A quantity of D. & A. sample Corsets, sizes 20 to 22; worth 50c to $5.00; to be cleared at ..... 35c to $3.00

SHEA'S Tuesday, Jan. 12, 1909

MUSSED HANDKERCHIEFS—A quantity of Handkerchiefs, beautifully embroidered and with hemstitched and scalloped edges, used in decorating at Christmas; 15, 20 and 25c values, on sale to be cleared at each 10c

Women's Skirts
A Slaughter

Good, dependable Tweed Skirts, well made, worth $3.00, on sale for **99c**

Skirts made of plain cloths and good fancy worsteds, women's, misses' and children's lengths, $3.50 value, to be cleared at, each **$1.95**

Women's Skirts, made of Panamas, broadcloths and Venetians, black and colors, worth $4.50 to $5.00, on sale to clear for **$2.85**

$6.00 Venetian Skirts at **$3.95**

$7.50 Black and Colored Panama Skirts for **$4.95**

Voile Skirts and Silk Skirts at equal cuts.

Annual January Clearing Sale

Sharp at 9 o'clock on Tuesday, January 12th, we will open our doors on what we intend will be the biggest sale in our history—Stocks are very large, for the unusually mild season has left many of our department overstocked with Winter goods—These have to be turned into money during the next 30 days. Furs, Mantles, Suits, Skirts, Underwear, Dress Goods, etc , etc., all take their share in these cut prices—half the original values in many cases; for cost was not considered when fixing these sale figures—Sale will last 30 days but be here to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock, for the best is always picked up first. Tuesday and Wednesday, store will close from 12 o'clock to 1.15.

Millinery—To be Cleared

$8.00 and $10.00 Hats, the season's best styles, in all the good shades, to clear at **$2.95**

Trimmed Hats, fresh and new, and in the very best styles, worth $5.00 and $6.50, to clear at **$1.95**

A special table of swell Black Hats, very richly trimmed, worth $10.00 and $12.00, to be cleared at, each ... **$5.00**

Felt Shapes to be cleared as follows: $2.00 values for **75c**. $1.00 values for **49c**

Wings and Ornaments and Buckles up to 75c, for **15c**

Children's Bearskin and Plush Hats, and Bonnets, 75c and $1.00, for .. **25c**

Mantles for Women, Misses and Children — To Be Cleared

No mantles in Canada have a better reputation than those sold by the Shea store. No matter how low the price is they have to meet our standard of value or they have no place here. Thus every Coat at its regular price is the best value you can get anywhere in the regular way. At these cut prices you see the emmense savings you make. Every garment has the cut price tag on it. A very large proportion of them at half price and less, as follows:

1 large rack of Children's, Misses' and Women's Coats in a great variety of cloths, worth from $3.50 to $6.00, to be cleared at each **$1.95**

1 large rack of Misses' Coats, made of good warm tweeds and plain cloths, black and colors, worth $4.50 to $7.50, to be cleared at **$2.95**

1 large rack of Women's Stylish Mantles, good range of sizes, blacks and colors, various new and popular makes, $10.00 Coats, for **$5.95**

1 large rack of Women's Coats, made of splendid black and colored cloths, good range of sizes, worth $12.50 to $15, to be cleared at each **$8.95**

Women's Fur Lined Coats at $27.50

Splendid Black and Colored Cloths, well lined with dependable fur, $42.50 to $50.00 value, to clear at **$27.50**

Women's Suits at a Sacrifice

About 50 Women's Suits go into this sale to be cleared. All beautifully made garments, perfect in fit, material and workmanship. These are the cut prices:

$15 to $18 Suits **$8.95**, $20 and $22 Suits, **$10.00**, $25 Suits, **$12.50**

Gloves and Mitts on Sale

Children's Mitts, 25c, for .. **12½c**

Misses' Ringwood Gloves, 20c, for.. ..... **15c**

Women's Double Knit Mitts, 25c, for **15c**; 35c, for **19c**; 50c, for .. **25c**

Women's Astrakhan Gauntletts, worth $1.00 and $1.25, for ... **69c**

Men's Lined Buck Gloves, worth $1.25, for per pair **69c**

Wool Toques to clear at less than half price:

39c Toques for **19c**
50c Toques for **39c**
50c Toques for **25c**

Velveteens on Sale

Hundreds of yards of splendid Colored Velveteens, worth 40c per yard, clearing at **25c**

Colored Velveteens, worth 50 and 59c, on sale for per yard **39c**

Collar Goods on Sale

Sateens, good colors, 15c, for **10c**

Black and Colored Sateens, worth 25c, to clear at **15c**

42-inch White Lawn, worth 15c and 18c, on sale for per yard **10c**

40-inch White Lawn, worth 18c, for per yard **12½c**

40-inch White Lawn, 25c, for per yard **15c**

Sheer Irish Lawn, 40c, for **25c**

$15 to $20 Coats for $10.00

Hundreds of Women's Coats, made of Venetians, Kerseys, beavers and broadcloths, well lined and elegantly trimmed, full range of sizes, $15 to $20 values, to clear at **$10.00**

German Mantles $15.00

Richly Trimmed German Mantles, all sizes up to 48 bust, made of beautiful black cloths, $20 and $25 values, to clear at each. **$15.00**

Very rich German Mantles, made of the very best beaver and Kersey cloths, richly trimmed, sizes up to 48 bust, $35 to $50 values, to be cleared at each ..... **$20** and **$25**

Women's Near Seal Coats, worth $40 and $45, on sale for ... **$27.50**

Women's Caracul Coats $15.00

About 40 Women's Caracul Cloth Coats, the most fashionable as well as the most comfortable and well wearing known to-day; these Coats are well and durably lined, finished with braids, and should sell readily for $30.00, go on sale to clear at each **$15**

Dress Goods and Silk Clearance

Our entire Dress Goods stock will have to be cleared out during this sale. Every yard of Dress Goods and Silks has been reduced to clear.

50c Silks for **29c**
65c Silks for **39c**
75c Silks for **50c**
$1.50 Dress Goods **$1.00**
$1.00 and $1.25 Dress Goods for **75c**
75c Dress Goods for **50c**
75c Dress Goods for **39c**
50c Dress Goods for **29c**

Skirts Made to Measure $1.25

During this sale we will make Skirts to your measure in the prevailing styles, and make them well; the only stipulation is the goods and trimmings must be bought during this sale; the charge is for making only, each **$1.25**

A Startling Blouse Clearance

Silk Waists, black and colors, all good styles and perfect fitting, $3 and $3.50 values, to be cleared at, each **$1.95**

Silk Net and Lace Waists, black, white and cream, 34 to 42 sizes, beautifully stylish goods, $4.50 to $5 value, to clear at, each **$2.95**

Silk and Lace Waists, finished with applique, blacks, cream and colors, up to $6, on sale to clear for, each **$3.95**

Women's Waists, made of Lawns, Lustres and Sateens, cream, white, black and colors, full $1 value, to clear at, each **59c**

Dressing Sacks 95c

A quantity of samples and odd lots of Dressing Sacks; all colors; Eiderdowns, Lustres and Kimona Cloths; $1.50 to $3.50; to clear at each..... **95c**

The Biggest Underskirt Sale Yet

100 only Women's Underskirts, made of Moreens, Taffetines, Sateens, beautifully frilled and ruffled, black and colors, worth $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50. Be there at 9 o'clock. They won's last an hour **59c**

Women's Underskirts at 98c, Worth $2.00

Made of Moreens, Taffetines and Sateens, all sizes.

Women's Underskirts at $1.50, Worth $2.50 and $3.00

"Hydegoode" Heatherbloom, Mesaline, Sateens, Moreens, Taffetines, etc., etc., blacks and colors.

Silk Underskirts at $2.95

Made of Taffeta Silks and Silk Moirettes, of splendid quality, worth $5.00 and $5.50, to be cleared at, each **$2.95**

Silk Underskirts at $3.95

Made of beautiful high-grade Taffeta, in blacks and a good range of colors, beautifully pleated and ruffled, $6.00 to $7.50 values, on sale for **$3.95**

Knitted Underskirts at $1.75

Pure Wool Knit Underskirts, with deep, plain yoke, large sizes, worth $2.50, on sale for **$1.75**

A Sweeping Clearance of Neck Furs

No Furs sold in the trade are more dependable than those offered by the Shea Store. A large portion of them are sold under a broad guarantee that holds just as good under the cut prices as though you paid full value. These are cut prices:

Marmot Stoles, worth $3.50, for **$1.95**
Storm Collars of Coney and Astrakhan, worth $6, for **$4.50**
Marmot and Musquash Stoles, $10, for **$5.75**
Isabella Fox Stole, worth $35, for **$22.50**
Marmot and Astrakhan Stoles, $5 for **$2.95**
Marmot Stoles, worth $7.50, for **$4.95**
'Possom Stoles, Isabella, blended and natural, $12, for **$7.50**
Isabella Fox Muffs, $35, for **$25.00**

Rich Mink Furs at the following sweeping reductions:

Stoles worth $50, for..... **$35** Stoles worth $60, for ..... **$37.50** Muffs worth $40, for **$25**
Muffs worth $35, for ..... **$20** Muffs worth $25, for ..... **$15** Muffs worth $20, for **$12.50**

Bargains in Women's Underwear

Knitted Vests and Drawers, heavy fleece lined, worth 50 and 60c, on sale to clear at per garment **35c**

Knitted Vests and Drawers, good heavy weight, worth 25c and 29c, on sale to clear at per garment.... **19c**

Women's Wrappers on Sale

Hundreds of these, made of good heavy cloth, dark and Medium colors, all sizes, $1.50, $1.75 and $2, all go for, each **$1.00**

Samples of Whitewear, Corset Covers, Drawers, Night Gowns and Underskirts on sale at less than wholesale prices.

Bleached and Unbleached Table Damasks

No better Linens than the Shea Damasks can be found in Canada. Every one a bargain at regular prices; the savings are easily figured:

35c Linens for **25c**
45c Linens for **35c**
50c Linens for **39c**
$1.00 Linens for **75c**
$1.25 Linens for **99c**
65c Linens for **49c**
75c Linens for **59c**
85c Linens for **69c**
$1.50 Linens for **$1.20**
$1.65 Linens for **$1.39**

Clearing Bargains in Toweling

The Shea Towelling cannot be improved upon for its good wearing qualities. It pays to buy at these cut prices.

10c Towelling for **7½c**
12½c Towelling for **10c**
15c Towelling for **12½c**
11½c Towelling for **8½c**
13½c Towelling for **11½c**
20c Towelling for **15c**

Clearing Bargains in Towels

Part Linen Huck Towels, 15c value, for **10c**

Bath Towels, 15c, for **12½c**; 20c, for **15c**; 25c, for **20c**; 40c, for **30c**

A quantity of Cotton Towels, slightly imperfect, on sale, at about half regular prices.

Big Bargains in Sheetings

72-inch Unbleached Sheeting:

29c, for **19c**
40c, for **32c**
35c, for **25c**
50c, for **40c**

72 inch and 81 inch Sheetings

30c, for **22½c**
40c, for **32½c**
35c, for **25c**
50c, for **40c**

PILLOW COTTON ON SALE AT CUT PRICES.

Big Clearance in Table Napkins

Beautiful Napkins, of splendid quality; some of them samples of the highest grade goods imported into Canada.

$1.25 Napkins for **75c**
$1.50 Napkins for **$1.00**
$1.75 Napkins for **$1.25**
$2.50 Napkins for **$1.69**
$3.00 Napkins for **$2.00**
$4.00 Napkins for **$3.00**
$5.00 Napkins for **$4.00**
$8.00 Napkins for **$5.95**

Table Cloths to be Cleared

Beautiful Damask Cloths; some of them samples, a little soiled, but otherwise perfect; also a quantity of New Eoline Cloth, with slight imperfections; sizes 72 x 72 to 84 x 108, at these cut prices:

$4.75 for **$3.50**
$4.00, for **$2.95**
$3.50 for **$2.50**
$3.00 for **$1.95**
$2.50 for **$1.65**
$2.00 for **$1.15**

Clearing Prices in Wrapperette

Good quality of Wrapperette, dark and light colors, stripe, check and floral designs, all good patterns, 13½c quality for **9c**; 15c quality for **11c**

Special Flannelette Bargain

35 and 36-inch Flannelette, striped patterns, good, fast colors, 13½c value, on sale, per yard **9½c**

Notion Counter Bargains

White Lamb Trimmings, per yard 12½c for **8c**, 18c for **12½c**, 25c for **18c**

Side Combs, 15c per pair **10c**
Back Combs, 15c, each **10c**

Hand Bags to Clear

50c Bags for **25c**
$1.50 Bags for **75c**
$2.50 Bags for **$1.50**
$3.00 Bags for **$1.69**
$4.00 Bags for **$2.75**

Women's Silk Belts, worth 25 and 35c, for **15c**

Women's Silk Belts, worth 50, 75c and $1.00, for **25c**

Elastic and Cut Steel Belts, worth $1.25, for **59c**

Fancy Collars and Neck Ruffs on sale at about half values.

Women's Golf Jackets

Women's Wool Golf Waists, in white, black and colors, all most beautiful quality and worth $2.50 to $3.50, will go on sale at one price, each **$1.95**

Bargains in Bedding

White Blankets, every thread pure wool and first class in every way, 64 x 80 size, worth $4.50, on sale to clear for per pair **$2.95**

8-lb. Pure Wool White Blankets, worth $6.00 and $6.50, to be cleared at per pair **$5.00**

White Quilts, double bed size and beautiful texture, clear firm thread, worth $1.25, for..... **99c**

Batting Comforters, covered with silkaline of good quality, worth $1.75 and $1.95, 60 x 72 size, to clear at each..... **99c**

Women's and Boys' Hose

A quantity of Women's and Children's Hose in finest qualities of cashmere and worsted, to be cleared at these cut prices; all put in 3 lots for easy choosing.

25 and 29c Hose for **19c**. 35 and 39c Hose for **25c**. 50c Hose for **39c**

Misses' and Children's Dresses

Every Miss' and Child's Dress in stock goes on sale at clearing out prices. The sizes are not complete in all lines, but you can get your size in some line; 2 years to 14 years:

$7.00 Dresses for **$3.95**
$5.00 Dresses for **$2.98**
$3.50 Dresses for **$1.95**
$2.50 Dresses for **$1.49**
$2.00 Dresses for **$1.25**
$1.00 Dresses for **59c**

GROCERS' GUILD.

MESSRS. JOHNSTON AND AMBROSE CONCLUDE ARGUMENT.

Mr. G. T. Blackstock Answers for the Crown—Chief Justice Sir Glenholme Falconbridge Reserves His Decision on the Case.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—Argument in the grocers' combine case was concluded before Chief Justice Glenholme Falconbridge on Saturday morning, and judgment was reserved.

Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, K. C., continuing his argument, denied that, as alleged by the crown, the guild had taken possession of a particular field of operations. As he had previously contended, the guild was open to all wholesalers. They had Mr. Andrew Maclean complaining of the guild's operations, and at the same time admitting that he had been able to accumulate a fortune of $300,000. Mr. Maclean, however, was a retailer, as well as a wholesaler, and therefore could not expect to share in the advantages of the guild. Mr. Johnston in a large part repeated his argument of the previous day, and complained that the press had published inflammatory articles in connection with the matter.

The case for the defence was concluded by Mr. A. E. Ambrose, K. C., who pointed out that the sugar refiners acted entirely independently of the guild, fixing their own prices. There was no case in which the guild's influence had been used against anyone, except in the case of a man who would not keep his agreements. In no count should any consideration be given to men who refused to deal honestly in his business with others.

Mr. G. T. Blackstock, K. C., regretted that counsel for the defence had seen fit to make so many unpleasant remarks about witnesses who had given evidence for the crown. Particularly did he regret the reference to Mr. F. W. Hudson. Mr. Hudson, acting very properly, having heard statements made by Mr. Corby, had given the crown correspondence which threw a different light on the matter. He thought, therefore, the attack on Mr. Hudson was most regrettable, for he was a man who had his business taken away in a most cruel manner, without rhyme or reason.

The correspondence put in completely proved, to his mind, that the sugar refiners had been reduced to a condition of abject compliance by the guild. They consulted them before selling to anyone, unless they happened to be guild members, and sale in the open market was precluded.

The circular issued by Messrs. Eby & Blain was an example of the condition of affairs. It was impossible to conceive anything more monstrous than those gentlemen sitting in judgment on Mr. Clancy's firm's application for membership, a firm of 10 per cent. of the stock of which only was held by retailers, and at the same time asking the public to subscribe stock in their own company and stating that one of the features was that the stock would be placed with retailers whom they knew would favor the concern.

As to the guild being open to all wholesalers, he contended that instance after instance had been given of men being drummed into line or forced out of business. He also regretted to have to draw attention to the failure of the defence to assist the investigations by the production of documentary evidence. Counsel for the defence had apparently lost sight in this case of the fact that what might be right for individuals to do singly was wrong if performed collectively.

If, said Mr. Blackstock, in conclusion, it were held that these agreements and arrangements by the guild were proper, then the statute framed for the purpose of maintaining trade freedom would be rendered nugatory and null.

The chief justice, before rising, said that owing to his engagements, he would be on the road for many weeks, and an early judgment could not be expected. He wished to offer his acknowledgments to counsel, who had acted with great patience and ability in presenting and elaborating the huge mass of testimony, and who also had presented the case in argument with great force and skill, and with great fairness and moderation.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Suicide

In a slow form is allowing indigestion and constipation to exist. Four times as many die from constipation than from consumption. Laxa-Food will positively cure; contains nothing but pure food. Will you suffer or try it?—A. W. Maguire & Co.

The Bible is printed in 500 languages.

TIGER AND BULL.

BATTLE BETWEEN THEM WITNESSED BY 5,500 PEOPLE.

Terrible Spectacle in Ring in Mexican City—Both Animals Will Die—A Ferocious Struggle—Details of the Fight.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 10.—The fight between a Tiagua bull and a Bengal tiger in the bull ring in Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, opposite El Paso, this afternoon, was most ferocious and will result in the death of both animals. The sickening spectacle was witnessed by 5,500 people, largely Americans, and many of them tourists, who stopped over here especially to witness the barbaris spectacle. After three bulls had been despatched in the regulation manner, the star performance was pulled off. The two animals, enclosed in an iron cage about thirty feet square, were brought together and the battle between the enraged brutes commenced.

The bull was first taken into the enclosure and given the usual bull fight tortures to arouse his ire and then the iron cage containing the tiger was wheeled up to the entrance, but the tiger refused to get out and open the battle and the bull attempted to get into the small cage and get at his adversary. The bull was badly scratched about the face. Finally the tiger came from his cage and the bull gored the cat with a long sharp horn as he emerged.

With a screech of pain, the cat, with a powerful lunge, broke the bull's right leg in return and then the two animals went into the fight for their lives. The tiger was able to spring out of the way of the bull in a number of instances, but when the big, heavy animal caught his adversary it went hard with the tiger. The bull stepped upon the tiger in one instance, and there was a crunching of ribs audible in the seats of the amphitheatre.

The bull also disabled the tiger in the back in a short time, and after that the fighting was very tame and was soon stopped by the cries of the Americans for pity, while the Mexicans cheered the brutal performance and wanted it to proceed. It was declared a draw by the judges, and where anything was wagered on the result the money was pulled down.

The International Harvester Company has been fined $12,600 in Kansas for anti-trust law violation.

CANADIAN DIVORCES

Notice is Given of Eight Applications For Separation.

The current issue of The Canada Gazette contains notice of eight divorce actions.

Mrs. Ada Ann Reid, of Toronto, seeks her freedom from Josiah Reed, and Mrs. Laura McQuoid, of Toronto, from William McQuoid, of Colborne. Charles Bowerbank Lowndes, of Toronto, asks a divorce from Lulu Anna Henderson Lowndes, now of Chicago, on grounds of bigamy and adultery. Frank D. W. Attwood, of the Township of Lobo, Middlesex County, has an action against Florence Sophia Attwood, now of London; Hannah Ella Trenholme Tomkins, of Coabicooke, Que., against Dr. J. E. C. Tomkins, now of Oklahoma; John Denison Smith, of Richmond, Que., against Mary Isabel Stephen Smith, of the same place; John Christopher Cowan, of Souris, Sask., against Daisy Cowan, whereabouts unknown, and Aaron William Morley Campbell, of Fort Saskatchewan, against Sarah Campbell, of Seattle, Wash.

BAILIFF KILLED.

Was Struck by Fast Train at West Lorne.

St. Thomas, Jan. 10. —Mr. Malcolm Leitch, Bailiff of the Division Court at Dutton, and father of Mr. Colin St. Clair Leitch, a well-known barrister of this city, was instantly killed by the Wolverine Express on the M. C. R. at West Lorne on Saturday evening. Mr. Leitch had been in West Lorne on business, and in going over the track failed to notice the approach of the flyer, which struck and hurled his body a considerable distance.

The engineer of the train did not know of the accident till he reached St. Thomas and discovered blood on the pilot. Mr. Leitch was 70 years of age, and is survived by a widow, one son and two daughters. No inquest will be held.

The London Daily Mail editorially warns Canada against reciprocity with the United States, as leading to annexation.

The Panama Canal has cost $85,000,000 on only the preparatory stage of building the locks.

SKATERS DROWNED.

PARRY SOUND COUPLE SKATED INTO GAP IN THE ICE.

Another Couple at Owen Sound Break Through—Young Lad Lost Near Adolphustown—Boy Dies at Toronto.

Parry Sound, Jan. 10.—A double drowning occurred here at a late hour last night. Among the skaters on the bay were Eli Gibson, aged about 20, son of Turnkey Matthew Gibson, of the Parry Sound Jail, and Miss Jessie, daughter of Mr. Robert Robertson, of this place. The young couple left the crowd of skaters near the foot of Belvidere Hill and struck off by themselves up the north shore of the Sound. Their failure to return last night alarmed their families and friends, and at an early hour this morning a number of searchers went out and succeeded in tracing the young copple to a space of open water at the long point of the north shore, about a mile from the town.

The searchers soon found the hat of young Gibson and the fur ruff of the young lady at the edge of the water. Returning to town a boat was dragged across the ice to the open water and grappling was at once commenced. In a short time both bodies were recovered from about thirty feet of water, with still locked arms as they had apparently skated into the open water.

OWEN SOUND YOUTH DROWNED.

Owen Sound, Jan. 10.—Robert Hammond, aged 20, was drowned in the bay this afternoon. In company with a young lady with whom he was skating, he went through the ice where the water was scarcely four feet deep. There was a large crowd nearby, and Hammond climbed out on the ice and endeavored to pull the young woman out. The ice broke repeatedly. Two young men jumped in and succeeded in getting the young woman out, but by this time Hammond had become so benumbed that he could not hold the hand of his rescuers, and he sank. The body was recovered after half an hour's search, but was beyond resuscitation.

YOUNG BOY BREAKS THROUGH.

Kingston, Jan. 10.—A lad, aged 10, named McGee, while skating on the bay at Adolphustown, got on thin ice, broke through, and was drowned.

FATAL SKATING ACCIDENT.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—Manville Babington, a 12-year-old boy living at 43 Lee avenue, was fatally injured by a fall on Friday evening while skating at Leaty Park. He was going at a good rate when he collided with a playmate by the name of Everett Jacobs. Both boys fell, but the Babington boy was badly hurt. He got to his feet with difficulty and was then assisted home. Dr. F. H. Scherk and Dr. J. T. Fotheringham were called in, but the lad died about 10 o'clock from concussion of the brain.

BACKWARDS INTO HOLE.

Brockville, Ont., Jan. 10.—Lewis Davis, one of the swiftest forwards of the City Hockey League, almost lost his life in the St. Lawrence River by skating backwards into the swift water above the town, where it never freezes. A companion heard his cries and went to his assistance. By crawling carefully on his hands and knees, he succeeded in reaching Davis, and pulled him out.

WATERWAYS TREATY

Ready For Ratification at London and Washington.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Mr. George Gibbons, of London, Chairman of the Canadian section of the International Waterways Commission, was in Ottawa yesterday conferring with Sir Wilfrid Laurier relative to the treaty with the United States respecting international waterways, now ready for ratification at London and Washington. It is understood that all the details of the treaty have now been agreed on satisfactorily to both Canada and the United States, and the terms will follow the unanimous recommendation made last year in the report of the International Waterways Commission Hon. Wm. Pugsley, who has been in Washington for the past week in connection with the treaty, returned to Ottawa yesterday.

Killed in Feud Fight.

Williamstown, Ky., Jan. 9.—Miss Ethel Ransom, aged twenty-five years, was killed and five other persons injured, two probably fatally, as a result of a feud fight on the streets of Williamstown to-day between the Lantern and Ransom families. Miss Ransom's brother, Sidney, was probably fatally wounded, as was also Charles Clark.

The socialist labor party in Britain will have 150 candidates in the next election.

Fifty sawmills in New Zealand will close owing to the free importation of Oregon pine.

BURNED IN OIL.

How the Murderer Hastened Victim's Cremation.

Think They Saw Rev. Mr. Carmichael.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—Considerable excitement was created in York county yesterday by a report that a demented man answering the description of Rev. J. H. Carmichael, who is wanted for the murder of Gideon Brown in his church at Adair, Michigan, had been seen in the vicinity of Locust Hill. Constables and sectionmen started after the man, and it is reported that he was picked up at 9 o'clock last night and is now locked up in a C. P. R. oil house.

DRENCHED WITH OIL.

Detroit, Jan. 10.—To-day's developments failed to throw much light on the Battle Run church murder mystery. Motive for the killing of Gideon Browning, whose dismembered body was partly burned in the church stove, is still lacking. Rev. J. H. Carmichael, missing pastor of the church, was reported during last inght and to-day to have been seen in Indiana.

An interesting development to-day was the report that shortly before last Tuesday's murder, Rev. Mr. Carmichael had ordered all the lamps of the church filled with oil. It had been customary to use only part of the lamps and those not used regularly had not been filled for a long time. As the lights had not been used for a meeting since the last filling, the theory has been advanced that oil from the lamps was emptied into the stove to hasten the cremation of the body of Gideon Browning.

M. C. R. to be Electrified.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 9.—The Journal says that important changes in the operation of the Michigan Central Railway have been decided upon, involving the electrification of all the road's terminals here, and of the main line as far west as Ypsilanti, which is thirty miles from Detroit. Electric power will be generated by waterpower of the Huron River at Chelsea, Mich.

A woman was killed and four people wounded in a family feud street fight at Williamstown, Ky.

The Cook Brewing Co., of Indiana, will try to upset the prohibition law in Alabama.