| E TELEPHONE-REGISTER <br> tober <br> Oreoos. <br> 9, 1890 | says: "It is believed that the importance and novelty of the scientifieques great a volume of water and in distrib- | Discovery Made in an Australian Wilderness by O'Reilly. John Boyle O'Reilly, of revered | The mail which has just arrived from China brings news of the death, at his |  |
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| Power From the Falls to Be distributed to Consumers. |  |  |  |  |
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| The immensity of the torrent pouring over the brink at Niagara and the enor-mous power developed, were aptly i lustrated by the late Sir Walter Siemen who is said to have stated as a reenlt of his caleculations that if all the daily outin making steam to drive pumpe, it would barely suffice to pump back the |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Didn't Want ${ }^{\text {a }}$ - Thermometer. |  |  |  |
|  | "Can 1 sell you a thermometday?" inquired a young man at |  |  |  |
| water flowing down Niagara river. In London Engincering was recently |  |  |  |  |
| published an extended article concern- |  |  |  |  |
| ing the utilization of Niagara's water power. Among :other things it notes that several projects are now or have |  |  |  |  |
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| that severnl projects are now or have been before the public, all having the |  |  |  |  |
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| scale as their base. The Cataract Con- |  |  |  |  |
| to carry out a scheme that is to take |  |  |  |  |
| from the falls about 120,000 hone-pow- |  |  |  |  |
| work through an effort that is being made by that company to oltain the |  |  |  |  |
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| to be app plied to the solution of this great protlem. |  |  |  |  |
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| This company has before it the task |  |  |  |  |
| of odeveloping water power, not trom one to two miles above |  |  |  |  |
| the falls, on this side of the river. Land has been secured above Port Day, be- |  |  |  |  |
| tween the line of the New York Cen- |  |  |  |  |
| extent of nearly 1400 acres. A tunnel not over 6700 feet in length and 490 feet |  |  |  |  |
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| square section is about being construct- |  |  |  |  |
| to the upper suspension bridge, passing |  |  |  |  |
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| under the town of Niagaa from a point |  |  |  |  |
| central station can be constructed and |  | lake he dove sufficently deep to touch bottom. He was much surprised in |  |  |
| the water taken from where the river is deepest close in shore and where bor- |  |  |  |  |
| ings on either side of the location, cor- |  |  |  |  |
| responding in result, show the rock ior- mation well fittel for the purpose. |  |  |  |  |
| From this point, the upper end of a straight line tunnel, an extension can le carried if found desirable, and along |  |  |  |  |
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| this extension, as well as along some |  |  |  |  |
| portions of the main tunnel, mill sites can be located, each site or cluster of |  |  |  |  |
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| dent wheels in one large pit or excavation. |  |  |  |  |
| he present company has obrol of all the franchise neee |  |  |  |  |
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| secure their full right of the water power not covered by that owned by the |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { draulic Canal company (referred to } \\ & \text { er) and with a full appreciation of } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
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