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HORRIBLE STORY OF WHOLESALE MASSACRE

Children Roasted Alive, Priests Have Their Hearts and Tongues Torn Out—Gladstone Replies to Salisbury—Balfour on Ireland—Foreign News.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The Chronicle correspondent at Tien Tsin says: Official reports of the Takow massacre contain details almost without parallell, even in the history of China. Previous despatches have given but a faint idea of what happened. The members of little Belgian mission had no opportunity of escaping. The slaughter commenced with the killing of native converts, many of whom were put to death with fiendish cruelty. Children of tender years were seized by savages, hacked with knives and roasted at a huge fire. A worse fate still befel the nuns who were subjected to the greatest indignities, being brutally outraged by the fiends who afterwards brained them with massive clubs.

The Belgian priests were cruelly tortured, but met their fates with Christian resignation. One of them had his heart and tongue torn from his body and burned by savages in a murderous frenzy.

The most astonishing statement is one that after the miscreants had been satiated with outrage and slaughter they were feasted and fêted by the leading Chinese mandarin in the district.

The foreign diplomatic body at Pekin are simply furious. The whole European colony is boiling with indignation.

A despatch from St. Petersburg gives the contents of a private telegram about Chinese disturbances, confirming those of The Chronicle's Tien Tsin correspondent.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Advices received here from Shanghai state that the rebel forces in Manchuria have defeated the Imperial troops sent to suppress the rising in the region. The Imperial forces numbered 4000 men and their defeat causes the Government the gravest anxiety. Reinforcements to the number of 6000 men have been despatched from Tien Tien to oppose the rebels, who are marching on Pekin. If the Imperial troops are again defeated the position of Pekin and Tien Tien will be extremely critical.

GLADSTONE ON SALISBURY.

He Compares the Premier to a Nurse Maid—Home Rule.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Mr. Gladstone was Saturday a participant in the exercises attending formal opening of a recreation hall at Port Suntight, near Birkenhead. The ambiguities of the position of the so-called Liberal-Unionists were now lifted, said the Premier. The last shred of their pretext of Liberalism had been removed by Lord Hartington's frankness. This left the battle to be manfully and good-humoredly, he hoped, fought out between Liberals and Tories.

Mr. Gladstone declared that Lord Salisbury seemed ignorant of what was going on in the British Empire. When he was a young man all colonies were governed in Downing-street. Since then all the colonies had been given local autonomies, infinitely more than Ireland had asked, for yet their hearts beat warmly in unison of the Mother Country. Lord Salisbury had called Home Rule capsuled medicine. Doubtless he was an authority on physic, as he had to take several nasty doses in recent years, like that of the South Molton election. The two reasons for placing Home Rule in the van of the Liberal policy was injustice to Ireland and the necessity for clearing the road for self-legislation. Having no hope in the present, Lord Salisbury had occupied himself by predicting what would happen when a Home Rule bill was passed. He had talked of coming massacres and cruelty in Ireland. Did such predictions proceed from the brain of a Premier, or did he hear them in bedlam? They were certainly much worthier of the latter than the former. Salisbury was like a silly nursemaid, who, when unable to pacify by rational means, tried to frighten by stories of hobgoblins. [Laughter and cheers.] Let the people disrim as such imaginations.

Speaking later, Mr. Gladstone dealt at length with the labor question.

A Permanent Cure in Sight.

EDINBURGH, Nov. 30.—Mr. Balfour attended a Conservative meeting here to-day. In the course of his remarks, referring to Ireland, he said he believed that Great Britain would never again see a gigantic agrarian conspiracy, fed by American funds, raise its head in Ireland. He did not believe that again would be seen anything like the obstruction and defiance formerly thrown into the teeth of the British Parliament by a few Irish representatives. Mr. Balfour added that he hoped the country had at last successfully emerged from its greatest difficulties. All that Ireland now wanted, he declared, was a firm, liberal and kindly government. If only Mr. Gladstone abstained from advocating impossible legislative remedies, Mr. Balfour was confident that a permanent cure of the Irish troubles was effected.

GONE OVER FOR GOOD.

Mr. Chamberlain's Final Renunciation of the Gladstonian Party.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The scene at Birmingham this week is remarkable for more reasons than one. Mr. Chamberlain for the first time has made a formal declaration of his final alienation from his old associates. The passage will long be memorable in the political history of this country. After explaining that it was for no slight cause, for nothing less than the security of the empire, that rupture could have occurred, he says:

"Even after the rupture had taken place there were many of us—I was one of them—who hoped it would be only temporary, who believed that the Gladstonians would speedily abandon the path upon which we knew, and they had good cause for knowing, they had reluctantly entered. We looked forward therefore to a speedy re-union. If I refer to that now it is to say that since then the gulf has widened and deepened. Now I neither look for nor desire re-union." He goes on: "The Gladstonians have accepted the policy of the Parnellites. Yes. But they have accepted something more. They have accepted their principles, their methods and even their manners. Meanwhile the branches of the Unionist party have been brought into closer and more cordial relations."

It is no common occasion which elicits such an announcement as this.

Two British Officers Disgraced.

LONDON, Nov 30.—The names of Captains Boileau and Butcher have been removed from the list of officers in the British army as the result of a long enquiry into their action at the time of the massacre at Manipur on March 20 last, when Chief Commissioner James W. Quinton, Agent Grimwood, Col. Skene and a number of British officers, together with nearly 500 native soldiers, were killed.

PAPER MILLS COMBINE.

A Quartet of Paper Mills Form a Combine.

DETROIT, Nov. 30.—The Cliff Paper Company of Niagara Falls, Lockport Paper Company of Lockport, N. Y.; Rochester Paper Company of Rochester, N. Y.; Riordon Paper Company of Merritton, Ont., and Charles L. Ortman of Detroit will this week complete the organization of a syndicate with a capital of $150,000 for the purpose of buying spruce timber in Georgian Bay district.

Tried to Kill the Preacher.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—As Dr. John Hall, pastor of the Fifth-avenue Presbyterian Church, was passing from the church to the parsonage adjoining just after the close of the morning service to-day, an insane German real estate dealer named John G. Roth fired three shots at him in quick succession, none taking effect. Roth was overpowered by the sexton and locked up. Roth said a conspiracy had been gotten up against him by the pastor.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Dragged to the Court.

KINGSTON, Nov. 30.—(To the Editor): About the middle of last month W. McRae a third year student, came to Queen's from Toronto university. A few days ago, he received a summons to appear before the college concursus iniquitatis et virtutis. Mr. McRae felt that he was innocent, and did not obey the summons. Last Wednesday evening a posse of six or seven students took a cab and drove to his boarding house. They entered the house, with the intention of taking Mr. McRae by force. Two other students were present. They felt that such violence was not the right of the court. They knew too that Mr. McRae intended to leave the university that night if dragged to the court room against his will. They therefore remonstrated with the student constables, and as the excitement was evidently hurting an aged lady of the house the constables withdrew.

Mr. McRae's supporters then made an effort to have the matter settled quietly. During the Wednesday afternoon, previous to the sitting of the concursus, Mr. McRae naturally spoke very strongly against the injustice done to him and used some indiscreet language. It was proposed that the court should postpone its action against Mr. McRae *sine die* provided that he apologize to the senior judge for his conduct on Wednesday afternoon. This was a fair and earnest effort after peace. But it was rejected and a second subpœna was issued setting the trial for Tuesday evening (to-morrow.) It is openly threatened that if Mr. McRae does not appear he will be taken by violence. It is now a question of the authority of the court versus the personal liberty of every student who does not uphold it. What then, it may be asked, is the province of the court. The concursus has never been, and in the nature of the case can never be in organic relation to our university life. It is an arbitrary compact which year after year has been entered into by a number of students. Its authority cannot therefore extend to those students who do not voluntarily submit themselves to it. The moment it seeks to violate the personal liberty of any man, be he student or not, its action is lawless and it is a case of the stronger against the weaker—simple tyranny. Had the concursus kept within its proper sphere; had they even courted Mr. McRae in his absence, as was done in a similar case, three years ago, there would have been no ground for open complaint. But when a student's time has been wasted, his civil rights denied, and when every proposal for compromise has been rejected, it is time to utter an earnest protest.

Unwilling to submit to humiliation and injustice Mr. McRae is driven from Queen's. When this action is forced upon a man the public and all true friends of the university should know why. If we so far forget ourselves as to carry this case to the bitter end, we have at least the poor consolation of knowing that we have hounded a fellow student from our college. This is not the true spirit of Queen's. For the sake of common justice, and to save the fair name of our university, we plead for a calmer and more sympathetic view of the case than has yet been taken.—R. M. PHALEN '89, A. F. FITZPATRICK '89, J. M. MILLAR 90.

Writes to Vindicate an Officer.

POINT ST. CHARLES, Que., Nov. 24.—(To the Editor): A WHIG, dated some weeks back, having fallen into my hands I noticed a letter signed "Humanity" reflecting on the management of the house of industry, which I feel it my duty to contradict as it is false as I have received much kindness from said management. I would beg to say that of the three men mentioned by "Humanity" as being overworked, it was quite optional with two whether they worked or not and as for the other who is "spitting his last lung away" I have myself heard the superintendent request him not to work so hard. In order to keep the place clean and to promote the health of the inmates it was found necessary that the inmates should have some out door exercise instead of lounging around the house all day, and I am sure the general health of the inmates has been better since they have had to do this. That the present superintendent has the comfort of the inmates at heart must be acknowledged by any who knows the changes he has introduced.—JUSTICE.

That Soup Kitchen.

KINGSTON, Nov. 30.—(To the Editor): I must ask you to make some correction in the notice of the soup kitchen on Colborne street. In the first place it is not under the auspices of All Saints', and in the second, although I have helped it and am interested in its success, I cannot claim the honor of prime mover. That belongs to Mrs. Wilson, who runs the house and does the work, which is a noble effort on her part to use the talent which God has given her to help those as poor as herself.

Yet, again, it is not a free soup kitchen (a thing which I entirely disapprove of and advised Mrs. Wilson against) but the soup is sold at as nearly cost price as can be calculated. I should not be sorry should Mrs. Mrs. Wilson's effort result in a soup kitchen under the auspices of All Saints', but that must depend on two things: (1) The demand for such an institution by the poor, and (2) the support it receives in the shape of soup materials, of which so much is wasted in large houses.—ROBERT W. RAYSON, Rector of All Saints'.

What's This We Hear?

KINGSTON, Nov. 30.—(To the Editor): I think every true Scotchman, seated in Chalmers' church, last evening, must have felt as I did, that it was a mistake to ask an annexationist to preach a sermon to loyal Scotchmen, on the eve of St. Andrew's day. Ever true Scotchman is, of necessity, a true Canadian, and his most ardent desire is to raise his adopted country to the standard of his native land, the beau ideal, in his mind, of what a country ought to be. If I forget thee, dear Scotland, let my right hand forget her cunning.—A LOYAL SCOT.

Peaks is Remanded.

HALIFAX, N.S., Nov. 30.—There are some nice points involved in the proceedings for the extradition of C. W. Peaks, held on a charge of embezzlement of $20,000 from the Boston & Albany railway company. The warrant, on which he was arrested, alleges that he embezzled $20,000 on the 1st Sept. The depositions for his extradition show that he had fled from Boston in the middle of August, two weeks previous, and that the amount is $4,141 embezzled during a period of eighteen months. Counsel for prisoner claimed his discharge on the ground that he was not and could not be guilty of the crime alleged in the warrant. Judge Ritchie holds that the specific offence is embezzlement and the details of dates and amount are not essential. If guilty of embezzlement he ought to go back for trial. Canada ought not to be made an asylum for American criminals, through mere technicalities of the law, when the evident intention of the treaty and statute is to make it easy to return fugitives to the country from which they escaped to stand their trial. In order to give counsel opportunity to quote authorities and precedents he remanded the prisoner until to-morrow.

Won By a Watertown Man.

WATERTOWN, N.Y., Nov. 30.—George W. Kelly, proprietor of the Woodruff house barber shop, and Miss Anna McCavlin, Oswego, were married in the latter city. The wedding created a sensation in Oswego, as the bride was engaged to marry another fellow the following morning. All arrangements had been made for the marriage of Miss McCavlin to a railroad man of Oswego. In the meantime the Watertown man had been planning to forestall the wedding that had been announced and to have one of his own. He arrived in Oswego, met a cordial welcome and soon the ceremony was performed which gave him the coveted bride.

We Have Noticed It Ourselves.

Gananoque Journal.

It is safe to say that they don't smuggle coal oil over to Kingston. If they do it never reaches the outer G.T.R. station, for all that greets a weary traveller there is one stingy lamp with a dirty chimney in a large waiting room. A first-class advertisement for tourists and pleasure-seekers to the limestone city.

The Franking Privilege.

OTTAWA, Nov. 30.—It is proposed on the 1st of January next to deprive civil servants of the privilege they have enjoyed for many years of franking their private correspondence. The franking privilege, hereafter, is to be confined to official correspondence. The treasury board will draft regulations under which the new order-in-council will be carried out.

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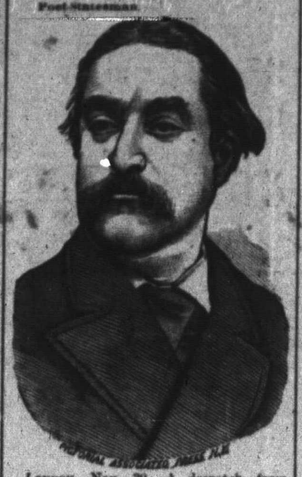
EDMUND YATES DYING.

THE FAMOUS EDITOR OF THE LONDON WORLD ILL.

Bleeding at the Lungs and Dissolution Expected—Obsequies of Lord Lytton—An Immense Throng Do Honor to the Poet-Statesman.



LONDON, Nov. 30.—A despatch from Brigton states that Edmund Yates, the novelist and editor of The World, is in a critical condition. He is bleeding at the lungs and his death is expected.

Death Failed to Burst Their Cerements.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—It is said that the late Lord Lytton was a devoted spiritualist, that he believed he had communications with Joan of Arc, Balzac and Napoleon and that he complained that he was always baffled in trying to have access to the spirit of his father.

PARIS, Nov. 28.—The obsequies of the Right Hon. Edward Bulwer Lytton, Earl of Lytton, the British Ambassador at Paris were held to-day in the Church of England. The ceremonies, which were very impressive, were attended by an immense number of people. Among those present besides the family of the dead statesman and author, were many of his personal friends, men who have won high positions in the literary world, all the members of the diplomatic corps at present in Paris and a large number of the members of the French Senate were also there. Hundreds of persons, unable to gain admission to the church, contented themselves with reverently baring their heads as the body of the Earl was carried past.

The celebrated painter, Leon Bonnat, has just finished a portrait of the Earl of Lytton and this picture was placed on an easel, which stood at the head of the casket as it laid in the church.

After the services the body was conveyed to the railway station en route to England, where it will be interred. The route followed by the cortege from the church to the railway station was lined by 3500 troops, who had been detailed for this duty by the French Government.

DROVE NAILS INTO HIS BRAIN.

The Desperate Act of an Aged Man in Far Away Vienna.

VIENNA, Nov. 29.—A man about 70 years old living in this city was recently attacked with religious mania and became impressed with the idea that he was called upon to make a sacrifice. He therefore procured seven nails, each three inches long, and hammered them into his skull. He only lived a few hours.

Decreased Conservative Majority.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The election in the Eastern Division of Dorset, to fill the vacancy in the House of Commons caused by the death of George Hawkesworth Bond (Conservative), was held yesterday, and resulted in the return of the candidate of the Conservatives, Humphrey Sturt, son of Lord Alington. The Gladstonian candidate was Pascoe Glyn, who represented the Division from Nov., 1885, until the general election of the following summer, when he was defeated by Mr. Bond. The result of yesterday's election was as follows:

Humphrey Sturt (Conservative)	4401
Pascoe Glyn (Gladstonian)	4054
Sturt's majority	347

At the last election the vote stood:

George R. Bond (Conservative)	4317
Pascoe Glyn (Gladstonian)	3653
Bond's majority	664

It will thus be seen that the Gladstonians succeeded in reducing the previous majority of the Conservatives by 308 votes.

Mistaken Relief Measures.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The Standard's Moscow correspondent says the Russian Government discovers the disadvantages, if not folly, of pouring forth millions for famine relief before winter is well begun. The realization of this want of foresight, he states, has resulted in efforts to restrain and regulate relief contributions, but he considers that it is now too late to resort to restraint and that action in that direction will have only the effect of inciting the famished peasant to revolt.

The Female Abortionist Convicted.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—The sensational trial at Batignolles of the woman Mme. Thomas, which was begun on the 16th inst., is concluded. She was charged with committing wholesale abortions, her crimes extending over a period of 23 years. She has been sentenced to 12 years' imprisonment at hard labor and Floury, her male accomplice, is to undergo 10 years' imprisonment. Fifty-three women who were charged with submitting themselves to her treatment were also tried with her. Two of them were sentenced to a year's imprisonment each and 45 acquitted.

Twenty Years' Collection.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The wonderful collection of postage stamps that has just been bequeathed to the British Museum by the late Mr. Tapling, M.P., contains 260,000 stamps, exclusive of a very large number of postal cards and envelopes. The collection is valued at £60,000 and the owner was 20 years in forming it. During that time he visited almost every country in the world and offered exorbitant prices for rare specimens.

Famine and Typhus Increasing.

ODESSA, Nov. 30.—The latest news from Saratoff and Kasan is to the effect that famine and typhus are increasing. The Government has added the large districts of Korosk to the famine list. Five thousand horses and eight thousand cattle have been slaughtered in Voronosh in one month on account of lack of fodder.

Against French Aggression.

TANGIER, Nov. 30.—At a meeting of various tribes in the oasis of Touat, he possession of which is disputed by France and Morocco, it was decided to accept the protection of Morocco to ensure the independence of the tribes and to save them from French aggression.

Milan Goes to Persia.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—Le Paix prints a story to the effect that the Shah of Persia has appointed ex-King Milan commander of the Persian cavalry. The ex-King will shortly proceed to Teheran to organize the cavalry forces of the Shah.

Russia to Mobilize Her Troops.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—A despatch to the Standard from Sebastopol says the Russian Government is preparing to mobilize the troops in 1892.

Smuggling Frozen Fish.

WINDSOR, Nov. 30.—Special Agent Pratt of the U.S. customs yesterday seized 218 tons of frozen fish, valued at $7,000. The fish were owned by the Buffalo Fish Co. and Detroit Fish Co. and are alleged to have been smuggled from Canada.

Earthquake Shocks at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 30.—At 8.21 o'clock this afternoon two earthquake shocks lasting about 5 seconds each were felt here.

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A FRIGHTFUL WRECK.

Many Passengers Killed in a Collision on the Lake Shore.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 30.—A Flint and Pierre Marquette train crashed into the rear of the Boston and Chicago special on the Lake Shore Friday night, and the pilot plowed its way more than midway through the coach.

Mrs. Susan McCoy of Rawson, Ills., and her two children, aged 8 and 18 months, were killed and 11 injured, two of whom will die.

The severed hand of a laboring man, probably a brakeman, was found in the wrecked car, but so far the injured man has not been discovered.

In addition to the three killed outright four more have since died and several others cannot survive. Nearly all the wounded were frightfully burned and scalded, and many must be disfigured for life.

The Dead.

MRS. SARAH MCCOY, Ransom, Ill.

The two children of Mrs. M. S. McDonald of New York.

H. VAUGHAN of San Ferdinandino, Cal.

THOMAS MCQUEEN of Elkhart, Ind.

MISS ELLA MEYERS of Cleveland.

MAUD MCKENZIE of Chicago.

In a Precarious Condition.

Mrs. John Nelson, Toledo.

Warren L. Potter, Des Moine, Ia.

Mrs. J. A. McKenzie and daughter Pearl of Chicago.

James Ludwig of Peoria, Ill.

John Conway, Melbourne, Mass.

CARRIED OFF A BABE.

A Servant Kidnaps a Kansas City Banker's Infant Son.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 30.—This place was startled Thursday evening by the announcement of the bold kidnapping of the 2-year-old son of David T. Beals, president of the Union National Bank. The abduction occurred under conditions that make the tracing of the child and his abductors extremely difficult, inasmuch as they appear to have disappeared as completely as if they had been annihilated.

Mr. Beals is an elderly man, and this being his youngest child was regarded by both parents with peculiar favor.

The kidnapping was done by the waitress, known as Lizzie Smith, engaged in the Beals household. Just as the family were finishing dinner the waitress remarked that she would go out after the evening paper, which is always delivered on the verandah of the house. She had been gone but a few moments, when Mr. Beals heard an outer door slam. This, while not being unusual at all, somewhat excited Mr. Beals' suspicions, and going into the hall he found that his little son was not playing about. The child had been playing in the hall with two of Mr. Beals' grandchildren. Upon being questioned they said that Lizzie had taken the child out of a side entrance.

Mr. Beals at once put the case in the hands of the city police and the Pinkertons.

The waitress has been in the Beals household only three weeks. Very little is known of her.

Mr. Beals offered a reward of $5000 for the recovery of the lad and no questions asked and last night a masked man appeared at his residence with the child in his arms, received the $5000 and at once surrendered the child.

King was arrested Saturday morning and last night the woman, who is believed to be his wife, was also taken into custody. They were remanded to jail.

NEARLY 300 LIVES LOST.

Loss of a Brig with Gilbert Island "Slaves" on Board.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—A despatch from Manzanillo, Mex., says the American steamer Roseville has arrived there and reports passing a wreck—that of the brig Tahiti—at sea. She was floating bottom up and the captain of the Roseville says she must have been capsized. The Tahiti created a sensation Sept. 30 last, putting into Drake's Bay, near this city, in distress. She had 270 Gilbert Islanders on board under contract for work in Mexico at starvation wages. These men were practically slaves and there was much talk of seizing the vessel. Collector Phelps, however, decided he had no right to detain her and the brig left. It seems almost certain that all on board have been lost, as the ship's boats were still with her. Besides the Islanders the vessel carried a crew of 21, making a total of 291 on board the ill-fated craft.

Couldn't Make Ends Meet.

MITCHELL, Nov. 30.—The sensation of the day is the sudden departure of Mr. Seldon and his family from the Royal Hotel. Seldon is a son-in-law of Dan Whale, recently sentenced to penitentiary for life for murdering his wife and formerly conducted the American Hotel in Toronto. Seldon had for a week or two been badly badgered by creditors in person, creditors through writs and creditors by judgments. The thing seemed to harass him until he became overwhelmed and decided to take a quiet departure. Thursday he got some of his effects away among the baggage of the commercial travelers and in the afternoon he took the train himself, as he claimed, for Toronto. It was soon learned that on reaching Stratford he turned his face westward and made for Detroit. The following day the thing was all out and the sheriff came up and took possession of the hotel in the interests of the creditors. Yesterday Mrs. Seldon and family left to join Seldon in Chicago. The local creditors are numerous, among the largest of them being Mr. James Dougherty, with a meat account of nearly $100; Messrs. Kyle & Barnett, coal, etc., $100; Fred. Davis, groceries, nearly $100; William Canning, wages, $100, and other employes greater or less sums. Among the most shamefully treated creditors in the long list is Miss Dawes, who during the Whale trouble sewed almost night and day to accommodate Mrs. Seldon and the family. Miss Dawe's claim is over $25. The sheriff is still in possession of the premises, and the effects, business and lease are to be offered for sale Friday.

They Met by Chance.

WEATHERFORD, Tex., Nov. 30.—A double killing occurred near here yesterday. The victims are two well-known citizens of Parker County, A. S. Freeman and William Rivers. A feud existed between them and their families. They met yesterday on Rivers farm. An altercation occurred and both men commenced firing. Freeman was killed on the spot and Rivers only lived a few hours.

Another Vacant Seat.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—E. C. Bowers, M.P. for Digby, has acknowledged corrupt acts by agents in his election and vacated his seat. The charges of personal bribery will not be pressed by the petitioner.

INTERESTING ITEMS BY WIRE.

A customs boat collided with the steamer Oriental at Gravesend. Three customs officers were killed.

The captain of the American schooner, D. H. Rivers, which arrived at Queenstown yesterday, was washed overboard and drowned on the passage.

The White Star Line steamer Tauric collided with the British steamer Baltimore in the Mersey Saturday night. No lives were lost.

Emperor William met the King of Denmark on his arrival at the railway station at Potsdam yesterday. Cordial greetings were exchanged, and a grand reception was given to the King at the castle.

The Archbishop of Aix in celebrating mass at Lyons, France, Sunday referred to his recent trial. He did not regret what he had done, he said, and the fact that a fine had been inflicted would not have the effect of silencing him.

It is probable that the action taken by coal mine owners in South Wales and Monmouthshire will tend to precipitate a strike of the miners in those regions. The mine-owners will announce that next month they abolish the sliding scale. This announcement affects 70,000 men in the coal districts mentioned.

There was a fair demand for discount in London last week. The condition of the money market is now considered the best that it has been for a year past, and a reduction in the Bank of England rate is looked for. On the stock exchange business showed signs of improvement. On the bourses business was quiet during the week but the outlook is brighter.

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12,000 Immigrants.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 30.—Dominion Government immigration officers at this point has just issued a statement by which it appears that over 12,000 immigrants came to this country during first ten months of present year against 10,000 last year.

Another Highbinder Murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The Highbinder feud, which has been raging in Chinatown for some time, resulted in another murder last night. A. H. Wah Kong, a cigar maker, was shot and killed and before he died he identified A. H. Sing, who had been arrested on suspicion, as the man who shot him.

Seakenan Orr Dead.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 30.—Seakenan Orr of the Canadian Pacific, who lost a leg while coupling cars at Chater the other day, is dead.

California Growth.

California pears, grapes, quinces, fine table figs. Jas. Crawford.

Larkin, Connolly & Co. are to be sued in the exchequer court for moneys paid them through excessive of undue influence.

Photographs of residences, camps, yachts, open air groups, views of Kingston etc. R. Henderson, 352 Princess St.

Major Hawley, ex-chief engineer of the public works department, is in a critical condition.

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TALE OF VOTERS W...

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A New Jersey Mine... Ex...

BELVIDERE, N.J. ... plosion occurred in... Oxford furnace Sat... shire was instantly... fatally injured, and... badly hurt. The... struck an old blast... off and an explosi... above results.

A Dishonest L...

NEW YORK, Nov. 3... Mrs. E. S. West, who... lady principal of Rutg... West 55th street, and... longer period has been... sonification of goodnes... by her own confession... funds of the college to... Samson, the president o... inclined to regard her a... maniac.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. ... nan, the lecturer, is suff... nervous prostration. Fe... that he will break down.

Will Secure Half...

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Offi... cago University announ... ceive the sum of $... B. Ogden estate despite... declaring the bequest in...

A Grand Trunk A...

DETROIT, Nov. 30.—Gi... assistant freight agent of... Railroad, is missing and hi... overhauled. It is known h... at least $3000.

An Unbridled Tong...

WINNIPEG, Nov. 30.—Rev... Methodist minister at Calg... fined $1 and costs for calling... woman a sow and a blackguard...

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From
Nov. 28	Servia	Queenstown	New York
"	Californian	New York	Hamburg
"	Fuerst Bismarck	New York	Hamburg
"	Scandia	New York	Hamburg
"	La Champagne	New York	Havre
"	Astrania	New York	Liverpool
"	Persian Monarch	New York	London
"	Moravian	Hamburg	New York
"	La Bourgogne	Havre	New York

Many Fires in Montreal.

MONTREAL, Nov. 30.—The cold weather of last night brought on a large number of fires. The saw mill of F. Tremblay, 43 Basin-street, was destroyed and damage amounting to $33,000 was done. In the grocery stables of William Blanchard, St Elizabeth-street, two horses were burned to death, and at another fire in the bakery of A. Smith, St. Maurice-street, four horses were fatally burned. There was a large number of smaller fires, and seven false alarms had also to be responded to by the brigade.

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