

# FAREWELL TO LORD AND LADY ABERDEEN. Brilliant Reception and Kindly Parting Words.

The fashion, the intelligence, the beauty, the intellectual and moral worth of Quebec were represented at the City Hall last night to bid adieu and bon voyage to one of the kindest of the long roll of distinguished men whom our Sovereign has sent to discharge the viceregal functions in Canada. Generous and affable as the Earl of Aberdeen has always shown himself in his intercourse with our people, it would be nearly gratifying to his Excellency nor yet reasonable or fair to assume that last night's demonstration of regret was alone called forth by the presence and approaching departure of the retiring Governor-General. To the Countess of Aberdeen, his Excellency's amiable consort, the sympathies of our people have gone out for the many works of mercy and benevolence with which she has actively associated herself from the time of her arrival in the country. The National Council of Women remains as a memorial of the interest in the people of Canada, of one who has devoted her opportunities, influence and executive ability to the cause of humanity. In the splendid social functions, at which their Excellencies have entertained their Canadian friends, the Governor-General has been found, together with the Countess of Aberdeen, mingling in so courtly and affable a manner with their guests of every degree, that none could avoid being thoroughly at home in their presence. It is natural, therefore, that Quebecers should view with regret the departure to-day of the Earl and Countess. These regrets were well expressed in the addresses which were presented to Lord Aberdeen last night. The tone of sturdy loyalty to the Sovereign, whom the Governor-General represents, and to the Empire which the Sovereign typifies, must have been a most agreeable souvenir of the visit of Lord Aberdeen to this country. In returning his charge to his Queen, he can rest assured that, whatever differences may have arisen in other matters, he leaves behind a people just as devoted to the person of her Majesty and the Government of Great Britain, as he found here when he came a few years ago to fill the high office of Governor-General.

## THE VICEREGAL ARRIVAL.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen Received  
With Military Honors.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen and Lady Minto arrived in town via C.P.R. on board their private car yesterday afternoon. Their Excellencies were expected to arrive at 2.15, but it was almost three-quarters of an hour after that time when the train steamed into the depot. On stepping from the car, Lord Aberdeen was welcomed by Lieut.-Col. Oscar Pelletier, D.O.C., 7th Military District; Lieut.-Col. White, D.S.O., Lieut.-Col. Wilson, Commandant of the R.C.A., and Major Benson. A guard of honor was drawn up outside the station, composed of fifty men from the Garrison Battalion and under the command of Major Hudson. Of "B" Field Battery. As his Excellency left the station the usual salute was given, and he walked down the line inspecting the men. By this time the Countess of Aberdeen and Lady Minto had reached the door of the station and the viceregal party took their seats in the carriage and drove off to the Citadel, calling on the way upon the Hon. Mr. Marchand. A personal escort was formed by four members of "B" Field Battery R.C.A., under the command of Captain Benyon. As the carriage which carried the Governor-General and party swept around the corner, the guard of honor were matched off, headed by the band of the 8th Royal Rifles, who were accompanied down the line. Amongst some of those at the station to receive their Excellencies were Major LeVasseur, Consul for Brazil; Orville Fréchet, Vice-Consul for Spain; Lieutenant Scott, C.O.C.H., Captain Rides, who is now in command of the 8th Royal Rifles, Captain J. Penne, who is on hand with a squad of the municipal police, to preserve order. Lord Seymour's compliments were presented to his Excellency by Col. Wilson, on the arrival of the train.

## THE CIVIC FUNCTION.

Presentation of Addresses and Farewell Reception.

The City Council Chamber, tastefully decorated, while crowded galleries, and a brilliant company on the floor was the scene last night of the farewells to Lord and Lady Aberdeen. Shortly after 9 o'clock their Excellencies, accompanied by Lady Minto, and Lieut.-Col. Smith, A.D.C., Major Denison, A.D.C., and Mr. Erskine, arrived at the City Hall and were received outside the building by a guard of honor from the R.C.A. As Lord and Lady Aberdeen entered the building, the band of the 8th Royal Rifles, which had accompanied the R.C.A., struck up the National Anthem. On entering the building their Excellencies were met by Mayor Parent and Mr. Chouinard, City Clerk, and the Aldermen of the city, and after removing their wraps entered the Council Chamber, where the elite of Quebec society had preceded them.

The Council Chamber never presented a more brilliant scene. The decorations were some what less elaborate than at the Citizens' Ball to the High Joint Commissioners, excepting that the inscriptions on the walls were "God Save the Queen," "Auld Lang Syne" and "Long Live the Aberdeens." Over the Mayor's seat a gorgeous canopy in crimson, white and gold, had been erected and numerous plants from the Victoria Park conservatory were placed in several of the rooms and passages of the City Hall.

Among those present were Lieutenant-Governor Jetté, accompanied by Mr. Sheppard and Capt. H. Parent, D.O.C., Mrs. and Miss Jetté, Lieutenant-Governor Daly, Nova Scotia, accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Clarke, A.D.C., Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lady Laurier, General Lord William Seymour, accompanied by Major Fortescue, A.D.C., Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. and Miss Fitzpatrick, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Dobell, Mrs. Brown and Miss Dobell, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Tarte and Miss Tarte, Mgr. Bégin, Lord Bishop and Mrs. Dunn, Mgr. Marois, Dean Norman, Rev. Messrs. Love, Tait, Dr. Clendinning, Scott, Balfour, Etherington and Dunn, Rev. Messrs. Rouleau and Beaulieu, Senator and Mrs. Pelletier, Major-General Hutton and Capt. Bell, A.D.C., Lady Cassatt and the Misses Cassatt, Judge, Mrs. and Miss Rothier, Judge Blanchet, Judge Langelier and Mrs. Langelier, Judge Chausson, Honorable Mr. Marchand, Honorable Mr. Duffy, Hon. and Mrs. Dechenne, Hon. Alf. Evanturel, Speaker of the Ontario Legislature; H. J. Tessier, Hon. R. Turner, Mrs. and the Misses Turner, Mr. Felix Carbury, M.P.P., Miss Carbury and Mrs. N. K. Connolly, Lieut.-Col. Pelletier and Mrs. Pelletier, Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. White, Sir J. LeMoine and Miss LeMoine, Lieut.-Col. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson and Miss White, Hon. P. Gaudin, Surg. Lieut.-Col. Sewell, Lieut.-Col. Jones, Lieut.-Col. Evanturel, Mrs. and Miss Evanturel, Lieut.-Col. Farley, Mrs. Campbell, Majors Inah, Boulanger, Rutherford, J. A. G. Hudson, L. A. Hudson and Talbot, Captain Ogilvie, Mrs. Ogilvie and Miss Clapham, Captain and Mrs. Benyon, Mrs. Hecker, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baillarge, Mr. H. M. Price and Mrs. Price, Mrs. A.

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# THE U.S. NEGRO DIFFICULTIES.

In Illinois Both Sides Are  
Arming With Rifles.

## A CONSIGNMENT OF WINCHESTERS.

Wilmington Officials Shipped out  
of Town to Prevent Their Murder  
by Red Shirts.

Pana, Ill., Nov. 11.—The imported negro non-Union miners here are becoming reckless, and the Union white miners are growing restless. Troop B, of Bloomington, remains on duty here, but almost nightly in "flat ball" district, negro residents practice shooting at any white man who passes. The negroes have been armed by the mine operators. Last night the residences of several white miners were shot into by Winchester in the hands of colored men. A white widow's cottage was pierced repeatedly by bullets, several charges barely missing her three children. Militia men say they can not apprehend the culprits. Captain T. P. Butler, in command, is apparently acting entirely under the orders of Sheriff Cohn and not following the instructions of Governor Tanner given before the election. Captain Butler when asked to disarm negroes says: "It is useless, for the Sheriff would arm them again." It is reported that a large contingent of outside Union white miners will soon arrive in Pana. A consignment of 100 rifles were received here to-day for white citizens who intend protecting their property and families who are claiming that no protection is given them by the Sheriff or troops.

## MEN MAILED FOR PROTECTION.

Wilmington, N.C., Nov. 11.—Comparative quiet has reigned here to-day. Guards shot one unruly negro in a negro slum of the city this forenoon. A sensation was created by the capture of J. R. Melton, late Chief of Police, who would have committed violence had not the military interfered and at 9 o'clock, Melton, R. H. Busting, Republican the Justice of the Peace and C. H. Gilbert, ex-Fusion police, all of whom are in danger of severe treatment by the Red Shirts, were escorted to the depot and sent out of town. Acting Sheriff G. Z. French left the city last night.

Eight negroes in the County Jail, whom the Red Shirts and Rough Riders had threatened to lynch, were sent to Goldsboro this morning for safe keeping. They were arrested during the rioting on Thursday. The city is now under thorough military and police protection and there is every indication that no further outbreaks are expected.

# DESPERATE RESISTANCE.

Murderer Stands off a Hundred  
Shots—May be Burned.

Scottsburg, Ind., Nov. 11.—A telegram received by Fern McClellan, of this city-to-day, from Glasgow, Ky., states that last night his brother-in-law, Robert Brown, shot and killed his father, Louis McClellan, his mother and sister, and a daughter, and was himself wounded. The tragedy was the result of family troubles. They lived in the country four miles from Glasgow. Officers have been surrounded in his barn and a desperate fight is now taking place. Over a hundred shots have been fired. Officers have not yet been able to get into the barn. Brown opened fire first. If Brown does not surrender the barn will be burned. A large crowd is going from town.

## NO PITY FOR DREYFUS.

He Declines to Write More and Says  
He is Dying.

Paris, Nov. 11.—Mad. Dreyfus, it is said, applied at the office of the Colonial Minister to-day for permission to send her husband some warm clothing for his return home. Her request was refused, on the ground that the Government would do so if necessary. At the same time the authorities refused to her a letter from her husband to the effect that having for five months addressed appeals for revision to Gen. Deboisefred without getting any reply and being worried and exhausted by his useless appeals, he would write no more to his family or to anybody. He described himself as ill and dying, and begged to the "generosity of my country the care of rehabilitating my memory." Madame Dreyfus then asked permission to telegraph her husband the decision of the Court of Cassation. This request also was refused. Through a friend she appealed to President Faure, but with no better result. Her counsel will bring the matter before the Court of Cassation.

## EXTRAVAGANCE CHARGED.

Ottawa, Nov. 11.—The Supreme Court officers of the Independent Order of Foresters were declared extravagant managers by a union meeting last evening of the Independent Foresters of Ottawa and a number of representatives from the Ottawa branch of the Order. A special meeting had been called by Mr. J. A. McGillivray, Supreme Secretary, for the purpose of explaining to the Foresters in Ottawa why the Order's rates were increased. Over two hundred Foresters were present. After a stormy meeting, ex-Alderman Fred Cook moved, seconded by Mr. E. G. Bennett, a resolution which set forth that increased insurance rates were not justifiable; that the Supreme Court officers conducted the business extravagantly and that necessary economy had not been exercised. The motion was put to the meeting by the Chairman, Mr. Walter Rowan, H.V.G.R., and almost unanimously carried.

## HEART STAGGERS.

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The Canadian Pacific will issue reduced rates for Thanksgiving Day.

New Overcoatings at Morgan's.

# SPAIN DECLINES TO YIELD.

And Has So Instructed Her Peace  
Commissioners.

## FIGHTING FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

Neither Protocol nor Cortes Authorize  
Their Surrender.

Madrid, Nov. 11.—Newspapers assert that the Government of Spain is sending instructions to its Commissioners at Paris not to yield on the question of the Spanish sovereignty over the Philippine Islands, which is asserted to be entirely outside of the protocol, and it is added that the Commissioners are therefore not authorized to discuss it. It is further asserted that the Spanish Government will declare that it has not been authorized by the Cortes to negotiate for the cessation of the Philippine Islands. The Liberal advises the Spanish Peace Commissioners to leave Paris after lodging a protest against the demands of the Americans. Spanish newspapers are angry at the Marquis of Salisbury, whose speech at the Guildhall banquet on Wednesday night, they declare to have been merely a glorification of brute strength and a denial of the rights of the weaker.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The next communication from the Spanish Commissioners will deal with the rights of the Commission to discuss the Spanish sovereignty over the Philippine Islands and with the American contention that the retention of public moneys and Customs collections in Manila is justified by the fact that military occupation of the place by the American forces and warrants by the protocol, even if faulty, as claimed by Spain, because such action commenced after the suspension of hostilities. There is no truth in the statement printed here this morning that the Spaniards have decided to refuse entirely at the next session to discuss the cessation of the Philippine Islands. On the contrary, they expect to fortify their position on this point by insisting that the States to take the Philippine Islands, in the absence of which, it is further contended, Spain consented to sign the protocol. Judge Day, President of the American Commission, is suffering from a cold and had a slight chill last night. Therefore, by his physician's advice he is remaining quiet to-day. The Judge's indisposition is in the nature of an attack of the grippe, from which all the Commissioners have suffered more or less, but he expects to be able to attend to business to-morrow.

## SPAIN CAN HAVE THE DOCK.

London, Nov. 11.—A special despatch to the Times from Havana says the American Evacuation Commissioners have decided that the ownership of the floating dock in Havana harbor remains with Spain and she has the right to remove it.

## Wounded in a Duel.

Vienna, Nov. 11.—Herr Gniwoski, a Polish member of the Reichsrath, was wounded by Herr Wolff, the ultra German leader, in a duel fought this morning. The former in the Reichsrath yesterday became angry at Wolff's remarks about the Poles and called him a gamin unworthy of a Pole's notice. A challenge by Wolff followed.

## What's Up Now?

London, Nov. 11.—The Cabinet held a meeting at 10 o'clock this afternoon. Gen. Kitchener paid a visit to the Foreign Office afterwards, and subsequently Lord Salisbury and his son, Viscount Cranborne, called at the U. S. Embassy asking an interview with Mr. White, Charge d'Affaires.

## U. S. Squadron to Visit Spithead.

London, Nov. 11.—The Mayor of Portsmouth has announced to the Corporation of that city that an American squadron will visit Spithead next summer, and that elaborate plans are being devised for its reception.

## Valuable Cargo of Sealskins.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—The Russian barkentine ship, the "Korshak," arrived in port from Petropavlovsk, with a cargo of seal-skins and furs, one of the largest that have ever come from the Behring Coast. It is estimated that the value of the cargo is \$1,000,000. She has 110 packages of bear skins, 273 packages of assorted furs, 619 skins, 273 packages of seal-skins, 619 skins, 273 packages of seal-skins. The cargo represents the results of the year's catch of the Copper Islands and comes to the Russian Sealing Company.

## Miners' Narrow Escape.

Houghton, Mich., November 11.—The Atlantic Copper mine, six miles west of Houghton, is on fire. The 200 miners at work all escaped to the surface in time. The mouths of the shafts have been covered with timber and dirt and the fire will be smothered, which may require only a few days or may take several weeks. Five hundred employees are thrown out of employment.

## Gaiety Theatre.

This cosy little theatre was well filled on Friday evening with the usual crowd of well-dressed, happy, expectant people, who had assembled to see that beautiful moral and instructive play from the pen of A. E. W. Mason, "The Little Cabin on the Sea." The play was very well done and beautifully mounted. Miss "Blanche" Dayne was exceedingly charming as Miriam. Mr. Fanshawe did excellent work as Reuben. Harry Gorman, Charles Allen, A. C. MacLennan, Ned. Curtis, Bart Ford, Willie Glaser and Janey Wood did their share to make the evening pass pleasantly. Commencing next Monday the Company will present that old-time favorite, Fanchon the Cricket. During next week "Hedda Tesch," a famous Oregon juggler, will appear in a new and novel specialty between the acts. A special scene and mechanical effects are carried by this artist. No Sunday performances are given at this house during the season. The Little Cabin will hold the boards on Wednesday and Thursday evenings and Thursday matinee, and the rest of the week the Company will perform "The Outcast's Oath."

## Daring Robbery.

Celestin Cote, a hunter of Isle Verte, came to this city a few days ago to catch traps for foxes, and after making his purchase went into a hotel at the Palais with a friend. After taking a couple of drinks he went out, and when opposite the Quebec, Montmorency & Charlevoix Railway station, the man, struck him with his fist, falling him to the ground, and making off with \$40 which he took from him. A complaint has been lodged.

Oliver D'Ore depot for stationery, books, etc.

# THE CAT IS OUT OF THE BAG.



Mr. Bull: W'y, bless me 'art, if the cat isn't a bloomin' Rooshian bear.

# BRITISH SEIZE MARIA TERESA.

Arrangements so Far Made for To-  
day's Installation Ceremony.

## A Very Curious Series of Complications.

## TAKEN IN CHARGE AS A DERELICT.

American Consul Has Protested,  
Claiming Everything Less  
the Salvage.

Nassau, New Providence, Nov. 11.—The British Admiralty authorities here are going to take possession of the Maria Teresa as a derelict. The American Consul has protested against this course, claiming everything less the salvage.

The steamer Antilla is leaving here for Cat Island with Customs officers and police on board.

Opinions differ as to the chance of saving the cruiser. Although she has been aground since Thursday, the Maria Teresa rests in an easy position and the weather is mild.

Wreckers who have arrived have brought with them stories from the stranded vessel, off Cat Island, which establishes beyond a doubt that she is the Maria Teresa. As the vessel is looked upon as a derelict, the wreckers claim the right to seize the stores which can be saved. They report that the water is up to her between decks, that she has a list to starboard, which side is damaged, and that she is damaged. The vessel lies between two reefs on a smooth bottom and has her anchor out.

# MR. BLANCHARD IS UNSEATED.

The Liberal Member for Ver-  
cheres Loses His Seat.

Montreal, Nov. 11.—Judges Taschereau, Gill and Ouimet, sitting in the case of the contested election of Mr. Etienne Blanchard, M.P.P. for Vercheres, rendered judgment to-day annulling the election with costs against the defendant until the time of his admissions, and rejecting the conclusions of the petition, asking for Mr. Blanchard's disqualification, with costs against the petitioner upon that portion of his petition.

## RAILWAY TO THE YUKON.

Major Walsh Says It Would Build up  
a Canadian City.

Major Walsh arrived in Ottawa yesterday. The Major is enthusiastic over the building of a railway from a portion of the Pacific Coast in British Columbia, to the Yukon. He says that in less than three years time a city would spring up in Canadian territory on the coast which would more than pay for the building of the road. If this is not done he says the road will remain in American hands and a great city will be built at Skagway or Dyea.

He knows of some parties now who are ready to form a syndicate and make heavy investments in real estate at Skagway, if they were satisfied that a Canadian route was not to be built with a territorial sale on Harbor. He thinks Vancouver and Victoria would not get trade which would find its way by Seattle. This would mean that Canada would supply the Yukon instead of the United States. There should be no politics. It is Major Walsh says, "in this matter. It should be approached in a business spirit."

## The Hough Estate.

The heirs of the late George Hough have commenced to sell at private sale at the stables, No. 103 St. Ann street, all the contents of the stables, which consist of 20 horses, 40 vehicles of all sorts, winter and summer, including pony waggons, carriages, vans and omnibuses, 40 sets of harness, double and single, 40 carole robes, etc. Everything is sold cheap and there is a great rush for bargains. It is quite a bazaar which attracts everybody, but which will not last long, as everything is sold rapidly.

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### What the Victory Means.

The full significance of the Republican victory in the United States must, of necessity, largely add to the present gratification of the McKinley Administration. No matter what success the Democrats might have obtained in the Congressional elections, the members of the Administration were sure of their own official positions until after the next Presidential campaign. Beyond this they could be certain of nothing. Their opponents have made great gains, though they have not attained that measure of success for which they had hoped. They have failed to secure the control of the House of Representatives, possession of which they claimed on election night, and their opponents will have made substantial gains in the national Senate by the time that the newly elected State Legislatures will have chosen their nominees, that their policy will no longer be at the mercy of a little band of Populists and Silver Republicans, which has had it in its power in the past to impede the work of the Government, by forming a combination against it with the Democratic minority. In the new Congress, the Republican majority in the Senate will be sixteen in a House of ninety members. In the House of Representatives the Democrats have gained some strength, but even there the Administration claims a majority of nineteen. For the business interests of the American nation the result of the recent conflict should prove particularly gratifying. It is the victory of sound money. Though the next President should be a Silverite, and there is certainly nothing in the result of Tuesday's voting to indicate that he will be anything but a sound money man, and though he surround himself with an Administration drawn from the ranks of the Silver Men, yet he will be unable, with Congress as it is now constituted, to interfere with the sound money policy of the country. Herein lies the chief significance of the late Republican victory, and in the revival of business which the sound money men of the United States look forward to in consequence, the people of Canada may not unreasonably hope to share.

### The Parry Sound Route.

The Council of the Quebec Board of Trade, at its last session, decided to draw the attention of both Federal and Provincial Governments to the fact that the work of construction on the Great Northern Railway has been entirely suspended for over a year, and that no progress whatever is now being made with an enterprise justly regarded by all citizens of Quebec as the most important ever undertaken in the interest of the trade of our port and city. To say that our people are disappointed at this state of affairs does not describe the painful impression created by the fact that the traffic of Parry Sound is now taking the direction of Boston and Montreal for want of an outlet, which the construction of a short link of railway would give it, to Quebec. The volume of grade which has come from Chicago and Duluth, during the present season, over the new route from Parry Sound, has exceeded all anticipations, being reported to be about twenty-five thousand car loads, a very large figure for the first year's operations. Much of this has gone to Boston for shipment, and the balance, for want of a rail outlet to a Canadian port, has had to be transhipped at Coteau, and brought in barges thence to Montreal. The all rail route to Quebec, which Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised us, at the Chateau Frontenac two years ago, would remedy this anomaly and give this great trade economical transit by the Canadian route. We do not know who is to blame for our disappointment in this matter. Some say it is the fault of both Governments, in not having fulfilled their pledges to the Company. Others blame the gentlemen connected with the enterprise for want of courage. It is to be hoped that the Board of Trade enquiry will discover both the cause and the remedy and that, while the Premier is in the city, he will be induced to remove any doubts that may be entertained as to the intention of the Government.

A little newspaper war has arisen out of the reflection some Ontario ladies, assembled in a W. C. T. U. meeting at Ottawa, cast upon this Province on the score of illiteracy. The ladies live in a Province where the lowliness of the birth rate is causing alarm. They probably know that infants up to a certain age are very illiterate, and that consequently the higher the birth rate the more there are in the community that cannot read and write. The good people of Ontario may be very well educated, but they will never completely abolish illiteracy until everybody there is grown up. In the meantime those who are inclined to cast reflections on the educational progress of Quebec, might do well to ask if there is any other people in the new world where the proportion of those who know two languages is so large as in this Province. An education in Quebec calls for a practical knowledge of two languages, not a mere smattering.

On and after Christmas day, the Canadian Government will charge fifty per cent more to carry a letter from one neighboring Post Office to another in this country than to deliver it in India, Australia or Africa. Mr. Mulock's Christmas box to Canadians consists in boxing their ears.

Sir Richard Cartwright has published in his last quarterly report—"Rules for the Testing of Yarns." The information would have been of considerable had it reached us about the time the war despatches were coming in.

## ENGLAND'S FLOATING OCEAN MONSTERS.

### Comparison of Her Fleet with that of France.

London, Nov. 3.—There is little to choose between the best battleships and cruisers of England and France. Our advantage lies chiefly in our great numerical superiority. Since 1889 we have built or commenced thirty-six large battleships against the French twelve large and four small. This, of course, is because England has to equal the strength of the next two navies. We could wish that the standard were higher. It should be understood by Englishmen that a war with France, should such unhappily come, will be no "walk-over" on our part. We must look for an uninterrupted succession of victories, such as our last great naval war brought us. Yet do not believe that the strength and determination of the national resolve will be shaken by the prospect of an arduous struggle. We had better know the truth. In the Mediterranean England maintains in her active fleet ten battleships (Illustrations, Caesar, Hood, Royal Oak, Royal Sovereign, Empress of India, Ramillies, Revenge, Anson and Camperdown). They are of three different types. The first two are Majestics, that is to say, the most up-to-date class of battleship now ready for service in any Navy. They carry the most modern gun—twelve-inch firing smokeless powder, and have all their powerful quick-firers behind good armour. They have large coal supply and great sea-keeping capacity. Ammunition is a large amount carried, rising twelve feet out of the water, such as the best French ships lack. But in exchange for this the ends of the vessels are left quite unprotected. French criticism fastens on this as a great weakness, and since in our newest ships the belt is being carried to the very extremities, the criticism has probably sound foundation.

In speed these two British ships are a little inferior to five of the French Mediterranean battleships. Whether they would be actually slower in service is a point which only prolonged tests can decide. Probably they would be, as the French ships have water-tube boilers and much higher engine-power. The next six British ships are of the older Royal Sovereign class. They are, however, very good ships, heavily armed and strongly protected, and they are stable and sea-keeping. They carry twelve of the above two, and only four of their quick-firers are completely protected. The heavy guns have the disadvantage of using non-smokeless powder, unless changes have been recently made. The quick-firers, however, are equipped with cordite ammunition. There is a thick narrow belt of armour on the water-line for about two-thirds the length, and above that thin armour. The ends are unprotected. All the six are identical, with this exception, that the Hood has turret instead of barbette guns, and their quick-firers are in circles, speed and armament are the same, which greatly enhances their power when manoeuvring together in a squadron. The Anson and Camperdown are much older ships of a very inferior pattern. They have little armour, and their quick-firers are quite unprotected. Their boilers, too, are old, and it is an open question whether they would stand much hard work at sea. They are not, however, inferior in most respects to the three French battleships of the Magna class. Their re-armament is now under consideration.

Altogether these ten ships mount the following guns:—  
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An element of superiority not to be overlooked in close action is the type of submerged torpedo tube supplied to British ships. This is better than the tubes found in any foreign ship as yet completed. The British squadron has twenty submerged tubes to the French ten.

The coast defence ships Rupert and Orion, in reserve at Gibraltar and Malta, are of little value for and beyond harbour defence. They are not sea-going, and the Orion has old muzzle-loaders, which are thoroughly out of date today. They are probably only meant to supplement the land defences at our two coaling stations. They will be re-inforced by the Devastation in a few days.

The cruiser division of our Mediterranean fleet is the strongest, (Gibraltar, Hawke, Venus, Didon, Isis, Forte, Astrea, Thetis, Scylla, Rainbow, Surprise, Fearless, Scout). The first two are fast and powerful ships, without, however, any side armour, except small patches on four of their quick-firers. The next three are large new ships, heavily armed, and sea-going. They are the most graceful vessels they are at the most graceful vessels.

**Adele Aus der Ohe.**  
A lovely woman, a brilliant personality and a virtuoso of incomparable attainments is Miss Adele Aus der Ohe, whom, thanks to the energetic initiative of the Quebec Ladies' Morning Musical Club, Quebec will have the pleasure of hearing at the Academy of Music on the 23rd inst. This great artist among the great ones, is a pupil of the world-famed virtuoso, Hans von Bulow, and, subsequently, of the great disciple of Wagner, Franz Listz. Miss Aus der Ohe is visiting the American Continent, after a most successful tour of Europe, through which she has performed in the leading cities, Berlin, Paris, Brussels, Vienna, Buda-Pesth, etc., etc., carrying her audience with her by her wonderful technical ability and, especially, by the exquisite elegance and charm with which she renders the works of the masters. A critic writes of her:—"Indeed one cannot say too much about Miss Aus der Ohe's playing. It is simply great morning; great in technical forces of temperament, great in charm. It is the fine, natural expression of a fine and commanding personality." Besides being a wonderful virtuoso, Miss Adele Aus der Ohe is a lovely woman, charming in every way, and of the most refined education; in one word, she is a complete artist.

**A Montreal Suicide.**  
Montreal, Nov. 11.—Mrs. George Smith, a widow of 58 years of age, living at 2240 St. Catherine street, was found hanging from a corner of the rear verandah this morning. The deceased had suffered much of late from insomnia and it is feared that that unhinged her mind.

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