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IT TAKES ON NEW LIFE

Factories Prepare to Meet Increased Demand For Goods.

National Association of Manufacturers Believes 13,000 Shops Will Add 650,000 Employes.

New York, Nov. 10.—The National Association of Manufacturers publishes in the current issue of American Industries, its official magazine, a continuation of the statements on trade conditions contributed by its 3,000 members, representing every branch of industry.

The first series of these statements showing improvement in commercial conditions appeared in the October 15th issue of the magazine. The series now published indicates a continuation of this improvement and for the most part an optimistic view of the business outlook.

Telegrams were also sent prior to the election to a number of the association's members asking them to state specifically how many workingmen would be added to their present force by December 1st if nothing occurred to shake commercial confidence. A resume of the information contained in these replies is also given by the magazine, as follows:

"The percentage of replies received indicate that an average of 135 men each will be added to the majority of manufacturing plants in the association by December 1st. The percentages show that at least one-half of the 3,000 members of the National Association of Manufacturers expect to add to their present force more than 200,000 workingmen.

"Taking this as a basis," says the article, "it is safe to assume that the 13,000 manufactories, which, according to the census of 1900 employed an average each of 100 men or over, will add at least fifty per cent. to their present force, making a total in round figures of 650,000 men. In other words with the continuance of business confidence, the important manufacturing interests of the country will be enabled to increase their present force by more than half a million workingmen to meet the market demands for their products.

"In securing this information democratic and republican manufacturers alike were addressed. No attempt was made to limit the canvass to any particular industry or to any particular section of the country, and the queries sent to manufacturers were based solely upon actual business conditions and business possibilities for the future.

"Although this information, showing as it does in concrete and convincing form the real proofs of a returning prosperity, was secured prior to the election, it was not used because of the association's desire to avoid any semblance of partizanship."

TO ACCOMPANY ROOSEVELT.

Edmund Heller to Be a Member of the African Party.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 10.—Attracted by the remarkable achievements of Edmund Heller in his explorations of strange and little-known lands, President Roosevelt has selected this twenty-six-year-old Riverside California, young man from lists of hundreds of scientists and naturalists of the nation who aspired to the place to accompany him into the wilds of Africa next March.

The honor came to young Heller unsolicited and unexpected. The fact of his appointment was first learned when his mother, Mrs. Marion Heller, of Riverside, received a letter from the young explorer, in which he declares that the president had sent him a cordial invitation and requested the state university museum authorities to release him for a year so that he can accompany the Roosevelt expedition.

Heller has travelled extensively in Mexico, Central America, South America, Alaska, and other lands.

Additional Titles.

London, Nov. 10.—Among the honors awarded to prominent Englishmen are the following: Sir Edward Clarke, the former solicitor-general, is made a privy councillor; George J. Frampton, the sculptor, is knighted, and the Order of Merit is bestowed on Alfred Russell Wallace, president of the Land Nationalization Society. Brig.-Gen. D. A. Macdonald, of Ottawa, commander St. Michael and St. George.

Found Dead In Bed.

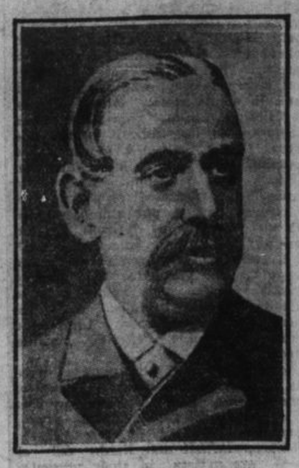
Chicago, Nov. 10.—William D. Cornish, New York, second vice-president of the Union Pacific Railroad company, and a director in many other corporations, was found dead in his bed at the Auditorium Annex in this city. Death apparently was due to heart disease.

Hon. J. H. Agnew, provincial treasurer of Manitoba, died on Monday.

Victorien Sardou, greatest of modern French dramatists, is dead.

U.S. AMBASSADOR

Has Been Chosen For the Washington Embassy.



COUNT VON BERNSTERFF.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—Count Johann Heinrich Von Bernsterff has been selected by the emperor to succeed the late Baron Speck Von Sternburg as ambassador to America.

Soon Lose Their Job.

Pekin, Nov. 10.—The Emperor of China, for the past ten days, has been suffering from a disorder which has manifested itself in the inactivity of an intestinal function.

The foreign educated physicians who have been attending his majesty since his illness of last summer, have been dismissed and the old style practitioners reinstated.

The Emperor of China is so ill that his condition is alarming the members of his household.

Ten persons were killed in a train wreck near Griselles, France.

LOVE AND POLITICS

Romance of a Sarnia Couple, Now Happily Married.

Father Quarrelled With Young Man Because He Voted Liberal, and Tried to End Lovemaking.

Guelph, Nov. 10.—Because Cyrus Christopher Dent, Sarnia, voted to let Laurier finish his work, his prospective father-in-law, George Pilkey, of the same place, decided that Mr. Dent should never marry his daughter. But love will find a way. The young couple stole away and were quietly married here.

Young Mr. Dent and Miss Eva Pilkey were affianced and their marriage was accepted as a settled thing until the dominion election campaign came on, and, then the young man and the father found that the paths of their political views divided. The old man did not believe in having a son-in-law who was not of the same politics as himself, and one thing led to another until the fate of the young couple hung upon the balance of the casting of the ballot. The young man, however, had a mind of his own, and so he cast his vote according to his own view. After the election it was thought the storm would blow over, but the irate father declared that the marriage must not be thought of. The wrath of the father had little effect upon the love of the young couple and they stole away from Sarnia and, arriving at Guelph, went to the home of a relative, Mr. Chaffey, Grange street. Here they were made man and wife.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

Provincial elections in Alberta won't be held for a year or two yet.

George Felker, Fergus, shot himself while hunting and died almost instantly.

Dr. James Fletcher, entomologist, Ottawa, is dead, following an operation in Montreal.

E. V. Skinner, eastern traffic manager for the C.P.R., died at Yonkers, N.Y., on Saturday.

A simplified spelling society has been organized in England, Prof. Skeat, of Cambridge, is president.

Gordon Ross, Montreal, had his arm badly injured while hunting. It will have to be amputated.

By an explosion of gas in his house at Deer Park, Toronto, George J. Frost was instantly killed.

Charles Howell, Toronto, aged nineteen, died of a bullet wound believed to have been self-inflicted.

The Collingwood, the most powerful of all British battleships, was launched at Devonport, on Saturday.

Lionel New, Stratford, aged about eighteen years, fell out of a canoe in Victoria Lake, and was drowned.

The American Tobacco company has been found guilty of acting in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

An unsuccessful attempt was made in Calcutta to assassinate Sir Andrew Fraser, lieutenant-governor of Bengal.

No attempt will be made to put a tariff reform bill through the coming session of the United States congress.

An old man who gave the name of John Thompson, died in Toronto jail. The police are trying to locate his relatives.

Dorando, the Italian runner, who all but won the great Olympic Marathon, has sailed from Italy for America.

Two electric cars collided on the outskirts of Vancouver, and both motormen were killed and several passengers injured.

Officials of the marine department at Quebec deny the charges of graft and in some cases threaten action against Mr. Drolet's firm.

The strike of men in the employ of the International Paper company, which has been on since August 1st, has been settled.

Four prisoners who tried to break out of St. Thomas jail were so violent that the police had to be called to assist the jail officials.

Longboat, the famous Indian runner, has entered into a contract to run as a professional, with "Tom" Flanagan as his manager.

Charles Winnison, Toronto, aged eleven years, was run over by a waggon, receiving injuries as a result of which he died shortly afterwards.

E. H. B. Mackey, an insane stenographer, attempted, on Monday, to assassinate the postmaster of New York city and then committed suicide.

Two British engineers arrived at Victoria, B.C., with Chinese wives, and the question of the women's inability to the head tax has been raised.

The king's birthday honors include a baronetcy for E. S. Clouston, of the Bank of Montreal and knighthoods for Gen. Lake and Hugh Graham, of Montreal.

Great preparations are being made at Rome to celebrate, on Nov. 16th, the fiftieth anniversary of the entrance of the pope into the priesthood.

The Dominion Iron & Steel company has closed a contract for 16,000 tons of rails for the Australian government, to be delivered before the end of this year.

The holy office, Rome, has decided that Christian burial shall be refused to Catholics who are married to non-Catholics by non-Catholic clergymen.

Dr. George Root, of Fonthill, Ont., out hunting in Muskoka, accidentally discharged his gun while climbing some rocks. The shot lodged in his leg, killing him.

Edward Carey, of Swan Lake, Man., died from injuries received in the fire in his house, making the ninth victim. Inferior oil is said to have caused the catastrophe.

At Hamilton Giovanni Cordetti, the Italian, found guilty of personating Cyrus Rose on election day, was sentenced to three months in jail and a fine of $50, the minimum penalty.

David E. Wilson, late clerk in the Molson's Bank, Chesterville, pleaded guilty to six indictments of burglary, and was sentenced to three and one-half years in the penitentiary.

The Bond government of Newfoundland is probably defeated. The opposition led by Sir Edward Morris, has elected eighteen members to the government's seventeen, and one seat is still in doubt.

Rev. Dr. Barclay, Montreal, who has completed his twenty-fifth year as pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, was presented with a cheque for $5,000 by the congregation, and another for $73,300 by Lord Mount St. Stephen.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

The roller rink attracted a large crowd on the holiday. It was open for three sessions.

The police have been investigating several cases of truancy reported during the past few days.

License Inspector Wright to-day added another to his "Indian" list. The list continues to grow.

A young girl named Hillier, living on King street, had her left arm severely burned while using lye.

The board of education will meet in regular session on Thursday night. The management committee will meet to-night.

"The Wolf," a drama, of the Canadian Hudson Bay country, given in three acts, proved a rare treat for patrons of the Grand on Saturday.

A number of Queen's students attended the Grand, in a body, Monday afternoon, and made things lively with their college yells and songs.

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Fall Importations Of 1908.

Provost, Brock street, has received all fall importations for order work in his tailoring department. His ready-made clothing and gents' furnishing departments were never better assorted.

Probabilities:

Toronto, Nov. 10.—Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence, 10 a.m. — Moderate winds and mostly cloudy today and on Wednesday.

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HOUSE WAS CONSUMED

IN NAPANEE, BY FIRE SUN DAY NIGHT.

A Man Nearly 100 Years, Lived in It—Death of Louise Herrington of Typhoid Fever.

Napanee, Nov. 10.—On Saturday morning last Louise Hetherington, daughter of R. Hetherington, died of typhoid fever. The deceased had been ill over two months. She was fifteen years of age, a bright and lovable girl. Her death is the first break in a family of six. Another sister was taken with typhoid fever at the same time but she is slowly recovering. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to Riverside cemetery.

About ten o'clock Sunday night fire was discovered in John Wickham's house, Thomas street, and despite the efforts of the brigade, the place was burned to the ground. The building was a small frame one and had been occupied by John Wickham. The old man, who must be nearing one hundred years, is getting very feeble, and it is supposed an overheated stove caused the fire. The old man, who was slightly burned, was cared for by kind friends, and comfortable quarters will be provided for him by the town.

Earl Abell, of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving Day the guest of the Misses Coates. Miss H. Fox, attending Normal school in Peterboro, spent Thanksgiving with her father.

Miss Marion Wilson, of Lakefield, was the guest of Mrs. A. S. Kimmerly, for Thanksgiving. Clarence Madill, Montreal, spent his Thanksgiving under the parental roof. Mrs. (Dr.) Ruttan, of Woodstock, was with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor, South Napanee, for the holiday. Janet Crouch, of Gananoque, spent Sunday and Monday with friends in town. Miss Maude Anderson, of Carp, spent Thanksgiving with her mother. Mrs. E. Boyle spent her Thanksgiving with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Collins, Toronto. W. B. Grieve is in town for a day or two on business. Mrs. Webb and children of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving day with her parents. Rev. and Mrs. A. Macdonald. Miss Nellie Gault, of Toronto, is in town for a short visit. Her father still continues very poorly. Mrs. Duckworth and Miss Rose Duckworth, of Belleville, spent Thanksgiving with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Ming.

The annual Thanksgiving supper in Trinity church, last night, was a great success. A large number partook of the bounteous Thanksgiving dainties. The concert following the supper was also of a high order.

Mrs. W. E. Grasse and son Willie, Lake View Villa, Kingston, spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Smith, at Mrs. James Allen's, Adelphi street. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Milling, Hawley, are the proud possessors of twin daughters. Both mother and babies are doing nicely.

WILL NEVER APPEAR.

An Interview With Kaiser Has Been Suppressed.

New York, Nov. 10.—An interview with the kaiser, which was announced to appear in the December issue of the Century Magazine, has been suppressed under pressure from the German war office. It was written by W. M. Beyard Hale, who went to Berlin, especially, to secure the interview and contained criticism of the attitude of Great Britain toward Germany, and much sharper criticism of the attitude of the vatican and of the German Catholic party. Following the publication of the kaiser interview, in a London paper, and the interpellations in the German reichstag concerning future interviews, it became necessary to surpress the Century interview. Through the Washington legation the foreign office appealed to Mr. Hale, to prevent publication. The whole edition of the December Century was printed early last week. All the parts were folded but not bound when those sheets containing the article by Mr. Hale were removed from the piles, taken to the boiler room under the direction of an officer of the corporation there burned. "Spoiled sheets" were hunted up, the plates were broken up and sent to the melting pot, and the interview will never be published.

Will Be Very Lively.

Paris, Nov. 10.—Anxiety occurs over the slowness of the negotiations. It is seen that it will be a critical day when Chancellor Von Buelow will address the reichstag. The Temps correspondent says Von Buelow's friends are uneasy over his nervous condition. He has declared to them that he will never stand harsh criticisms or insult no matter from what side it may come. The session may give rise to some surprises.

To Prevent Repetition.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—Important significance attached to the meeting of the federal council summoned for this week. This body, which has met only once since M. Delcasse was forced to retire from the French ministry of of foreign affairs, for twelve years is the only authority which under the German constitution is empowered to declare war or make peace. It comprises representatives of the federal states of the empire, and its function is to take decisive action only in cases of imperial emergency. It has been summoned on the present occasion, not by the imperial government, but Bavaria and Saxony, and the motives of their action are not concerned with the French and German crisis. The meeting is called solely to adopt measures designed sharply to restrict the emperor's political functions and forever to prevent a repetition of such unhappy incidents as the recent interview with the emperor.

Vote Of Confidence.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—The Berlin correspondent of the Liberte says Chancellow Von Buelow has determined to secure a vote of confidence from the reichstag after which he will retire from office. He is inflexibly opposed to strengthening the constitution by diminishing the imperial initiative, which the German nation is now demanding.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

City Council, 8 p.m.

Basket Ball at Armouries, 8 p.m.

Historical Society, St. George's Hall, 8 p.m.

Cameron Opera Co., Grand Opera House, 8.15 p.m.

A.O.H. Euchre Party at their Hall, Brock St., to-night, 8 o'clock.

Nov 10th, In Canadian History.

1812—The Americans bombarded Kingston, Ont.

1816—Two hundred persons were drowned in the wreck of the transport "Harpooner" near Newfoundland.

1882—The Hon. Joseph Adolphe Chapleau was created Commander of the Legion of Honor.

1897—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Louis Davies visited Washington to discuss the Behring Sea claims and other questions.

1900—The "City of Monticello" foundered in the Bay of Fundy and twenty-nine lives were lost.

1902—The Hon. James Sutherland was appointed Minister of Public Works.

1904—Lord and Lady Minto paid their farewell visit to Toronto.

For Thanksgiving

We are showing some very quaint sets of 13-piece in odd shapes.

OLD BLUE AND DERBY WILLOW PATTERNS.

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The betting in Wall street, New York, and other money centres in the presidential campaign was a pittance in volume compared to that of former years. More than $1,000,000 was bet in the Roosevelt-Parker campaign in New York city. It is believed that less than $100,000 was placed this year.

DISPUTING HIS WILL

The Widow Claims a Larger Share of the Estate.

Under Marriage Contract Mrs. Vidal Says She Should Share as Though There Were No Will.

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—A legal fight has begun over the will of the late Col. B. H. Vidal, of Ottawa, who died last March. The widow is plaintiff in the action, and the issue arises out of her claim previous to the drawing of the last will and testament.

Application was made to the weekly high court on behalf of the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, executors of the will, for the direction of the court as to the construction of the will and the division of the estate. Under the terms of the will Brigadier-General Vidal divided his estate equally among his four children, two of whom are infants. Prior to his marriage with Mrs. Vidal a marriage contract was entered into, under which she reserved to herself all dower and matrimonial rights under the laws of the province of Ontario. On behalf of Mrs. Vidal it is claimed now that the effect of this marriage contract was to entitle her to a share in the estate of Col. Vidal, as though he had died intestate.

In 1897 the late colonel conveyed to his wife certain properties in Toronto, valued at from ten to twelve thousand dollars, which now does not form a part of the estate. Mrs. Vidal also received her late husband's life insurance of $3,000, which was made payable to her direct. The direction of the court is now sought as to whether Mrs. Vidal is entitled to participation in the estate in the same manner as though Col. Vidal had not made a will.

Gen. Vidal died last March, and his will was drawn up the year before. The exact amount of his assets has not yet been estimated. The hearing of the case was before Judge Latchford, who reserved judgment.

GRAND PATRIARCH'S VISIT.

J. H. Spence, of Brantford, at Limestone Encampment.

On Monday evening the regular meeting of Limestone Encampment occurred in the Odd Fellows' hall, and the occasion was made notable by the presence of the grand patriarch for Ontario, J. H. Spence, of Brantford. The patriarchal degree was conferred on eight candidates, all of the city and members of the subordinate lodges. The work was creditably and efficiently performed. At the close of the regular business refreshments were served and addresses made by the chief patriarch and senior warden of the encampment, E. O. Sliter and Dr. A. W. Richardson; by the grand patriarch, J. H. Spence, and the grand senior warden, R. Meek; by Patriarchs Germaine, Sloan and Bunt, representing Cataraqui, Kingston and Granite lodges, and by Patriarch McRae, representing the new members. The evening was profitably and pleasingly enjoyed. There was a good attendance of members.

The county council's November session will open on Tuesday next.

END OF JAMES DUNN

Love-Sick Theresa Man Takes His Own Life.

Watertown, N.Y., Nov. 10.—After many hours of intense suffering James Dunn died at Theresa as the result of a dose of paris green, taken with suicidal intent. Little is known of the man's relatives, though he is said to have a brother in Canada, who has been notified as to what disposition is desired of the body.

It appears that Dunn was insane upon the subject of love. Realizing that his age was a bar to his efforts at courtship with a sixteen-year-old girl whom he said he loved with all his heart, he dyed his hair and endeavored in every way to look as young as the swains who were his rivals. He even went so far as to call on Editor Strough, of the Theresa Gleaner, a week ago and hand him a marriage notice, telling of his wedding with the girl.

Mr. Strough asked if the wedding had been performed. Dunn admitted that it had not at that time, but asserted that it would soon be a reality, and he requested the editor to hold the notice until the marriage had been performed.

Dunn had been acting queerly of late. Some time ago he sent William Freeman after some paris green but the clerk refused to sell it to the boy.

ARE THEY TAXABLE?

A Question to Come Up in Ottawa Court of Revision.

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—Are the salaries of cabinet ministers liable to municipal assessment as income? This is a question which is involved in an appeal to the court of revision by Sir Richard Cartwright and the judgment in that case will doubtless apply to the others. There is a question, however, whether the court of revision can deal with the matter and as it is one of law, the ruling of a judge will likely have to be secured.

All of the cabinet ministers from the premier down, have been assessed for income with the $1,000 exemption allowed to householders. Not only their salaries as ministers, but also their sessional indemnities have been taken into consideration. It is the first year that such assessments have been made.

Counsel for the appeal will contend that the action of the department is irregular and maintain that the salaries as cabinet ministers are exempt as a matter of common law, while the sessional indemnity they claim is not entitled to be treated as income. The outcome will be watched with considerable interest.

DIED.

MOORE.—At Ompah, Ont., Nov. 4th, 1908, Mary Ann, wife of James Moore, aged sixty-three years one month.

REID.—At Cape Vincent, Nov. 7th, 1908, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reid, aged eight days. Interment at Cataraqui Cemetery, Tuesday morning.

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Pension For Palma's Widow.

Havana, Nov. 10.—In response to an appeal by Jose Miguel Gomez, the liberal candidate for the presidency, Gov. Magoon issued a decree providing an annual pension of $5,000 during her life to the widow of the late President Thomas Estrada Palma, and $50 monthly in addition, during the minority of her four children.

Part With Corns.

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