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TODAY'S MARKETS

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Toronto Produce Market. TORONTO, Dec. 2.-Wheat is firm, at

68c bid for red and white, and 69c asked west; Manitoba wheat is steady, at 82c for No. 1, hard, grinding in transit, and 77½c Midland. Flour is easy, at \$3 05 to \$3 10 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Mill-feed is firm, at \$14 to \$15 for shorts, and \$11 to \$12 for bran west. Barley is quiet at 48c to 49c for No. 1 west, and 45c for No. 2. Buckwheat is firmer at 46c to 48c west. Rye firmer, at 51c West. Corn is firmer, at 34c for Canada yellow west, and 421/2c to 43c for American, Toronto. Oats are higher, at 28c for white and 27c for mixed west. Peas are 61c to 62c west. Eggs are 20c for new laid, 18c for fresh gathered and 14c for limed. Butter-Receipts fair and market steady at 12c to 131/2c for good to choice large rolls and dairy tubs. Dressed hogs easier, at \$5 35 bid for cars of mixed weights

English Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 2—Closing.
Wheat—Spot, No. 1 red northern spring.
firm, 6s 2%d; No. 2 red western winter, duli
6s; No. 1 Cal. 7s 10%d to 7s 11%d; No. 1 cash,
firm, 2s 2%d. firm, Ss 27/d.

Corn—American mixed, spot, old, dull, 3s 10½d; futures, quiet, Nov., steady, 3s 11½d; Dec., quiet, 3s 9¾d; Jan., steady, 3s 8¾d, new crop; March, steady, 3s 7½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 8s.

steady, 47s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 34s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 38 lbs., firm;
35s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, strong, 32s 6d.
long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 28s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 46 lbs, steady, 27s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 28s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 33s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 23s. Lard-Prime western, dull, 27s 6d. Butter-Finest American, 94s; good, 68a. Rosin-Common, steady, 4s 5d.

Cheese-American finest white, firm, 44s &d; lored, firm, 46s. Tallow—Prime city, steady, 20s 3d. Cottonseed oil-Liverpool refined, dull, 14s 9d.

Petroleum-Refined, 5 5-16d.

American Markets.

425,000 bu; options opened steady and shorts, later yielding to long sales; that Griffin mistook the station house March, 74%c to 75%c; May, 71c to for a hotel. Both men were allowed to 71%c; Dec., 73%c to 74%c. Rye— to go.

red, 74c; No. 1 white, 74c asked. Corn—Prose from Elizabeth to Victoria; No. 2 yellow, 39c; No. 3 yellow, 37c to Longman's Geographical Series, 5 vols.; No. 2 yellow, 39c; No. 3 yellow, 37c to 38c; No. 3 corn, 36c; No. 4 grade, 34½c to 35c. Oats-No. 2 white, clipped, 31c;

DETROIT, Dec. 2.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 70%c; No. 2 red, cash and Dec., 70%c; May, 70%c. TOLEDO, O., Dec. 2.-Wheat-Cash and Dec., 70%c; May, 70%c. Corn—Cash and Dec., 34%c; May, 34%c. Oats—Cash, 27c; May, 27%c.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 2.-Wheat-Dec.. 67%c. Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, Dec. 2.

e the fluctuations on the Chicago ade furnished by F. H. Butler, de Temple. Phone 1,278. Board South Open. High. Low. Close. 651/2 651/2 Wheat-Dec .. May ... Corn-De 35 ½ 34 ½ 26 ½ 27 7 90 9 30 5 17 5 32 4 42 4 85 Oats-Dec Pork-Dec ... Lard-Dec Jan... 5 30 Ribs—Dec... 4 42

*Quts, 661/2. Calls, 6674. Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Dec. 2.-Hogs-Estimated 104% receipts today 40,000; left over, 6,594; 172% steady to strong; light, \$3 20 to \$3 421/2; mixed, \$3 20 to \$3 45; heavy, \$3 20 to 101% \$3 50; rough, \$3 20 to \$3 30; Yorkers, \$3 35 to \$3 45. Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; steady to 10c higher; beeves, \$4 to \$5 80; 118% cows and heifers, \$2 to \$4 65; Texas steers, \$3 15 to \$4 25; stockers and feeders, \$2 85 to \$4 40.

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+ LATEST WEATHER FORECAST ±

♦ Westerly winds; fair; little change ♦

city troupe, will give a performance in Thorndale town hall tonight. -Mr. Rautenberg, the converted Jew, will address the men's meeting in the Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, and Master Bernie will sing.

-Messre. E. Efner and E. Moule kindly played at the Aged People's Home last night. Their selections were greatly appreciated. A quartet of local talent also contributed to the evening's enjoyment.

-Mr. W. P. Graydon, brother of the city engineer, has been forced through illness to resign his position as superintendent of the Chagrin Falls (Cleveland) electric railway, and has returnchronic bronchitis and asthma.

-Mr. W. S. Calvert, M. P. for West with Hon. Wm. Paterson, minister of ing. West Lambton.

Pork—Firm. prime mess, fine western, 50s; Beef—Prime mess, dull, 62s 6d; extra India mess, firm, 68s 9d; do. medium, western, 50s; beef—One of her sons steady, 47s 6d.

Jail to the London Asylum this afternoon. Mrs. Kerwin, who was brought from Sarnia to London jail, is about three or four, including Mr. Hobbs, be submitted to conference, were not acted ended his days in the London Asylum upon.

for the Insane. The funeral of the late James Alexander McMillan, formerly of this city, -The funeral of the late James Alexwho died in Calgary of typhoid fever, took place this afternoon from Ferguson's undertaking rooms. ceased was 43 years of age, and a master Mason of Bow River Lodge, A., F. and A. M., No. 28, G. R. C. mains were interred in Hyde Park Cemetery and the service conducted by Rev. Robert Johnston.

-In Kennedy vs. Bowman, at Os-Turpentine spirits—Firm, 38 6d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, 25 to goode Hall, Mr. Hellmuth (London) for the appellant Bowman; Talbot Macbeth (London) for the appellant Kennedy; Gibbons, Q.C., for the respondent, T. S. Flobbs; T. G. Meredith ent, T. S. Hobbs; T. G. Meredith (London) for the respondent, W. R. Hobbs, 35%; May, 34%; to 34%; c. Oats, May, 25%; Dec., \$25 17%; May, \$5 30 to \$5 97%; Dec., \$4 97%. Ribs, Jan., \$4 67%; May, \$4 80. NEW YORK-Flour-Receipts, 21. were two drunks who appeared at the police court before Magistrate Parke 354 barrels; sales, 2,700 packages; this morning. The former was aged quiet but steady; rye flour dull. Awheat—Receipts, 303,400 bu; sales, a pass to the poorhouse. The latter The former was aged became intoxicated last night and sat advanced on small receipts at Liver- down on the step of the police sta-pool, light offerings and demand from tion to rest himself. The police say

Corn-Receipts, 175,325 bu; -The additions to the public library cales, 50,000; options quiet but firmer this week are: W. D. P. Bliss, Encycling off with wheat; Dec., 39%c to 39%c.
Oats—Receipts, 94,800 bu; options were caux, British Butterflies and Moths;
Oats—Receipts, 14,800 bu; options were caux, British Butterflies and Moths;
Oats—Receipts, 14,800 bu; options were caux, British Birds; P. Bige-dull and feetureless tracks white 220 dull and featureless; track white, 33c low, History of the German Struggle to 371/2c. Butter-Receipts, 4,117 pack- for Liberty, 2 vols.: G. F. Barber, ages; quiet; Elgins, 23c. Cheese—Re- Modern Dwellings and Their Proper ceipts, 2,875 packages; held higher. Construction; B. Carman, By the Au-Eggs—Receipts, 3,398 packages; steady; Fair refining, 32 15-16c; refined, steady. Hops—Golfing Pilgrim on Many Links; Al M. Steady; exchange, \$3 60 Earl, Customs and Fashions in Old New England; J. R. Illingworth, Divine Immanence, and page of the construction; B. Carman, By the Aurelian Ewart reasons for favoring the adoption of the whipping-post. He urged legislation to that effect. Bodily punishment for woman beaters, incorrigible and New England; J. R. Illingworth, Divine Immanence, and page on the larly the "hoodlum" class, was, accord-BUFFALO, Dec. 2 .- Spring wheat- vine Immanence, an essay on the larly the "hoodlum" class, was, accord-

E. H. Richards and S. M. Elliott, The Chemistry of Cooking and Cleaning; J. C. Vandyke, Nature for Its Own Sake, first studies in natural appearances; J. F. Genung, Practical Elements of Rhetoric; W. J. Hopkins, The Telephone; B. Kidd, The Control of the Tropics; Rev. H. Mann, Clerical Types; J. Fiske, The Beginning of New England; R. H. Davis, Van Bibber and Others; The Letters of Victor Hugo, Edited by Paul Meurice, 2 vols.; H Campbell, Household Economics; F. H. Winder, With the Sea King; J. Verne, An Antarctic Mystery; M. O. Wright, Tommy-Anne and the Three Hearts; B. Swift, The Destroyer; M. Joka Midst the Wild Carpathians; C. M. Young, The Pilgrimage of Ben Beriah;

M. Johnston, Prisoners of Hope. HERBERT PARKS DEAD. Herbert Parks, of 161 Simcoe street, the boy who fell out of a tree on Judge Meredith's property some weeks ago, died this morning.

CUSTOMS RETURNS. Following are the customs returns for this port for November: Spirits, ex-warehouse\$ 7,617,74 Malt, ex-warehouse 5,315 85 Tobacco, ex-warehouse Cigars, ex-warehouse 4,631 85 Inspector's fees 1,524 85

Total\$33,871 37 WEEKLY HIGH COURT.

Mr. Justice Macmahon presided at uary sitting of the high court, when the trial will be peremptorily fro-ceeded with. Duncan Stuart, contra. Witness said he der for payment out of court of moneys deposited, amounting to \$2,875. Or-

A CARPENTER'S TERRIBLE FALL

Mr. Morgan McTaggart Drops From the Third Story of a New Building-Painfully Injured.

Mr. Morgan McTaggart, a carpenter employed on the new building in course of erection on Clarence street, next to he saw some men in the sitting room. the Salvation Army Barracks, fell from They were strangers to him. Witness the third story yesterday afternoon, + abilities for the lower lakes region + and was painfully injured. His escape to Dreaney's livery stable. Leaving there he went to his brother-in-law's of for the next twenty-four hours: of from death was am arvelous one. air; little change The hour for stopping work was Q.—How long did you remain there? reached, and Mr. McTaggart, with a A.—I don't know.

with stationary, the number of other workmen, was preparing to descend, when the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves there? A.—To Rectory street.

Q.—Where did you go after the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing on gave way, and he leaves the plank which he was standing the plank which he was standing to t to the hard don't know. dead. On carrying him into Dr. Graham's office, however, he was soon so, and then said he would not swe brought around, and removed home in he didn't go to the Duke of York. the ambulance. His injuries consist -The much-talked-of fencing match badly bruised body. As far as known brother-in-law's, I guess. will come off in the Y. M. C. A. gymna- no bones were broken. Mr. McTaggart was resting quietly this morning.

THEY COULD NOT MAKE A CHOICE

Askin Street Methodists Consider the Question of Who Shall Be Their Pastor Next Year.

In June next Rev. Richard Hobbs' three-year term as pastor of the Askin Street Methodist Church will expire. The question of who shall be given ed to London. He is affected with the next call was considered by the quarterly board last night, but a decision was not reached, and no action Middlesex, passed through the city to-day en route to Brigden, in company will be taken until the February meet-

customs, where they will address the The majority of the board were in electors this evening on behalf of Dr. favor of inviting Mr. Hobbs for a fourth Johnston, the Liberal candidate in year, but the number was less than the necessary three-fourths vote, so that -St. Andrew's Society is still being the call could not be declared carried. congratulated on its annual banquet. The names of Rev. Dr. Langford, of The older members are enthusiastic in Orangeville, and Rev. Mr. Millyard, of praise of Mr. Wm. Wanless, jun., the Clinton, were also balloted on without energy was largely due the success of eter, and Rev. J. H. Cobbledick, of

—Samuel Leitch, of Komoka, and Mrs. Mary Kerwin, of Sarnia, two insane persons, were removed from the Jail to the London Asylum this area. submitted to conference, were not acted

The Chicago Pork Packers Protest Against Its Exclusion From Fatherland.

> have united in sending to the department of agriculture at Washington a vigorous protest against the proposed passage of a bill by the German Reichstag, shutting out from Germany, American sausage.

The proposed bill is regarded as the first step in a movement looking to the exclusion of the entire hog product of the United States from Germany. italization of \$200,000,000, and it was can Provision Company.

WANTS WHIPPING.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—The whipping-post as a legal instrument of corporal punishment for certain classes of criminals is favored by President John G. Shortall, of the Illinois Humane Society. At a meeting of representatives of charitable organizations, Mr. Shortall read a paper, giving at length his No offerings of spot wheat up to 1 spiritual significance of matter; J. ing to Mr. Shortall. an absolute public o'clock today. Winter wheat—No. 2 M. Garnett, Selections in English necessity.

WALT RICHARDS

Charged With Complicity in the Addison Assault.

Robt. Wigmore, a Suspended Employe of the Street Railway Company, the Only Witness Examined.

That Addison May Be Able to Attend the Examination.

Walter Richards, an ex-conductor of the London street railway, was this morning arraigned before Police Magistrate Parke, when the serious charge of complicity in the assault on Austin 2,406 03 Addison, the non-union street railway Cigars, ex-factory 7,959 72 conductor, on Monday night, Nov. 21, was begun. Only one witness was ex-enlargement of the case for a week, Dr. Moore having said that Addison would not be able to appear in court for possibly a couple of weeks.

Robert Wigmore, 632 Queen's avenue, the weekly sitting of the high court a suspended employe of the company, here today. Mr. Folinsbee, for plaint- was placed in the box. On Monday, iff, moved for an order in the case Nov. 21, he said, he was in the employ of Waters vs. Caradoc, to continue an of the street railway, and took his car injunction restraining Engineer Manigault. of the township of Caradoc, barn at 6:25 p.m. He then went home from proceeding with a certain water-course. Injunction continued to Jan-witness: "I strolled around town." Mr. McKillop-I want it in detail

Witness said he went to his brother-Mr. Harper, of Gibbons & Co., on in-law's (Thomas Short), on Adelaide behalf of H. H. Butt, moved for an or-street, but he could not say whether he could he say what time he went out after supper. When pressed for an answer as to how long he was at his brother-in-law's, witness sald he didn't think he was there five hours, but would not swear how long he was there. From Mr. Short's he went to Dreaney's livery, where he saw Ald. Dreaney and his hired man.

Q .- How long did you remain there? A .- I don't know. Q.-Did you remain five hours there? A.-No, I don't think so. Q.-Well, how long do you think you

were there? A .- I don't know. Witness then went to Mrs. Armour's where he had a smoke, and afterwards where he had a smoke, and afterwards went to the Duke of York Hotel, where sultation with Major-Gen. Wesley Merwalked down town, and walked back to Dreaney's livery stable. Leaving

Q.-Where did you go after leaving

Witness would not say whether he or not. He finally said he did not think so, and then said he would not swear Q.-Where did you go to after coming of a nasty cut above the eye, and a back from Rectory street? A.—To my

Witness didn't know whether he had tion from the government. gone to Mr. Short's three times that night or not. He didn't know how long he was there, but left about 11:30. Q .- After that, where did you go? A. -Went home.

Mr. Wigmore said he had gone to his home that night by way of Dundas street and a back lane. When he got to his door he did not go in, but continued west to the corner of Adelaide street and Queen's avenue, where he saw two men standing. Across on the northwest corner he saw five men standing, and they went north. He followed for half a block and then came back home. Witness said that as he passed the Duke of York on the way nome he heard two men say that the line was down on Adelaide street. When he saw the men at the corner he wen New York and Ottawa Company, and ap, and Mr. Joseph Dean and Mr. Wm. Mottashed passed on the way north.

Witness crossed over Adelaide street and went north half a block, then turned back and went into the house of the blame on the shoulders of the blame of th ed back and went into the house. To Mr. Judd, witness said he knew nothing about the assault on Addison. An adjournment was then made for

a week, and Richards was allowed his iberty on the renewal of his bonds of \$2,500. During the examination Mr. Judd, counsel for the accused, objected to the crown taking up time in drawing out from the witness his whereabouts and movements on the night of the assault. the affair. Under his vigorous leader- Bothwell, were mentioned, but not bal- If Wigmore were connected with it, it would be a different thing. Richards was before the court, and no one else. Mr. McKillop said that Wigmore was an important witness for the crown,

and by tracing the movements of the witness he would lead up to the assault. The manner in which Wigmore intended to give his evidence must have been perfectly clear to the court before witness had been in the box three min-Mr. Judd's objection was over-ruled.

Inportant Notice.

Owing to the enormous demand for ickets for Miss Hutchinson's and Mrs. Harvey's concerts it has been found necessary to engage the Grand Opera House and combine the two concerts in one, to be given on Monday evening, Dec. 5. Those holding tickets for Mrs. Harvey's farewell concert on Dec. pork packers and exporters of meat 9 can exchange them for Monday evening at the box office, or have their money returned. Plan opens Saturday, 9 a.m. This will be the last time Mrs. Harvey will sing in London, as she leaves on Dec. 12, for a three-year's The East Elgin Election Trial Conclud study in New York and Europe.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this The protest contained the names of the breathing organs. Nullify this men who represent the combined cap-danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil -a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. prepared, at a meeting of the packers held at the instance of Maurice Epneck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses must substantial claim to public confidence.

> period of twenty years, they would yield an amount of fish equal in bulk to the globe on which we live. Life is short, but it only takes two

seconds to fight a duel. Why will you allow a Cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the pain can be allayed and the danger and diminishes the sensibility or the membranes of the throat and air passant to the avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, poreness of the clubronchitis, etc.

The Provost of the Western University Resigns.

The Huron College Council Meets to Consider It - The Bishop Disappointed.

A meeting of the council of Huron College was held last Tuesday to deal with a matter that has caused the Adjournment for a Week in the Hope members considerable concern for months past. Action was in a sense deferred, and the Bishop of Huron has called another meeting for Dec. 16. Meanwhile, the members of the council continue to be in a quandary.

The question, to consider which the council has been called together, is the resignation of Provost Watkins. provost of the Western University the Rev. Mr. Watkins is well liked, but it is as principal of Huron College that several members of the council say he is not the officer they desire. For some months past the dissatisfaction has been brewing, and finally the principal sent in his resignation, and the council was called. The bishop presided, and all the members but Mr. I. F. Hellmuth, city, and Mr. Matthew Wilson, Q.C., Chatham, were present. In Cream Almonds, the course of the discussion it was ap- Coffee Almonds, parent that the feeling was strongly in favor of acceptance. The bishop was greatly disappointed, it is said, and re-fused to put the motion. Then, to show the division among the members, all in favor of accepting the principal's resignation withdrew. They were eleven, namely, Ven. Archdeacon Davis, Canon Richardson, Canon Hill (St. Thomas), Rev. Mr. Moorhouse, Rev. Mr. Thomas (Lucan), Rev. Canon Smith, and Messrs. V. Cronyn, G. F. Jewell, Dr. Moorhouse, J. M. McWhinney and F. T. Harrison, Those who remained were Rev. Mr. was there one hour or five hours. Nor McCosh (Chatham), Rev. G. B. Sage, and Ven. Dean Innes.

ATTITUDE OF

Gives Pleasure to Spain's Sympathizers -Aguinaldo Expected To Make It Hot for Uncle Sam.

Paris, Dec. 2.—The United States sultation with Major-Gen. Wesley Merritt at today's session, after which it took up the question of Spanish commercial rights in the West Indies for a term of years, and other subjects of negotiation to be considered later at the joint session.

Spanish sympathizers having a quasionnection with the Spanish commission are making much over the reported attitude of the Filipinos towards the United States. These sympathizers profess to have information that Aguinaldo means to fight, and that he now ground. He was quickly picked up by Witness would not say whether he has 60,000 soldiers armed with Mauser his fellow workmen, who thought him went back to the Duke of York Hotel rifles and twelve quick-firing guns, and rifles and twelve quick-firing guns, and it is asserted that he will be satisfied with nothing but independence. Agoncillo, Aguinaldo's agent, was reticent when questioned on the subject, saying that he had no definite informa-

CONTRACTORS

\$4,000 Damages in the Cornwall Railway Accident Case.

Cornwall, Ont., Dec. 2.—The Jury in the railway accident case returned verdict for plaininffs aggregating \$4,-000, being \$2,500 for Mrs. Rombough and children, and \$1,500 for Mr. and Mrs.

Green. While the actions were against the Balch & Sheppard, the jury, in an-Balch & Sheppard.

Judgment has been given for the full amount of verdict with costs against the contractors. The action was dismissed as against the N. Y. and O. Company. A great many legal objections have been taken, and the case is to be appealed. There is also an issue directed as between the N. Y. and O. Company and Balch & Sheppard, as to who is liable.

AFTER THE STORM

Identification of Bodies From the Wreck of the Portland-A Montreal Man Among Them.

Orleans, Mass., Dec. 2. - Two more bodies have come achore from the wreck of the Portland, making 23 in all. One of the latest has been identified as that of A. Cosselin, assistant city clerk of Montreal, Que., and the

other as a deck hand. The three bodies which were reported from Chatham last night are those of Masel Dyer, quartermaster of the Portland; Walter L. Bemis, of Auburn, Me.; and Edwin Dunbar, of Booth Bay, Me. This makes 17 identifications.

CASE CLOSED

ed-Judgment To Be Given Dec. 27. St. Thomas, Dec. 2.—The East Elgin election trial closed yesterday after-noon, being terminated rather sooner than was anticipated. Mr. Aylesworth announced at 3:30 that he would rest the case for the petitioner on the six charges, which their lordships, Justice Osler and MacMahon, had reserved. These are the four Luton charges of having kept voters away from the polis by means of engaging them to work for him on polling day, and by other If a pair of herrings could be left to means. The Douglas charge of having breed and multiply undisturbed for a voted illegally when not a resident of the riding, and the Dickenson charge of having borrowed money with which to bet. Their lordships announced that they would hand out judgment in the case

on the 17th inst. at Osgoode Hall. The great lung healer is found in nat and air pasmembranes of the th eign remedy for rseness, pain or bronchitis, etc.



Great Candy Sale and Guessing Contest.

How Many Pounds in the Pyramia?

Every customer at our Candy Department has a chance of guessing, and the one who guesses nearest to the weight of the pyramid in our candy window, will get a FIVE-POUNE BOX OF CHOICEST CANDY in the window.

THE BIG CANDY SALE COMMENCES FRIDAY

In this department you will find every kind of Candy you could wish for-in fancy boxes or in bulk.

Humbugs.

Lemons,

Smooth Almonds Burnt Almonds. Violet Fondants, Rose Fondants, Vanilla Fondants, Jelly Top Fondants, Lamon Fondants, Orange Fondants. Banana Fondants. Strawberry Fondants. Maple Fondants, Almond Fondants Aniseed Berries, Cherries, Mint Perfections Cough Drops,

Acme Cough Curers

Orange Slices.

Lemon Slices.

Canadian Mix, Royal Mix, Cream Taffy, Strawberry Cream, Maple Cream, Vanilla Cream. Orange Cream, Marrowbone. Marshmallow. Chocolate Taffy Balls, Cocoanut Taffy Balls, Chocolate Cream Caramels, Caramel Nugget, Eureka Caramels, Pecal Bon Bons, Valencia Creams. Chocolate Walnuts. Maple Walnuts, Cream Walnuts, Mapletinas,

Cream Grenobles, Victoria Cream, Peerless Mix, Tuxedo Chocolates. New York Gum Drops. Newport Mix, Society Mix. Taffy Squares. Buttercups, Acid Drops, Melon Seeds, Peppermints, Crystallzed Gum Drops, Chocolate Drops, Peanut Crisp, Almond Taffy, Walnut Taify, Cocoanut Taffy, Peanut Taffy, Chocolate Taffy, Butter Taffy, Spanish Crisp.

SHAKER FLANNEL UNDERWEAR-NIGHT GOWNS-Large size, full front and back, double yoke, rolling collar, in fancy stripes, regular price 65c, Saturday and Monday reduced to 49c. Twilled Flannelette, fancy stripes, neck, cuffs and box pleats, trimmed with frills, regular price 75c, sale price 50c. English Flannel heavy quality, double yoke, extra full back and front, corded frills, regular \$1, sale price 85c. Extra Heavy Shaker Flannel Gown, in pink and blue, trimmed with silk embroidery, regular \$1 25, sale price 95c.

ENGLISH FLANNEL GOWNS—Plain colors, empire yoke, deep collar and cuffs, corded in fancy designs; these gowns are extra wide and long; regular price \$1 50, special for Saturday, 98c. English Flannel Gowns, trimmed with deep torchon lace, \$1 50, reduced to \$1 20.

APRONS—Christmas Aprons, in all the latest designs. See our large size Fine Lawn Apron, with long ties, sale price Saturday and Monday, 20c.

MAIDS' APRONS-With bibs, embroidery and ruffle trimmed.

CAPS-Maids' Caps, in all the newest stripes.

UMBRELLAS-Our Christmas stock of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Umbrellas has just arrived. We have them in all the newest coverings, handles and trimmings.

FIRST FLOOR-Our basement and ground floor is not sufficient to show the extensive range of Christmas goods, and we have fitted up our first floor for a showroom-Sleighs, Carts, Rocking Horses, Hobby Horses, Chairs, Doll's Carriages, Go-Carts, Baby Carriages, etc. Be sure you visit our First Floor when in the Big Store. Watch this paper for announcement of the BIG OPENING SALE on the FIRST FLOOR.

RED CROSS TEA

"Walla Galla" has the TRUE TEA TASTE that can only be obtained from the growths of the world's finest gardens. By using astringent and adulterated teas you not only endanger your health, but cannot obtain satisfaction. This perfect tea costs you no more

than so-called cheap teas, which are dear at any price. Sold by grocers, in sealed lead packets, at 40c, 50c and 60c per pound.

RED UROSS TEA

The Empress of Japan has arrived at Hong Kong. While talking Thursday at Kingston.

Ont., James Allen was attacked with paralysis of the vocal cords. Doctors do not think that he can recover his voice. A Thousand Tongues.

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1,125 Howard Philadelphia. Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure: "It soon removed the pain in my chest, and I can now sleep soundly something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the

and \$1, at any drug store; every bottle guaranteed. The British steamer Briardens, whose master, Capt. Johnson, defied the English admiralty court and sailed from Queenstown, Nov. 18, arrived at the Delaware breakwater today. The court has seized the steamer for debt, and Captain Johnson left Queenstown with

Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50 cents

the bailiff on board. FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and desponde has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills. A business man always reads the

Don't have corns on your fingers by using dull scissors when you can have they sharpened for 5 cents by PERRY DAVID, 569 Richmond street, two doors ZXV north of Albert.

postscript of a woman's letter first.

DIED

PARKS-In this city, on Friday, Dec. 2, 1898, Herbert Charles, third son of Thomas E. and Elizabeth B. Parks, aged 15 years 7 months and 15 days. Funeral will be held on Sunday, at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30, from 161 Simcoe street.

Work. Apply in evening, at 860 Waterloo street.

That are good as well as reasonable in price are always appreciated by purchasers. You can always count

on saving money and also

196 Dundas Street.

getting good furs at-

Don't Be Cross

because coal has gone up-GAS COKE hasn't. We are still selling it at the same price, even though the demand is rapidly increasing. Large size \$4 per ton. Chestnut, \$4.25 per ton. All orders received at office.



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581-3 Richmond St., WANTED-YOUNG GIRL TO DO HOUSE And you will save a few dollars Come up and we'll explain how.