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ROOSEVELT ELECTED BY BIG MAJORITY; REPUBLICANS CARRY DOUBTFUL STATES; ONLY "SOLID SOUTH" FOR DEMOCRATS

**Balloting Will Probably Give
325 Electoral Votes to
the President.****Giant Pluralities Piled Up in
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New York State.**

New York, Nov. 9.—President Roosevelt probably will have 325 electoral votes as the result of yesterday's balloting. Late unofficial returns give a basis for this estimate, which, however, may be increased by eighteen votes from Missouri, when the returns from that state have been completed, or on the other hand, may be decreased by 7 votes when the count is completed in West Virginia.

Both sides claim a victory in Missouri, where the Republican state committee believe they have elected Walbridge for governor by 2,000, and to have carried the state for Roosevelt. In West Virginia the returns have come in very slowly, but a Republican majority is indicated.

The returns from Missouri, Maryland and West Virginia are awaited with great interest. The first-named is claimed by both sides, although it is generally conceded that it will be generally given to the Democrats. The Republican state committee, however, asserts that its figures indicate the election of Walbridge by more than 2,000, and claims the state for Roosevelt by 20,000.

General belief at Wheeling is that Roosevelt carried West Virginia by more than 10,000, but the returns are extremely meager. These so far received show only slight Republican losses. It is thought probable that the Legislature will be Republican in both branches. This body will elect a United States senator to succeed Senator M. D. Scott.

Returns from Minnesota indicate the election of the Democratic candidate for governor, Johnson, who ran especially well in the Scandinavian counties. His success, however, had no effect on the national ticket, which went to Roosevelt by at least 10,000. Some of the Republican newspapers still claim that the state was not lost to their candidate, Dunn.

In Wisconsin, where the Republican national ticket went through by a heavy majority, it is thought that the Legislature will be so divided between the Republican factions that a deadlock may occur over the choice of a successor to Senator Quarles.

Complete figures are lacking from Iowa, but those at hand indicate the success of the entire Republican state ticket.

While Colorado probably gave Roosevelt 10,000 plurality, the result as to the state ticket is in doubt. Scratched ballots were cast to the number of 40,000, and the counting was very slow.

On the Pacific coast Republican success was general. In California, where Roosevelt's majority will be at least 50,000, the next Legislature will be Republican by a large majority. It will select a successor to Senator Bard.

Returns from Nebraska are incomplete as to the state ticket and the election of Berg is claimed by the Democratic state committee.

A feature of the returns from Missouri is the probable defeat of C. O. Howard, chairman of the Democratic congressional committee.

Indications are that the next House of Representatives will be heavily Republican. Dispatches so far received show that 292 Congressmen have been elected by the Republicans, against 138 by the Democrats. Of the 45 remaining districts 25 are represented by Republicans and 13 by Democrats.

A tabulated statement of the indicated results is as follows:

State	Electoral vote	Plurality
Alabama	9	10,000
Arkansas	7	10,000
California	21	50,000
Connecticut	7	10,000
Delaware	3	10,000
Florida	9	10,000
Georgia	12	10,000
Idaho	3	10,000
Illinois	27	10,000
Indiana	13	10,000
Iowa	12	10,000
Kansas	10	10,000
Maine	7	10,000
Maryland	10	10,000
Massachusetts	11	10,000
Michigan	13	10,000
Minnesota	13	10,000
Montana	3	10,000
New Jersey	12	10,000
New York	33	10,000
New Hampshire	3	10,000
Nevada	3	10,000
North Carolina	12	10,000
North Dakota	3	10,000
Ohio	21	10,000
Oregon	6	10,000
Rhode Island	4	10,000
South Carolina	9	10,000
South Dakota	3	10,000
Tennessee	9	10,000
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South Carolina 9 25,000
Tennessee 9 25,000
Texas 10 10,000
Virginia 12 25,000
Total electoral votes 151

The Latest Returns.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—Dispatches to the Associated Press up to 11:30 a.m. show that the Republicans have elected 233 congressmen and the Democrats 141. Of the other twelve districts six are now represented by Republicans and six by Democrats.

Back to the Plow.
Esopus, N. Y., Nov. 9.—An hour after Judge Parker, the defeated Democratic presidential candidate, rose today he was out on his farm seeing that the plowing was properly done. Later he went for a horseback ride.

West Virginia Republicans.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 9.—It is admitted by Democratic headquarters that Roosevelt has carried West Virginia by a majority upwards of 10,000, but it is claimed that Cornwell, Democratic candidate for governor, has been elected. The Republican state committee claims the election of the state ticket. The committee claims that Roosevelt has carried the state by 25,000 or 30,000.

Folk's Majority.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 9.—The Times (Independent) says: The indications point more strongly to the probability that Roosevelt and Fairbanks have carried Missouri, and that the plurality of Joseph W. Folk (Democratic) for governor over Cyrus P. Wal-

bridge (Republican) will be something like 20,000.

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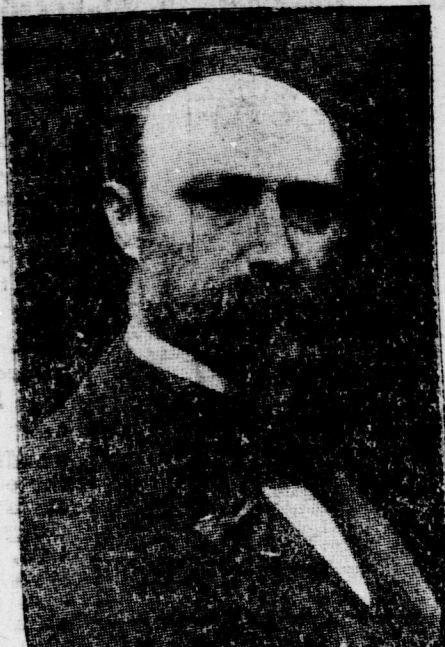
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Postponement Decided Upon at a Meeting of Provincial Cabinet.

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Of the seats that are vacant, the first one became so early in the month of September, so that the writ for the first bye-election need not be issued until December—three months after the seat became vacant. Accordingly the necessity of choosing between bye-elections and general elections has been postponed.

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A CHALLENGE FOR BALFOUR

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The Chancellor of the Exchequer, in a letter to the West Indian committee, refuses to consider the proposal to have a French-Canadian in the Senate. For this position, Lord Dufferin, and, of Montreal, would be an excellent choice.

The Daily Graphic says that Canada has no present desire for reciprocity with the United States. Her eyes are turned to the motherland, with whom she is desiring closer relations, but economic forces are stubborn things. If we persistently refuse to organize a colonial empire the component parts must eventually be absorbed by another commercial system.

The opposition to the Anglo-French agreement about Newfoundland, chiefly from Fecamp and other ports interested in the fishery. Ministerialists say there is no doubt of the satisfactory nature of the guarantees of French fishermen's rights. The reason of the opposition is that the repeal of the salt act is not stipulated in this agreement, indicating the refusal of St. Pierre shipowners to dispense with the French Government's subsidy.

Sir Edward Grey at Coventry challenged Mr. Balfour to answer yes or no to Mr. Chamberlain's policy, which was a real proof to the Empire.

MANY JUNKS GET INTO PORT ARTHUR

One in Three Succeeded in Eluding the Japanese.

ARE OPERATED BY AMERICANS

Last Vessel to Make Harbor Nearly Sunk—Business Is Proving Very Lucrative.

London, Tuesday, Nov. 8.—The Che 300 correspondent of the Express says that despite the Japanese precautions Chinese junk boats are still making their way into Port Arthur. The latest junk to arrive got into the port on Nov. 1, while a bombardment was in progress. A shell exploded within a few feet of her as she was passing Tiger's Tail. The junk was laden with supplies brought from an American agent by the Russian consul at Tien Tsin. More than six firms are making vast fortunes by running the blockade. On the average the Japanese sink one of three of the blockade runners, but the prices obtained by the other two more than cover the loss of one vessel.

Three American firms have agents at Che Foo, who are doing a big business with the Russian consul. One San Francisco firm will send a junk to the competition after losing four junks successively. The others continue to accept commissions, but they have nearly doubled their prices since Nov. 1, owing to the continuous Japanese attack and the smaller chances of success. The Japanese have extended their patrol routes, but the blockade runners are still able to make their way into the harbor for nine months, and their effectiveness is thus lessened. The Chinese find it comparatively easy to slip past the blockading vessels at night.

ELEVATORS IN LINERS

New Boat To Be Five Storeys High and of Large Dimensions.

New York, Nov. 8.—The Hamburg-American line have announced novelties in the construction of their new monster ships, the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, and the America, building respectively at the Vulcan works at Stettin and the yards of Harland & Wolff, Belfast.

Each of the liners will have a grill room of the proportions of a modern restaurant, and passengers may dine when they please and may arrange luncheon and dinner parties for friends whom they may meet on board. There will be no upper berths in the first cabin staterooms, which will be larger than those of the average big liner, some having the unusual dimension of 10 ft. by 12 ft.

There will be passenger elevators running through all the five storeys, or decks, where there are passenger accommodations. Turkish baths and a large gymnasium. There is no appreciable difference between the two ships except the length, beam and depth. The Kaiserin is the larger, being 705 feet long, of 77 feet beam, 52 feet 9 inches deep, and displacing about 10,000 tons, with a cargo capacity of 16,000 tons. She will carry 600 first cabin, 300 second cabin, 250 third class, and 2,350 steerage passengers.

Each ship will have three promenade decks, one of which will be reserved exclusively for promenading, while the others will be used for folks who want to take their evening strolls. The time of the ships between this port and Plymouth or Cherbourg will be, it is expected, about seven days and a half. The America will be in commission next August, and the Kaiserin in the spring of 1906.

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Toronto Presbytery.

Toronto, Nov. 8.—At the meeting of the Toronto Presbytery this morning, Rev. D. M. Ramsey, D. of Ottawa, was recommended for the chair of Old Testament Exegesis in Montreal College, and Rev. Gilbert Wilson, of Winnipeg, to the chair of History and Apologetics. The call Rev. Wylie Clark, of Brampton, to Quebec was sustained. The salary \$1,200 and a manse. Rev. W. M. Mackay, of Norval, was re-elected moderator of the church at Milton. Acting without precedent, the congregation gave the moderator himself a call. The matter was this morning referred to the presbytery, who appointed Rev. E. C. Turf, of Norval, moderator. It is likely that Rev. Mr. Mackay will accept the call.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Nov. 8.—At Belle Isle—Bavarian, from Montreal.
At New York—Bremen, from Bremen.
At Liverpool—Dominion, from Montreal.
At Antwerp—Kronland, from New York.
At London—Messala, from New York.

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AMBITION OF HARRIMAN

Making Efforts to Control All Transcontinental Lines.

New York, Nov. 8.—E. H. Harriman is said to have an ambition to control all transcontinental railroad lines with the exception of the Canadian Pacific, and his efforts in that direction may lead to some great railroad wars. The steps already taken by Mr. Harriman are outlined as follows:

The purchase of the Oregon Short Line and Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, giving Union Pacific a grip on the Oregon route.

The purchase of the Southern Pacific, carrying with it control of the Central Pacific.

The purchase and control of the Northern Pacific, causing the panic of May 9, 1901.

The purchase of a big block of Atchafalaya, giving Mr. Harriman an important place in the administration of this system.

The purchase of a half-interest in the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Pacific, giving Mr. Harriman a voice in six out of seven coast routes in American territory.

Mr. Harriman is still fighting in the courts for his tenure of Northern Pacific. One American railroad, the Great Northern, and one Canadian, the Canadian Pacific, have the ambition of Mr. Harriman. Both are beyond the power of his control, but J. J. Hill is on record as saying that Mr. Harriman is in control of the Northern Pacific could also own Great Northern at a price.

This ambition is being bitterly fought by all the railway potentates of the West—Hill, Gould and the Rock Island party—and also one of the reasons for the half dozen lines already projected west from Denver.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

First Day's Doings of Annual Gathering at Bowmanville.

Bowmanville, Ont., Nov. 8.—One hundred and fifty members of the Ontario Woman's Christian Temperance Union are in attendance at the 25th annual convention which opened a four-day meeting here today. Mrs. S. E. McKee, of Barrie, is president, and is ably supported by Mrs. M. R. Thornley, vice-president, London; Mrs. S. R. Wright, London, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. E. S. Acheson, Goderich, recording secretary. Billings has been done on the Harvard building and every department is comfortable. Today's sessions have been the augury of a splendid convention.

After touring the superlatives of the various departments gave their reports. At the morning session, among other things, Mrs. Thornley, described the schools of method, and Mrs. A. S. Gordon, Ottawa, spoke on the evangelistic work of the union.

At the afternoon session, Mrs. W. J. Joffe, Hamilton, led a conference on anti-narcotics, and Mrs. S. R. Wright, London, made her own corresponding secretary.

Mrs. A. L. Britton, Gamaquage, St. Catharines, gave the report of the chief work of the union. The work was carried on among railroad men.

Byron Smith, of Hamilton, spoke of the flower and fruit industry among sick and old people. Mrs. Catha B. Bigelow, Cornwall, read a paper on Alcoholic Medication. J. L. Lockie, of Huntsville, traveler among lumber camps, followed with a short address on his work. At the evening session Mr. (Rev.) T. W. Joffe, gave the address of welcome from the local union, and representatives of the town presented the town's welcome. Addresses were also given by Miss Wiggins, provincial organizer, and Miss Dunhill, organizer for British India.

REAL AXE IN THE PLAY

Miss Kennard Fells Frederick Paulding in Rehearsal of "Gismonda."

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 8.—Frederick Paulding, star of the New York Stock Company, was badly injured last night through some one else's carelessness. The accident occurred while he was rehearsing the play "Gismonda," in which he is to play the part of the king.

Miss Jane Kennard, of the change, as a result, in rehearsal where Miss Kennard is to play the part of the queen.

The name is moved to his Zacharias with an axe there was a real knockdown.

Paulding took the part of Zacharias, and as it was the final rehearsal, much life was thrown into the parts by the actors. Miss Kennard, who has been picked up by the innocent-looking actress, and made a vicious swing at Zacharias, who, as a good actor, bent his neck for the blow. Miss Kennard gave a frightened yell as she felt the weight of the axe, but too late. She felled Paulding like an ox, and it took the company and two doctors several hours to bring him around.

FILIPINO WAS WITH HER

Audience Hisses White Girl and Her Escort From a Theater.

St. Louis, Nov. 9.—The appearance of a Filipino soldier, accompanied by a white girl, in the balcony of the Grand Opera House, during an entire act of "The Girl from Dixie," caused a demonstration against the couple on Sunday night, and their final retirement from the place. The white girl, a soldier and his fair companion, were making their way to their seats when one began to hiss. This was followed by cries of "Shame!" and "Put them out!"

The Malay-American pair kept straight on to their seats. The young woman blushed violently. An attendant of the house hurried down the aisle, leaned over the Filipino and whispered that the audience was opposed to Filipino gallants associating with American girls, and that the decision of the audience in such matters was final.

The Filipino and the young woman arose and departed, running a gauntlet of hissing from the time they started up the aisle until they disappeared at the rear of the house.

DYSPEPSIA.

Medical science doesn't seem to be able to cure it. One professor says one thing about it, another professor says another thing, and all the time people keep on suffering terribly. Now what's the use of wasting words in arguing the matter? Why don't you get some of the Tablets and try them? Take one after each meal. Plenty of people have cured themselves in this way, and it ought to be proof enough that it will cure you, too. It is an unusual medicine and does unusual things. It's a doctor for ten cents; 200 sent for \$1.00. One gives relief.

Two After It.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 8.—W. F. Nickle and J. H. Metcalfe are after the Conservative nomination for the Ontario House. Nickle can have it, but may run as an independent. Mr. Pense, M. P., likely will be the Liberal standard-bearer.

The Soo Trials.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Nov. 8.—On account of the difficulty of getting judges to sit on the adjourned bribery cases, no definite date can be set for the trial now. Justice Osler is of the opinion that it will require two judges to try the case. These probably will be Chancellor Boyd and Justice Tetzels, who heard the election protest in September. The trial likely will be resumed in the fore part of December.

LONG SEARCH FOR A LOST BROTHER

Quest of Lady Semon Ends at the Tomb.

CANADIAN CITIES WERE VISITED

Brother's Grave Located in a Philadelphia Cemetery—Will Erect Handsome Mausoleum.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—After searching for many years for her brother and sister, Lady Semon, wife of Sir Felix Semon, who is a physician to King Edward, left here for New York, having, it is said, accomplished her mission, so far as it was possible.

With her husband she will sail this week for London after making provision for the erection of a handsome mausoleum over the body of her brother, who she discovered is lying in a grave in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Lady Semon came to this city in September in search of her brother and sister, from whom she was separated in Germany 25 years ago. She was then Fraulein Reider, the eldest of three children. Her brother, Adolph, left home when a young man, came to America, for a while he maintained a correspondence with his sister, but eventually they lost track of him. Later Lady Semon's sister, married, and she is now grown to young womanhood.

Longing for bigger fields, he left his native village and went to London, where his meteoric rise and subsequent accession to knighthood is a matter of history.

His wife had always grieved for her brother and sister, and her unhappiness was such that her husband decided to forsake his practice for a few months to aid his wife in finding her relatives.

They reached Philadelphia after many wanderings and found that Adolph Reider was dead. His widow and son, however, were living at No. 2613 Columbia avenue.

Adolph Reider was buried in Laurel Hill Cemetery, and his sister immediately determined to erect a suitable monument over his grave. Before providing for this, however, she decided to search for her sister.

For more than a month Lady Semon and her husband have been traveling through Canada, stopping at points of prominence and making inquiries, but unavailingly, and the search was finally abandoned.

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London, Nov. 8.—The C. P. R. and the Dominion Steamship Company have decided to run jointly between Bristol and Canada only sufficient steamers to give an arrival in three weeks. The Western Daily Press, in commenting, says it is a serious change to reduce the service from a time-table of weekly arrival to one of three weeks only. It is to be hoped the last word has not been said on the subject.

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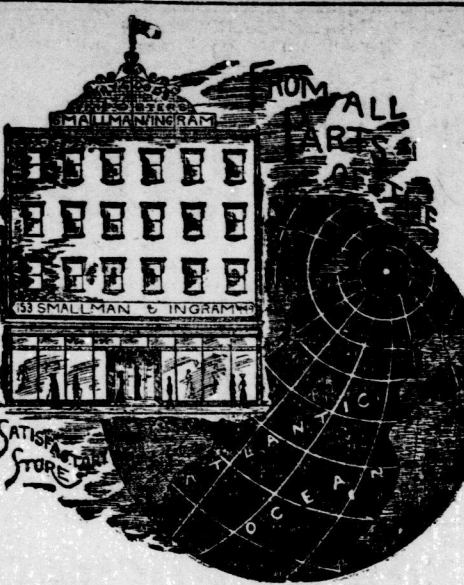
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A Republican Landslide.

The only surprise in the presidential election was the completeness of the Republican victory. No one doubted Roosevelt's re-election, but few expected that he would sweep the country as did McKinley four years ago. Nowhere has Parker run as well as Bryan in 1900, not even in the eastern states, where Parker's candidature was relied upon to bring conservative Democrats back to the fold. In the west, Nevada, Montana, Idaho and Colorado, which were carried by Bryan, have gone Republican. Democratic hopes were high in New York State, but Roosevelt's plurality exceeds McKinley's in 1900 by 41,500. Even in New York City, with Tammany in power, Parker's plurality was only 40,000, being 100,000 short of the estimate. The Democrats retain an unshaken hold on the solid south.

A change of Government is not easily brought about in a season of prosperity. The United States is enjoying comparatively good times. Some trades, notably the cotton trade, are not in a healthy condition, and the wheels of industry are not moving as rapidly as two or three years ago, but the serious depression is localized and not general. A succession of good crops has helped to tide over the reaction from the boom, and the high price of raw cotton, while prejudicial to the spinning industry, has been a boon to the Southern States.

In this election the Democratic party posed as the party of conservatism. The candidate identified himself absolutely with the gold standard; he preached the virtues of economy; he declared for a reduction of military expenditure and for a grant of independence to the Philippines. He was far from repudiating the tariff question, promising nothing more than a reduction of the duties on trust-made products. He appealed to the conservative sentiment of the nation as a champion of "constitutionalism," against personal rule. The President was charged with magnifying his office, usurping the functions of Congress and over-riding the provisions of the constitution. He was held up to reproach as the embodiment of militarism, absolutism, imperialism and other tendencies alien to the spirit and traditions of the republic. Judge Parker took positive ground against the policy of over-seas expansion, holding that the founders and the constitution of the United States never contemplated the arbitrary rule of a subject people, and that the Philippine policy of the administration violated the foundation principle of the republic, that "all governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed." The Republicans, unable to meet this logic, replied with an effective tu quoque by pointing to the disfranchisement of the negroes by the Democrats of the Southern States.

The Democratic party appears for the moment to be completely shattered. In shedding the silver heresy it has lost the group of Western Silver States which Bryan was able to hold, and it has not been compensated in the Eastern and Middle States. The Bryanites will derive a melancholy satisfaction from the result, which they will claim as a vindication of their leader. The truce between the two wings of the party has been only a truce, and the rout of the Gold Democrats will inspire the Bryanites to a fresh effort to capture the machine. The revival of Bryanism would complete the disruption of the party. A great body of Democrats went over to the Republicans eight years ago on the money question, and the majority of them have stayed there. If the ghost of free silver walks again, there will be another accession of sober-minded Democrats, and the party may virtually disappear and give place to a new one, which will gather up all the revolution, any elements in the republic. It would have been better for the country had the Republican victory been less pronounced, as substantial gains by the Democrats would have effectively laid the free silver specter and strengthened the conservative forces within the Democratic party. As it is, the result has played into the hands of Bryan and the ultra-radicals.

Personality is a great power in a democracy, and the Republicans had the advantage over their opponents in this respect. Roosevelt's virile and aggressive qualities appealed to the imagination of the people. Judge Parker was unknown to the masses, and it was not till within a week of the election that he took the stump and gave the campaign its first thrill by leveling a serious charge against the President. This was known as the Cortelyou scandal. George B. Cortelyou, the manager of the Republican campaign, was previously head of the Department of Commerce and Labor, one of his duties being to scrutinize the affairs of the great financial and industrial corporations. He had access to their books and accounts, and the information thus acquired would be of service to him in collecting campaign funds. The President was accused of giving him control of these qualifications, the inference being that Cortelyou blackmailed the trusts and corporations in the interests of the party. The President made a heated denial, calling the charge "unqualifiedly and atrociously false." Judge Parker, in reply, challenged him to deny that the trusts had contributed to the Republican funds, and declared that he had instructed the Democratic managers to accept no money from such sources. This issue was raised too late in the day to be thoroughly canvassed or to influence the country.

While the anti-trust feeling is a force to be reckoned with by the politicians, the American people appear to have faith in the integrity of the President, and to credit him with a sincere desire to curb the lawlessness of the combines. They have not yet learned that the tariff is the best weapon for the purpose.

Canada's interest in the election was not substantial. Even had the Democrats won, the Republicans, through their control of the Senate could have blocked tariff legislation during the next four years. It is probable, however, that the Republican party will make commercial overtures to this country. These will be considered solely from the standpoint of Canadian interests.

Mr. Stratton Eulogized.

The Provincial Secretary last night gave a dinner to the superintendents of the public institutions under his charge and the officials of his department. The function is generally interpreted as a sign of Mr. Stratton's retirement from office before long, though he made no announcement. The Premier pronounced a eulogy on the Provincial Secretary, which will be heartily concurred in by all who have knowledge of the manner in which he has administered his department. "No minister of the Government," said Mr. Ross, "has discharged his duties with greater faithfulness, zeal and personal self-sacrifice than had Mr. Stratton. Those who minimized his capacity and usefulness would regret their want of appreciation of his splendid work for the Province."

These are words to which no persons will subscribe more sincerely than the officials of the public institutions, who are in a position to estimate the Provincial Secretary at his own true worth. They know that he has taken a keen personal interest in the duties of his office, and that he could not be more zealous than he is for the efficient management of these institutions, and the welfare of the inmates. The vigilance, energy and sympathy of the Provincial Secretary have meant a great deal to this branch of the public service. In the administration of the liquor license department, Mr. Stratton has made an enviable record also. In five years he has likewise increased the revenue from the issue of company charters from \$17,000 to \$120,000, by a rearrangement of fees. No blemish can be found upon his official record, and as the Premier pointed out, there has been not a single scandal in connection with the management of the institutions of the Province for 30 years. The Province will lose a great administrator if Mr. Stratton withdraws, and his successor, whoever he may be, will have a high standard to maintain.

Judge Parker and Mr. R. L. Borden ought to have a fellow-feeling.

The defense of Port Arthur has been heroic, but heroism is becoming folly.

If the Ontario Government is undecided what to do it isn't for the lack of advice.

This is not a good year for Oppositions. Mr. Whitney should take warning.

One of the drawbacks of having an M. P. P. in the mayor's chair is that the mayor in transacting municipal business cannot forget that he is an M. P. P. and needs votes.

The Whitneyites are decidedly fidgety over the prospect of a general election. They have been longing to get at the Ross Government—so they have said. Now they feel their courage oozing.

The story of the dispute between two business firms, and the city council's part in it, published in last night's paper, should make people think. It is one of the results of political manipulation of municipal affairs.

If a general election can be postponed till the holidays are over the Provincial Government ought to do it. But as the bye-elections must be brought on unless the House dissolves, it is hard to see how a December election can be avoided. If an appeal to the country is to be made.

Prices of Art Treasures.

[Pittsburg Dispatch.]
 Mr. Morgan having returned the celebrated "stolen cope" to the Italian Government, inquiry has again become general as to how the prices are fixed upon these things. A hundred years ago the manuscript of Milton's "Paradise Lost" was worth about \$100. Today it is priceless, and Mr. Morgan, the present owner, is said to have paid a quarter of a million for it. There are pieces of tapestry, the possession of rich New Yorkers for which they have paid \$100 a square inch. Millet's "The Angels" is said to be worth \$150,000, and there are hundreds of pieces of canvas scattered over Europe and America worth quite as much. When a Stradivarius violin is sold at public auction in London for a great sum as \$3,500 the fact is deemed worthy to be beamed to the ends of the earth. A railroad is sold for a billion or a corner lot in Manhattan for the revenues of a principality and nothing is said. These baubles, though of great price, are common enough. But a Straud! In all the world there are scarcely a dozen of these precious old fiddles, and all the cunning of modern invention cannot add to their number. It would be \$25,000 instead of \$3,500 if fiddling were as profitable as trainwrecking or trust busting or if fiddles appealed to the eccentric fancy of the very rich.

Seniority in Parliament.

[Exchange.]
 The seniority of the Conservative members-elect who have sat in three Parliaments or more is as follows: Haggart, Sproule, Taylor, Cochran, Thadde, Wilson, Lariviere, Henderson, Ingram, Reid, Hughes, Bennett, Maclean.
 The seniority of the Liberals from Ontario who have sat in three Parliaments or more is: Paterson, Sutherland, Mulock, Campbell.

A Dead Issue.

[Hamilton Times.]
 Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, has a majority of 1,700. Hon. Sydney Fisher's majority is 868. These are the two ministers on whom Dundonald and those who support him as a catspaw made a dead set. The Ottawa Citizen led in that warfare, and the Ottawa heeler sought to present Dundonald as a martyr and to glorify him for partisan purposes. In Ottawa the two Liberal candidates were elected by majorities of 1,471 and 1,328 respectively. Dundonald as an election issue is dead.

Reprieve.

[Puck.]
 "Pa, what is a reprieve?"
 "Oh, merely an insult with its dress-suit on, my son."

Easily Satisfied.

[Detroit Free Press.]
 Hostess—What part of the chicken will you have, Mr. Jones?
 Willie—Either half, I'm not particular.

The Difference.

[Town Topics.]
 Crawford—I heard you talking to your wife. Did you have a row?
 Crabshaw—No. When there's a row she does all the talking.

Still Sore.

[Hamilton Spectator.]
 When it is found possible to elect a Grit member in Hamilton, it is high time that the evangelists Crossley and Hunter were coming this way.

Sternuous King Edward.

[From the London Telegraph.]
 His Majesty the King takes all the roles which involve upon him in his capacity as monarch seriously and earnestly. On the one hand he has achieved more in the interests of concert and good will among neighboring countries than it has fallen to the lot of many sovereigns even to attempt. His title of peacemaker is no outcome of court flattery, but a respectful and affectionate tribute of his subjects' admiration. The King, however, knows full well the wisdom of the old adage, "If you wish for peace, be prepared for war." Like his ever-lamented predecessor, who in her will expressed her wish to be buried as a soldier's daughter, the King has always taken the keenest interest in the army, not only as one of our twin branches of defense, but as a corporate body, the welfare of whose members is a matter of deep concern to him. Within the last few days he has paid visits to the two scientific corps—the gunners and sappers—both of which claim him proudly as their colonel-in-chief.

Politics in Municipal Affairs.

[Toronto Telegram.]
 The Hamilton Spectator and Ottawa Citizen are always busy telling the Toronto Tories to go in and run their municipal affairs on party lines. The Hamilton Tories and Ottawa Tories have acted upon the theories of a "yellow dog partisanship," which assumes that municipal politics is politics and not business. Hamilton and Ottawa Tories have tired themselves dabbling in civic politics, so that their remaining energies did not suffice to carry these cities for the party.

Toronto Tories have kept their hands off civic affairs and consequently were not so vigorous for the fight that carried the whole city.

Civic government on party lines is a curse to every city which it afflicts and an injury to the city which trades on party means and issues which have no meaning in the science and business of civic government.

A Frivolous Comment.

[Washington Star.]
 "He is going to lead the Russian army to make a name for himself."
 "What is the use?" said the young man with a monocle. "No one can pronounce a Russian name after it's made."

STOESSEL SAYS THERE'S NO HOPE

Learns From a Correspondent of a Reverse to General Kuropatkin.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—Edward Emerson, Jr., Daily News correspondent, cables his paper as follows:

"Nagasaki, Nov. 7.—After having arrived, along with a companion, at the lighthouse on the Liaotshien Promontory, close to Port Arthur, the boat in which we had sailed from the Moatou Islands was captured by a small Russian torpedo boat attached to the battleship Peresviet and towed to that vessel, which lies two miles outside the harbor.

"The Peresviet is as badly battered by Japanese shells as the Czarevitch. Both ships and crew were in a filthy condition. From the Peresviet we were taken to Admiral Wren, who was on board the Bayan outside of the Tiger's Tail. The Bayan was also badly damaged and dirty.

"Admiral Wren asked news of the Baltic fleet, and learning that it was then still at Revel, expressed his despair. Altogether there are 15 fighting ships in the harbor. None of these has been dismantled. The sailors are kept on board, and only the small machine guns have been sent ashore. There is plenty of coal, but ammunition is scarce. In the distance, 10 miles off, go's blockaders. The Japanese fleet has been doing little bombardment of late. In the naval prison behind Golden Hill there are 23 Japanese.

"From the flagship I was escorted to the harbor-master, who was found in a bomb-proof cellar under the Admiralty building, equipped with telephone, telegraph and electric mine connections. We were then escorted to Gen. Stoessel's house. All along the road to these general's house, the ravages of the incessant bombardment. The Japanese guns fire at 10-minute intervals. The Russians reply every 15 minutes. One battery of 10 guns is placed a few rods from the general's house. Ninety per cent of the Japanese shells do no damage. Most of the shells are coolies, the weekly average being 30. The city is remarkably tranquil, and the street traffic goes on smoothly. The shops are open all day. Two restaurants are running. Meals cost two roubles (\$1). There is no fresh food except horse flesh. Ten horses are slaughtered daily. One hundred horses were all that remained when I left. There is plenty of canned stuff and large supplies of rice, wheat and bean cake. There is no

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lack of vodka. A single egg costs 30 kopecks (15 cents). "Since the Japanese captured the reservoir there is nothing to be had but cistern water. Typhoid is prevalent. Nobody, apparently, minds the bombardment. Children play in the street. Coolies work under guard. Carriages and carts are driven about. I observed an officer teaching a woman to ride a bicycle while the bombs passed overhead.

"The general learned from me for the first time of Kuropatkin's defeat. He was not inclined to credit the story until I convinced him by some Chefoo newspapers I showed him. He perfectly understood him to know that Kuropatkin is at Mukden. He believed him to be advancing southward. He said in Russian: 'There is no help then but to die or go to the Matsuyama Prison.' He asked that Kuropatkin's reverses be concealed from the garrison, which still believes that Kuropatkin is attacking Gen. Nod's rear.

"Gen. Stoessel praises the bravery and kindness of the Japanese, who take great care of the Russian wounded. He feels proud of fighting such a foe. At luncheon I was presented to Mme. Stoessel and her daughter. Seven persons sat down to luncheon. The menu was a frugal meal in the Russian style, with vodka, wine and tea. I praised the beefsteak. It was horse flesh. Mme. Stoessel laughed. She liked horse flesh.

"During the luncheon a bomb burst outside, the whole house was shaken and the upper windows shattered. The conversation, however, continued without interruption. Mme. Stoessel quickly ordered her servant to mend the windows with paper. In the afternoon we visited the army and navy clubs. Everybody was very gay."

Burned to Death.

Houston, Texas, Nov. 8.—The Silerton Hotel in the Sour Lake oil field was destroyed by fire today and four people burned to death. The dead are C. S. Lewis, of Spindletop; Lee Hamilton, of Spindletop; and Jack Smith and wife, of New Haven. The hotel was filled with guests. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Dowie's Personal Attendant.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—Freeman Hilton Hachell, ordained a deacon in Dowie's Church last week, will leave in a few days for South Africa, where he will reign over Zion jungs as the "second personal attendant of John Alexander."

Dowie, ever observant of values of material things, tells his people in his publication that the South African lands are partly covered with valuable forests and that gold is found in the alluvial deposits, in valuable quartz reefs.

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A gentleman asked three applicants for the job as his coachman how near each could drive to the edge of a precipice without going over.

"Within a foot," said the first.
 "About six inches," said the second.
 "If it's all the same to you, sir," said the third, "I'd keep just as far away from that edge as possible." That's the man who got the job.

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Great sale of Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs at prices that are astonishingly low.

At 12½c—One hundred dozen beautiful patterns worth 20c and 25c.
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Don't miss this Handkerchief Sale. Christmas is coming and you'll need them—so save money while you may.

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"CHAUNCEY OLCOTT."

Chauncey Olcott comes to the Grand tomorrow night in a new and handsome production of one of his most successful plays, which on its original production in New York ran for nearly five months to crowded houses. It is called "A Romance of Athlone." The scene is laid in Ireland, time 1800, which gives opportunity for handsome costumes and a number of interesting characters. Mr. Olcott in this play has one of the strongest acting parts in his career.

THE WAY OF THE TRANSPIRENT

"The Way of the Transpiresent," which comes to the Grand Friday and Saturday, matinee and night, tells a good story and tells it well. It teaches a moral by forcible example, not by dog-

matism. Last night the entire bill gave the greatest satisfaction. The wonderful gymnastic performance of the Wood brothers, and the famous gymnasts were rewarded with hearty applause. The illustrated songs are also excellent this week, and taken all in all, the management is providing splendid amusement at a very small cost. The value will be repeated every night this week, and two matinees—Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

A REMARKABLE SUIT

Note for \$85,000 Turned Out To Be a Forgery.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 9.—The remarkable suit for the collection of an \$84,500 judgment note against William Nesbitt, which it was alleged was found in a Bible, reached a sensational climax when the attorneys for the holders of the note, and the court agreed to find that the note was a forgery.

The action thus ended was the effort of Mr. Nesbitt, who is worth \$100,000, or \$120,000, to prove that the note was a forgery, and all last week handwriting experts, bankers and others had been giving testimony upholding his contention.

The note was dated March 13, 1893, and was made by George P. Richards of Plymouth. Four days from that date Richards was struck by a train and killed, and when his wife and children settled up his estate they were surprised to find that it amounted to far less than they expected.

They searched in vain for some negotiable papers, and finally reached the conclusion that they had greatly overestimated the value of the estate. Three years ago the widow, Mrs. Alice P. Richards, declared that she found the note in the old family Bible, where Richards had evidently hidden it.

The fact that Richards and Nesbitt had been associated in business matters for many years and had had numerous dealings convinced Mrs. Richards, she says, that the note was genuine and she went to Mr. Nesbitt to collect it. To her intense surprise, Mr. Nesbitt refused to pay, and declared he had never given such a note. Action for its collection was met by Nesbitt's counter-action which ended today.

Mrs. Richards' attorneys, when court opened this morning, stated that certain information had come to them since court closed on Saturday which convinced them that their honorable course was to withdraw with the case. They had told Mrs. Richards this, and suggested that she employ other counsel, but she declined. Nesbitt's attorneys asked Judge Ferris thereupon to find that the disputed note is a forgery and he agreed to do so.

MRS. PAGET'S FINANCES

Drew From Her Capital and Now the Trustee's Object

London, Nov. 9.—Mrs. Arthur Paget, daughter of the late Baroness Paget, New York, defendant in a suit brought by the trustees under her father's will, was heard before Justice Farwell today. The action was taken respecting the sum of \$60,000, which the trustees said had been taken from the capital and not from the income. It was stated that the trustees wanted to deduct this sum from Mrs. Paget's income, saying she had had the benefit of it.

Mrs. Paget and her husband, Gen. Paget, contested the right of the trustees to reduce the income. One bone of contention was the sum of \$35,000, which one of her late trustees kept in a safe in the shape of securities and said at the action of the trustees appointed since the transaction took place. He pointed out it was a serious matter for a lady with an income of \$75,000 a year to have that sum suddenly and considerably reduced.

The judge pointed a way out of the difficulty by suggesting the taking out of a life policy to cover the amount involved, but it was pointed out by the counsel that there was a difficulty in the way of that, as Mrs. Paget, except by met with a serious accident.

Ultimately, however, the suggestion was accepted by all parties concerned, the matter being allowed to stand over to be brought before the court again at a later date.

MISS ANGLIN AS A STAR

She is Enthusiastically Welcomed in "The Eternal Feminine."

New Haven, Nov. 9.—A large and enthusiastic audience greeted Miss Margaret Anglin at her debut as a star in the Hyperion Theater. They were not disappointed in their expectations, as the play, "The Eternal Feminine," a comedy approved abroad, had an excellent vehicle. It is interwoven with romance and admits of spectacular effects which enhance the performance.

Prof. Horatio W. Parker, of Yale, furnished the incidental music, which was thoroughly in harmony with the play. After many curtain calls Miss Anglin made a pretty speech on behalf of herself and her excellent company, which was supported by Robert Dronet as Lysander, Mrs. E. A. Berle, Miss Maud Granger and a number of other well-known players.

The heirs of a Frenchman named Thierly, who died in Venice in 1676, claimed that Napoleon was paid a sum of \$2,000,000 belonging to their ancestor, and have unsuccessfully sued the French Government for its return.

To get rid of a bore, ask him to repeat his longest favorite story twice. Ever, he cannot stand that.

ROOSEVELT ELECTED BY BIG MAJORITY

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happy and prosperous to the American people."

Parker Admits Defeat.

Esopus, N. Y., Nov. 8.—Judge Parker conceded the election of President Roosevelt at 8:30 a.m. when he received a bulletin that the Democratic national headquarters had already admitted that victory. He appeared to be not at all downcast by the result.

It is known that he greatly deplored his overwhelming defeat in his own state. He received the discouraging news in his study, where he sat smoking with two of his neighbors.

When asked if he had any statement to make he pulled a telegram from his pocket and read it. It was as follows: "The President, Washington, D. C.—The people by their votes have patriotically approved your administration, and I congratulate you. (Signed), Alton B. Parker."

At 10 p.m. Judge Parker received a telegram from President Roosevelt as follows: "I thank you for your congratulations."

Judge Parker retired at 11:40 o'clock, declining to make any statement before that indicated by his telegram to President Roosevelt.

At White House.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Surrounded by his family and a company of personal friends, President Roosevelt, in a confidential mood, received the first information of a definite character was received by the President at his home.

The nature of the assurances that he had carried New York, his home state, by a plurality so large as to be really astounding. Bulletin from the newspapers of New York city were received conveying the welcome news. While the President declined to make any statement before that indicated by his telegram to President Roosevelt.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Theodore Roosevelt's plurality in this, his native state, is second only to McKinley's in 1896. The late returns show that there were cast for him in New York about 185,000 votes. Not only was his vote heavy in the country districts, where the Republican stronghold is, but in Greater New York, where the Democratic majority ran much closer to Judge Parker than had been expected even by the campaign managers. The vote was estimated that he would come down to approximately 85,000. In the city districts, where the Republican majority was estimated to be 140,000 to 160,000 more than Roosevelt, but in this city they were disappointed by more than 10,000.

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deal with the known. We know what has been the actual policy of the United States under Republican administration, while we cannot be sure that the election of a Democratic president in whose party are some influential persons doubtful, friendly to this country. The world at large, we venture to think, will share a certain sense of satisfaction at the performance of a man, to which it is accustomed, and which have produced an eminently sane and pacific policy.

THE HAPPENINGS IN ST. MARYS

David Currie's Narrow Escape From Death—October Vital Statistics.

St. Marys, Nov. 8.—Dr. J. H. and Mrs. Mathews left on Monday on a two weeks' visit to the Western States. They will spend the greater portion of the time in Kansas City, Mo.

Mr. Robert Gibson left on Monday for the University of Toronto, where he is in the interest of the firm of G. Carter, Son & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaren returned last week from their visit to relatives in Manitoba.

Frank Sparling, Toronto, who was up on a flying visit to his mother, Mrs. S. Sparling, Jones street, last week, has returned home.

County Constable T. B. McCarthy, of Strathroy, was a visitor here on Friday. He is a well-known real estate agent, "Water street south, has bought himself a motor bicycle from a Toronto firm. It is the first motor bicycle owned in town.

David Currie, who is working at the placing of the new heating apparatus in the basement of the town hall, late last Wednesday afternoon attached an old electric wire to one of the lamp wires, so as to see better at his work.

He was called to him by a man who had a narrow escape from being electrocuted. He had warned a boy helper that he should call to him by a man who had a narrow escape from being electrocuted.

Mr. Currie, unfortunately took the wrong wire, and instantly he was fast. He jumped at once on to a board, so that the current would not form a circuit, and pulled and jerked to loosen himself, but it was of no avail. He shouted for help, and the boy got to the scene in a few minutes. Mr. Currie fell helpless to the cement floor of the furnace room, but soon revived. One minute longer delay, and he would have been electrocuted.

Two of his fingers were badly burned where the bare wire touched them. It was in the same furnace room, and by a similar live wire, that the electrician, who was on as night constable, was electrocuted.

The vital statistics of St. Marys for October were: Births, 1; marriages, 9; deaths, 3. Causes of death: Jaundice 1, pneumonia 1, bronchitis 1, meningitis 1, arterio-sclerosis 1.

Mr. Charles Miller, fourth line, Township of Elmhurst, has sold his 100-acre farm to Mr. Alex. Ross, of the Mitchell road, Blenheim.

Miss Nellie Riddell, of Prospect Hill, who spent a week with her aunt, Mrs. R. Riddell, Wellington street south, has returned home.

TO CHALLENGE DUMONT

Inventor and Owner of "California Arrow" Seek Air Ship Race.

St. Louis, Nov. 9.—An international airship race is planned by Capt. T. S. Baldwin, inventor, and E. J. Carpenter, owner of the California Arrow, who have decided to challenge Santos-Dumont to meet them in a series of airship races at any time and place Dumont may dictate.

A small rent in the inner bag of the balloon of the French airship, which was discovered, prevented the flight arranged by M. Hippolyte Francois. The purpose of the flight, however, and M. Francois announced that he would probably fly later. A high wind prevented ascensions of the Baldwin and Bonbow airship.

The Bavarian railway has just completed an American palace railway carriage from material imported for the purpose two years ago from the Pullman factories in Pullman, Ill. This is the first railway car of the kind to be introduced into Germany.

Children's Laxative.

There's nothing else just as good as Menthol Worm Remover for constipated children. It keeps the bowels more freely and regularly—cures all disorders of the stomach—prevents diarrhoea—helps babies through teething.

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Times on U. S. Elections.

London, Nov. 9.—The Times editorially discussing the result of the American election says: "This election is different from its many predecessors in the fact that the issue of the contest was not the question of the relations of Great Britain and the United States. Girding at England was completely absent from the proceedings of both sides, just as many other things were absent which usually afford material for orators, but we may perhaps apply the reasoning, which probably insured Mr. Roosevelt's re-election, and consider we have now to



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Stylish Dress Goods Away Down Low in Price.

Come Thursday for Your Fall and Winter Supplies.

Commencing Thursday morning we will sell a lot of our nicest Dress Goods—goods that have a reputation—at very special prices. To bring more people out we will include in this Sale two lines of Silks, which at our special prices cannot be duplicated anywhere. Silks are in demand now for Fancy Work, Waists, Cushion Covers, etc., for Christmas. Don't permit anything to keep you away from such bargains as these.

\$1.00 Yard—20 pieces of new and stylish Dress Goods for winter wear, all new and fancy weaves, in armure canvas, basket, fancy mixed novelty cloths and Ripley's Pique-finished velvets—guaranteed not to spot or shrink and will retain fine finish. Wide widths, all beautiful goods. Splendid assortment of all leading colors. Very special for Thursday, at only per yard **\$1.00**

75c Yard—20 pieces New Dress Goods, for Stylish Tailored Suits—all the newest weaves in velvets, canvas cloths, fancy basket chevrons and tweed effects—all wool and specially wide widths. Colors, browns, greens, light and dark navy, black, and a good assortment of tweed novelty effects. All marked at very special price for Thursday's selling. Per yard, only **75c**

SILKS 25c YARD.
200 yards Japanese Silks of good quality, fine finish, all colors and shades to choose from, special for fancy work. Thursday we sell these specials at only per yard **25c**

LADIES' GLOVES 25c
10 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, silk lined, two domes, sizes 6 to 8. Very special on Thursday, at per pair **25c**

12 dozen Ladies' Gray Homespun and Ringwood Gloves, in white, cardinal, black, and assorted fancy colors. Special at, per pair, only **25c**

LADIES' WARM KNIT UNDERWEAR.
15 dozen Ladies' Vests and Drawers, vest trimmed, and drawers length. Special for ladies who cannot wear all-wool. Per garment **25c**

12 dozen Ladies' Vests and Drawers, vests fancy trimmed, and drawers ankle length. Under quality, all sizes. On sale Thursday **50c**

30 only, Ladies' Vests of Fine English Natural Wool, half sleeves, all sizes. Worth \$1.00 each. For Thursday's special, to clear at only **60c**

Ladies' Natural Wool Vests and Drawers, all sizes. Special Thursday at **\$1.00**

Take Advantage of Specially Low Prices on Flannellets and Men's and Boys' Underwear. See our Mantles, Ready-to-Wear Skirts and Millinery

GRAY & PARKER, 150 Dundas and Carling.

TIPS WENT TO HOTEL

London Waiter Enters Successful Suit for His Share.

London, Nov. 8.—A waiter in a London hotel entered suit for £38, which he claimed as his share of the pooled tips, and which the hotel authorities had taken for themselves. He was engaged at 5s a week in the cloak-room.

During the eighteen months he was at the hotel he said he received an average of £2 10s to £2 10s a week as his remuneration, including his wages of £3 a week. His hours were from 10:30 one morning until about 1:30 the next.

When the division came he found, to his dismay, that the management had deducted £13 a week from the total cloak-room tips. He was told this was for "uniform money," and the "benevolent fund."

McCulloch computed that all the time he was in the cloak-room £380 was received. He now claimed his tenth share of this on the ground that when he was engaged he was not informed of the system of deductions.

The manager explained the propriety of the interest in the tips. They were pooled, so that those who did not come into contact with guests should receive an equitable share. Under the pooling system tips were shared by the engine-room, the linen room and the kitchen staffs.

The odd £1 a week was held as an insurance against losses in the cloak-room. When pressed as to cloak-room losses he could only recollect one case in which a gentleman had lost his overcoat. Then the attendant responsible had to pay half the loss. The judge, in summing up the case, said it would be interesting to the public to know that when they gave a tip to a waiter the money did not go into the pocket of the attendant himself.

Everybody Reads It.

"Four-Track News" for November. Read article on Land of Evangeline. For sale at all newsdealers.

GREAT THINGS FROM LITTLE CAUSES GROW. It takes very little to derange the stomach. The cause may be slight, but the result is serious. Constipation, anxiety, worry or some other simple cause. But if precautions be not taken, the simple cause may have more serious consequences. Many a chronically debilitated constitution today owes its destruction to simple causes not dealt with in time. Keep the digestive apparatus in health, and all will be well. Parmenter's Vegetable Pills are better than any other for the purpose.

A novel scheme to induce birds to stay with us all winter instead of going south is suggested by a well-known ornithologist. He thinks that if they were a general building of birdhouses, suitably arranged, they would be used as places of shelter.

Let Nature Cure You of Biliousness.

"Fruit-a-tives" cure Liver troubles just as nature intended them to be cured—with fruit. "Fruit-a-tives" are the tonic, laxative, curative principles of fruit—rendered many times more effective by the secret process of combining them—and compressed into tablets. When you take "Fruit-a-tives" you get all the medicinal properties of fruit in their most effective form.

FRUITATIVES, Limited, OTTAWA.

ASK FOR Labatt's INDIA PALE ALE (LONDON)

The barley and hops used are the finest that money can secure. It is a prime favorite.

10 MEDALS—12 DIPLOMAS.

Children's Laxative.

There's nothing else just as good as Menthol Worm Remover for constipated children. It keeps the bowels more freely and regularly—cures all disorders of the stomach—prevents diarrhoea—helps babies through teething.

25c a box, at druggists.

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LATEST MARKETS

LOCAL MARKET.
London, Wednesday, Nov. 9.
Business was fairly active at the mar-
ket this morning.
Hay was the principal offering, and the
market was good for the 31 loads on ex-
change; most of them sold at \$8 per ton;
a few choice loads went at \$8.25 and
\$8.50 per ton.
About 8 tons of oats were offered, and
sales were made at slightly higher prices
than last week, at \$1.10 to \$1.15 per bushel.
A few dressed hogs sold at \$7.25 per
cwt.

WEEKLY REVIEW.
There were no new features at the
markets held here during the past six
days. About the usual classes of pro-
duce were on sale, and prices were
fairly steady for most of the lines offered. For
renewed vigor and activity there was a sub-
stantial increase over the prices paid in
the previous week, as the supply
was hardly sufficient to meet the demand.
Prices are higher, at \$3.10 to \$3.20 per
bushel. Wheat sales at \$1.10 per bushel. Barley, 90c
to 92c per cwt; very little offered.
Hay and straw: The delivery of hay
during the week was large; sales were
at \$8 per ton for most of the of-
ferings, a few choice loads sold at \$8.25
per ton. Straw is exceedingly scarce;
here have only been a couple of loads
offered during the week; prices are high-
er, at \$5.50 per ton.
Butter and Eggs: The demand for the
choice grades of butter is brisk; prices
are at 17c to 18c for crocks and 18c to
19c for choice pound rolls. The cold weather
is responsible for the light supply
of fresh-laid eggs; prices are higher;
sales are made at 21c to 22c per dozen
choice.

Fruit: Apples are dull, at 90c to \$1.25
per barrel, the latter for choice; for the
larger size to 40c most frequently paid,
fruits being 30c to 50c per bushel basket.
Pears are dull, at 60c to 70c per bushel.
Nuts are in good demand, at \$3.25
and \$3.50 per bushel.
Potatoes: Sales are brisk; prices are
steady; if the weather gets at all cold
prices are likely to advance. The supply
was large on Saturday, and prices were
a shade easier; at Tuesday's market
there were only a few loads offered, and
consequently prices were firm; sales are
made mostly at 6c by the load or 7c for
five to ten loads.
Dressed Hogs: There have not been so
many offered, and prices as a result went
higher, at \$7.25 to \$7.50 per cwt for light
hogs.
Live Hogs: About \$4.00 per cwt will be
the figure for next Monday's shipment;
prospects are for lower prices; small
hogs are dull, at 40c to 50c per cwt.
Honey: The market is quiet, at 9c to
10c per lb for strained and 12c to 15c
for comb.

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STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becher, stock broker, Bank of
Commerce Building, received the follow-
ing by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier
& Carrington today:
New York, Nov. 9.—Although at the
opening there was very heavy liquidation,
and the market was somewhat depressed,
while it gradually became evident that
the buying power was so great that it
would not only absorb the stock offered,
but it was so eager to bring about a
higher level of prices in almost the
entire list. The coal stocks, notably
Reading, were in large blocks, and
there seemed to be excellent buying of
the steel stocks, and also of the Pacific
Commission business, and larger than
last week for the time being, and seem-
ing to be almost entirely on the buying side.
Some falling off in the volume is looked
for this afternoon, but a purchase on all
available terms is a purchase on all
available reactions. Sales to noon 11,
22,200.

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Common soaps destroy the clothes and render the hands liable to eczema.

SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE

Sweet as a Rose.

When the myrrh first exudes from the tree it is of a yellowish, whitish, but very consistency that gradually hardens and assumes a reddish, semi-transparent color. It is used principally as one of the components of incense.

Farm land in England ranges in price from \$60 to \$120 an acre. The Great Britain's annual estimates for next year are just double those of the United States.

After an absence of 150 years sharks have again made their appearance in the Baltic.

The gum used in Catholic and many Episcopal churches for incense burning comes from Uganda, Africa.

The announcement is made in London that chocolate made in Europe contain a large percentage of proof spirits.

British India has the swiftest river in the world. It is the Suddie, which, in 180 miles, has a descent of 12,000 feet.

The papyrus plant is nearly extinct in Egypt, and the only place where it is now to be found in abundance is along the Anapo River in Sicily.

There is a society in England which has as one of its chief objects to strip the modern stage of its elaborate scenery and to return to the days when the play was the thing, and not its setting.

The Erie Railroad has adopted a hospital car, which is equipped to render medical aid whenever needed along the road at a moment's notice. A doctor and attendants are constantly in charge.

Yorkshire, England, is always able, even in unfavorable years, to export large quantities of potatoes and to sell them at a profit in the United States, notwithstanding the duty of 25 cents a bushel.

The oldest specimens of glass are traced back from 1,500 to 2,300 years before Christ. These are of Egyptian origin. Transparent glass is believed to have been first used about seven hundred and fifty years before the Christian era.

Berlin has in a reading room a gravestone which stands, large and massive, in one corner. It was not put up in the house, but the house was built around the stone. Its original position was in the burial grounds in the churchyard of St. Hedwig.

A firm in the north of England has compared the measurements for clothing made two generations ago with those of today, the results going to show that chest and hip measurements are now three inches on the average more than they were 40 years ago.

The Association of German Tool Manufacturers has urged the Imperial Government to prevent inroads of American manufactures upon their special branches.

The most lofty lakes are found among the Himalaya Mountains in Tibet. According to some authorities, Lake Manasarovar, one of the sacred lakes of Tibet, is between 19,000 and 20,000 feet above the level of the sea, and it is so it is undoubtedly the loftiest in the world.

An English watchmaker has just finished making a tiny watch in the form of a silver chain. Its dial is two-fifths of an inch in diameter, and it is to be worn with two other studs.

By turning the upper stud you wind the watch, while by turning the lower one the hands are adjusted.

A street in Manchester has been named "Togo," after the African. Thieving has become so prevalent in Stanford University that President Jordan has issued an appeal to the whole student body to assist him in running down the criminals.

When the oil in a big tank in Fresno County, Cal., was fired by lightning a cannon ball was sent into the tank and the oil ran on through trenches that had been dug for the purpose.

Door knockers are to come into vogue again. Bedroom doors are to be equipped with them.

More than five-eighths of the area of Vienna is covered by woods, vineyards, parks and gardens.

The first piece of genuine mechanism the modern world saw, a clock, was the invention of a Moor.

The Japanese word of parting is not "So long" or "See you later," but "Sayonara" or "It must be so."

A hybrid fowl, the offspring of a wild English pheasant cock and a guinea hen, recently died on a farm near Palatine, N. J.

An Austrian physician, Dr. P. Mueller, has made experiments which demonstrate that swimming is harder work than mountain climbing.

The cleanest town in the United States is said to be Shakerstown, Ky., inhabited by Shakers. It has a large hotel, but no business. Its only "public writer" is left in Paris.

In former years one could be found every few blocks. Her business is to write letters for hire. Very high offers have been received in Serbia from England for the bedroom furniture of the late King Alexander. Queen Natalie, however, has ordered it all to be burned.

A Pennsylvania fisherman has discovered that bullfrogs act as sentries to fish, and that it is useless to try to fish through them. He has found traces of them on the stone and bronze age. Herr Reiser, a German dentist, infers that there were dentists in prehistoric times.

When the originator of the genuine eau de cologne died, aged 80, he gave his secret to his nephews and nephews. Only 10 persons have seen the recipe, which is kept in a box treasured locked.

The Texas militia has been recently

equipped with an acetylene apparatus for the purpose of transmitting messages. This is a greatly improved heliograph system, and is said to be in use by the Japanese in the present campaign with great success.

Budapest has lost one of its best-known cranks, a man who always went barefoot and bareheaded. His favorite occupation was to offer medical advice to famous persons who were ill. This being rejected he wrote long diatribes against human folly and printed them.

The largest orchard in the world is in Missouri. It is the great Winans orchard, near Marshfield, in Webster County. There are 86,000 apple trees, 10,000 peach trees and 10,000 pear trees. The acreage covered is 1,240. It is estimated that the orchard is now worth \$400,000. There are today in the county 1,000,000 bearing trees.

The great field of crystallized salt at Salton, Col., in the middle of the Colorado desert, is 254 feet below the level of the sea and is more than 1,000 acres in extent. Its surface is as white as snow, and, when the sun is shining, its brilliance is too dazzling for the eye. The field is constantly supplied by the many salt springs in the adjacent foot hills.

When a recent storm struck the house of J. N. Scott, of Webb City, Mo., he was not at home. When he arrived at what should have been his home next morning he found that his new two-room house had entirely disappeared, and not a trace of it was visible anywhere in the vicinity.

His shaven mug and brush, which were in the house at the time of the storm, were found in a tree two miles away. The floral clock at the eastern corner of the Allan Ramsay statue in Princess Street Gardens, Edinburgh, is again proving very attractive. The clock itself has a diameter of about twelve feet—the hour numerals being clearly picked out in Golden Feather and Echeveria—and it has last year the arrangement admitted only of the "hour" hand being used, the "minute" hand has been added this year. The clock work is lodged in the base of the monument.

Minnesota has 10,000 Indian mounds. There are 5,000 irrigated farms in Oregon.

Oysters abound in the Inland Sea of Japan. Monaco is Europe's most densely populated country. A looking glass trust has been organized in Belgium.

Gunnery practice at Newport has frightened away the fish. Clocks have been put in the train cars in Cracow, Poland.

African savages take kindly to American patent medicines.

(To be Continued.)

SHE WANTS \$250,000

Willing to Get Out of Family's Way If That Sum Is Paid to Her.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 8.—For the sum of \$250,000 the Thaw family of Pittsburg can have Harry Thaw back. This is the price fixed by Evelyn Nesbit, according to a report which came direct to the Thaw circle from New York today. No specification as to the way in which Miss Nesbit will clear herself of the young man has been furnished, but it is intimated that she will find the way.

Additional evidence that she and Harry Thaw were married in Paris has been received by the Thaws here within the past three or four days. One of the best detectives in America was sent by his way to Europe before young Thaw and the former model reached New York. He went to work with a Scotland Yard man on the case, for the family did not believe the half-hearted response which Harry had sent in reply to an imperative demand to know if the stories from Paris about his midnight wedding were true.

The messenger has been heard from. That Thaw was married to Miss Nesbit is now believed almost everywhere within the Thaw circle of friends. Now comes the word from New York by personal messengers that certain time will consent to get out of the family's way for the sum of \$250,000. She will go at once to Europe and young Thaw, at the expense of the family, will remain in the possession of the family.

Miss Nesbit, according to her intimate friends, has taken the ground that she is worth probably one-fourth as much as the Earl of Yarborough. That \$1,000,000 was paid to the Earl before he became a duke, the Thaw family has been discussed ever since the wedding of Alice Thaw. Miss Nesbit is said here to be of the decided opinion that a family that will pay \$1,000,000 to get one person in the family can pay \$250,000 to get another out of the family.

FOOD FOR DEAD TWIN

Strange Little Boy Refuses to Sleep in a Single Bed.

New York, Nov. 8.—Abnormal development of the brain is believed to account for the peculiar behavior of Howard Winham, 4 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Winham, of No. 121 Brook avenue, almost since his birth. Howard was born a twin, and his brother lived only three days. His parents declared that it was the death of his twin brother, because of his strange actions at the time. He is said to have cried and wept for several days.

As he grew older the boy acted as if he thought his dead brother was still alive. Even now he refuses to sleep in the bedroom and at night unless he is placed in a double-bed. When he awakes he reaches over to the other side of the bed, as if he expected to find his brother lying there. At each disappointment he cries bitterly. He will not eat unless a plate, knife and fork, a glass of water and food are placed for the dead child.

Several physicians who have examined Howard confess themselves puzzled by his case. Lack of money has prevented the boy's father from taking him to specialists, but he expects to be able to do so as soon as the result of a suit he has pending against the New York New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company for injuries received while working in the Harlem River yards on Oct. 16, 1903, has been settled.

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BARGAINS FOR BUSY BUYERS!

The great sale of the combined stocks of T. G. Whiskard, of London, and E. A. Smith, of St. Thomas, bought at less than 50c on the dollar, still goes on. Thousands of wonderful bargains are still being offered. The lease of the store will soon expire, and so the day for bargains must close before long. In the meantime the knife goes still deeper into prices.

Remember the Address: 134 Dundas Street.

Millinery Department.

Ready-to-Wear and Trimmed Hats, latest styles, at prices cut in half. Flowers, Feathers and Chiffons in great profusion. Your choice at 50c on the dollar.

Underwear Department.

Children's Wool Vests, regular 25c, for.....15c
Children's Wool Vests, regular 30c, for.....19c
Ladies' Wool Vests, regular 25c, for.....21c
Ladies' Wool Vests, regular 30c, for.....23c
Ladies' Wool Vests, regular 40c, for.....29c
Ladies' Wool Vests, regular 50c, for.....35c
Ladies' Wool Vests, regular 60c, for.....41c
Ladies' Wool Vests, regular 90c, for.....75c

DRAWERS TO MATCH.

Children's Wool Combination Suits, regular 65c, for.....49c
Ladies' Wool Combination Suits, regular \$1.00, for.....65c

Embroideries—1-3 Off.

Cambric, Muslin and Flannelette Embroideries, one-third off regular prices.

Kid, Cashmere and Ringwood Gloves.

The Beatrice Kid Glove, in tans, browns, white and black, all sizes. Made of picked skins, perfectly dyed, strongly sewed, three domes and well worth \$1 a pair. Your choice for 62c. This is one of the best bargains in the store. Be wise and buy now for both present and future needs—the chance may not soon occur again.
Cashmere Gloves, wool lined or silk lined, regular 50c, for.....35c
Cashmere and Lisle Gloves, regular 25c and 32c, for.....19c
Cashmere and Silk Gloves, regular 20c, for.....10c

French and Opera Flannels.

Dainty and exquisite designs, superior quality, popular shades, to be cleared out at less than wholesale prices. Some of these flannels would sell in the usual way for 75c, others for 65c, and a few at 60c, but to close out the lot we make the price 39c for your choice. They are all this year's patterns and 1 w-th nearly twice the price asked.

UMBRELLAS

Only a few left, but they are good ones and at a wonderfully low price. Paragon frames, satana covering, pearl handles, regular \$1.25 to \$1.50. To close out at 85c. Only about two dozen remain, so do not delay. They are most suitable Christmas gifts.

HOSIERY.

Children's Plain Cashmere Hose, regular 35c, for.....25c
Children's Ribbed Woolen Hose, regular 25c, for.....19c
Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose, regular 25c, for.....15c
Ladies' Cotton Hose, regular 20c, for.....15c
Ladies' Ribbed Cashmere Hose, regular 35c, for.....29c
Men's Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, for.....19c
Men's Heavy Wool Hose, regular 15c, for.....12c
Men's Cashmere Hose, regular 35c, for.....25c
Men's Cashmere Hose, regular 45c, for.....35c

MEN'S WEAR.

Heavy Wool Undershirts, regular 75c, for.....39c
Overalls, regular \$1.00, for.....40c
Silk Neckties, four-in-hands and 1 puffs, regular 50c, for.....19c
Silk and Satin Mufflers, regular \$1.00, for.....59c
Silk and Satin Mufflers, regular \$1.25, for.....75c
Braces, regular 25c, for.....19c

WHISKARD'S AND SMITH'S STOCKS AT CREATION'S OLD STAND, 134 DUNDAS ST.

JACK CHESBRO TO QUIT BALL FIELD

Crack Pitcher of the New York Americans Says He Is to Retire—The Spit Ball.

New York, Nov. 8.—Will the secret of Husky Jack Chesbro's "spit ball" remain the great diamond mystery of baseball history? Nobody can describe it. Chesbro, who developed it, but did not invent it, says: "It's the way I throw, I make it work because it's my natural way of delivering the ball."

And now, with baters at his mercy, with a record of winning 38 out of 49 American League games he has pitched during the season, and with the leadership among the pitchers of his league, he is going to retire and take the secret of the "spit ball" with him.

"I'm going to quit and I'm in earnest," he protested when assured that "warming up" time next spring would find him back in uniform. "I've been waiting for three years now. I've been wanting to myself and my wife has been urging me. I've got a little money saved up from the game, and I have a nice little place in Massachusetts. A fellow has quit baseball some time, and I think my best time is now."

"If you're going to retire and won't need it any more are you going to give it to some of the other pitchers?" "There's no secret. They can't throw it. I don't mean they can't throw a spit ball, but none of them can throw it the way I do. I think the spit ball is the greatest ball that was ever discovered. I don't say it is the greatest ball used, but it is the greatest ball I use. In throwing it I merely mow the first and second fingers, hold the ball the same as I would if throwing any other kind and they throw naturally, underhand or overhand. It has to be thrown straight away."

"That's the only way for a pitcher to throw, anyway. A man can make a lot of false motions if he wants to, but he doesn't win as often."

"A pitcher ought to find the ball that is easiest for him to throw and then use it altogether. There are some balls that certain pitchers can't possibly throw, and yet they keep on trying and wasting their strength."

"How do the catchers like it? Buwlo doesn't seem to have any trouble in holding it. McManus got hit once, but he has become used to it since then."

"Some of the other catchers haven't been hit, because the pitchers didn't know how to control it."

"The infielders don't like it because they can never tell where the ball's going after it's hit."

"One peculiar thing about the ball is that it can't be bunted. At least it never has been since I've used it. Another thing that's strange about it is that when the batter does find it, he hits goes either to short or second, never to first or third."

"What am I going to do when I quit? I don't know. Raise quails, maybe."

MAY BE A TIE IN CITY LEAGUE

Situation in Association Football Organization Reaches an Interesting Stage.

The city team played its last regular scheduled game last night against the Collegiate Institute on St. John's A. C. grounds with Allan Blackwell, of the Meds, as referee. The C. I. C. were badly crippled by the absence of no less than three men, and this gave them a poor chance to win from the leaders. Nevertheless the score stood 1 to 0 in favor of the schoolboys at half time, and during the second half the city team scored twice and thus won out by a score of 2 to 1.

The Y. M. C. A. and Medicals meet on Saturday and there is a postponed game between the Y. M. C. A. and L. C. I. If the Y. M. C. A. wins both games, it will then be tied with the city team for the championship, and a deciding game will be played; but if this is not the outcome, then the city team will be the champions.

The line-up last night was: Campbell, goal; Fredin, Buck, J. L. C. I.—MacKenzie, goal; W. Campbell, half-backs; Gilmore, Crawford, Sage, W. E. Campbell and George, forwards.

The Y. M. C. A. team: Bryant, Walcott, goal; Elchenberger, McLean, Crisp, half-backs; Hiron, Carter, Gilbert, Middlemiss and McWilliams, forwards.

ADOPTED CANADIAN RULES. Chicago, Nov. 5. At a meeting of the board of directors of the American Hockey League Monday the rules and schedule for the coming season were adopted. The rules adopted were the same as govern the Canadian game, excepting they are to cover professional players instead of amateurs, and the first game is to be played at Pittsburgh on Dec. 10.

The board was composed of the following men: President, A. S. McSwiggan; secretary, J. R. Dee, A. Mooney, J. C. Boyd, of the Canadian Soccer Association; J. C. Boyd, of the Canadian Soccer Association; J. C. Boyd, of the Canadian Soccer Association; J. C. Boyd, of the Canadian Soccer Association.

HORTONS WORKING HARD. The Horton hockey team is training steadily for the coming season. Every night "cross-country" runs are taken, and afterwards each player indulges in skipping, which is splendid exercise.

THE AUTO. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Edward Hawley, driver for E. R. Thomas, is anxious to drive the huge ninety-horse-power Mercedes car of "Tommy" against Barney Oldfield, the champion, in a special match race at Ormond.

The pair will meet, perhaps, in the final events at Ormond, but Hawley would like to take on Oldfield especially. He will wager Oldfield any amount up to \$20,000, that he will beat him in such a contest.

Hawley's only reason for not taking part in the special match races at Brighton Beach was that track-racing being so dangerous, he did not care to risk the car previous to the Ormond event.

NOBODY IN SIGHT TO BEAT JEFFRIES

So Says Sailor Sharkey, Who Admits His Own Fighting Days Are Over.

New York, Nov. 8.—Tom Sharkey, the fighting marine, who has never been defeated, but has been so long in the ring, who has met them all, and the only man who ever stood Jeffries off for 25 rounds, gave him the toughest fight of his life and came out with his senses about him, has retired from the ring.

The fighting marine has just recovered from an attack of typhoid fever. He said today: "I know that my best days are over, and although I feel good and it seems as though I could fight as good as ever, I know that I'm not there. After my fight with Munroe I knew that I had gone back. You know a man has his day, and if he doesn't get right to the top then he is old enough to play Santa Claus."

"I'm satisfied with my record. None of these fellows ever gave Jeffries the fight I gave him. They may all be great men, but I have yet to see the man who has gone the limit with him and have a close decision given. I've lost fights, too, yes, but I have no kick coming."

"They never give a newcomer credit for his fighting. I had to go with Jeffries for 25 rounds before they would believe that I could fight. It's the same with Britt, they can't believe that I gave him. You see, they get the idea in their heads that the champion of a class must be good forever, and no matter what sort of a fighter beats him the sports think it must be a fluke or something on that order."

"Do I think there's a chance of Jeffries ever losing his title? No, sir; not yet. Not a chance in the world. The only one they have in view now is Johnson, and he has no more money than I have. It looks to me as though Jeff will carry the title to his grave."

"There's no more coming, either. You know the game is quiet now, and when they have boxing so limited there's no chance of young fellows coming up. They don't get the chance, don't you see. In the future I'll just read about these coming champions. My days are over, and this goes. There's no Patki farewell in this."

GOLF. MAY GO TO ENGLAND. It is possible that a team of Canadian golfers will go to the championship matches at Preswick, England, next season. A movement is now on foot in Toronto to organize a team to represent the Dominion at the big event.

BASEBALL. BONDHOLDERS TO TAKE CLUB. On Monday night the directors of the Toronto ball club had a long meeting. The result was that the bondholders will carry the club along. It is likely that next season's games will be played at the island, as in 1897.

TIE TO BE PLAYED OFF ON SATURDAY

O. R. F. U. Executive Orders London and Petrolea to Meet at Strathroy.

The final game for the O. R. F. U. district championship will be played at Strathroy on Saturday afternoon next between Petrolea and London, who are tied for first place.

The game had to be played on neutral grounds. The two places named for it were Watford and Strathroy, but when Mr. Wm. McGregor, representing the London club, visited Watford, he found the grounds there altogether unfit for Rugby. The Strathroy grounds are fairly good.

Mr. Percy Millman went to Toronto last night and at a meeting of the O. R. F. U. executive he told of the condition of the Watford grounds. The executive thereupon ordered the tie to be played off at Strathroy on Saturday. It also laid out the following schedule for final and semi-final games. Argonauts play Toronto on Nov. 12; winners to play Peterboro on Nov. 17; winners to play Hamilton on Nov. 19; the final game will be played in Hamilton, Nov. 26.

The Guelph and Dundas teams played a tie last Saturday in the junior O. R. F. U. The question arose as to whether it was a game or not. The president last night ruled it was, so that Dundas and Guelph are now tied for first place. Dundas and Guelph are now tied for first place. Dundas and Guelph are now tied for first place.

WON BY DEFAULT. In the A. O. F. carpetball league last night Court Zagnolia won by default from Court Stella.

AMERICANS AT OXFORD. At Oxford, England, yesterday, two Americans won events. W. E. Schutt, Cornell, was first in the half-mile run, and T. M. Young, of South Dakota, was first in the high jump.

THE TURF. YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Aqueduct—King Pepper, 12 to 1; High Wind, 6 to 1; Pirate Polly, 6 to 1; Dolly Spanker, 6 to 1; Atwood, 7 to 2; Master of Craft, 15 to 2.

WHIST. The second annual Thanksgiving whist meet will be held in the rooms of the Union Whist Club on Thanksgiving Day. Last year the meeting was a splendid success, and no doubt this year will have equally satisfactory results. A live committee is looking after the arrangements. It consists of Messrs. R. J. Blackwell (secretary), Thomas Trevelyan, G. A. Andrus, H. S. Wilcox, R. J. Blackwell and John Stevenson.

YOUNG WIDOW'S ORDEAL

On Trial for Three Murders, Arson and Theft.

London, Nov. 8.—Mme. Galtie, a handsome widow of 24, who is accused of an extraordinary series of crimes, was brought up for trial yesterday at Auch, France.

She is charged with having, between the months of December, 1901, and April, 1903, voluntarily set fire to the house of a friend and robbed her of a number of valuable jewels, which were afterwards found in a bedroom at Mme. Galtie's house. Furthermore, she is accused of having poisoned her husband, a retired country court judge, with arsenic, and with having a few months later poisoned in the same manner her aged grandmother, finally, with arsenic, and with having deliberately poisoned her own brother.

The motive for the alleged crimes was that she might receive the insurance for the life insurance policies made out for her husband's death.

Soon after her husband's death Mme. Galtie tried to obtain an insurance on the life of her aged grandmother, but she was refused by agents. Nevertheless, as she was to receive £400 two years after the old lady's death, Mme. Galtie took up her residence with her grandparent and cooked her food herself. Soon afterwards the grandmother died, and a post-mortem examination revealed the presence of an enormous quantity of arsenic.

Mme. Galtie's brother, a young chemist's assistant, had at her request, signed an insurance policy in her favor for £2,000, she promising to pay the premium. He was invited to visit her for a couple of days, and on leaving was so ill that he had to go to the hospital. As soon as he had recovered, Mme. Galtie asked him to go to her until he grew convalescent, and gave him a bowl of milk on his arrival. Next day he died in terrible agony.

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She appeared in court yesterday dressed in mourning, and had evidently taken great pains with her personal appearance. The manner in which she had arranged her hair displayed considerable coquetry, and she seemed to be perfectly self-possessed.

Answering the judge, she admitted having set fire to her friend's house and taken the jewels, but denied the three murders. The large quantities of poison which she had purchased were, she said, for rats.

"How it is," asked the judge, "that wherever you go, death follows?" "You bought poison, and poison was found in the bodies of those who had been attended to by you," it is a perfect coincidence," replied Mme. Galtie. Her brother, she said, committed suicide.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Pte. Sands, of Windsor, has enlisted
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Barracks.

—Miss Dizzie J. R. Kay, of Bay City,
Mich., is visiting her friend, Mrs.
Raison, of this city.

—Mr. Fred A. Chapman, of this city,
has passed his examination in the de-
partment of manual training at Mac-
donald Institute, Guelph.

—Lieut. Douglas Young, of the Royal
Canadian Dragoons, Toronto, is visit-
ing his father, Col. Young, at Wolseley
Barracks.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY.
This is the King's birthday, but it
will not be generally observed as a
public holiday.

**FIRST WEDDING IN NEW REC-
TORY.**
A quiet wedding took place at All
Saints' Church, rectory last night, when
Miss Ellen Webb, of 150 John
street, was married to Mr. Henry
Jones, of Grey street. The bride was
given away by Mr. John Funnell, the
witnesses being Mrs. Annie Webb and
Mr. and Mrs. Pannell. Rev. T. B.
Clarke performed the ceremony. The
wedding was the first to take place in
the new rectory.

A "GROWING TIME."
The attendance at the Wednesday
evening services of Adelaide Street
Church has of late increased to such
an extent that it is found necessary to
meet in the church auditorium, instead
of the lecture-room. The Monday even-
ing meetings, at which Pastor T. T.
Shields is conducting an interesting
course of "Bible Study" (starting with
Genesis), are also attracting good and
growing audiences.

DISINFECTING CARS.
The Toronto Telegram says: The
meeting of the provincial board of
health called for Thursday afternoon
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terest. Besides the usual number of

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HORTON-ERINGTON.
On Nov. 3, at the residence of her
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Laura Mae Errington was wedded to
Mr. Percy Horton, Rev. Dean Davis
officiating. The bride wore a hand-
some gown of blue cloth, and carried
a bouquet of smilax and crysanthemums.
Miss Lena Errington, the bride's sis-
ter, was maid of honor, while Mr. W. F.
P. Horton assisted the groom. After
the ceremony, a reception, at which
30 guests were present, was held. After
beautiful presents testified to the es-
teem in which the young couple are
held.

RECEIVED REPEATED.
A second concert was given by
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The London poultry fanciers who
exhibited at the World's Fair, St.
Louis, have arrived home, bringing
with them a good share of the prize
money.

The Londoners were a part of the
Canadian delegation, which left this
city a couple of weeks ago for the fair,
and they took with them about two
hundred and fifty birds. The other
members of the contingent had over
seven hundred entries, the total num-
ber from Canada being very few
short of a thousand. The Canucks
have every reason to feel proud of their
success. The show was one of the best,
if not the best, ever seen in America,
there being a total of 10,000 exhibits,
and with only ten per cent of this
number the Canadians were awarded
70 per cent of the total prize money
offered in the classes in which they
were represented. The Londoners were
more successful than were their
countrymen, for in the classes in
which their birds were entered, they
captured no less than 80 per cent of
the premiums. No other city did so
well at St. Louis, and justifying its claim
to being the leading poultry center of
America.

All the Canadian exhibitors collected
at this place before starting for the
fair, and their stock was placed in three
large cars, in charges respectively of
Messrs. McNeil, Oke and Burns. The
London Poultry Association, W. McNeil,
the president, and R. Oke, the secre-
tary. The entry fee was \$2 for each
bird, and the balance of the programme
was made up of their prizes to

more than cover all their expenses. Be-
sides the Canadian exhibit was a great
advertisement for the poultry dealers
in this district, for their birds are now
in higher favor than ever among the
American fanciers. And the show was
a good advertisement if it so may be
called, for this city at large. Each
bird in the London exhibit was labeled
in plain letters, "London, Canada," and
small flags, bearing the inscription,
"Canada at the World's Fair," were
handed out to all the sightseers who
came to the poultry department. These
flags were Union Jacks, with the Cana-
dian arms in one corner, and were at-
tached to pins, that they could be
worn on the coat-collar. In addition
to the money premiums, handsome
arrangements, summing up with silver
birds, went to the winners of prizes. Mr.
Richard Oke, of Richmond street, car-
ried away about 90 of the coveted
badges, and Mr. W. McNeil got 101.

Following are some of the chief prize-
winners from this locality, with their
gains: Richard Oke, with 100 exhibits,
got 47 firsts, 25 seconds, 8 thirds and 7
fourths; total prize money, about \$1,150.
W. McNeil, with 120 exhibits, got 52
firsts, 35 seconds, and 14 thirds; total
prize money, about \$1,400; Dodge &
McNeil, with four entries, 3 firsts and 1
fourth; total prize money, \$80. T. Sher-
lock, with 4 entries, got 1 first, 2 sec-
onds and 1 third; total prize money,
\$32. L. Sage got 2 firsts, 1 fourth and
fifth; total prize money, \$40. J. Bayne
had 4 entries and obtained 1 second
prize of \$22. H. H. Wallace entered 6
ducks and got 3 firsts, 2 seconds and 1
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money. Mr. Burns, of Tillsonburg, car-
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highly pleased with the show and with
the successful part which their birds
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Louis exhibitions could not touch the
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ed soprano, "Faust" will be the attrac-
tion for the second evening. For the
two evening concerts a chorus will,
of course, be required, and it is proposed
to make it the largest and best ever
formed in London. It will be known
as the London Festival Chorus, and will
consist of from 250 to 300 of London's

MUSICAL FESTIVAL HERE NEXT MAY

**Citizens Subscribing Readily for
the Big Event—Three Con-
certs To Be Given.**

The committee having in charge the
securing of subscriptions for the musical
festival proposed to be held in
London in May, next year, report ex-
cellent progress, about \$1,500 having
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be given on the afternoon of the 25th,
and the last of the entertainments will
take place on the evening of May 27.
The first evening may be entirely taken
up with the "Elijah," although there is
a possibility that Mendelssohn's "Hymn
of Praise," and a miscellaneous pro-
gramme may be substituted. The or-
chestra will play a Beethoven Sym-
phony on the afternoon of the second
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Jeanette Durno-Collins, pianist, and
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HOW TO SERVE AN OYSTER COCKTAIL.

As the oyster is becoming more and
more popular every year, they are be-
ing served in many different ways.
One of the most and most appetizing
is an oyster cocktail. Messrs. T. A.
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their store last season Snider's Oyster
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oyster cocktail. This is easily made
and is an appetizing way of serving
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Put half a dozen fresh oysters in a
glass and cover well with cocktail
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necessary when making a cocktail that
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3 p.m.

THE UNION BIBLE CLASS.
Mr. Norman H. Camp's union Bible
class met in the M. C. Y. M. C. Au-
ditorium last night, with an attendance
of about 400 people. Mr. Camp took as
the subject of his remarks, Judges, xvii,
i, and Ruth. He first reviewed the
preceding chapters of Judges which
were taken up on Tuesday evening last,
and then proceeded to the story of the
lesson in Judges under the following
headings: (1) Chastity, (2) Cleanliness,
(3) Waiting and claiming, (4) Re-
wards. Mr. Camp drew many lessons
from the story of the faithful
Ruth. The opening chapters of I Sam-
uel will be the subject of next week's
lesson.

A BIG SUCCESS.
The smoking concert held in the
Duffield Block last evening under the
auspices of Nicholls Lodge, West Lon-
don, No. 406, A. C. U., was a great
success. The large hall being filled
with members and friends. The chair
was occupied by Mr. A. M. Frick.
Mr. W. N. Spence, chairman of the
programme committee, had arranged an
excellent entertainment. The numbers
by the Kenwick Male Quartet were
vigorously applauded. Master Porter
contributed a cornet solo, which was
executed in good style, and Mr. B. V.
Miles pleased with a violin solo. Miss
Troy Adair sang several solos and
was compelled to respond to encores.
The speakers were Bros. Armitage,
Stephen Grant, Tripp, Wm. Nicholls,
Fred Darch and Wm. Corcoran. The
prize contest was won by Mr. Thomas
Decker, 568 William street, the prize
being \$1,000 insurance policy in Nicholls
Lodge.

Letters to the Editor.

MR. KEENLEYSIDE'S