

MILL PAYMASTER HELD UP AND ROBBED OF \$3,000 HE HAD FOR WAGES.

Three Italians Do the Act in True Western Style and Escape—Police of Three States Search for Them in Vain.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Sept. 19.—A holdup in which the highwaymen were successful in relieving Paymaster E. C. Sherman, of the American Woolen Company, who was on his way to distribute nearly \$3,000 among the help at the Saranac mills in Blackstone, took place in the outskirts of this city today. Mr. Sherman, who was riding over from the bank, accompanied by a driver, was met within a quarter of a mile of his mill by three men, believed to be Italians.

His horse was stopped, the bag containing the money was grabbed by a man who at the same time aimed a large revolver at the head of the surprised pay-

master, and before either he or the driver could jump the highwaymen had run down the road and entered the woods.

The police traced them for nearly a mile in the direction of Providence, and then the trail was lost in a swamp.

The robbery occurred about 8.30 o'clock this morning. The police in Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Connecticut are on the watch for the men, but when darkness fell the highwaymen were still at large.

Tonight Mr. Sherman said that he believed the men to be former employes of the company, who came here from Providence about a year ago to take the place of strikers in the Saranac mills.

SULTAN EXPRESSES HIS REGRET AT HORRORS COMMITTED BY HIS SOLDIERS

Orders Have Been Issued for Them Not to Repeat Their Crimes, Nevertheless the Atrocities Continue—Bulgarian Government in a Dilemma.

SOFIA, Sept. 20.—Some apprehension having apparently been created owing to the misunderstanding regarding the precise meaning of Bulgaria's last note to the powers, explanations have been given to some diplomatic agents here that the memorandum was not intended as an

ultimatum but was rather in the nature of an appeal for the intervention of the great powers before that intervention should be too late. The Bulgarian ministry it was stated, was determined to maintain its attitude of neutrality up to the last moment, but it felt the impossibility of standing by indefinitely while the Turks exterminated the Bulgarian element in Macedonia.

The Government's position is rendered increasingly difficult by the attitude of the Macedonian population in Bulgaria, which, vigorously backed up by the revolutionary committee is persistently endeavoring to force the government's hand and provoke hostilities with Turkey.

A special despatch from the monastery of Rila, Bulgaria, says the condition of the Turkish garrison of Melnik, 80 miles northeast of Salonica, is believed to be extremely critical. It is besieged by bands of insurgents under the leadership of four former Bulgarian officers. The insurgents number 1,500, while the garrison is believed to consist of only one battalion. Melnik is a very important strategic point in the mountains, commanding the road between Demirhisar and Razlog. The Turks have withdrawn nearly all their force from the district of Danoumais and Razlog, to send them to the relief of Melnik.

A company of Turkish soldiers and Bashi-Bazouks recently found the hiding place of a hundred families of refugees from the villages of Dupeni and Eehla, near Resen. They captured the party, violated the women and committed other atrocities.

SULTAN REGRETS HIS SOLDIERS' CRIMES.

Constantinople, Sept. 20.—In an audience with M. Zinovieff, the Russian ambassador, Friday, the Sultan expressed his regret at the excesses committed by the Turkish troops in the vilayets of Monastir and Adrianople. He said that orders had been sent to the authorities concerned to prevent their repetition and he gave the Russian ambassador to understand that the guilty parties would be punished.

The German ambassador, Baron Marschall Von Bieberstein, also had an audience with the Sultan, who showed himself most optimistic. The latter declared that the insurrection was drawing to a close. In fact, it had already been suppressed in some districts and the Porte would, therefore, immediately issue proclamations announcing the resumption of the application, of the reform scheme. After granting of the audiences an extraordinary council of ministers was held at Yildiz Kiosk and the deliberations were continued on Saturday. It is understood that the council drew up fresh instructions to the Valis in the sense of his majesty's declaration.

Official despatches from the Valis of Salonica, Monastir and Adrianople report numerous encounters which resulted in favor of the Turks.

THE HIGHLANDERS' LAMENT FOR SIR HECTOR MACDONALD.

Our clans are sitting dull and sad
 'Tis sorrow, sabbin' sairly,
 For we ha'e lost a gallant lad,
 The lad we lo'e'd sae dearly.
 O'er a' the land whar O'sian dwelt,
 The land whar bloom'd the heather,
 Nae braver lad e'er wore the kilt,
 The sporrans, dirk, and f' a' her.
 He fought our foes in every clime,
 In many a deadly tussle,
 And aye upheld the honoured name
 O' Scotland's bearded thistle.
 On plain and pass, on hill and brae,
 He won us fame and glory;
 His noble deeds shall live for aye
 In Scotland's song and story.

By N... led his black brigade,
 'Gainst ten to one their number,
 'Till thomsan's on the plains lay dead,
 Whil' a' the world did wonder.
 No foeman's sword could daunt his heart
 Nor bring his proud soul unde,
 But some fause tongue, like deadly dart
 Has pierc'd his heart asunder.

O had he come to Scotland fair
 And told us all his sorrow,
 We'd heal the heart that ble't sae sair,
 'Tis love and balour o' yellow.
 To lend him aid each High'land maid
 Would vie with one another,
 To so the his sorrow neath the plaid
 A' tender as a mother.

Our sons ha'e fought on land and sea:
 Brave Campbell, Moore, and Ronald,
 But Hector bore o'er a' the gree—
 These names could match Macdonald.
 While heather blooms on Highland braes,
 And seaward rolls the river,
 Our Highland pipes shall sound the praise
 O' Hector's name forever.
 Kilsyth. T. Hoeg.

CHAMBERLAIN CAN'T GET AWAY.

London, Sept. 19.—Replying to an inquiry as to whether he anticipates being able to accept the invitation of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association to visit Chicago as the guest of the association and deliver an address on his fiscal proposals, Mr. Chamberlain telegraphed as follows to the Associated Press tonight:—"I shall not be able to leave England this year."
 (Signed) "CHAMBERLAIN."

Stricken With Pneumonia.

Almost Ready to Die—Alonso W. Douglas, of Woodbridge Was Saved by

FERROZONE

"For the benefit of others," writes Mr. Douglas, "I desire to state the results I derived from the use of Ferrozone. Two years ago I was stricken with pneumonia so severe was the attack and so reduced was my strength that my life was despaired of. I had the very best medical attention, but made no progress towards recovery. When reduced to practically a skeleton, a kind friend told me of the remarkable power of Ferrozone. An improvement began almost at once. I gained steadily in weight and strength until Ferrozone made me a new man. I will gladly answer enquiries from other sufferers if they care to have further particulars about my recovery. Ferrozone deserves its great measure of success."
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PROROGATION IN THREE WEEKS.

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—The national trans-continental railway bill will be taken up in the house tomorrow. The general opinion is that prorogation will be reached in three weeks.

Piles

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. See a box at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

CARNEGIE'S PALACE OF PEACE.

The Hague, Sept. 19.—The Dutch government will open a competition in designs for Andrew Carnegie's palace of peace, for the erection of which he donated the sum of \$1,500,000.

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECRETARY

VANCOUVER, September 18.—Ex-Mayor Goolese, of Roseland, was sworn in to day as provincial secretary in the McBride cabinet.

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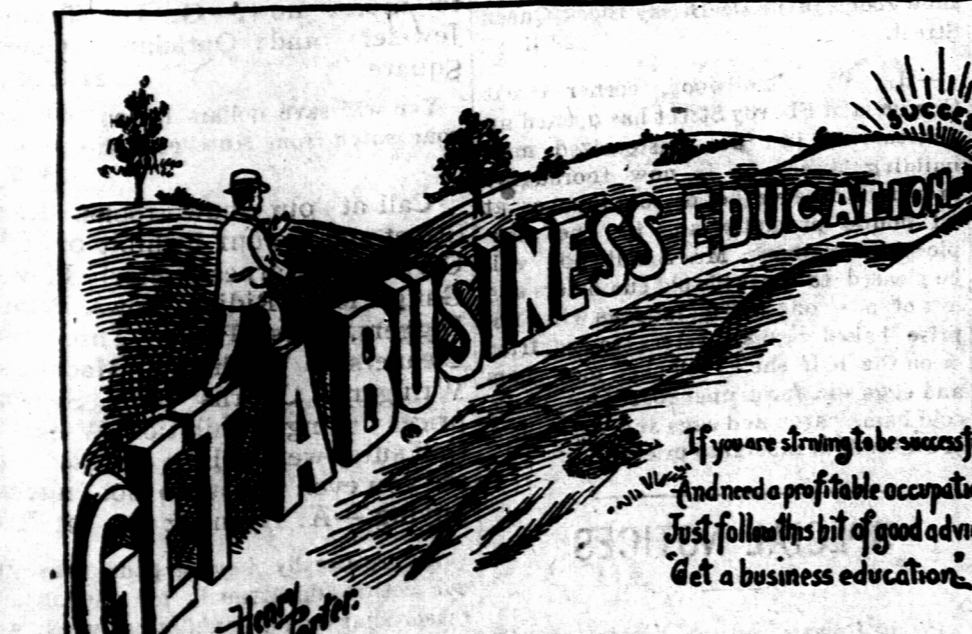
There is always some standard by which the merits of an article are measured. Among ointments the standard is Dr. Chase's. If a dealer tries to sell you any other kind he tries to clinch his argument by saying "This is as good as Dr. Chase's."

Don't be satisfied with substitutes or imitations, for Dr. Chase's Ointment is the only positive and guaranteed cure for every form of piles.

Rev. Wm. Thomas, Brownsville, Ont., writes: "As a man of seventy years I am grateful to God and to Dr. Chase's Ointment for a cure of piles which had caused me endless annoyance and much misery. The itching and burning was almost beyond endurance, but Dr. Chase's Ointment brought quick relief, and as the trouble has not returned, I have reason to believe that the cure is lasting."

Mr. Duncan MacVicar, Caledonia Mines N. S. writes:—"For a number of years I have been troubled with bleeding and protruding piles. I tried several salves and ointments, which only afforded me temporary relief. Sometimes I would be laid off from work for weeks. One day last winter one of your books came into my hands, and after reading the testimonials of Mr. Donald McLean of Tarbot Vale, N. S., and Rev. S. A. Duprau of Belleville, Ont., I decided to give Dr. Chase's Ointment a trial. After using two boxes of this ointment I found myself completely cured. What I suffered from that awful disease would fill a big book. You are at liberty to publish this, as it may be the means of convincing some poor sufferer, such as I was, that there is a cure for piles. To all sufferers from piles in any form I would recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment as the only cure."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or EDMANSON, BATES & Company Toronto. To protect you against imitations the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every box of his remedies.



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