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mand for luxuries of foreign production. The Canadian deglar would not be should continue in power in this provide a day longer than is necessary. Mr. Veniot is not an Irishman himself, but he has ganged himself on the side of the refortithmany section of the Irish people, and made their cause his own. A man is said to be known by the company he keeps; and if Dr. Hitcherington and Mr. Mersereau are willing to line themselves up with Mr. Veniot, they cannot very well complain if pelpie should suspect them of agreeing with him. Are the people of Queens and Sunbury going to lot of agreeing with him. Are the people of Queens and Sunbury going to lot of agreeing with him. Are the people of Russian and Sunbury going to lot of agreeing with him. Are the people of Sunday and Sunbury going to lot of agreeing with him. Are the people of Sunday and Sunbury going to lot of agreeing with him. Are the people of Sunday and Sunbury going to lot of agreeing with him are the proportion of the Irish people, and the sunday of the Irishman himself.

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His Excellency the Governor-Genera at has addressed an appeal to the Lieutenant Governors of this and the other provinces of the Dominton on behalf of the fund for the restoration of Westminster Abbey, for which money is urgently needed. Although His Excellency feels that the times and conditions are not as suitable as they might be for making an appeal to the generosity of the people of Canada, at the same time he is hopeful that there in the form of a discount upon the special to the form of the fund.

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In the course of his letter, His Ex cellency says:

"I could not, of course, in the space "of a letter, attempt to remind you of "al. that the Abbey stands for and "means, but the question of a casual "risitor when being shown 'round the "Abbey gives perhaps an indication of "what at once occurs to our minds "vien we speak of Westminster Abbey." The right of free speech could only be denied him by the legally constituted authorities, who neither at St. John, Fredericton, nor Moncton made any effort to control either his action or his language. If the audi"minster Abbey." Is it not the most "Golfers Hate it Too.

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What He Should Have Said.

"James, have you whispered to without permission?"
"Only wunst."
"LeRoy, should James have swanst"
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"Harold, the last of the Saxon "Kings, was probably the first mon "arch to be crowned in the Abbey and "on the same spot every Sovereign "from William the Conqueror to "George V. has been crowned and an "nointed, but the Abbey has never with "nessed in all the wonderful story of nine centuries and a half a more "striking ceremony than that when on "Armistice Day 'The Unknown Warritor' perhaps a Canadian—was laid to rest and the King placed a wreath "on the coffin with the inscription:

"In proud memory of those warftors who died unknown in the Great War, unknown and yet weil known; as dying, and behold they live."

"Many Canadians will also recall "fast the Abbey was the home of their "Battalion colors during the war, and "alike to them and future generations "the Abbey will always have a very "special significance."

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"Christmas short want to hear him and mown, that is a different matter. His right to speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the commit suicide in the bizarre fash to speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the commit suicide in the bizarre fash to speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the commit suicide in the bizarre fash to speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the commit suicide in the bizarre fash to so on a particular occasion is refused him, by people who so not particular occasion to see fuse of the with; it is merely that the commits ucide in the bizarre fash to speak is not interfered with; it is merely that the commits ucide in the bizarre fash to commit suicide in the bizarre fash to so on a particular occasion to a different with; it is merely that the commits ucide in the bizarre fash to commit vucide in the bizarre fash to commit suicide in the bizarre fash

## CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Any one who feels like contributing to the fund, and there are doubtless many who will wish to do so, may send their gifts to the Lieut-Govern-ord's Secretary at Fredericton, who will forward them to the Duke of Devon shire at Ottawa.

CANADIAN VS. U. S. DOLLARS

Two customers enter a store in a Canadian city, the one a resident, the other an American visitor. Each makes a purchase of the same kind, let it be a hat or a pair of boots or anything else, the quality being the same, and the price, say, \$10. The same, and the price, say, \$10. The buy a card for a small coin and scribreddent pays with a \$18 note of a long of the condition and gets his parcel. The American visitor puts down a \$10 note of a United States bank, and the price, \$15.55 in many cases. That accords with the bundance of moast; also with caits.

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An advertisement in another column fraws attention to the fact that there are only ten more shopping days before Christmas, the idea no doubt being to remind people that by doing their buying early they not only get a better choice of whatever articles they may be wanting to buy, but it avoids an eleventh hour rush and thus lightens the burden of the tired shop assistants. Christmas shopping is usually quite a business; the matter of cardian Viceroys Wanted. (Lievenement.)

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"A member of the Ontario Government, Mr. Raney, in reply to suggestions which were made to him on the subject of the next Governor-General of Canada, favors the termination of the rule of British governors, for her rule of British governors, for h

WHAT OF QUEEN'S AND SUNBURY!

By-elections are to be held in the Counties of Queens and Sunbury within the next fortnight to fill the vacancies caused by the acceptance of office by Dr. Hetherington and Mr. Mersereau. In fixing the nonimations for the 20th inst. and polling (if any) for the 37th, the Government had in mind that Christmas comes between those two dates, and that being so, no one would want to bother with elections at smoh a time, and there would therefore be no opposition to the return of the old members.

On broad principles it seems hardly the thing to oppose the re-election of a member who has been taken into the Government, but there may be special circumstances in some cases. In this particular instance there are such special circumstances in some cases. In this particular instance there are such special circumstances in some cases in the siling the canadian and the American dollar, but so far as Canada is concerned, the controlled by Mr. Venici, who has recently declared himself to be a Sinn Feiner and in favor of the disintegration of the British Empire. Do the lioyal people of Queens and Sunburg approve of this sort of thing, and is it their wish that a Government controlled by a man who has 'openly avowed himself as a champion of the renegades who seek to disrupt the Empire, should continue in power in this province a day longer than is necessary' fine. Canadian dollar catching our dealers that he is necessary fine of the canadian dollar called the canadian of the controlled by a man who has 'openly avowed himself as a champion of the renegades who seek to disrupt the Empire, should continue in power in this province a day longer than is necessary' fine. Canadian dollar a change in the province and who be a since the canadian dollar and the strength of the canadian dollar called to the canadian dollar called to the canadian dollar called to the canadian dollar who the sound that the canadian dollar called to the canadian dollar and the world's cold the beautiful to the canadian dollar an

## Chinese Wouldn't Play Fair.

"You are wrong, stranger, I still owe nine installments on that tractor you see, my hired man won't pay any attention to what I say, and there's a mortgage on the old home place."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Ridiculous Suggestion.

Magistrate Jean Norris of the Women's Court said: "I can't Imagine same people considering it seriously, it seems a horrible suggestion to me. We all feel how terrible a thing war is, but after all it is a chance that has always been." "It is as ridiculous and asinine a thing I ever heard," exclaimed Mrs. John Francis Yawger, a prominent officer of the Daughters of the Revolution, and president of the New York Feceration of Women's Clubs. "I don't know what the women are thinking of. They must be alarmed."

# Benny's Note Book

THE PARK AVE. NEWS.

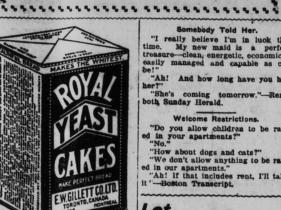
Sissiety. Miss Maud Jonsone little sister Dottle has rote 19 diffrent letters to Santa Claws so far, and Miss Maud Jon-son is getting sick and tired of taking them out and pertending

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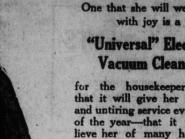
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## CP.O.S. Scotian From Antwo

Captain Hains Complain Lightships Not Being Their Stations.

The first passenger of the C. S. Iner Scotian, which docked at No. 3 a few minutes before mit on Sunday, disembarked at 9.4 terday morning. This liner heard a total number of 1,157 pgrs. including 322 cabin an steerage. Of the cabin passes sixty-one are destined for poin Canada, and 260 for various pactured to the Christian of the third-class are canada, principally for parts it North West; and the remaining are destined for Péttsburg, Clev Detroit, New York and other pol lac United States.

On the morning of Decembre: the steamer sailed from Ant and, according to one of of he cers, she encountered very weather for this season; an though some icebergs were relating the track, none were si The voyage was lacking in et al., previous before sailing, a Ci Blovak stowaway was discovere calcily put ashore.

Captain Hains Complains
Commander W. P. Hains, D.S.
an interview with a Standard
Sentative, expressed the opinion
there was little done for the
navigation of ships in Canadian
ers. He stated that at this per
the year it was essential that
thing poesible should be done fesafety of ships. In the case o
senger ships meany lives we
stake, but he did not think the
point was fully appreciated.

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that two important lightships for
ing port, the Lurcher Shoal at
Halffax Lightships are not on
stations. A notification was
some months tgo that the Li
Shoal Lightship would be take
her station about the middle o
tember last, at least four weeks
is still off, he declared, and
probably be off until early next
Commander Hains said the
same applies to the Halifax Ligh
sregards the placing of the
cesti Lightship, he was very ske
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He also asid that on the ivoyage a Marconigram was refrom the marine agent here to fect that the Blond Rock Buo drifted from her position and thight buoy on the southwest les Briar Island was extinguished. Sequently another Marconigran received from Cape Sable whe steamer was mid-way between Island and Partridge Island, or ing the previous one; but he fel these advices were somewhat by The suggestion was made by complander that where lights or importance, if known to the moof marine and fisheries, are no position or burning, that this i ation might be flashed twice a least to all stations or ughthere.

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