

DINNER TO ANTHONY HOPE.

THE LOTUS CLUB BANQUET THE LAYERS NOVELIST.

An enthusiastic reception to the author of "Prisoner of Zenda" and the "Dolly"...

Mr. Hope's face wore a constant smile, and he was kept busy during the dinner signing his name to the ornate special menu of the occasion...

It was the opening banquet of the season, and it gave Mr. Hope an opportunity to hear some of the very best after-dinner speeches for weeks past...

Dr. Savage wittily and playfully advocated the adoption by the Lotus Club of a motto which would be a protest against the impertinence of story writers who can write better stories than our best novelists...

It is an immense relief, for one thing at least, to escape from the roar and racket of our municipal election. The peaceful quietude of Bohemia never seemed so attractive as it does to-night.

Our distinguished guest, with his eye for color and popular effects and his keen dramatic genius, will find in the present situation the elements of an interesting dramatic theme...

After hearing from Gen. Tracy what he will do if elected, and from Mr. Low how he will serve the people, and from Mr. George how he will bring about a better government...

But I have never in England during several of their Parliamentary contests. They do not use the plain language of the wild and woolly Western luminiferous nebulae...

The American mood is indicated by an incident in the Ohio Governor's campaign. He was the Governor of that State, a man of intense energy and a man of high ability...

"I have a bit of advice for the young orators who are using violent language and vulgar expressions in the name of the people..."

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"77" taken at the beginning of a cold is worth half a dozen after.

When you feel the first chill or shiver, or your throat feels scratchy, is the easy time to cure a cold or check the grip.

This is why so many people keep a vial of "77" handy in the pocket, at the office, or home.

How to Clothe the Children.

BEST & CO. MILITARY BAZAAR.

A distinct gain in quality and in tailoring fit, and a material in two advantages for men coming here.

French Handmade Underwear.

For Children, made from patterns furnished by us. They combine all the daintiness of French hand work with the perfect fit of our own manufacture.

Canton flannel night drawers, Canton flannel day drawers, Canton flannel night gowns, Muslin, cambric and nainsook drawers, All-wool flannel drawers, Cambric undershirts, Babies' short skirts, Gimples in great variety.

Only the "Children's Store" has a trade large enough in these goods to warrant such a stock.

60-62 West 23d St.

FUNERAL STOPPED; BODY SEIZED.

Police break in and carry Mrs. Behrman's husband's corpse to the Morgue.

Harriet Behrman, a Russian carpenter, 40 years old, of 24 Suffolk street, died suddenly on Friday afternoon. The man was taken ill with cramps in the morning and was attended by Dr. Miller of 200 East Broadway.

Later in the evening, under orders from Coroner Fitzpatrick, Police Captain Herlihy sent two policemen to the Suffolk street house to get Behrman's body and remove it to the Morgue.

Repeated knocking failed to bring any response, so the officers inquired for the widow and relatives among the neighbors. They found Mrs. Behrman in a flat across the hall and ordered her to unlock her door.

There was a fierce fight, the woman scratching the policemen. The body was secured and taken to the Morgue. No arrests were made.

SAGASTA'S WORD TO WEYER.

He Tells the Late War Chief That He Had Better Keep Quiet.

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 23.—Sagasta said a strong dispatch to Weyer intimating to him that it is best for him to keep quiet. The volunteers are very much excited.

A great demonstration in favor of Weyer is preparing by the volunteers. Havana is very much alarmed, as it fears trouble. Weyer and Gen. Jimenez Castellanos have had a noisy disagreement because the latter refused to sign a statement presented to him by Weyer to the effect that he would not support the latter.

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RIOTING AT THE NEW DAM.

DEPUTIES ON GUARD ARMED WITH SHOTGUNS AND RIFLES.

Italians Employed on the New Croton Dam on the idea that they are to be forced from their homes into a company boarding house—follow a leader with a red flag.

Up among the hills of the Croton Valley, where their rounded tops come close together and their feet touch under the bright thread of the Croton River, the city of New York is having a monster wall of rock built to create a reservoir of water for the millions of inhabitants.

On Thursday morning these were all driven from their labor by other hundreds employed by the same contractors in the quarry a few miles further on the valley, and last night the miles at both the dam and quarry were considered to be in a state of siege.

Whether the men have any real cause of grievance or not, they all believe in the contractors themselves, and these deny it, but that the men believe they have, no one can doubt, nor is there any misconception on either side as to what they believe the trouble is.

The contractors declare that this is a misconception, that so far from their having any such designs upon the men, they are actually before they would permit them to do an injustice to even the poorest or most ignorant of their workmen.

Joe Seord came to the Croton Valley five years ago, when the work of building the new Croton dam was begun. He was one of several Italians who furnished men for the job and kept boarders, and he occupied a shanty which the contractors put up for him in the valley about half a mile from the dam.

While these villages about the valley have been growing and the men with their shotguns and rifles, as was expected, they found rotten rock full of seams, water worn cavities big enough to hold a man, and a few more of the same kind filled with guano and water-bearing rock.

Scores of derricks dot the bottom and stepped sides of the pit, and above it on the west side of the dam, the buildings at the dam site are surrounded by shanties in which are kept materials for the building of the dam.

It was well understood that the contractors would protect the commissary store and the saloon, but the men's earnings any sums which they might owe at these places, but as all other conditions of work, there was no complaint on the part of the men.

Thomas Doane of Charlestown, Mass., the civil engineer who was chief engineer of the Hoosac tunnel, and who ran the first locomotive through it, died on Friday night at West Townsend, Vt. He was born in Orleans, Mass., on Sept. 20, 1827.

John H. Thompson died yesterday morning at his home in Brooklyn of pneumonia. He had been for some time suffering from a pulmonary business in Fourteenth street, near Union street.

The athletic bowling league had another meeting last night on Monday at the Casino. The schedule for the next tournament. Seven of the clubs had one or more delegates present.

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HERBERT MAPES MEMORIAL.

The Gate to be Erected Near the New Columbus Memorial.

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Herbert's Conscience.

Cares little for people's stomachs. One of the greatest grocery houses in New England had a chemist analyze several cereal, wheat or grain coffees. The result shows that all such that have a coffee taste, thus far tested, contain cheap coffee or coffee essence, Except Postum.

If you want old-fashioned adulterated Coffee, such as used to make a grocer flourish when he sold it, the flood of "Coffee Substitutes," "Grain Coffees," etc., now flooding the market in the wake of the famous Original Postum Cereal Food Coffee, will supply the demand.

Health, dislikes to find that his grocer has sent him back a package of something else "just as good," and that its palatable taste is proven by a mixture of the old berry that made it true for him. If in any able to drink Coffee they want genuine, if they use a Cereal Food drink they want exactly that, and not a concoction of adulterated Coffee. President Elgerly of the Famous

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There has been a revolution in the desk business. Advertisement for a desk or office furniture, claiming a revolution in the desk business.

RICORD'S SUCCESSOR. Advertisement for Ricord's Successor, a medicine for curing various ailments like rheumatism, neuralgia, and sciatica.