

## PROSPECT BAD

### For Speedy Termination of Turco-Italian War.

## TURKEY HAS BROKEN

### WITH THE POWERS AS SHE CANNOT ACCEPT

### The Propositions They Make With Honor—Turks Flog Arabian Gendarmes—Peace Bureau's Appeal to the Powers.

Constantinople, Oct. 17.—Prospects of a speedy termination of the Turco-Italian war are now not favorable.

New York, Oct. 17.—A cable from Constantinople says:

It is stated officially that negotiations between the powers and Turkey, with a view to the restoration of peace, have been broken off.

Turkey declares that the propositions made by the powers looking to peace cannot be accepted with honor, and due regard for Turkish national feeling.

### Pedagogues Expelled.

Constantinople, Oct. 17.—The government yesterday issued a decree of expulsion against all Italian professors and school masters now in Turkey.

Rome (via frontier), Oct. 16.—The last contingent of the Italian army expedition arrived off Tripoli during last night. The troops are destined to provide garrisons along the coast, particularly at Benghazi and Derna.

The aviation corps is occupied in constructing sheds for the aeroplanes.

### Flogged by the Turks.

New York, Oct. 17.—A special cable from Tripoli says: Two of the gendarmes captured at Sannzur, by Turks, have been released, half dead, having been given 250 lashes. The third was hanged.

Abdel Ohmed, one of the survivors, says: "We were at Sannzur on police duty, when twenty-six troopers and two officers came in the night, made us prisoners and took us to the Turkish camp, two hours ride. There Munir Pasha, commander of the Turkish forces in Tripoli, questioned us about the strength of the Italian troops and ordered us to be flogged. Ahmed estimates the Turkish forces at 1,400, with a squadron of cavalry, seven mountain guns and three field guns.

### Peace Bureau Makes Appeal.

Brussels, Oct. 17.—The "Independence Belge" prints an appeal from the Permanent International Peace Bureau to the powers signatory to the Hague arbitration conventions urging that a collective "Demarche" be made upon the Italian government, expressing the desire of various countries that henceforward the treaties should be religiously respected by Italy.

The memorandum goes on to say: "Having fallen gravely in her engagements in acting as she did, Italy, in legal and peaceful manner, could have obtained that satisfaction to which she declares she is entitled. She has broken the engagements she undertook to keep when she placed her signature at the foot of the final convention of the peace conference."

### Kaiser Confers.

Berlin, Oct. 17.—Emperor William, who is at his hunting lodge near Eberwalde, Prussia, invited Signor Alberto Pansa, the Italian ambassador to a conference on the political situation. The German imperial chancellor also attended.

### TROUSERS FOR CABINET.

### Council Furnishes Extra Habillments for Many Ministers.

London, Oct. 17.—The item of \$593, approximately, revealed in the accounts of the London city corporation as expenditure on new trousers for half the cabinet, is not, as some might think, a gracious tribute to ministers who have been worn down in more senses than one by the prolonged session and the all-night sittings, says the London Daily Sketch.

The annual rendering of a bale of cloth is one of the perquisites of high office dutifully adhered to by the corporation.

Trousers! The bulky parcels which Guildhall sends to Whitehall contain more than enough cloth for an extra pair of trousers. By immemorial custom the offerings in each case of a government officer to four and a half yards—sufficient to cut up into an ample frock coat suit or evening dress. The average sized man in a lounge suit fills out about three and a quarter yards. The color of the cloth is black and the material of the very best. At one time of day it was invariably woven on one particular loom.

Not every member of the government shares in these best black perquisites, and to be entitled to the corporation offering one must be the lord chancellor, home secretary, foreign secretary, attorney general or solicitor general. But those who hold the following high offices of state are also in the share-out: Lord chancellor, lord chief justice of the king's bench, master of the rolls, lord chamberlain of the king's household.

### DAILY MORANDA.

Opening Gordon Mill, Queen's, by Hon. Dr. Fyfe, 3.30 p.m., Wednesday. Leaving corner stone of West building, Queen's, 3 p.m., Wednesday.

## BRITISH CABINET TALK.

### Rumored Churchill Will Become Secretary for Ireland.

London, Oct. 17.—The Chronicle says there are persistent rumors in political circles that Winston Churchill, the home secretary, will succeed Augustus Birrell as chief secretary for Ireland. Mr. Birrell's health, it is understood, will not permit him to stand the strain of the home rule fight next year. He probably will be made a lord of appeal.

The paper also suggests that R. B. Haldane, who is leaving the war office to take up a judicial appointment, will be succeeded by J. R. Seeley, parliamentary secretary to the colonial office.

## WOMEN A HINDRANCE.

### Those Who Have Not Qualified for the Position.

Naples, Oct. 17.—The hospital ship Regina Margherita has been fitted out and, flying the flag of the Knights of Malta, sailed from Malta for Tripoli, yesterday evening. The Duchess of Aosta and the Neapolitan nobles, who had hoped to go as nurses, were not taken along as the knights had learned by experience at Messina that women are a hindrance. The pope wired his blessing upon the ship.

## GAVE HER LIFE FOR HER MOTHER

### Nova Scotia Woman Was Fatally Burned in Saving Mother's Life.

Halifax, N.S., Oct. 17.—The sister of Dr. John T. Rowe, head of the medical department in the insane asylum at Ward's Island, N.Y., was so badly burned while trying to save her aged mother from a similar fate that she died. The accident occurred at her home in Port Williams, Mrs. Rowe, who is aged eighty years, was in the kitchen when her clothing took fire, ignited by a spark from the stove. The daughter ran to her mother's help, throwing a piece of carpet around her form. In doing this the young woman's own clothing took fire. She rushed out screaming and plunged into a bog-head of water near the door. A brother and neighbor soon came and took care of the young woman, whose clothing literally crumbled off her body, and after terrible suffering for several days she died on Saturday. The mother was not so badly burned, but cannot long survive.

## POTASH FINDS AT GORDERICH.

### Germans Form a Syndicate for Work in Huron County.

Berlin, Oct. 17.—During the negotiations between the United States potash buyers and the German potash trust a rumor was circulated that extensive finds of potash had been made at Gorderich, Ont., and the regions around Lakes St. Clair and Huron. At that time the opinion was freely expressed in Berlin that the reports had been circulated in order to affect the negotiations.

The German potash trust sent a corps of geologists to Canada to investigate. The reports of this corps have been received here, and, although they are sufficiently encouraging to justify the formation of a syndicate, the prospectors are not yet ready to say that they have struck an undeniably rich potash tract. Advance indications are encouraging, and the Germans are prepared to exploit the field to the fullest extent possible.

## LORD STRATHCONA ARRIVED IN LONDON

### High Commissioner Well and Declares He Enjoyed Trip to Canada.

London, Oct. 17.—"It is wonderful what a lot you can get through in a few days with fast trains and steamers," said Lord Strathcona on his arrival here, as he walked briskly along Euston platform, on completing a journey of more than 10,000 miles in seventeen days, in his ninety-first year.

"I am very well and have enjoyed my trip. My age is nothing. I don't see why in a few years men should not look on a man of ninety as merely middle-aged."

## Penny-in-the-Slot Famine.

Washington, N.J., Oct. 17.—The mystery of a famine of pennies that recently afflicted Washington and its environs was solved to-day when it was discovered that the "corner in copper" had been negotiated by a couple of penny-in-the-slot machines. One of them, when opened by the agent, yielded up no less than 2,800 of the coins and another disgorged 1,500.

## To Fix Steamship Rates.

Paris, Oct. 17.—It is announced that the conference of trans-Atlantic steamship lines will meet here October 18th to fix rates for the next three years.

## Erecting in Hamilton.

Hamilton, Oct. 17.—The Canadian Knitting company has been organized with a capital of \$300,000, and it will at once build a \$22,000 factory on John street north. The incorporators are T. J. Stewart, M.P., J. M. Harris, R. B. Harris, R. B. Simpson and H. G. Magill.

## LATEST TIDINGS

### Despatches From Near and Distant Places

## THE WORLD'S EPISODES

### GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

### Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Everybody Easily Read and Remembered.

The house of commons is summoned to meet on Nov. 15th.

Fearful cholera riots in Italy. A hospital was broken into.

Newcastle, Eng., will give a banquet to Earl Grey in November.

At San Francisco an attempt was made to dynamite President Taft's train.

Dr. Daniel has resigned his seat in St. John, N.B., to give it to Hon. Mr. Hazen.

The assassination of Premier Stolypin is now attributed to terrorism.

Hon. James Kidd Fleming, M.L.A., provincial secretary for New Brunswick, becomes premier.

At San Francisco President Taft turned the first sod in the Panama-Pacific exposition to be held in 1915.

W. K. McNaught, conservative M.P., says the Ontario railway board has failed in its obligations to the people.

B. J. Bradley, aged twenty-one years, was instantly killed at Paisley on Monday while hunting coons in the woods.

Thomas M. Ryan laughed so much at a Boston comedy that he ruptured a blood vessel near his heart and died.

Thaw will not be released before January 1st, or for some time after, says Superintendent May, of Mattawan asylum.

The socialist party nominated Miss Elizabeth Rutherford, a suffragist and settlement worker, for alderman from a Brooklyn district.

The inhabitants of Segnit, a town of 7,800, revolting against the cholera precautions adopted by the Italian government, burned the town hall.

An elaborate pageant to commemorate the centennial of the Skirry settlement will be one of the features of the Winnipeg exhibition next year.

W. Ryder was found dead, on Saturday near St. John, N.B., with three rifle bullets in his breast, and his shirt powder burnt, a coroner's jury found a verdict of suicide.

In April next St. John, N.B., will come under a city government, consisting of a mayor and four commissioners, each of which will be the head of a department. Thus the present city council will be superseded.

At Reno, Nev., Mrs. E. Elizabeth Covey, wife of Walter Covey, a prominent building contractor, of Potsdam, N.Y., has been awarded a divorce from her husband on the ground of non-support. She belongs to Halifax.

She finally called me a liar. I stood it. She called me a dog. I stood it. She hit me with a kettle. I stood it. But when she said my father was an "orangeman," I laid her out," testified "Mike" McInnis in a Boston court.

The grand lodge of Quebec of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, met, on Saturday, at Mount Royal cemetery, Montreal, a memorial monument to the memory of the late Lieut.-Col. J. H. Isaacson, for thirty-five years grand secretary.

Miss Eleanor Guest, of Ottawa, made her stage debut in the comic opera, "The Duchess," at the Lyric theatre, New York, on Monday evening, and made a great hit.

Miss Guest is a niece of W. Lake Marler, many years president of the Merchants' Bank of Canada.

"TRIAL ENGAGEMENT" NOW.

Miss Sears and Young Vanderbilt to Have Experiment.

Newport, R. I., Harold Vanderbilt and Miss Eleanor Sears have entered into a "trial engagement" to last for the period of one year.

This is the confidential announcement made by Mrs. Frederick R. Sears, of Boston, mother of the young woman whom society looks on with interest, as having won the heart of the younger son of William K. Vanderbilt.

BABY KILLS YOUNGER BROTHER

Lets Nursing Bottle Fall While Both Were in Crib.

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 17.—Mrs. Robert Agnew placed her two babies in a crib yesterday and gave Elmer, twenty months old, the older, a nursing bottle.

The child, after satisfying his hunger, began to play with the bottle. Holding it at arm's length, he let it fall. The bottle struck his baby brother on the head, killing him instantly.

Wrote National Song.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Addis Albro, author of "Our Country's Flag," the first book on the origin of the American flag, died, yesterday, in Columbus, N.M., according to information received here.

At the time of his death Mr. Albro was collector of U. S. customs at Columbus. He will be buried in Detroit, Mich., his former home.

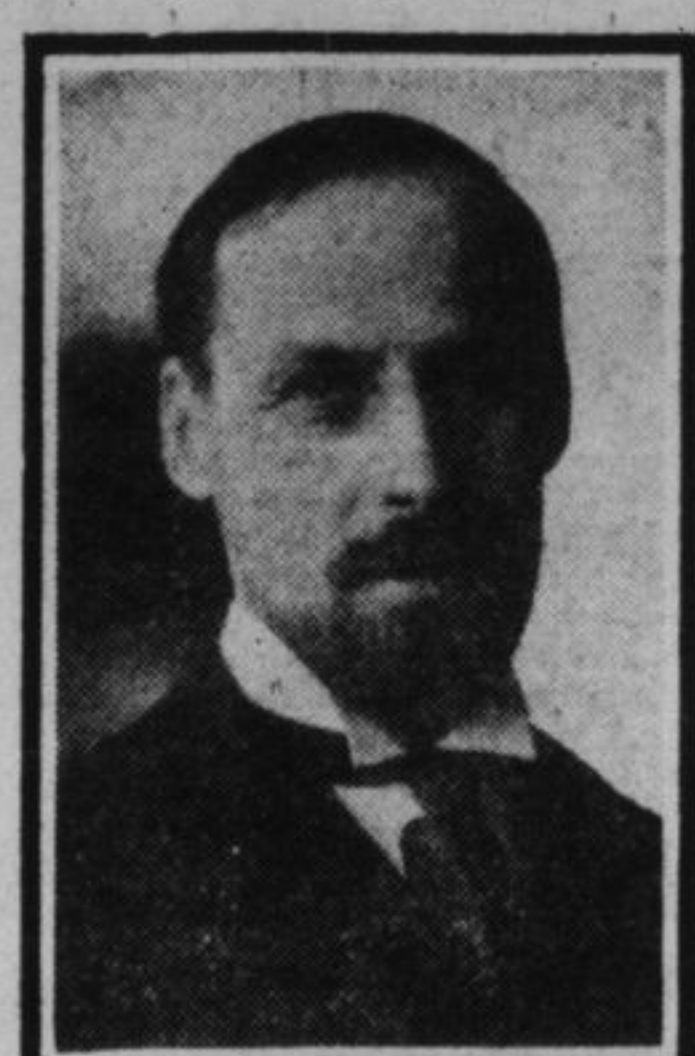
A convex mirror has been designed for motorcyclists, who, by attaching it to one wrist by a rubber band, can lift the hand and see what is coming behind them.

## PARDONED TOO LATE.

### Boy Dies Few Minutes Before Father Reaches Home.

Utica, N.Y., Oct. 17.—Though Gov. Dix wrote and signed his pardon while riding on a New York Central limited train, Bernard L. Wrench, sent to Auburn prison for using some of the money of the town of Whitesboro, Oneida county, of which he was supervisor, reached home too late to see his son alive.

The pitiful plea of the lad on Friday caused friends to intercede with Gov. Dix, and he was found on the Twentieth Century Limited while on the way to Chicago shortly after the train left Utica. He drew up the pardon after hearing the story and Wrench was released from Auburn, on Saturday afternoon. He left at once for Utica, was met there with an automobile, and hurried home, but the boy had died a few minutes before.



ARTHUR RADCLYPPE DUGMORE. The well-known artist and author.

## SUSPECTS BEHEADED PUBLICLY IN PEKIN

### 53,000 Troops Guarding Pekin—German Marines Fight Mobs in Hankow.

Pekin, Oct. 17.—Residents of Pekin are more reassured to-day by statements of the government that it is not its intention to leave the capital with less than fifty thousand trained troops for defence purposes. The odds of foreigners and others has been stopped.

Six suspected revolutionists in government offices were summarily tried and beheaded publicly in front of the government buildings last night.

Word comes from districts near Hankow that the first government army corps has arrived within twenty miles of that city, and is throwing up defences preparatory to an onslaught on the rebel headquarters. Another report says that the German marines have been landed from river gunboats, and are fighting with mobs in the streets of Hankow, presumably as result of attacks on foreigners.

Philadelphia Wins.

Score by innings: R. H. E. Philadelphia 0 0000000102—3 9 2 New York 0 0100000001—2 3 4

Batteries—Combs and Lapp; Matheson and Meyers.

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Supreme Court Justice Nathaniel Foote, Rochester, N.Y., was designated by Governor Dix as an associate justice of the appellate division, fourth department, for a term of five years.

He succeeds Justice Parlon C. Williams.

At Chicago, two hundred progressive republicans in their first national conference, on Monday, endorsed Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin for president and declared for a direct primary as a means for the election of a presidential choice.

Setting on the third game of the world's series was six to five in favor of New York Giants, but the weather conditions Tuesday morning were very unfavorable as it was raining. In case of postponement the third game will be played at New York on Wednesday.

Percy Lee, a Woodstock collegiate institute pupil, is lying in a dangerous condition at his home in Murr, as a result of being knocked off his wheel by an auto. It was not at first thought the young man was badly hurt, but complications have set in and he has been in a semi-conscious condition since Friday.

Woman Meets Death.

Woodville, N.H., Oct. 17.—Mrs. I. B. McIntyre, of Randolph, Vt., was instantly killed, yesterday, when an automobile in which she was riding went over a 200-foot embankment near Upper Lisbon village. Miss Alice McIntyre, daughter of Mrs. McIntyre, was severely injured, but the other members of the party escaped with minor injuries.

Miss Irene Daley and Miss Mabel Millan have returned from a trip to Ottawa.

"Send kodak films" for developing to Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Japan celebrates one of its national holidays by planting trees.

## NOW FAVORITES

### Philadelphia Looked to Defeat New York.

## RELY ON MATHEWSON

### TO PULL THE GIANTS OUT OF THE HOLE.

### W. A. Hewitt, of the Toronto Star, Favors the Athletics, Who Have a Fine Pitching Staff.

New York, Oct. 17.—W. A. Hewitt, Toronto Star staff correspondent at the world's baseball series, says: "Now that the Athletics have evaded the Giants three to one in yesterday's game, they have been installed as favorites for the world's championship, and from an unbiased point of view it seems as if the odds of seven to five were justified. In defeat and in victory they have impressed unprejudiced observers as a better ball team than the Giants, and with an even break in luck should not have very great difficulty in retaining the honors they won last year."

"In making this assertion there is no desire to depreciate the worth of the New York team. Good pitching cuts a wide swath in these post-season encounters, and in this respect Philadelphia seems to have the edge on New York."

"Now with Marquard out of the way, the sole reliance of the Giants is the great Mathewson, and it would be no surprise if he gets a trimming when he stacks up against the Athletics again. They are a bunch of hard hitters, are American League champions, and 'Matty' will have to be at the top of his arm to secure another victory."

The prospect of decent baseball weather became more discouraging as the day advanced, although the rain has stopped and the canvas covers were, at one o'clock, pulled off the diamond. The field is in fine shape and fast. Threatening weather militated against a big crowd and, there were many gaps in the bleachers as well as in the high priced seats.

There was a drizzling rain when the game commenced at two o'clock. The line-up:

Giants—Devore, 1.; Doyle, 2b.; Snodgrass, 3.; Murray, r.f.; Merkle, lb.; Herzog, 3b.; Fletcher, s.; Meyers, c.; Mathewson, p.

Athletics—Lord, 1.; Oldring, c.f.; Collins, 2b.; Baker, 3b.; Murphy, r.f.; Davis, lb.; Barry, s.; Lapp, c.; Combs, p.

Umpires—Klem and Brennan; Connelly and Dineen.

In the seventh innings, the weather cleared up.

In the first part of the ninth Baker, of Athletics, made a home run, tying the score.

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## HALIFAX HERALD SCORES

### A POLITICAL DEAL.

### Calls on Honest Men of Both Sides to Enforce an Investigation.

Halifax, Oct. 17.—A sensation was caused in political circles yesterday by the publication in the Halifax Herald, of an article vigorously denouncing a "deal" made between Liberals and conservatives in Annapolis, by which they agree to allow Hon. A. T. Daniels to be returned without opposition on his appointment as attorney-general in the Murray government, on condition that no protest be filed by the Liberals against the federal house by a majority of thirteen. The Herald denounces Premier Murray and Mr. Daniels for setting at defiance what it terms the first principles of responsible government, and also denounces the conservatives for tacitly admitting corrupt practices, not only in Annapolis, where S. W. Phipps was defeated, but in King's, where Sir Frederick Borden was overcome.

### Will Build Canadian Factory.

Niagara Falls, Oct. 17.—The announcement is made that the Beaver Manufacturing Co., of Birmingham, England, manufacturers of aluminum novelties, will locate a Canadian branch factory here.

## HIGH SCHOOL BOARD IS UNDER FIRE

### Adding of Dancing to Curriculum Has Aroused Niagara Falls Clergy.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The adding of dancing to the curriculum of the Niagara Falls high school, has been taken up by the clergy, some supporting and others criticizing the board of education for their action.

Sunday night the Rev. W. C. Prewitz, pastor of the Church of Christ, preached a sermon denouncing the board for its action. Rev. Franklin J. Gatabrook, of the First Congregational church, spoke in favor of the board, saying that dancing is not regarded now as either religious or irreligious, and that children should be taught social graces and deportment.

### Refuse Loan to China.

Pekin, Oct. 17.—The government appears to have sufficient ready money for a campaign of six weeks or two months, but, anxious for a reserve fund in view of the possibility of a more extensive conflict with the revolutionists, today applied formally for a loan of 5,000,000 taels, or about \$3,000,000 to the international bankers, who arranged the \$50,000,000 currency reform loan. The group of financiers who represent four nations, the United States, Great Britain, Germany and France, were unable to agree to do this, and the loan was refused.

### To Interview Beck.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—The mayor and Secretary Ellis, of the civic electric commission, will probably go to Toronto to see Hon. Adam Beck, regarding the Ontario Falls power rights, which Ottawa is after, and the contemplated sale of which life dominion minister of public works has held up, pending enquiry. The mayor is now in correspondence with Hon. Mr. Beck.

### Whiskey Kills Babe.

New York, Oct. 17.—Whiskey caused the untimely death of two-year-old (Florida) Markucci, who climbed on a chair and took the bottle off the mantelpiece, Sunday morning.

## ATTEMPT TO DYNAMITE TAFT'S SPECIAL TRAIN

### Thirty-Six Sticks of Explosive Found Under Rail Bridge.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 17.—A report received here to-day, by officials of the Southern Pacific railway from C. C. Brown, section foreman for the road at Naples, Cal., gave details of the discovery of thirty-six sticks of dynamite under the Cairns viaduct, twenty miles north of Santa Barbara, several hours before President Taft's special train passed over the bridge en route to Los Angeles Monday morning.

The dynamite was discovered at two o'clock. The president's train passed over the bridge at 5.51. The night watchman saw two men on the bridge at the opposite end of the 1,000 foot span and ran when ordered to halt. The watchman hurried across the bridge, firing several shots, which were returned.

After the pair had escaped, the watchman returned to the bridge and began an investigation. Near the center of the span, lodged in one of the supports of the viaduct, he found the thirty-six sticks of dynamite with a ten-foot fuse attached to one of the sticks. He left the find untouched, going immediately to Santa Barbara and notifying the officials.

Sheriff Wines, of Santa Barbara county, went immediately to the bridge with several deputies and removed the dynamite. A general search is being made for the men.

### For College Playwrights.

Ithaca, N.Y., Oct. 17.—Henry W. Savage has made the Cornell Dramatic Club an offer to produce any play written by a Cornell playwright which has been approved by the college authorities and produced by the college actors. His offer is for the purpose of developing college playwrights.

### A Trooper Wedded.

A quiet wedding was performed in St. George's cathedral, on Tuesday morning, when Trooper Verryard, of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, in connection with the riding establishment of the Royal Military College, was united in marriage to Miss Agnes Pollard, Barrieffield. The ceremony was performed at 11.30 o'clock by Dean Bidwell. The groom was formerly of London, Eng., and the bride came originally from Edinburgh, Scotland.

### Boils Bother Darby, Pa.

Darby, Pa., Oct. 17.—Five hundred persons, one-fourth of the population of this town, are victims of an epidemic of boils and physicians are puzzled as to its cause.

### Prince Lutpold, the regent of Bavaria, is seriously ill of bronchitis. His condition