

BEAUTY OF PLESS.

Most Popular Ladies at the... Woman in Europe.

Princess Henry of... Most Popular Ladies at the...

LIPTON IN POLITICS.

As His Gifts Have Not Procured Him a Peerage He Will Seek Seat in Parliament.

Sir Thomas Lipton's big gifts to all sorts of philanthropies have failed to convince Lord Salisbury...

For years Lipton was a much sought-after candidate for parliamentary constituencies...

His present political views are doubtful. Some years ago he proclaimed himself an enthusiastic home ruler...

Since the death of Mr. Gladstone, Sir Thomas' political views have changed, and as he is an intimate friend of Lord Rosebery...

The constituency in which Sir Thomas lives has invited him to contest the seat in the liberal interest...

Michigan Congressman Who Coveted the Place Given to Gen. Russell A. Alger.

Congressman Henry Cassorte Smith, who made quite a lively fight to be appointed United States senator from Michigan...

Given to Gen. Russell A. Alger by Gov. Bliss—has been the representative of the Second Michigan district since 1899...

Butterfly Worth a Fortune. A costly butterfly is on exhibition in the Museum of Natural History...

Deafness Caused by Kiss. A heavy kiss on the ear of Mrs. Martha Allen, by her granddaughter, fractured that lady's eardrum...

Age for Business. T. Yerkes is said to claim he is merely in their appearance until they are 40, and that 50 is the age of the business man.

COLER'S RAPID RISE.

Due to His Ability to Grasp Every New Problem.

New York's Democratic Candidate for Governor is an Illinois Product—His Splendid Record as City Comptroller.

Bird S. Coler, who was nominated for governor by the democratic state convention at Saratoga, N. Y., was comptroller of New York city under Mayor Van Wyck...

When the fright over a water famine came, and the demand was made for a new source of supply for New York city, Coler paid \$5,000 from his own pocket to John R. Freeman...

Coler spent about \$40,000 from his own pocket for the benefit of the city. Coler made more money than any other official...

Of the public doings of the young candidate for governor much has been said and written. There are other characteristics, however, with which even those who know him very well are not familiar...

Coler is also an art patron. He has a fancy for "discovering" things and has frequently been the first purchaser of the works of ambitious young artists...

Coler's ideal statesman is Tilden. He has on his office desk a volume of Tilden's speeches all the time. As an orator Coler has not made much headway...

As a financier Coler is quick and formidable. As the floor member of the firm of W. N. Coler & Co. on the stock exchange before he was elected comptroller he was known as one of the shrewdest men on the floor.

The Nile Flood Decreases. The Nile flood this year will probably be the lowest ever known.

LADY HENRY SOMERSET.

Temperance Leader Deplores the Increase of Drunkenness Among English Women.

Lady Henry Somerset has just returned to this country, after an absence of several years. "There is one thing that gives me great grief on this trip," said the president of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance union...

Lady Somerset does not look a day older than when she was in America last, nor has she lost the fire of her purpose. She responded quickly when asked various questions regarding intemperance...



LADY HENRY SOMERSET. (President of the World's Christian Temperance Union.)

temperance, and described England as a "drunken nation." As for Mrs. Carrie Nation, she laughed heartily over the Kansas amazon, said that she was misguided and that her efforts to reform drunkards did no harm than good...

"The increase in intoxication at home is due to the spread of the disease among women. I am very sorry to hear that women in America are drinking more than formerly. I cannot believe it. I had such great hopes of American women. They always seemed to have more backbone and will power than my country women."

"Why is it? Well, one of the chief reasons is that there has been too much privacy about the public houses of late, and women are now able to go to any of them without being seen by the public."

Michigan Politician Who Proposed Conference of Mayors to Discuss Coal Strike.

Mayor William C. Maybury, of Detroit, who initiated the movement for a conference of governors and mayors on the subject of the anthracite coal strike...



WILLIAM C. MAYBURY. (Mayor of Detroit and Friend of Striking Coal Miners.)

thracite coal strike and who met with hearty responses to his call for such meeting, was known as a peacemaker and compromiser even before he became a national factor in politics...

Dietsed Herself to Death. To reduce her weight, a San Francisco lady fasted 45 days. She succeeded to a greater extent than she intended, for just as she became gracefully slim death transformed her into an angel.

SOUTH DAKOTA NEWS.

Christian Endeavor. The convention of the Christian Endeavor societies of the state was held at Redfield. The constitution was changed so as to provide for four districts in the state...

Caught the Robbers. Two strangers went into A. Helgeson's drug store at Vermillion and bought two cigars, tendering in payment a silver dollar. As Roy Davis, the clerk, went to get the change from the money drawer, he saw a flash between himself and the men...

Didn't Mean It. Gust Paul, residing near Watertown, committed bigamy a few days ago, though unwittingly. He thought his wife had secured a divorce from him and therefore remarried about two weeks before he was divorced from wife No. 1...

Fatal Accident. Sheriff William Moses announces his intention to accompany Game Warden Lathrop on his next expedition against the Indians, who are killing antelope and "firing" the prairie grass on the Moreau...

Nearly Finished. The elegant new three-story college building being erected by the directors of Augustana college at Canton is rapidly being completed. It will cost over \$30,000...

Shot the Girl. John Komarek, tailor, 25 years old, in the employ of Toman & Dite, shot Anna Vacheta, 20 years old, and then turned the weapon upon himself. He is dead, but physicians hope to save the girl's life...

News in Brief. Safem now has electric lights in full blast. While digging a trench at Vermillion workmen encountered a large bed of granite. Dr. C. M. Keeling of Springfield has resigned his nomination for representative on the democratic ticket...

Frank McCallister, killed in the Stricker family tragedy at Tracy, Minn., was reared at Madison. He was a son of R. C. McCallister, furniture dealer, and a brother of G. L. McCallister, cashier of the First National bank at Madison...

On account of the tangle incident to the scavenger tax law Hughes county will have no delinquent tax list for publication this year. Several counties are in the same shape, and it will take legislative action to remedy the defect in the law as it stands...

The Huron schools are open again, there being no more danger from diphtheria. The fourth corn belt exposition at Mitchell was a success. What is considered somewhat remarkable in domestic circles is the appearance of a double tooth on a baby two months old belonging to a proud mother who is visiting in Jamestown, Mrs. McKinney of Aberdeen...

The Chicago & North-Western had a slight wreck near Salem. An open switch caused the derailment and overturning of two cars, one having some twenty tons of coal in it.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

For the Week Ending Oct. 19. Andrew Quinn, the oldest odd fellow in Wisconsin, died at La Crosse, aged 83 years. The schooner Astoria, with a crew of seven men, was lost off St. John's, N. F.

In New York the banking house of Gilman, Son & Co., failed with liabilities of \$200,000. Three men and 40 horses were burned to death in a lively stable fire in New York city. Counterfeit American silver dollars are being made in China and circulated in Manila extensively.

A terrible typhoon has destroyed villages all over the northern part of Japan and killed many persons. Bulgarian Christians have been massacred and five villages destroyed by Turkish troops on the frontier. The Irish Times wants to know what has become of the \$30,000 Parnell monument fund collected in America.

President Roosevelt has been given a gold G. A. R. badge, commemorative of the recent national encampment. Hazing is virtually ended at West Point military academy, according to the report of Col. A. L. Mills, superintendent. Harry F. Longnecker, one of the best known wing shots and dog fanciers in America, died in Allentown, Pa., aged 44 years.

Dr. Francis L. Patton, former president of Princeton university, has been chosen president of Princeton theological seminary. President Palma denies Cubans are ungrateful to the United States and says closest commercial and political relations are desired. Boer generals, in an interview in Berlin, said they get plenty of cheers but little money in Europe, and regret they did not go to America first.

Seventeen Chicago state banks report loan increase from July 24 to October 13, of \$12,786,911. Cash resources decreased \$13,407,357; deposits, \$339,648. Charles H. Ham, former appraiser at the port of Chicago, and until recently president of the board of United States general appraisers, died at Montclair, N. J.

The Hayti revolution was ended and Gen. Firmin and 200 followers fled to Bahamas. Gonaives, rebel headquarters, will be surrendered to the government. Another committee representing the navy will leave Washington in a few days to make further inspection of sites for the proposed naval station on the great lakes. The European press is unanimous in praising President Roosevelt for his successful efforts in settling the coal strike, and says it affords a fine example for the old country.

Secretary Shaw has transferred \$20,050,000 cash from the New York treasury to banks in payment for \$15,000,000 government four per cent. bonds at market price. Cuban distress is increasing and business is at a standstill. One thousand four hundred men are reported idle in Santiago alone; municipal employes have been unpaid for months. William Ziegler, of New York, who backed Evelyn B. Baldwin in an arctic expedition, announces he has dropped Baldwin, but will send out another explorer to seek the north pole. One million dollars were found in New York gambler's safes captured by police raid Tuesday night. \$800,000 being in "Shang" Draper's places alone. The cash is believed to belong to bookmakers.

Old-Time Actor Dead. New York, Oct. 18.—Edmond H. Lay, an old time actor, is dead at Bellevue hospital from general debility. Lay, who was 73 years old, was born in Virginia. He appeared in minor parts with Edwin Booth and other prominent actors. Is Not True. Washington, Oct. 18.—Replying to an inquiry from the Colombian legation here Gov. Salazar, of Panama, says the report that Gen. Fernandez has declared himself dictator of Colombia at Bogota is without any foundation in fact.

THE MARKETS. New York, Oct. 18. LIVE STOCK—Steers, 4 25 @ 4 70; Hogs, 7 20 @ 7 60; Sheep, 2 50 @ 3 80; FLOUR—Buckwheat, 2 40 @ 2 50; WHEAT—December, 7 74 @ 7 74; May, 7 78 @ 7 78; RYE—State, 64 @ 68 1/2; CORN—December, 37 @ 38; OATS—Track White, 35 @ 41; BUTTER—18 @ 24 1/2; CHEESE—15 @ 15 1/2; EGGS—19 @ 19 1/2.

CHICAGO. CATTLE—Prime Beefves, 8 20 @ 8 55; Texas Steers, 2 25 @ 4 50; Medium Beef Steers, 4 30 @ 5 75; Common to Rough, 3 30 @ 4 75; Bulls, 2 25 @ 5 10; HOGS—Light, 6 85 @ 7 40; Heavy Mixed, 7 00 @ 7 30; SHEEP—2 25 @ 4 00; BUTTER—Creamery, 16 1/2 @ 22 1/2; Dairy, 16 @ 21 1/2; EGGS—18 @ 21 1/2; POTATOES (per sack), 38 @ 42; MEAT FORK—January, 16 85 @ 18 15; LARD—January, 9 15 @ 9 35; RICE—January, 8 40 @ 8 47 1/2; GRAIN—Wheat, December, 7 14 @ 7 24; Corn, December, 61 @ 67 1/2; Corn, Choice, 53 @ 55; Rye, No. 2, 49 @ 50 1/2.

MILWAUKEE. GRAIN—Wheat, December, 7 24 @ 7 24; Corn, December, 62 1/2 @ 67 1/2; Oats, Standard, 34 1/2 @ 34; Rye, No. 1, 51 @ 52 1/2; Barley, No. 2, 69 @ 70.

KANSAS CITY. GRAIN—Wheat, December, 8 23 @ 8 27; Corn, December, 28 1/2 @ 29; Oats, No. 2 White, 23 @ 24; Barley, No. 2, 48 @ 49 1/2. ST. LOUIS. CATTLE—Beef Steers, 4 40 @ 7 40; Texas Steers, 2 40 @ 5 90; HOGS—Packers, 7 15 @ 7 40; Butchers, 7 20 @ 7 65; SHEEP—Native, 3 25 @ 4 10. OMAHA. CATTLE—Native Steers, 4 75 @ 5 50; Cows and Heifers, 3 00 @ 4 00; Stockers and Feeders, 3 75 @ 5 00; HOGS—Yearlings, 7 50 @ 7 75; SHEEP—Yearlings, 4 00 @ 4 50.