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ELECTIONS take place to-day in the following named States: New York, Mississippi, Virginia, Maryland, Massachusetts Nebraska, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Colorado, Connecticut and Iowa.

THE report of the Mississippi River Commission, which will be found on the second page of this issue of the APPEAL, has special interest for our readers, because a large part of it is devoted to the Memphis harbor. It is well worth most careful perusal.

A TELEGRAM received from New York yesterday states that John Kelly's slight indisposition last week has been magnified into a serious relapse by those who do not know his condition. He is able to attend to business matters and receive a few friends. In the latter part of this month he will go to Florida for a short time and afterward will take a long tour in Mexico. He has for several years been desirous of seeing that country and studying its institutions.

IT seems to be conceded in medical and scientific circles in London and Paris that Pasteur, the persistent and laborious investigator, has succeeded in obtaining not only a cure but a preventive of hydrophobia. By methods of inoculation and subinoculation, if we may use the term, he has secured a virus that makes the bite of the mad dog hereafter inocuous and harmless. Since Jenner's discovery nothing so blessed and blessing as this has been conferred on humanity. But it will not stop at mankind. The dog will be a beneficiary, and all animals hitherto liable to attack from dogs afflicted with the most dreaded and dreadful of all diseases may be saved from liability to a horrible death.

THE campaign having closed in New York, the newspapers are discussing the probabilities, each being more or less guided by their predelections and desires. The *Times* says, sententiously: "We have no doubt of the result." The *Sun* says the Democratic committee look for 30,000 plurality for Hill, and estimate the prohibition vote will be almost as large as Hill's plurality. Editorially, neither the *Tribune* nor the *World* ventures on a prediction further than that the result will be close. The correspondents of the two journals, however, are widely apart, the former claiming an easy victory for Davenport and the latter a victory for Hill. The *Herald* prints two tables of probable majorities by counties, both made up by Republicans, one of which gives Davenport 8450 majority, and the other 11,000. The *Tribune* and *Times* say the betting is $100 to $75 on Davenport, and the *World*, while confessing that those were the figures a few days ago, says the betting is now even. The *Tribune* says: "Gov. Hill is not devoid of humor."

THE Merchants' Exchange on Saturday last issued a circular urging upon members the necessity for attending 'Change promptly every day, and especially of being present at the call hour. This, we think, is both timely and sensible. The Exchange, to be all that it should, must be availed of by all the members for the transaction of business and effecting sales. There the status of this market and its integrity are to be maintained by prices based upon the imperative laws of supply and demand. To accomplish this the attendance of all the merchants and accurate reports of all their transactions are essential and necessary. It is therefore hoped that the very earnest and logical appeal made by President Treadwell in the circular mentioned will have the effect of bringing every merchant to a knowledge of his duty in the premises and compelling him to its performance. The facilities afforded in having market reports from all parts of the country and a great mass of useful information which Mr. Keeling, the energetic secretary, is always prompt to deliver, is of itself an urgent entreaty for daily attendance that intelligent, progressive and enterprising merchants cannot afford to disregard.

A CONVENTION is to be held in Savannah the 25th instant for the purpose of considering the proper steps to be taken to secure from Congress appropriations for the improvement of the South Atlantic harbors which have been too long neglected. This is a matter that intimately concerns the producers of the South and West especially, and it is hoped that delegates will be present from those States and from the cities of Cincinnati, St. Louis, Kansas City, Little Rock, Baltimore, and even from Philadelphia, New York and Boston, the co-operation of which cities has been especially invoked. The dangers and difficulties of navigation add much to the cost of transportation, and thus add a tax on commodities which falls on both producer and consumer, necessarily detracting from the wealth of the country. The removal of these dangers cheapens freight, facilitates commerce and adds to material wealth. This has been exemplified by the Eads jetties, which have made New Orleans accessible to vessels of the deepest draft, and one of the safest and best harbors in the world. The Savannah convention ought to be made a crowning success, and it can if provision is made by it for following up its suggestions until they are put into practical force through an act of Congress and the necessary appropriations.

IT was rumored in New York last night that Mayor Grace and other equally well known men were likely to be arrested on charges originating in the Grant & Ward and Marine Bank swindles. District Attorney Dorsheimer, when questioned, admitted that some arrests were to be made, but refused to give the names of the parties. During the prosecution of Fish and Ward the question has occurred to us many times, in view of the promptness with which the law authorities of Glasgow, Scotland, dealt with the officers and directors of the North British Bank, why everybody connected with these two convicted felons was not held personally responsible for whatever share of the swag they might have received. There is a wide margin between legitimate and illegitimate profits, and the men who profited by Ward's transactions were of such standing in financial affairs that they must have known that they were getting more on their investments in the month than they could legitimately earn in five or six years on like amounts. Forty per cent. per month is not made honestly nowadays unless it is by something like the Bell Telephone, the sudden and quick demand for which by the public made several large fortunes for the first investors. But Ward did not handle anything like the telephone. His game was to rob Peter to pay Paul. In justice to Peter, Paul, as a receiver of stolen goods, ought to go to jail.

THE American Humane Association will hold its ninth annual session of three days at St. Louis, beginning on the 18th instant. The first day will be devoted to addresses of welcome and of response, and the appointment of standing committees and committees on credentials. On the succeeding days the following will be considered: "Report of Humane Societies," giving number of animals relieved, offenders prosecuted, children rescued and amount of humane work accomplished; "Reports of Total Humane Work" in United States during the past year; [illegible] societies in existence, etc. [illegible] of what should it [illegible] most disseminated; [illegible] upon civilization [illegible] Cincinnati, St. Louis, Kansas City, Little Rock, Baltimore, and even from Philadelphia, New York and Boston, the co-operation of which cities has been especially invoked. The dangers and difficulties of navigation add much to the cost of transportation, and thus add a tax on commodities which falls on both producer and consumer, necessarily detracting from the wealth of the country. The removal of these dangers cheapens freight, facilitates commerce and adds to material wealth. This has been exemplified by the Eads jetties, which have made New Orleans accessible to vessels of the deepest draft, and one of the safest and best harbors in the world. The Savannah convention ought to be made a crowning success, and it can if provision is made by it for following up its suggestions until they are put into practical force through an act of Congress and the necessary appropriations.

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APPEAL SPECIALS.

A General Review of the Trade and Business Situation—Increased Production in All Quarters.

Startling Sensation at Spring City, Tenn. —A Young Woman Betrayed and Foully Murdered.

Decisions of the Supreme Court of Mississippi—Murderer Captured at Pine Bluff, Ark.

[SPECIAL TO THE APPEAL.]

PHILADELPHIA, November 2.—A somewhat general movement on the part of users of iron and steel developed itself this week in New York, Pennsylvania and lake markets. Sales of over 100,000 tons of rails were made at $30 to $32. Bridge, plate, bar and wrought pipe iron were ordered liberally. Nails continue scarce, and unless the West resumes, a further advance will result. Merchant steel for machine-shop, tool-shop, railroad-shop and implement use will not advance, no matter how active the demand.

This week has been very active in the lumber trade, because of the stocking up by wholesalers and retailers for winter in white and yellow pine, hemlock and most of the hard woods. Prices are firm all through the list, and if moderate logging is done this winter, lumber will open firm in the spring, but a heavy log crop will probably weaken prices.

Wool of medium and low grade varieties is less active, because manufacturers have purchased nearly all they desire. Prices of products forbid higher wool.

Carpet manufacturers will curtail production this winter and advance prices 2 cents per yard on the spring trade. The print-cloth manufacturers propose to pool all their cloth, and a committee is now perfecting plans to pool and restrict and if possible advance prices. Exports of cotton goods have increased from 76,062 packages in 1876, October 1st, up to 155,089 October 1st of this year. A large clearing out of dry goods will be made by New England corporations this month at low prices to make favorable reports December 1st. In hosiery Jerseys are well sold up and scarce and knit underwear is sold ahead at supply. Clothing manufacturers are quieting down after the heaviest season for years, and bargains in stock remnants are to be had.

Movements in general merchandise are more restricted. Wholesalers and manufacturers are preparing for spring stocks.

Boot and shoe manufacturers are still full of season orders. Massachusetts shipments so far this year are 2,290,379 cases against 2,23,634 cases same time last year, an increase of 62,298 cases. At New York and Philadelphia orders are coming in freely, but for smaller lots, and prices show no weakness. Manufacturers have instructed jobbers that prices are 40 and 5 off in rubber boots and shoes.

Anthracite coal has advanced 10 to 25 cents per ton, to take effect to-day. The fall production is absorbed. Bituminous is stiffening in price in lake and river markets, under a generally brisk manufacturing condition. Buyers, large and small, are finding it advisable to place reasonable orders, but there is no possibility of any ruinous advance.

The volume of surplus reserve in Boston, New York and Philadelphia banks has declined $40,000,000 in ninety days, due to the increased demand for that amount of capital.

Labor is generally paid 5 to 10 per cent. better than during the summer, and less complaint is made by mechanical employments of non-employment.

Trade combinations have been attempted this winter on an extensive scale in order to reduce output and entire the spring trade under more favorable conditions, but while some success may be met with, the prybabilities point to a long era of moderate and, in most branches, declining prices, because of the increase of manufacturing capacity going on in all manufacturing States, and to the increased agricultural production.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

A Startling Sensation in Rhea County, Tennessee—A Young Girl Murdered.

[SPECIAL TO THE APPEAL.]

CHATTANOOGA, N. Y., November 2.—A most startling sensation was divulged to-day at Spring City, Rhea county, Tenn. Miss Sallie Newby, a beautiful young lady of that place, died about two weeks ago very mysteriously. The facts regarding her death were suppressed, and not until to-day did the truth become known. On her dying bed she told her terrible secret to her family physician under his promise to guard her confession sacredly; but to-day he was prevailed upon to disclose the truth. For some months past a young man named Joe Hicks had been paying devoted attention to the young lady. He persuaded her into a secret marriage, under pretense that his mother would oppose the match. He invited her into an adjoining county and, with the assistance of a confederate, had a mock ceremony performed. About a month afterward he began administering medicine, and the young girl gradually wasted away, when it was discovered too late that she had been murdered by slow poison and died in convulsions. The villain who accomplished her ruin has fled the country.

PINE BLUFF, ARK.

Arrested for a Murder Committed Eight Years Ago.

[SPECIAL TO THE APPEAL.]

PINE BLUFF, November 2.—Eight years ago, in Dallas county, John Clark had a quarrel with a man named Murphy. In a day or two afterward Murphy, while working on the roof of a gin-house, was shot by some unknown person and rolled to the ground, a distance of forty feet, a corpse. Suspicion rested on Clark and he fled the country. An indictment was found against him. After many years of wandering he returned recently, and was arrested to-day. He protested that he was innocent, and his counsel will endeavor to show that there was no evidence to justify a true bill.

GRENADA, MISS.

The Democrats Having It All Their Own Way in Yalobusha.

[SPECIAL TO THE APPEAL.]

GRENADA, November 2.—Politics have been quite lively here the past week. J. J. Williams, independent candidate for the Legislature, and M. K. Minter, independent candidate for Treasurer, both withdrew to-day, thus leaving the regular Democratic ticket without opposition except for sheriff. The whole ticket, it is thought, will be elected by a large majority, and all Democrats are jubilant.

JACKSON, MISS.

Decisions by the Supreme Court of Mississippi.

[SPECIAL TO THE APPEAL.]

JACKSON, MISS., November 2.—The Supreme Court rendered decisions to-day in the following cases:

By Arnold, J.—Canton, Aberdeen and Nashville Railroad Company vs. McCoy & Clark, from the Attala Circuit Court, affirmed; C. E. Hooker vs. Wm. Shuster & Sons, from the Hinds Circuit Court, first district, affirmed; S. P. Force vs. Alabama Great Southern Railroad Company, from the Lauderdale Circuit Court, reversed and a new trial ordered; Calvin Nichols, jr., and Precilla Nichols, convicted of larceny in Madison Circuit Court, affirmed.

By Cooper, C. J.—Ex parte John Henderson, on habeas corpus from Panola county, affirmed; Lee Witherspoon and Johnson Harris vs. The State, from the Madison Circuit Court, reversed and prisoner discharged; L. G. Fulton vs. M. J. Hughes, from the Leake Circuit Court, affirmed; Nelson Smith et al. vs. W. H. Shelton, from the Sharkey Circuit Court, reversed and remanded; Martha Eliza McGee et al. vs. J. C. Holmes, from the Winston Circuit Court, reversed and remanded.

By Campbell, J.—W. B. Roberts vs. E. Dicken, from the Attalla Circuit Court, affirmed; James H. Allen, trustee, vs. Dicken, from the Attalla Circuit Court, affirmed; John Williams vs. The State, convicted of larceny in the Lauderdale Circuit Court, reversed and remanded for new trial; ben Pope et al. vs. The State, convicted of unlawful gaming in Hinds Circuit Court, Second District, affirmed; C. M. Fuller, trustee, vs. J. L. Davis, from the Attalla Circuit Court, affirmed; W. S. Gibbs, ex restor, vs. T. S. Bunch, from the Yazoo Circuit Court, reversed and remanded; A. A. Folkes vs. The State, charged with violation of the privilege tax law in the Hinds Circuit Court, First District, affirmed; J. H. Leavenworth vs. O. B. Crittenden et al., from the Washington Chancery Court, affirmed.

Our community was shocked yesterday morning to hear of the sudden and unexpected death of Mrs. E. M. Boykin, widow of the late Hon. Burwell Boykin of Mobile, Ala., which occurred at 8 o'clock at the residence of her son-in-law, Judge L. Trigg, of this city. She had been in rather declining health for some months past, but had never been confined to her bed. She was out riding yesterday evening, and retired at her accustomed hour seemingly as well as usual of late. On going to her room this morning she was found to be dying. She is supposed to have had some attack of the brain, which caused her death. Mrs. Boykin was a most estimable and highly accomplished lady. She was the sister of the late Ex-Gov. John J. McRae of this State.

Dakota's Prosperity.

WASHINGTON, November 2.—Col. Gilbert A. Pierce, Governor of Dakota, has made his annual report to the Secretary of the Interior, showing the material progress of that Territory during the past year. A large proportion of the report is devoted to quotations and comparisons of facts exhibited by the returns of the Territorial census taken last summer. The population of the Territory is now 416,000, as against 135,180 when the Federal census was taken in 1880. The Governor says the year has been a very prosperous one for the Territory.

PERSONALS.

E. DREYFUS of New York, is at the Peabody.

MR. E. WITZMANN has returned from an extended trip.

J. G. M. Buffalo, New York, is registered at the Peabody.

MAJ. T. L. ALCORN of Mississippi, is registered at the Peabody.

J. S. BROWNBRIDGE of New York, is stopping at the Peabody.

W. A. WILLIAMSON of Somerville, is registered at the Peabody.

T. D. CRAIGHEAD and wife and Mrs. A. J. Porter are at the Peabody.

W. P. MCCORMICK and wife of Cleveland, O., are at the Peabody.

JAMES E. WOOD, a prominent merchant of Mariana, Ark., was in the city yesterday.

THERE will be an important meeting of the Chickasaw Guards to-night at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

MISS JULIA VACCARO of Adams street has returned, after quite an extended visit among relatives and friends in Northern and Eastern cities.

THERE will be a meeting of the Women's Exchange Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in the Court street C. P. church. All who have sent in their names for membership and who may wish to join will please come prepared to pay their annual dues, as it is important to have funds to begin the work. At this meeting the rules and by-laws to govern the exchange will be submitted for approval.

MRS. M. C. GALLAWAY, Chairman.

WE regret to hear of the death of Mr. Shelton R. White of Pontotoc county, Miss., at his home on the 27th inst. He was the last surviving brother of Col. C. C. White, of this county, and has a large circle of relations and friends in this and the adjoining States, who will mourn the loss of one of the truest and noblest of men. Mr. White was about seventy years of age.

THE APPEAL'S Sewanee correspondent writes that "Rumor promises us that our Thanksgiving season is to be accentuated by the acquisition of two residents. The gifted young chaplain of the University of the South, the Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, will bring a bride from Nashville early in November, and the marriage of one of the faculty elves Tullord Hall a new mistress, who will compensate in a measure for our loss of the bishop, whose episcopal residence is now in Memphis."

GEORGE QUINTARD and wife, accompanied by Mr. Walter Brodie and bride (the sister of Mrs. Quintard), are making a western tour, and will proceed to Biopilas, Mex., their future home. Mr. Quintard has made valuable additions already to the world's knowledge in botany and chemistry, gleaned from his Mexican mining experience. Few men of his age are so completely equipped for success and usefulness and the fulfilment of the wishes which accompany him to his new home.

NASHVILLE *Banner*, Sunday: Miss McAlister gave an entertainment at her home on High street last night complimentary to Miss Kate Thompson of Memphis. Miss Mamie Jackson assisted the hostess in discharging her duties. The following ladies and gentlemen were present: Miss Vaughn, Miss Mattie Moore, Miss Mamie D. Cheatham, Miss Hensley, Miss DeBow, Miss Lumpson, Miss Ewing and others, and Messrs. Fite, Porter, Kirkman, Parish, Ewing, Lampton, Ewing, Peck, Cantrell, Wade, Morgan Brown and Gordon White.

Ship your cotton to W. B. Galbreath & Co

ON AND OFF 'CHANGE.

MORE pimpkins.

BEAUTIFUL weather.

COTTON and wheat lower and unsettled in St. Louis.

COTTON was offered ⅛ below quotations yesterday.

GOOD attendance and some trading on the Call Board.

LOWER to sell is about the condition of the cotton market.

THE St. Louis flour market was dull and unchanged yesterday.

NO CHANGES reported in general trade quotations yesterday.

NO NEW YORK market reports to-day on account of the State election.

FUTURE cotton in New York closed with advances on Saturday's prices.

THE St. Louis provision market closed steady and room higher for lard.

THE Chicago wheat market was a little nervous yesterday, but closed lower.

WHEAT sold ¼c advance in Kansas City. Corn still unsettled. No change in oats.

LIVERPOOL reports another decline in spot and future cotton, recovering tone at the close.

RECEIPTS of cotton yesterday, 10,611 bales, over 2900 bales more than the same day last year.

POST receipts of cotton for three days this week are in excess of the same week day last year.

SPOT corn lower, but futures higher in Chicago. Oats unchanged for cash, but higher for December.

THE tables in the Merchants' Exchange were quite busy yesterday. Business on 'Change improving.

RATES for cotton from Memphis to New Orleans by river yesterday, including insurance, were 75 cents per bale uncompressed.

THE Merchants' Exchange has increased telegraphic facilities that will be appreciated by dealers in every branch of general trade.

THE Grain Elevator reported in store yesterday 12,713 bushels and 3037 sacks corn, 44,857 bushels and 12,789 sacks corn, and 10,051 bushels wheat.

SEVERAL orders were taken by samples at the Merchants' Exchange yesterday, to be delivered in Memphis, which will become popular in proportion as the merchants become educated to it.

THE O. and O. C. received a cable from his friend in London yesterday, in concluding which he said: "To-day is a holiday in the Bank of England and in the Stock Exchange—the first secular day of November being one of the bank's semi-annual settling days."

THE word "irregular," used by the cotton quotations committee in expressing the tone of the market was construed in various ways. Some interpreted it to mean that if the market had been more regular, from the standpoint of quotations, the list of sales would have been larger; others that it meant lower to sell.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE Quotation Committees for month of November, 1885: Groceries and Provisions—W. B. Mallory, chairman, J. F. Frank and E. M. Williams. Produce—Kirk Allen, chairman, L. Erb. Grain—V. L. Rogers, chairman, H. H. Maury. Flour—W. G. Gerrard, chairman, R. Z. Rucker. Cotton Seed Meal—B. F. Haller, chairman, E. L. Camp. Cotton Seed Oil—R. G. Latting, jr., chairman, J. W. Waysenburg, W. Katzenberger.

VISITORS to the Exchanges: B. Adams, Brighton, Tenn.; Geo. F. Dold, Kansas City; J. W. Clark, Sardis; D. Brown, Cincinnati; E. H. Kelly, Jackson, Tenn.; W. A. Phillips, Chulahoma, Miss.; W. D. Gallaway, Allentown; L. Fishel, Sardis; Dr. W. A. Thompson, Louisville; Miss Julia Johnson, Miss Mary Johnson, Collierville; Mrs. M. J. Phillips, city; R. Topp, St. Louis; R. P. Skipper, Cedar Keys, Fla.; Misses Mamie White, Ella Keck, Susie Do, Emily White, city; A. Sylvester, Germany; R. F. Jennings, Kansas City; J. S. Maers, Winfield, Ky.; J. P. Kent, Sherman, Tex.; W. Sloan, New York; D. C. Imboden, Kansas City; Mrs. H. A. Harris, Galloway; Mrs. M. L. Priddy, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller, Tenn.

POLITICAL.

Official Vote on the Ohio Constitutional Amendments.

COLUMBUS, O., November 2.—The official vote on the constitutional amendments at the election held October 13th were canvassed to-day. The amendment to abolish October elections was carried by an average of 573,000, and the amendment to change the terms of township officers from one to three years received 469,000 votes. The Governor has issued a proclamation declaring the amendments carried.

HAVE used Tongaline in some six cases of neuralgia, besides other nervous affections, and am prepared to say that, so far as my experience extends, it is one of the most reliable remedies that has ever come into my possession.

J. A. WARD, M.D., Troy, N. Y.

Poor-House Burned.

ST. LOUIS, November 2.—The Saline county poor-house at Marshall, Mo., was burned to the ground this morning and an insane inmate perished in the flames. The origin of the fire is not known, but it is supposed that the insane man fired the building. The loss is not stated.

A strong delegation will represent the merchants of this city at a the meeting of railroad managers to be held in Chicago this week to discuss the car-load rate question.

The New Bishop of Mobile.

MOBILE, ALA., November 2.—Bishop O'Sullivan was installed yesterday with appropriate ceremonies at the cathedral.

BRITISH FINANCES.

The Bank of England Borrowing Largely to Clear the Market of Surplus Funds.

This Action Taken to Arrest the Foreign Drain of Gold—The Continental Bourses.

Editor Stead's Trial—Important Letter from Mr. Gladstone on Church Disestablishment.

LONDON, November 2.—The Bank of England, in order to protect its reserves and arrest the foreign drain of gold, has, instead of raising the bank rate of discount, borrowed from private banks, giving consols as security, such large sums as to clear the open market of the greater portion of loanable money, thereby raising the rate for money to 1½. The rise thus artificially created is only a temporary one, and money will return to its former level when the Bank of England repays the loan made them. The market for American railway securities has at times during the past week been hesitating, but it closed decidedly buoyant. Eries were well supported, rumors that a new mortgage loan had been placed raising hopes of a satisfactory settlement of the overdue coupons of Erie second mortgage bonds. Rumors were current that Mr. Jay Gould will control the Reading road in the interest of the Baltimore and Ohio, while other reports were to the effect that the Pennsylvania Company will control the Reading. The week's advance in American railways was from 1 to 5 per cent.

Flat at Paris.

PARIS, November 2.—The Bourse has been dull during the past week, closing flat Saturday at the lowest quotations. M. Prewsel, who failed a few days ago was formerly connected with the Societe Generale and M. Dreyfus in Peruvian contracts. His failure is attributed to dealings in wines and grains. Neither France nor Belgium shows any disposition to recede from the antagonistic position they have taken on the silver question. Belgium still refuses to agree that each power shall take silver at a fixed value when the monetary union is dissolved all five franc pieces circulating abroad. The *Economist* defends Belgium, on the ground that since 1866 France has coined 1,563,000 five franc pieces for her own account, while France would make Belgium responsible for 14,000,000 pieces minted for private parties in the Belgian mint coinage. It is reported that France contemplates a reprisal by differential stamps on Belgium bills, or by a prohibitive customs tariff. Three per centum rentes are quoted at 79f. 87c.; Panama canal shares, 352f. 50c; discount 2½ per cent.

Dull at Berlin.

BERLIN, November 2.—Discount advanced ½ during the past week. The Bourse was dull. Exchange on London was clearer. Canadian Pacific were well sustained at 48.70. Zimmerman & Wells, bankers of Lisbon, have liquidated. Benjamin Redlich of Bremen has stopped payment.

BRITISH POLITICS.

Important Letter from Mr. Gladstone on Church Disestablishment.

LONDON, November 2.—Mr. Gladstone has written a highly important letter on Church disestablishment. He taunts the Tories with throwing the question forward as a political issue. He expects that the project belongs to the dim, distant future, that the public mind is not prepared for the scheme. In conclusion he says: "The agitation is for others, and not for me to deal with."

Address from the Archbishops of Canterbury and York.

LONDON, November 2.—The Archbishops of Canterbury and York have issued an address to English electors. They urge the men chosen in the coming election will be likely to govern the empire for a number of years, and they ask the electors to give their support to men truthful for character and work rather than to men of many promises. They exhort the electors to think for themselves instead of trusting their associations. The Archbishops think the church question of the highest importance. The address, though compulsory in tone, avoids direct party discussion. It is regarded as a thrust at Radical caucuses.

Spurgeon on Church Disestablishment.

LONDON, November 2.—The Rev. Spurgeon has written a letter for publication, in which he refutes the statement of orators who speak in defense of the Established Church imputed to him. He says that while he wishes the church well, and that it will make the best argument it can, he considers the union of the church and State unscriptural, fraught with countless evils, and an injustice towards dissenters, and, there'ore, ought to be discontinued. In conclusion he says: "I am not disposed to handle the question with bitterness, and cannot regret the impending change."

SMALLPOX AT MONTREAL.

Returns for the Month of October—Isolating the Infected Districts.

MONTREAL, November 2.—Returns for the month of October show that there were 1630 deaths in this city and its suburbs. Of this number only thirty-one were Protestants. The chairman of the Board says that his information indicates a very material decrease in the epidemic. The Vaccination Committee reports that during the past week 5187 houses have been visited and 1139 persons vaccinated or revaccinated. It is expected that by the end of the week the house to house visits will be completed. There are fourteen cases of smallpox at Chateau Guy Basin, seven persons in one house being afflicted with the disease. The isolation police force is being reduced to 100 men. The practice of sealing the doors of isolated houses is being found so efficient that one man can look after a whole street.

FOREIGN MISCELLANY.

Cholera in Spain.

MADRID, November 2.—The ravages of cholera in Bilboa are terrible. The authorities try to suppress reports of the progress of the plague.

The Prussian Elections.

BERLIN, November 2.—In the recent Prussian elections, the Liberals gained six seats from the Radicals. The Poles lost two seats in Posen. The Democrats were defeated in Frankfort.

Another Carlist Rising Feared in Spain

MADRID, November 2.—A fresh Carlist rising, it is feared, will follow the Democratic demonstrations in honor of Admiral Topete.

A Great Strike Threatened.

LONDON, November 2.—The Yorkshire colliers have decided to strike if their demand for an advance of 15 per cent. in wages is not granted. It is probable that the conference of miners to be held in Manchester Wednesday will result in a general strike in the midland counties, which will affect between 174,000 or 200,000 colliers.

Scandal in High Life.

DUBLIN, November 2.—A brilliant barrister of Munster has eloped with the wife of a wealthy member of the House of Commons. She is a daughter of a Tory peer and the mother of four children. It is believed the couple have sailed for America.

Bloody Fighting at Baku.

ST. PETERSBURG, November 1.—Bloody fighting is reported at Baku, on the Caspian Sea, between Moslems and Russians. The military had to be called out to restore order. In the fighting several Russians were killed and a large number wounded.

Snow-Storms in Galicia.

VIENNA, November 1.—Great snow-storms have occurred in Galicia, blocking up the railways.

Editor Stead's Trial.

LONDON, November 2.—The further hearing of evidence in the trial of Mr. Stead, editor of the *Pall-Mall Gazette*, and the other defendants in the Armstrong abduction case, was resumed to-day. Mrs. Jarrett was again put in the witness box, but she positively declined to make any further revelations respecting the case. Mrs. Josephine Butler and Prof. Stuart testified for the defendants. Mr. Stead then took the stand. He testified that **Mrs. Butler told him that he might implicitly trust Mrs. Jarrett, and he had no reason to suspect her of abduction or obtaining money from him by false pretences.** His testimony was in substance the same as that given in his statement at the magisterial examination.

Mrs. Josephine Butler testified that she, Mr. Stead, Mr. Scott, the city chamberlain, and Mrs. Booth had jointly guaranteed £200 to pay Mrs. Jarrett for procuring girls.

Mr. Stead said that the *Pall Mall Gazette* had paid £100, the cost of the secret commission. Mrs. Jarrett told him that Mrs. Ann Broughton kept a brothel, and that the mother of Eliza Armstrong was a drunkard, and had twice asked her to take Eliza.

Mrs. Jarrett was recalled and confessed that she had lied when she previously testified that she once kept brothels at Manchester and Bristol and declared that she was driven to lying by Sir Richard E. Webster, the Attorney-General.

Mr. Stead confessed that the statement of the *Pall Mall Gazette* that he could personally vouch for the truth of the (Lilly) story was not strictly true, because he had relied in a measure on the assertions of Mrs. Jarrett, who had since equivocated in the witness-box.

The court adjourned. A number of members of the Salvation Army were mobbed as they were leaving the courtroom at the close of the proceedings.

The Panama Canal.

PARIS, November 2.—M. De Lesseps, in a letter to a stockholder of the Panama Canal Company justifying a further call of 1250 francs per share, says that he is going to Panama in January to inaugurate the final period of the work on the canal. He refers to his application to the French Government for permission to issue new bonds, and repeats his prophecy that the Panama canal, although it will cost double what the Suez canal cost, will earn three times the earnings of the latter canal.

The New Regent of Brunswick.

BRUNSWICK, November 2.—Prince Albrecht, the new Regent of the Duchy of Brunswick, and his wife formally entered this city to-day and met with an enthusiastic reception. Replying to addresses, Prince Albrecht promised to follow in the footsteps of the late Duke, and maintain cordial relations with Emperor William and the German empire. Count Wrisberg, on behalf of the Council of the Regency, promised unswerving fidelity and loyalty to the prince, believing that, as a true Hohenzollern, Prince Albrecht would govern the duchy with justice and clemency.

A DROWNING BOY

Gallantly Rescued by John Kehoe of the Fire Department

[From a Cistern on Third and Adams Streets—Fire Curiosa.

In removing the circular cap from the cistern at the corner of Third and Adams streets, yesterday, the flange was broken so that when the firemen attempted to adjust it to its place it fell in. The aperture was covered by a heavy iron curbing and the department left the place to answer an alarm of fire. Shortly after they left the place a curious little six-year old, who lives at the laundry near by, took it into his head to peep into the cistern. In pushing the barrel aside he lost his footing and fell in. The alarm was quickly given and Mr. Kehoe went down into the cistern by means of a rope held by one of the other firemen. The boy was drawn out more dead than alive, and the usual restoratives were applied with so much success that he was able to talk in a little while. He said he tried hard not to drown himself "when nobody was looking" and the barrel toppled over as soon as he touched it.

THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Final Meeting of the Old Commissioners as a Board.

WASHINGTON, November 2.—Civil Service Commissioners Eaton, Gregory and Thoman held their final meeting as a board Saturday evening. Eaton and Thoman then retired from office under the terms of the law, Gregory alone of the trio remains in office, and has the responsibility of the enforcement of the civil service law upon his shoulders alone. It is said that Mr. Eaton will return to his law practice in that country, and will be superseded. At the closing meeting the commissioners spread upon the minutes a resolution: "That the commission cannot close its labors without expressing the conviction of the earnest, honest, efficient service rendered by all those serving as subordinate to them, and also to the members of the different boards of examiners whose work has been so much in themselves as it has been helpful to the commission and advantageous to the public service."

The constitution of the new board still remains a matter of speculation. The name of Comptroller Chapin of New York, it is stated, has been presented to the President for one of the places. Mr. Eaton thinks it will be a long time before organized to-day. To a reporter he said he did not hold over till his successor was appointed, and was no longer a commissioner. He had no apprehension, however, as to the President's determination and ability to enforce the law, and think things will go on all right. He will remain in Washington a few days longer.

The friends of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad deny that passenger agents are excluded from their depot, and think the report must have been started by a passenger agent who was debarred from entering the coaches from the incoming train. An order was recently made excluding hotel runners, hackmen and all others from preying passengers until they get out of the cars upon the platform.

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Officers Elected for the Ensuing Year—Resolutions Adopted.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., November 2.—At the third day's session of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the Executive Committee reported the weekly religious paper in trouble, and that it could be bought for $100, and recommended that it be purchased and transformed into a German temperance paper. The report was accepted, but no other action taken.

The secretary, after some discussion, was instructed to cast the ballot of the convention for Miss Frances E. Willard of Illinois for President.

At the afternoon session reports from the various departments were received.

The following officers were re-elected: Corresponding secretary, Miss Esther B. Buell, Connecticut; recording secretary, Mrs. Mary A. Woodbridge, Ohio; assistant recording secretary, Mrs. L. M. Stevens, Maine; treasurer, Miss Esther Pugh, Ohio.

Anthony Comstock addressed the convention concerning pernicious literature.

A resolution reaffirming the St. Louis resolution indorsing the National Prohibition party was adopted after a heated discussion, opponents of the resolution taking the ground that it was unwise to pledge the aid and influence of the union to any political party.

SPORTING NEWS.

Brighton Beach Races.

NEW YORK, November 2.—The day was fine and the track in good condition at Brighton Beach. The attendance was very large, considering the lateness of the season. The winners were Bessie B., Earnest, Musk, Cricket and Tattler.

The Growth of Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., November 2.—A municipal census report completed tonight shows the city's population, exclusive of Kansas City, Kansas and other suburbs, to be 105,042. This indicates a gain of about 50 per cent. since 1880. The proportion between the sexes is 65,000 males and 39,000 females.

The President at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, N. Y., November 2.—President Cleveland arrived here at 12:15 o'clock a.m. The 179 miles from Sayre, Pa., to Buffalo were made in four hours and fifty minutes. Owing to the President's desire the speed of the train was decreased.

A Terrible Calamity.

NEW LONDON, CONN., November 2.—A terrible calamity, by which six lives were lost, occurred here at 7 o'clock Sunday night, caused by the explosion of the boiler of steam dredge No. 4, of the Atlantic Dredging Company of Brooklyn.

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The Evil Genius of Gen. Grant.

LONDON, November 3.—The *Daily News* this morning publishes an article on Ferdinand Ward, in which it calls Ward the evil genius of Gen. Grant, and points out that his sentence was quite inadequate, as when his term shall have been served he will be at liberty to enjoy his $1,000,000.

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