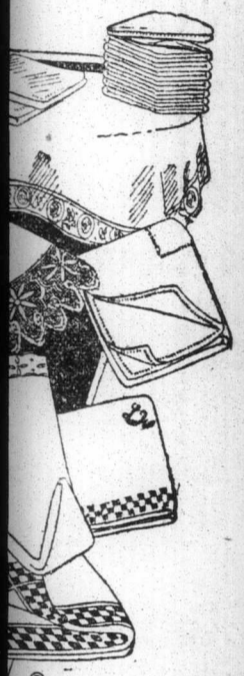


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AUCTION SALE

OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

W. J. Bragg, auctioneer has been  
instructed to offer for sale by Public  
Auction the chattels of the late  
Adam Spence on Friday next,  
December 14 at his late residence,  
81 Northumberland street, commencing  
at 1.30 sharp the following goods:

Double Parlor—60 yards Axminster  
Carpet, 2 Upholstered Chairs Walnut  
Parlor Table, 4 Haircloth Walnut  
chairs, Arm Rocker, Couch, etc.,  
Table 4 leaves round Walnut  
Book case, Wood heater fitted with  
gas, No. 6 Radiant Home, coal heat-  
er almost new, Lace Curtains and  
Blinds, through whole house picture-  
s, Walnut sideboard, 6 chairs,  
Couch, Arm Rocker, Bookcase, All  
Dishes, Glassware Silverware, Knives,  
Forks, Pictures, Wood cook stove  
gas attached, one Cupboard with  
four bins, 2 tubs, 2 Wringers, Pots,  
Pans and all kitchen utensils, Barn  
1 Wheel barrow, rake, hoe, shovels,  
chairs, carpet-sweeper, Strip Carpet,  
Eleg. light Chandeliers, Parrot cage,  
Wood box, Iron Lawn benches, Wal-  
nut drop leaf table, 10 yards lin-  
oleum, Hall—12 yards stair car-  
pet, Brass rails, large Round Clock  
other books and articles.  
Bedroom No. 2—Cherry Suite com-  
plete, 2 wool mattresses, feather bed,  
16 yards Brussels Carpet, 4 Toilet  
Sets, 8 yards carpet, Bedding, Pil-  
lows, springs, 3 yards, 3 ply Wool  
Carpet, 9 yards Brussels Carpet, 20  
lengths Stove Pipe, Wardrobe,  
Trunk, 3 Grip bags also other articles  
too numerous to mention. Come early  
as we must start on time.

Terms—Cash on Friday next,  
Dec. 14 at 81 Northumberland St.,  
commencing at 1.30 sharp. No re-  
serve all must be sold to clean up  
the estate of the late Adam Spence,  
W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer. Phone  
250.

AUCTION SALE

Of Registered Jersey Cows

Mr. Almas has received instruc-  
tions from Mrs. Samuel Hunter, to  
sell by public auction, at her farm,  
Hartborn Place, Scotland, on FRI-  
DAY, DEC. 14, commencing at one  
o'clock sharp, the following:

Colt—Sorrel, rising 4 years.  
Cows—Scotch Smoke (3068), due  
Dec. 29; Hawthorn Fawn (3069),  
due Jan. 4; Hawthorn Fawn II, regis-  
tration applied for, in calf; Lily  
Light, registration applied for; 2  
year old heifer, due Mar. 26; Haw-  
thorn Beauty, registration applied  
for, 18 months old; Star, grade Jer-  
sey, 2 year old; heifer, due Jan. 16.  
Poultry—A number of white leg-  
horn and black minorcas.

Implements—Lumber wagon; wag-  
on box; combination stock and hay  
rack; onehorse wagon; 2 set Iron  
harrows; Wilkinson plow; Verity  
corn cultivator; Planet Jr. seeder  
and cultivator; top buggy; 2 corn  
planters; barrel sprayer, Eureka, 5  
gal. sprayer; wheelbarrow; cutting  
box; feed box; 26 ft. cedar ladder;  
18 ft. cedar ladder; shovels; spades;  
hoes and forks; etc.

Harness—Single light set (nearly  
new); set heavy, double (good);  
string sleigh bells.

Hay—About 6 tons.  
Dairy Utensils—De Laval cream  
separator (No. 12); barrel churn;  
2 butter bowls; prints; pails, etc.

Blacksmith Shop and Tools—Shop  
—frame, 30 ft. by 20 ft.—to be torn  
down and removed within 60 days  
of sale. A complete set of tools such  
as anvil, vise, tongs, hammers, etc.

Miscellaneous—A quantity of old  
cedar posts; picket fence; lumber and  
plank; 35 rods of 5 chickens net-  
ting; barrel of vinegar (4 years old).  
20 willow 1-2 bushel baskets; some  
household furniture.

Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and  
under, cash; over that amount 10  
months' credit will be given on fur-  
nishing approved security, or 5 per-  
cent. off for cash.

Mrs. Samuel Hunter, W. Almas,  
Proprietress. Auctioneer.  
M. Halliday, Clerk.

Tenders For Pulpwood Limited

Tenders will be received by the  
undersigned up to and including the  
seventeenth day of December next  
for the right to cut pulpwood and  
pine timber on a certain area situate  
in the vicinity of the Kapuskasing  
River in the Districts of Timiskami-  
ng and Algoma.

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per cord for all classes of pulpwood,  
whether spruce or other woods. The  
successful tenderer shall be re-  
quired to erect a mill or mills  
on or near the territory, and to  
manufacture the wood into pulp and  
paper in the Province of Ontario, in  
accordance with the terms and con-  
ditions of sale which can be had on  
application to the Department.

Parties making tender will be re-  
quired to deposit with their tender  
a marked cheque payable to the  
Honourable the Treasurer of the  
Province of Ontario, for Twenty-five  
Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00),  
which amount will be forfeited in  
the event of their not entering into  
agreement to carry out conditions,  
etc. The said Twenty-five Thousand  
Dollars (\$25,000.00) will be held by  
the Department until such time as  
the terms and conditions of the  
agreement to be entered into have  
been complied with and the said  
mills erected, equipped and in op-  
eration. The said sum may then be  
applied in such amounts and at such  
times as the Minister of Lands, For-  
ests and Mines may direct in pay-  
ment of accounts for dues or of any  
other obligation due the Crown  
until the whole sum has been ap-  
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RECORD AUDIENCE  
AT THE TABERNACLE

Evangelist Hanley Heard to  
Advantage on the "Un-  
pardonable Sin"

The spectacle presented last night  
at the tabernacle was most inspir-  
ing, there being assembled the  
largest adult audience possibly since  
the campaign opened. The choruses  
were sung with spirit and gusto,  
contagious. Special mention should  
be made of the two choruses, "Jesus  
will save you," and "For you I am  
praying." In the latter the echo  
effect produced by the audience at  
the rear singing in response to that  
at the front was most beautiful.

Dr. Hanley announced that the  
best reports yet received had come  
in from the neighborhood prayer  
meetings, and spoke highly of the  
value of prayer in the success of the  
services. The shop and factory meet-  
ings also came in for a word of  
praise, Miss Robertson and Mr. Croft  
in charge of these, having done fine  
work. The main feature of the night  
was the Salvation Army Band, who  
were emphasized. This takes place to-  
night at 7.45, starting from the  
Y.M.C.A., marching to the taber-  
nacle. All men are invited to partici-  
pate. Thursday evening will be  
"The Second Coming of Christ."  
Friday night will be "Converts  
Night." Sunday the churches in the  
campaign will not have their ordin-  
ary services; except the Sunday  
Schools, and these will meet at 2.30  
as usual. Morning service at the  
tabernacle, overflow meeting at  
Wellington Street Methodist Church,  
Rev. Mr. Emmet will preach. After-  
noon meeting at 2.30 for men only  
at the tabernacle. Evening at the  
tabernacle, closing night. Overflow  
meetings at night at Wellington  
Street Church and St. Andrews.

Mr. W. H. Whitaker in a rousing  
speech thanked all who had helped  
to make the campaign a waiting and  
glorious success, and emphasized the  
free-will offering to be taken next  
Sunday at all the services, this offer-  
ing going for the remuneration  
of the party. As heretofore nothing  
had been taken in Brantford for  
Evangelistic Campaign, would be ac-  
cepted for the purpose desired.

Prayers were offered by Revs.  
Woodside and Martin, and Mr.  
Fisher sang by request, "Bearing  
His Cross."

"The Unpardonable Sin," is a sub-  
ject that claims the attention of  
Christendom. Dr. Hanley's text was  
"The blasphemy against the Holy  
Ghost shall not be forgiven." These  
were the words of the greatest pre-  
acher, Jesus, and were higher than  
man's angels. This sin barred the  
commitment from the presence of God  
and from Heaven. Any who had en-  
tered for their spiritual state had not  
committed the unpardonable sin, for  
he who commits it has absolutely no  
interest in spiritual things. Dr.  
Hanley used plain language in say-  
ing that he didn't expect all to agree  
with his entire views concerning  
theology. One thing was certain  
however, that the question of the  
soul's safety was vital and import-  
ant.

1. God Was All Wise.  
Man was made in the image of  
God and by God. He was subject to  
God's law, natural, mental and  
spiritual. To disobey any of these  
was to be punished. Man is  
not an automaton, but has been  
given the power and exercise of  
choice. An angel had not the range  
of power in this regard that man  
had. Man had disobeyed in the  
Garden of Eden. Dr. Hanley would  
not say that sin was responsible for  
physical death, but rather for  
spiritual or soul death. Every soul,  
for Christ, is dead in their sin.  
Hell was made not for man, but  
for the devil and his angels.

2. God Was, and Must Be, Honest.  
He had made unalterable laws.  
He therefore must abide by such.  
For example, if a father says that he  
will give a son a horse who does  
wrong, to go unpunished, he must  
be true to his word; so it was with  
God, for God must be honest. It is  
useless for one to plead morality.  
Salvation does not depend on mor-  
ality. "A have sinned, and come  
short of the glory of God," that is  
the word, and all therefore stand  
condemned.

God has no more difficulty in sav-  
ing the base, than the clean living  
sinner, the smallest particle of sin is  
sufficient to condemn, and no one  
dares to say that he or she has not  
sinned. No membership in any fra-  
ternal lodge can save a soul. It  
may advance morality, that is all.

It is true, as a great physician  
said, "The words of scripture on the  
question of heredity are most awful  
and true, viz: "The sins of the fathers  
are visited on the children to the  
third and fourth generation." Many  
a boy is suffering weakness because  
of the sin of an ancestor. The con-  
clusion is that apart from Christ there  
is no hope for the sinner. But in  
the extremity of man's need, God  
provided a way. The compassionate  
Christ offered Himself that He might  
take upon Himself the sin of the  
world, and pay the penalty that the  
demands of a holy and righteous  
law required.

Having thus laid the foundation  
for his sermon, Dr. Hanley made  
clear his meaning of the unpardon-  
able sin by a parable. On a prohib-  
ited road a man travelling is arrest-  
ed and brought before a judge who  
cries him and fines him a thousand  
dollars; the man cannot pay, and the  
only course is to send him to prison,  
which the judge, to be just, must do,  
though he does not wish to do it.  
Here a friend appears and offers to  
pay the fine, the only condition was

MARKETS

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.

By Courier Leased Wire  
Toronto, Dec. 12.—The cattle  
trade at the Union Stock Yards was  
steadily this morning. Hogs firmer.  
Receipts, 585 cattle, 58 calves, 594  
hogs, 43 sheep.

Export cattle, choice \$11.00 to  
\$13.00; bulls, \$9.00 to \$10.00; but-  
cher cattle, choice \$10.50 to \$11.25;  
medium, \$8.00 to \$8.25; common,  
\$8.50 to \$9.50; butcher cows, choice  
\$12.00 to \$13.00; medium, \$9.00 to  
\$9.25; canners, \$7.50 to \$8.00; bulls  
\$8.50 to \$9.75; feeding steers, \$7.50  
to \$8.50; stockers, light, \$6.25 to  
\$6.75; milkers, choice, each \$100 to  
\$125; springers \$90 to \$120; sheep,  
receipts, \$12.00 to \$14.00; bucks and  
culls \$10.50 to \$11.50; lambs,  
\$17.50; hogs, fed and watered,  
\$18.25; hogs, f.o.b., \$17.50; calves,  
\$14.50 to \$15.50.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

By Courier Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Cattle, re-  
ceipts, 18,000; market, weak;  
beeves, \$7.25 to \$14.50; western  
steers, \$6.30 to \$13.25; stockers  
and feeders, \$6.10 to \$10.75; cows  
and heifers, \$5.10 to \$11.20; calves,  
\$8.50 to \$15.50.  
Hogs, receipts, 30,000; market,  
strong; light, \$16.90 to \$17.60;  
mixed, \$17.05 to \$17.75; heavy, \$17  
to \$17.75; rough, \$17 to \$17.25;  
pigs, \$13 to \$15.85; bulk sales,  
\$17.30 to \$17.65.  
Sheep, receipts, 14,000; market,  
strong; wethers, \$8.90 to \$13;  
lambs, \$13.65 to \$17.

friend requires is that the prisoner  
accepts his offer and makes acknow-  
ledgement of the acceptance. This  
the man refuses to do. Then a very  
dear relative appears and pleads  
with the prisoner for the sake of  
himself, wife and family, his good  
name and character, to accept the  
kind offer of the friend. The man  
still refuses, and in his refusal grows  
still more violent and insulting, the  
violent and insulting, smiting the  
loved one, until the loved one, buffe-  
ted, spurred, and grieved, turns away  
no more to return. God is the judge,  
the sinner is the prisoner, Christ is  
the friend, the loved one is the Holy  
Spirit. Grieved, spurned and insult-  
ed by the sinner, at last the Spirit  
leaves, no more to return, and the  
unpardonable sin is committed. The  
sermon made a profound impression,  
and many turned to Christ when the  
invitation was given.

FIRE IN PLANT  
OF BETHLEHEM  
STEEL COMPANY

By Courier Leased Wire  
Wilmington, Del., Dec. 12.—Fire  
broke out this morning in the shell  
loading department of the Bethlehem  
Steel Company's munition plant, a  
short distance below Newcastle, Del.,  
at 9.15 a. m. The fire was reported  
to be coming to every building.

The flames caused the explosion of  
loaded shells, and they were scatter-  
ed everywhere, the report says. The  
roof of the explosion resembled the  
bombardment of the town.

One report said Chief Jacobs of  
the plant guard, was struck by a  
shell and his head blown off.

SALTS IF KIDNEYS  
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Harmless to flush kidneys and  
neutralize irritating  
Kidney and Bladder weakness re-  
sult from uric acid, says a noted au-  
thority. The kidneys filter this acid  
from the blood and pass it out to the  
bladder, where it often remains to  
irritate and inflame, causing a burn-  
ing, scalding sensation, or setting up  
an irritation at the neck of the  
bladder, obliging you to seek relief  
two or three times during the night.  
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scalding sensation and is very pro-  
fuse; again, there is difficulty in  
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