to my entire satisfaction that this change has been brought about by Grape-Nut Food."

"The fact that it is predigested is a very desirable feature. I have had many remarkable results in feeding Grape-Nuts to my patients, and I cannot speak too highly of the food. My friends constantly comment on the change in my appearance. I have gained nine pounds since beginning the use of this food." Eleanor Miller, Trained Medical and Surgical Nurse, 515 Jeff street, Bay City, Mich.

OLD TIME HOUSES....

How similar is the ancient looking house to an out of date suit. And why not, since the clothing is the house of the body? People are often judged by the appearance of their residence, as also are men often judged by the garments they wear. Those careful dressers who will be satisfied only with the most tasty and fashionable clothing are the people who deal with us. They are used to the newest and best lines, and they get these every time at this store. The styles, patterns and shades are strictly up to date.

They bear this mark --"Fit Reform"--of high degree.

FIT-REFORM WARDROBE

ROBERT M. BURNS, 180 Dundas Street, London.

SOUVENIR

A NEW STEEL RANGE.

"No Japan to Burn Off" Here are some points of interest in the new

steel range—it's as beautiful a bit of kitchen furniture as you'd want to put there—and it's right-down-to-the-minute in improvements—economical—durable—burns coal, wood or natural gas—large fire-box for coal or wood—brick-lined for hard coal—cast-iron lined for soft coal—has a duplex grate—double draft—large flues—ventilated oven—aluminum oven door and rack which guarantees brightness and cleanliness—the body of the stove is handsomely polished steel and Russia iron finished—and there's no "Japan" to burn off—asbestos linings to help retain the heat—an even baker and perfect cooker—Everything in its construction is the best—it has three sizes of oven—14x20, 16x20 and 18x20 inches—a stove for particular people, and every one guaranteed—a better range for much less money than an imported range. Sold everywhere, and one will last a lifetime.

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POLITICAL POINTS

Two Conservatives in the Field for Kent.

Arch. Campbell, M.P., Nominated for West York—The Conservative Leader's Home.

Hamilton Times: "Personally," says

Hugh John Macdonald, "you know I am no prohibitionist." As if the assurance were necessary!

Kent Conservatives have nominated

Mayor Smith, of Chatham, for the Commons, but Capt. Patterson announced at the convention that he would run as an independent Conservative.

WEST YORK LIBERALS.

The Liberals of West York have fought many battles with discouraging results, but with true courage and courage in the face of the battle of Liberalism and good government with undiminished ardor. Steadily they gained ground, and as a reward, at the late provincial election they had the satisfaction of returning a Liberal to represent the riding. Now they will endeavor to send a representative from West York to support Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Government for the next five years at Ottawa, and have unanimously chosen Mr. Arch. Campbell, M.P., for Kent.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER'S TOUR.

Port Hope, Sept. 15.—Sir Charles Tupper and his companions on tour left Belleville this morning in Mr. Harry Corby's splendid yacht, Skylark, and had a picturesque sail to Brighton, en route to Cobourg. Landing at the Brighton wharf, they were driven to the railway station, where an impromptu demonstration took place and an address of welcome was read to Sir Charles Tupper and Messrs. Macdonald, Foster and Whitney. In the presence of a couple of hundred spectators. The aged baronet, in reply, termed the government an incapable and corrupt administration, and predicted that they would be driven from power at the coming elections. He asked the electors to again return for East Northumberland Mr. Edward Cochrane, who had rendered great service to the Conservative party. There were calls for "Foster" and "Hugh John," but as the latter is figuring as next in importance to Sir Charles during the tour he responded to the call first. He alluded to his father's early connection with Picton, and said the people of East Northumberland had been among Sir John's warmest supporters. He arraigned the government on a charge of breaking faith with the people, and said they would be turned out for this conduct when the proper time came. Mr. Foster followed, and ridiculed Liberal claims to having made the country prosperous. He compared the government to Nebuchadnezzar, the Babylonian king, who, after having reigned for 70 years, was driven from power by a famine. He said the people of East Northumberland had been among Sir John's warmest supporters. He arraigned the government on a charge of breaking faith with the people, and said they would be turned out for this conduct when the proper time came. Mr. Foster followed, and ridiculed Liberal claims to having made the country prosperous. 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