February Furniture Sale

Immense Purchase of 5000 CHAIRS

Some months ago, in preparing for our February Sale, we negotiated with the North American Bent Chair Co., the largest exclusive Chair Manufacturers in Canada, for the purchase of their entire yearly accumulation of "Remnant" Chairs consisting of Dining and Bedroom Chairs and Rockers. Their arrival has been somewhat delayed, but they are now coming in as fast as we can receive them and will immediately go on sale at prices that will insure their speedy exit from this store. We bought them for much less than they cost to make and you're going to get them cheaper than wholesale. Read this list for to . day and figure how many chairs you can use during the coming year.



Child's High Chairs, in hard-wood, golden oak finish, fancy embossed backs, cane seats, drop-over tray, regular 1.29 \$2.00; on sale Saturday

Lot No. 2

Consisting of Diners, in hard-wood, golden oak finish, solid and impervious seats, fancy embossed backs, brace arms, regularly worth up to 59 \$1.15; on sale Saturday ...

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TYLES

BUILDE

TREE !

Lot No. 3 Diners, in hardwood, golden oak

finish, embossed backs, brace arms, turned spindles, regular price 80c, on sale Satur- 49 day Lot No. 4

Consisting of Chairs, in hard-wood, golden oak finish, neatly embossed back, strongly and serviceably made, regular price 65c; on sale Saturday . 42 Lot No. 5

Your choice of Arm Chairs, in hardwood, golden oak finish, double stretchers, strongly double stretchers, strongly made, embossed backs, fancy turned spindles, regular price up to \$2.25; on sale Sat- 1.29 urday

Lot No. 6

Your choice of assorted Arm Chairs, in hardwood, golden oak finish, solid wood impervious seats, regularly worth up to \$2.50; on sale Saturday 1.59

Lot No. 7

Your choice of bent wood Arm Chairs, in hardwood and polished birch mahogany, a very suitworth \$3.50; on sale 1.89 Saturday

Lot No. 8

Your choice of one lot of Bed-Your choice of one lot of Both room Rockers, in polished birch mahogany and quarter-cut oak, hand caned seats, regularly worth \$3.25; on sale 1.89 Saturday ... Bedroom Chair to match, 1.69 regular \$3.00, for

Because we have immense quantities of these chairs don't think to find the same choice if you put off buying till later. We have sold similar quantities in previous years and know their selling power. Be advised and come early -to-dayand get credit.

The Adams Furniture Co., Limited CITY HALL SQUARE Emmunummunus

H. AND C. COS. HIGHLANDERS. Won Friday Night's Games in Gar-

the Garrison Indoor Baseball League

In the Garrison Indoor Baseball League last night two games were played. The last resulted in a win for H Company, Highlanders, by defeating the 9th Fleat Battery in a stubbornlyco intested game Four errors and two single gave the Highlanders six runs in the fourth innings, waich decided the game, both pitchers were very good, with E. Adams naying a little the better of the argument, he ariowing 8 hits to Strayle 8 13. York, for H Company, played a splendid game, having a puteents and 1 assist to his credit. For the Hattery, Spain, E. Pember and A. Pember played tast, Spain having 3 hits out of four times at bat. The second game was won by Company, 48th, who deteated F Company, 48th, who deteated in this in the last increasing and maintain in the last increasing anament in the last increasing and maintain in the last increasing

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WEAK KIDNEYS

Pain in small of back, painful passing of urine, inflammation of the bladder, torpid liver, cloudy urine, pains in the back of the head and neck, rheumatic pains and swellings all over the body, eczema and jaundice show that your kidneys are discovered.

CURES WEAK KIDNEYS

"Gentlemen: I was troubled a great deal

N.Y.
"Safe Cure" is a most valuable and offe-tive tonic. It repairs the tissues, soothes inflammation and irritation, awakens the torvid liver, aids digestion, stimulates the enfeebled organs and heals at the same

time.

'fo Cure' is purely vegetable and contains no harmful drugs. It is free from some summer and is needs to take.

You can buy "Safe Cure" at any drug store or direct; \$1 a bottle.

Reware of so-called kidney cures, which are full of sediment and of bad odor—they are positively harmful and do not cure.

WARNER'S SAFE PLLLS move the howels gently and aid a speedy cure.

Trial bottle free.

TRIAL BOTTLE FREE

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in the position whereby, if I okey, I shall be breaking the obligations of my oath of office."

"Did not the Ross government have the power to make the appointment?"

"No, they did not. I can't sanction the appointment anyhow till I know what the present government is going to do about it."

"I will say this," he continued, "that I have no personal feelings in the matter. If Mr. Graham had consulted me about the appointment I would have accepted it, and if now Hon. Mr. Hanna wishes it I shall be pleased to. In the meantime the matter stands and I do not feel justified in recognizing Mr. Euglish, but he will, of course, be entitled to act as turnkey." This last statement refers to the appointment which Mr. English already holds for that position. Further, the governor stated, he thought the chief turnkey should have an experience, as the routine takes some time to learn. Mr. English had not the members of the members are the case. "The people will never be satisfied with legislation short of that," avowed Mr. Spence, who had previously alluded to the referendum sweep and the long patience with the None Are So Blind.

A larring element was introduced into the meeting, after Mr. Spence had sat down, by a member of the club.Mr. Hamilton, who rose to remark that he did not think he could remain a member of the club if Mr. Spence ideas were acceptable to the members. He did not think Mr. Spence understood politics clearly. Popular opinion had created the National Policy, which, by Mr. as not a Liberal plank. Sir Wilfrid was not a Liberal plank. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had called it a fad, and he thought the chief turnkey should have an experience, as the routine takes some time to learn. Mr. English had not

Here is Mr. English's idea of the controversy. Exhibiting the appointment as chief jailer, duly signed by Mr. Mulvey, the deputy provincial secretary, he said:

"I am the duly appointed chief turnkey, with the position given me by the lieutenant-governor-in-council, and as the Ross government was in power up till its resignation the appointment, swalld. I claim the position as mine by right of appointment, The rule ched by Mr. VanZant is only, a matter of form. At any rate, the government have the power to superscede any rules they have made, when they see fit to do so, I have placed the matter before Hon, Mr. Hanna and he has promised to look into it. In the meantime I will await developments."

A resolution expressing satisfaction at the announced determination of Mr. Ross to lead the opposition, and confidence in him, with the pledge of the club's hearty support was presented. Following procedure, it will be submitted to the executive before being passed upon.

Parkdale Ahead of Hamilton.

The first match for the King Balfour, trouby was played last night between Parkdale and the Hamilton Thisties and resulting in favor of Parkdale by 14 shots, as follows:

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Mr. English is naturally rather bit-ter in his opinions of the governor's ac-tion. The appointment of turnkey cal's for \$625 per annum salary without extras, while the position he claims as his by right has attached to it \$1000,

with free house and light. PARENT FOR PEACE.

Montreal, Feb. 10 .- (Special.)-Hon. Adelard Turgeon reached here to-day and was dined thi sevening by Hon, Lomer Gouin and his supporters Hon. D. Monet passed thru the city this afternoon en route for his county. He declares that he is a man of peace, but the they want want was he can accommodate. says to return to the present cabinet is impossible so far as he is concerned. Mr. Parent adds that if conciliation Mr. Parent adds that if conciliation fails he will fight the matter out to the bitter end. It is understood that so far no approaches have been made to anybody towards accepting a place in the cabinet. but Mr. Parent will turn has attention in this direction just as soon as he is quife convinced that will see the convinced that the cabinet. The convinced that the cabinet is quife convinced that will be convinced that the cabinet in the cabinet. The convinced that the cabinet is quife convinced that the cabinet is quife convinced that is a capacity of the cabinet. The capacity is a capacity of the cabinet is quife convinced that is a capacity of the cabinet is quife convinced that is a capacity of the cabinet is quife convinced that is a capacity of the capacity of the cabinet is a capacity of the capaci as soon as he is quite convinced that conciliation is impossible.

Medcalf L.O.L. At Home.

Medcalf L.O.L. No. 781, held their forticth annual banquet at Victoria Hall last wight. Over 200 members and their lady friends sat down to a sumptuous repast. Ald. Emerson Coatsworth occupied the chair, and seated around him were Bros. John Medillan, Harry Lovelock, Fred Dane, John Thompson and many others prominent in Orange circles. The feature of the evening was a handsome jewel presented to R. McLaren, the retiring master, who made a pleasing speech in reply. Medcalf L.O.L. At Home

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Two-base hits - E. Adams, Hartle, Andrews, Spain. Three-base hit Thwaits.
Double plays - York to Thwaites, Stevens to A. Pember. Base on balls - Off E. Adams 1. Struck out - By E. Adams 1. Time of game - 1 hour 10 minutes. Umpires - McConnell and McInnes.

48th, C Co. A.B. R. H. O. A. E. Roberts, Ff. 8 3 2 0 0 0 Maple Leaf Lodge.

Maple Leaf Lodge, the ladles auxiliary of the International Association of Machinist, had an at-home in the Labor Temple last night. About 400 attended the affair and dancing in the assembly hall, card playing in the balcony and refreshments in the lower hall served to fill in the night pleasautty. The ladles chiefly respons ble for the success were: Mrs. W. F. Singer President: Mrs. Leonard, vice-president: Mrs. Leonard, vice-president: Mrs. Leonard, vice-president: Mrs. Crawford, Secretary.

Mith Troy Games at Galt.

Galt, Feb. 10.—2.0-day was a curling field day in Go². Crack rinks of the two local clubs, stalts and Granites, were up against a centingent of the Toronto Granites. In the moreing the Galts lost by four shots and in the afternoon the victory went to the Toronto Granites by 17 shots. The play by rinks was:

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Tor. Granites, Bl. E. Khowles, R. J. Conlan, R. E. Khowles, R. J. Conlan, C. Boeckh, S. A. G. Gourlay, s.13

THE BEGINNING

LAME BACK SPENCE TELLS REASON WHY THE GROW'S NEST PASS

Laurier Club, However, Endorse Find ANNUAL MEETING.

THE TORONTO WORLD

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with kidney trouble, and my business compelling me to be on my feet all day only made the pains worse in my kidneys. I was advised to try a bottle of Warner's Safe Cure. Well, I did, and the result home from work, something I had not been able to do for over a year. I can honestly recommend 'Safe Cure.' MICHAEL F. SHANAHAN, 146 Bradford St., 'Albany, N.Y.

To convince every sufferer from diseases of the kidneys. Here, bladder and blood, that Warner's Safe Cure will cure them, a trial bottle will be sent absolutely free, nostpaid, to any address. Also free doctor's advice, and a medical booklet which tells all about these diseases, with a prescription for each, and contains many of the thousands of testimonials received daily from grateful patients who have been untid by Safe Cure. All you have to do to write Warner's Safe Cure Co., 44 Lombard-street. Toronto, Ont., and mention name of this paper. The genuturess of this offer is guaranteed by the publisher.

HE CANNOT GET INTO JAIL

The speaker warmly eulogized the first plank in the platform of the Liberal party at its Massey Hall convention, public ownership, then passed to criticism of its electoral purity and temperance planks.

Touching the temperance phase general, he admitted obstacles in the way of prohibition in Ontario, and pre-

thought the chief turnkey should have that series.

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The general sentiment of the members was entirely, however, with Mr. Spence, and his advocacy of public owne ship, and the viewpoint from which helico are constructed.

The Other Side.

Here is Mr. English's idea of the controversy. Exhibiting the appointment at the announced determination of Mr.

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i	E.S.Pall.	J. J. Morrison.
j	E.Y. Parker.	A. D. Braithwaite
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	Dr. f'eaker.	M. C. Balfour, sk.
	R. King, sk20	
	C.Smith.	A. S. Morris.
	J.A. Harrison.	C. S. Scott.
	C. Henderson.	D. D. Dewar.
,	H.T. McMullen, sk. 15	C. W. Cartwright.10
ļ	H.M. Mulholland.	II. G. Gates.
		J. Thompson, jr.
	W.C.Chisholm.	T. C. Haslett.
	A. Helliwell.	R. R. Bruce, sk1
	Dr. ('temens, sk 18	J. P. Osborne.
	J.F.Barr.	J. P. Ciscon are.
	M.P.Clemes.	C. S. Wilsox.
	J.E.Hall.	G. Stinson.
	W. Iseith, sk16	Dr. Edgar, sk1
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Fergus Won by 56 Shots.

-At Elora. Fergus.
W. Hall, s.....10 R. Kerr, s....12
A. McMurchy, s...10 James Michie, s...13
W. Cuthbert, s...14 W. Richardson, s.21
-At Fergus. Fergus.

Caledonians Carl To-Day.

The Caledonians will entertain both the Hamilton Victorias and Prospect Park this afternoon in the Mutual-street Rink. The Vics come for their annual match, three rinks a side, for the Reid Cup. The match with Prospect Park is a friendly affair; two rinks a side.

Toronto Grantes. Toronto Grantes. Tor. Grantes. I. R. O'Rellley, R. J. Conlab. C. Boeckh, G. A. Graham, s. 8 W. Bellingham, R. A. Grant, W. C. Matthews, A. A. Allan, s...12 P. H. P. Whiteside, J. liandley, R. E. Knowles, L. McDougall, A. G. Gourlay, s.15 W. Vair, W. McIlroy, R. Hunter, W. Veitch, s....7 P. H. P. Whiteside, J. R. Blake, W. Vair, W. McIlroy, R. Hunter, W. Veitch, s....7 J. R. Blake, W. A. J. Parker, W. A. Jennis,

W. A. Dennis, T. T. Aitkin, W. McDougall, G. McAuslan, R. McAuslan,

R. Patrick, s....11
R. Mitchell,
George Laird,
G. Turnbull,
T. McLellan, s...6 Dakin,

COAL COMPANY Limited.

ANNUAL REPORT

been too strong. He contrasted the way in which the 150 saloon-keepers Eighth Annual Report, including statement of Assets and Liabilities, as follows to work the saloon desired leaves to th

way in which the 150 saloon-keepers of Toronto worked as a unit for desired election results with the invariable division in the congregations of the 150 churches of the city on party lines. Another reason was too little interest in politics on the part of many church going folks, who turned them over to the devil because they were not run to their liking. These conditions had led to Ontario's corrupt political state. The upheaval of 1905 was the protest against a government that failed to govern right, that did not punish wrong-moers with an iron hand. The only chance the party had was in making a wise and earnest effort to reform it self.

Public Gunership the Cure.

Mr. Spence devoted considerable time to an academic treatment of the principles of Liberalism and Conservatism, ciples of Liberalism and Conservatism, content of the principles of Liberalism and Conservatism, content of the Profit and Loss Account of Assets and Liabilities, as of the Eighth Annual Report, including Statement of Assets and Liabilities, as of the Eighth Annual Report, including Statement of Assets and Liabilities, as of the Eighth Annual Report, including Statement of Assets and Liabilities, as of the Eighth Annual Report, including Statement of Assets and Liabilities, as of the Eighth Annual Report, including Statement of Assets and Liabilities, as of the Eighth Annual Report, including Statement of Asset

and the coke exported shows an increase of over 78,000 tons. and the coke exported shows an increase of over 78,000 tons.

During the year there has been spent on improvements (not including those of subsidiary companies) the sum of \$254,000, as against \$810,000 in the preceding year. The Crow's Nest Pass Electric Light & Power Company, Limited, and the Morrissey. Fernie & Michel Railway Company are subsidiary companies, formed for the purpose of taking care of some of the country's necessary auxiliary projects. The capital stocks of these are convent, practically exclusively, by this Company, and are referred to in the balance sheet as "Securities owned."

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Ninety-three actions for damages brought against the Company by the Ninety-three actions for damages brought against the Company by the dependents of the miners killed in the explosion of May. 1902, at Coal Creek, for sums amounting in the aggregate to a large figure, were disposed of in the Company's favor last June, after two years of litigation and twenty-one days' trial at Nelson. Later, the plaintiffs appealed to the Supreme Court of days' trial at Nelson. Later, the plaintiffs appealed to the Supreme Court of British Columbia, but later still abandoned their appeals, which finally relieves the Company of all liability.

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In December the final settlement of all outstanding questions between this Campany and the Canadian Pacific Railway was arrived at, and the deeds transferring 250,000 acres of land to this Company executed. Since the year 1897 a number of intricate questions had accumulated and presented themselves for settlement, but these were disposed of to the mutual satisfaction of the parties.

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A lease for twenty years of the Coal Creek Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway to the Morrissey. Fernie & Michel Railway has been executed.

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and the Coke ovens at Fernie connection with both the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Great Northern Railway. On the 15th of December the
Great Northern Railway commenced operating the extension of its line to

On the 1st of July T. R. Stockett, jun., Acting General Manager, resigned On the 1st of July T. R. Stockett, Jun., Acting General Manager, resigned to accept the position of General Manager of the Western Fuel Association, with headquarters at Nanaimo, and G. G. S. Lindsey, K C., was appointed General Manager. - R. G. Drinnan, M.E., who had been with the Company for General Manager. R. G. Drinnan, M.E., who had been with the Company for four years, latterly as inspector, and whose eighteen years' experience in mining has been otherwise gained in Scotland, England and Vancouver Island, was appointed General Superintendent, the Coke Department placed under the care of George L. Pearson, an experienced cokemaker, and the Land Department transferred to the care of James McEvoy, M.E., C.E., the Company's Geologist.

Some advance has been made in extending the domestic trade of the Company, which it is expected will yield much larger results during the present year.

The staff at Fernie and the Collieries is capable and efficient, and is con

tributing well towards the Company's success. Complete harmony exists between the Company and its men, and everything points to a continuance of Al' of which is respectfully submitted GEO. A. COX. C. G. S. LINDSEY. . President. General Manager.

Toronto, 10th February, 1905. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. For Year Ending 31st December, 1904. Balance at Credit, 31st December, 1903....\$1,870,813 13 Net Profits for 1904 Premium Received on Calls Paid on New

Stock 38,865 00 _\$2,315,727 69 APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:

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Toronto, 10th February, 1905.

GENERAL STATEMENT, 31st DECEMBER, 1904

ASSETS. Mines, Real Estate. Plant, Development, etc......\$5,064,201 25 \$6,064,480 49 LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock \$3,500,000 00 On which has been paid......\$3,476,400 00 Dividend No. 16, payable 1st January, 1905..... Reserve Fund 1,764,600 00 Profit and Loss 203,320 44 \$6,064,480 49

I have examined these statements of Profit and Loss, and of Assets and J. G. LANGTON, Auditor. well and truly kept. Toronto, 10th February, 1905.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Mr. Jaffray, in moving the adoption of the report, regretted the absence of the President on account of a sight cold, and read for him the following address, which he had intended to deliver in moving the adoption of the re-

in connection with the resolution certain information has been prepared which I think will be or interest to the Snareholders; after that any questions which you may ask in connection with the report will be gladly an-

The coal produced during the year 1904 amounted to 742,210 tons, as compared with 661,118 tons in 1903. Of this tonnage 393,016 tons were sent to the coke ovens, and produced 245,118 tons of coke, as against 167,789 tons made in 1903, while of the balance 349,194 tons (with the exception of 27,572 tons consumed under the boilers) were disposed of as merchantable coal. During the year the construction of the coke ovens has been completed,

making altogether 1128 ovens, of which 424 are at Fernie, 464 at Michel and 240 at Carbonado.

As was intimated in the last Annual Report, the demand for coke in the State of Montana has increased, the Company having exported during the last year to the United States 109,412 tons, as against 31,089 tons in 1903. last year to the United States 109,412 tons, as against 31,089 tons in 1903.

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870.815.13 was brought forward from the year 1903. The net profits as a result of the year's operations amount to \$406,049.56, of which \$347,807.25 was paid out in dividends. There was also received for premium on calls paid on new stock during the year \$38,865.00. Of the total, \$2.315,727.69, so much new stock during the year \$38,865.00. Of the total, \$2.315,727.69, so much reserve fund, and the balance, \$203,320.44, carried forward to the credit of the Profit and Loss Account for the current year.

Our fixed assets are, as you know, made up almost entirely of what we have purchased for cash in the way of piant and development. Our magnificent property can hardly be said to have been valued among our assets. Securities owned there are the stocks of the Crow's Nest Pass Electric Light & Power Company, which supplies the light and water to the Company's

& Power Company, which supplies the light and water to the Company's houses at the collieries and to the Town of Fernie, and also operates a telephase system, and will hereafter have the management of the real estate; and the Morrissey, Fernie & Michel Railway Company, which owns approxi and the Morrissey, Fernie & Michel Railway Company, which owns approximately six miles of track, connecting the Company's mines at Carbonado with the Canadian Pacific and Great Northern Railways, has leased a likenumber of miles of track connecting the Company's mines at Coal Creek with these two great railway systems at Fernie, and has constructed a mile of track at the latter point.

Where for any reason the quality of the coal proved inferior, work was stopped at this point, and only the higher grades of coal mined. In this way the quality of the coal has been gradually improved, and the percentage of ash in the slack going to the coke ovens reduced, so that the coke is equal to any produced in America. The value of this will be best understood when I tell you that a difference of 5 per cent. in the quantity of ash in two cokes makes the better at least a dollar a ton more valuable in a smelter.

It is gratifying to be able to report that our organization at the collieries is efficient and effective, and is one working harmoniously together in the best interests of your Company, and that the feeling of the miners towards the Company is greatly improved.

the Company is greatly improved.

Mr. Jaffray added the following remarks, which he had intended to make in seconding the motion to adopt the report, which was seconded by Col. Pel-

Govern Right.

The eighth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Crow's Nest Pass of the Laurier Club, in Broadway Hall last night, conducted what might be last night, conducted what might be considered an inquest on Ontario Library straight, with a view to finding out the Col. G. A Stimson, D Davies, Andrew Young, G. G. S Lindsey, S. H. Thomportalism, with a view to finding out the considered an inquest of the explosion at Coal Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Directors, it being clearly demonstrated that the system of mining carried on at the time was on the approved modern principles, and that the misformatic than the misformatic property of the explosion at Coal Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2 mine on the 19th of May, 1902, was most gratifying to the Creek in No. 2

Lindsey, the Directors had ample opportunity of judging of his fitness, qualifications and ability to fill the position before making the selection. His services to the Company for a length of time previously, the business of the year under review and the difficulties that have been overcome and satisfactorily settled largely through him, would not have been possible without the assistance of a legally trained mind.

During the year our outstanding difficulties referred to and other important matters have been adjusted by the General Manager. Our difficulty in the past has been in getting technically skilled men, who, though capable of superintending the operations, have had as well the business capacity for general management. Under the present system all departments as well as the whole are carefully managed, and the change has been fully justified by results.

It is a pleasure to feel that this year opens up with so many long-standing difficulties removed, and with promise

railway facilities, the acquiring of the Company's properties by deed and the settlement of all litigation, and dealt at some length with the bright outook

The following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:
Hon. Geo. A. Cox, Robert Jaffray, Lieut. Col. H. M. Pellatt. Wm. Fernie, J. A.
Gemmill, J. D. Chipman, David Morrice, E. R. Wood, Thomas Walmsley,
Lieut. Col. James Mason, Frederic Nicholls, G. G. S. Lindsey, K.C., and C. C.

The meeting then adjourned. At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, held immediately after the meeting of the Shareholders, the Hon. Geo. A Cox was elected President for the ensuing year, Robert Jaffray First Vice-President, Col. H. M. Pellatt Second Vice-President, G. G. S. Lindsey, K.C., Third Vice-President and E. R. Wood Treasurer.

kaming and Northern Ontario Railway, was in the city yesterday trying to arrange for joint freight rates with the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways on settlers' effects going into New Ontario.

A great number of settlers are now going into the country and the traffic receipts so far have exceeded the most sampulue expectations of the management. A train of new cars now runs from North Pay at 10 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, which arrives at New Liskeard about 6 o'clock the same evening. By taking the miduight tram from Toronto on Sanday, Taesday or Thursday nights the New Ontario settler can arrive at New Liskeard at 6 o'clock that evening.

Mr. Black returned last night. ming and Northern Ontario Railway, was

Markham.

hall, Box Grove, on Tuesday, Feb. 21.

Royal Foresters.

The Halter toast was replied to by Major General Thomas Law-less, A.S.C.R.

The Illustrious Commander Dr. Clark, A.S.P., responding. Capt. A. T. Hunter, P.F.C. spoke for "The High Court" D. A. Rose, P.H.P., Lessife Morton and Lleut. Sherwood spoke for "The Gueste," and Major Emery replied to the toast to "The Royal Foresters Band Social Club." The committee consisted of Major Club." The committee consisted of Major Club." The Royal Foresters Band Social Club." The Committee Consisted of Major Club." The Committee Committee Consisted of Major Club." The Committee Co

An order has been issued by Chief Grasett that hereafter when the services of a special policemen are desired at rinks, functions of various sorts, ball games, the races, etc., he shall be paid at the rate of \$2 a day, instead of \$1.56, as has hitherto been the case, and officers \$3.

The Master Printers' Association met at the Queen's Hotel last night, with Atwell Fleming in the chair. Only general matters were discussed.

George-street, by a depth of 15 to 18 to

ADMITS 13 FATAL WEDDINGS.

coroner's investigation juto the death of Mrs. Walcker-Hoch, his last victim, Johann untural deaths, and is firm in his denial

Rev. Mr. Chidley of Newmarket, president of the Ontario Christian Conference, will occupy the pulpit of the Christian Church to-morrow evening.

Rev. Charles Taylor of Allandale and father of Mrs. J. J. Lunan of Markham, deconduct of Orangeville in refusing to play the return game in the O.H.A. day at Barrie. Mr. Taylor was well known thru Markham, where he for some years preached.

Mrs. V. J. Winterstein, who recently underwent an operation at Grace Hospital, is improving.

James Simpson of Toronto will lecture on "The Beauties of Socialism" in the town hall, Box Grove, on Tuesday, Feb. 21.

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