MONDAY, DEC. 20, 1909

A BITTER PARTISAN.

Vhat the Minister of Labor should asked to explain is his expression opinion that the Federal Govern-at has no constitutional right to deal h education, this being a subject for wincial action.—Hamilton Herald. junior local Tory organ, when it eking occasion to attack the Libe pretends to be exceedingly jealou vincial rights, so much so that it sts against the Federal Govern-interfering even to prevent grave from access to the Courts of Jus and injury of Canadian credit by ney's immoral and disgraceful Hy legislation because property civil rights are by the clusively Provincial control. Well,

Act provides likewise that "in and each Province the Legislature may usively make laws in relation to restricted only by the guarees offecting Separate Schools. The tures were given the jurisdiction his matter; they have been furnished the money for the purpose. Is it of fully as partisanly Tory as the Herusually is for it to contend that the Federal Government should be concerned for not illegally undertaking the work of technical education, which Whitney neglects? It would excuse the concerned to me Laurier for not taking up the ik, although he is specifically for nothe matter. But that accords with Herald's course all the way along the Liberals, whether in Federal ncial or municipal life, and don't over-scrupulous as to the weapon

BANK INSPECTION.

Ve publish to-day in another column etter from Mr. W. J. Bell, of Guelph, ng with the question of Govern agnt inspection of banks, a matter thich will doubtless be discussed by the cominion Parliament when the decenrevision of the Bank Act comes be it shortly. Mr. Bell's letter, in its ck on the Canadian banking system, goes far beyond the criticisms of H. C. McLeod, general manager of Bank of Nova Scotia, in his recently shed pamphlet on "Bank Inspec-In one matter, however, they agree, both advocating the inspection of the banks from without. This independent inspection the Bank of Nova Se secures. It practises Mr. Me-Leod's doctrine

Mr. Bell's letter contains much that is commendable, but it is doubtful if, aken as a whole, it does full justice to the Canadian banking system and its results. That, however, does not affect the argument for independent Governfall or its merits. Mr. Bell says: "Dankers cannot be blamed for wishing their hands left untied. Such a course might answer, if all were honest and capable The Times does not regard the question of Government bank inspection as one to be decided by the wishes of the bank managers. Shareholders, the depositors and the public, have certainly claims upon the consideration of our from thinking that those bank managers who doubt the wisdom of the Gov erament inspection which some advocate have their views shaped by dishones ves. A very large part of the opposition to the system of Government aspection proposed arises from the feeling that such inspection might create a peril to investors, depositors and the public by nurturing an unwise confidence-a carelessness on their part which would render them less he than they should be. That is to be guarded against; and whatever action Parliament may take, it should endeav to avoid creating the impression that it is relieving investors and the public of the duty of exercising judgment and

The strength of Mr. McLeod's arguentation of the case as it affects the head offices. He finds no instance of Canadian bank failure in which the cause of the trouble could not have been discovered by an expert at the even contend that examination of a bank's branches by auditors from with out is necessary; but he thinks danger of disaster would be minimized by ex-pert examinations of the head offices of

The question is one to be delt with purely on business principles. Neither the subject nor the occasion would jus-tify "writing down" the Canadian banka color other than the facts clearly war ted or rejected according to the bal or ill which it may appear likely to serve. Sir Edward Cle two years ago referred to the fact that he loss to bank depositors in Canada the last 25 years had been less than \$750,000, while note-holders had lost The unfortunate shareholders, however, lost considerable money. If Government inspection of the banks could avert these losses, without induc-ing any evil effect, it would seem to be part of prudence to adopt it. That deaver to decide without placing any stigms upon the Canadian banking sys-tem, which notwithstanding imperfec-tions has stood the country in good stead, and saved its business interests

be a finished work; to say so is but to unity and Parliament to study the proposals for its improvement from time to time, and in the light of experience to adopt such measures as will contribute to its safety and usefulness. The tribute to its safety and userumens. The discussion of these questions will not fail to do good, if they who discuss them approach them in a reasonable spirit. Mr. Bell's letter is commended to the consideration of our readers

IS IT TRUE?

Of course it is untrue that Enginee Sothman has changed his opinio about the direct use of high-voltage elec-tric current.—Hamilton Herald.

Softly! Is it untrue? We know that endeavored to make its readers belie that transformation of the 13,200-volt current was a mere "Cataract scheme and has written much to induce the city to adopt the dangerous direct use of that voltage. Its object was to take the estimates of the price of power; for the safety of its people it cared nothing. But it knew, if it knew anything abo the subject, that good electrical engineer ing practice condemned the use of such voltage. True, in February last Mr. Sothman, in reply to specific questions by the Council, said: "There need be n cost for stepping down at the Beach pumping station. The line can be direct connected to the motors." Perhaps the engineer did not mean to "advise Council to adopt that plan; perhaps he meant only to point out by the use of the words 'can be" that it is possible to employ such high voltages. The city ad at that time made no contract with the Commission, and Mr. Sothman being an employee of the Commission, we do not feel like blaming him for not being more explicit in pointing out to the down the current. At that stage of the game the Herald was insistent on using the 13,200-volt current direct, and every Hydro fanatic viewed the proposal to instal transformers as a device of the ene my-a useless increasing of the cost of Hydro-Electric power. made a contract with the Hydro-Electric Commission. There could then be nothing for the Hydro fanatics gain by misleading the city into attempting to economize (?) by using the current at such a dangerous voltage. Sothman must be consulted however, as the Hydro crowd swore by him, and quoted him in opposition to the City Engineer, the Westinghouse and

speak his mind, he agreed that the wise course to pursue was to step down the current. changed his opinion on the question. Weli, be it between them. But, if not, why was not the Council advised in Fe ruary last to step down the current Why the Herald's antagonism to that

other electrical companies and engineers.

He was consulted, and like any honest

man informed on the subject and free to

SIGNS OF HEAT.

That things are warming up in Great Britain is evident from the character of the speeches being made. Here are a few of the epithets applied to Lloyd George by Opposition speakers and newspapers in the last few days: "An unscrupulous political pirate."

"An unprincipled poacher.

"A robber of other people's hen-roosts nd other people's character

"A blatant demagogue."

course?

"A Pecksniff." "A pinchbeck Robispierre."

"A fomenter of anarchy and an apos tle of revolution."

"A raider upon property and prosper

"An agitator and adventurer.

"A mountebank and a bravo. "A Pekin Warbeck and a Prudh-

olled into one. "A disciple of Victor Grayson and

Kier Hardie

"A Socialist wolf in Liberal cloth-

A traitor to the premier.

"A menace to the constitution.

And Lloyd George still lives! Mr. Ure, Lord-Advocate of Scotland, a short time ago expressed the opinion that Tory suc would prejudice the success of Old Age Pensions, and the gentle leader of the Opposition, Mr. Balfour, described him as "a frigid and calculating liar" for saying so. Mr. Chaplin, M. P., said with reference to Mr. Ure's Old Age Pension statement: "Scandalous and at rocious falsehood." Lord Heneage said: "An abominable, a damnable and a das tardly lie." Lord Churston went one better, or worse, with: Mr. Ure is not only a liar, but a — liar." Sir Grey Skip-with capped this with: "Mr. Ure is one of the most unprincipled blackguards

In this country political controversy sometimes grows warm, but we are in-clined to think that we do not take our party politics much more keenly to heart than they do across the herring pond. Surely if hard words could day a politician Lloyd George must find a place in the lowest tier of the occupants of the nethermost political hell.

Some of our United States neighbors appear to be in danger of forming very fallacious ideas of Canadian affairs and Canadian sentiment if they form them upon statements made by Chicago and York newspapers which have es papers upon Canada and Canadian af-fairs would be highly amusing were they not so woefully misinforming. WELL SAID, JUDGE SNIDER!

The Grand Jury at the General 8 sions by its presentment brought forth from Judge Snider some very sensible comments upon the lack of home train-ing of youths, and its effect upon the criminal business of the courts. The remarks of the Judge ought to sink deep into the hearts of parents. It is but too true that respect for seniors and disregard for the rights of others is an ter neglect of home training and discipline which prevails in many families of the day. The Judge very forcibly called attention to the fact that it is but a short step from the undisciplined, inse not only a cause of sorrow to his far but an affliction to society. Judge Snider believes in the old-fashioned system of family home rule, and the restoration of the rod to its proper and useful place in the family economy. And he is right.
If parents took half as much care in the training of their boys as some of them do in the care and training of pet dogs cost of transformation out of the Hydro it would be better for the youths in later life. There are many b penitentiaries and many more on the way to them whose fall is directly due to neglect of parental training in the homes They have grown up like weeds, without direction. They have been a law unto themselves. Nurtured in an atmosphere of selfishness, lack of respect for the rights of others, and without any regard for the conventions of society. or the deference due to age and position, they enter the world potential, if not practical, anarchists, enemies of society Society must deal severely with them, al though the original fault lay with the parents. Proper direction during the early impressionable period of their lives, and the enforcement of wise, firm home discipline might have saved them to their families and the country as use ful citizens. It is as true to-day as non said it, that to spare the rod is often to spoil the child; and society suffers a criminal blight in con

EDITORIAL NOTES.

hiding. So has Explorer Cook. Have they sought the same hole? If so, and should they pull the hole in after them the public will not sorrow much.

The Times has received many compliments upon the excellence of its Christ mas edition. It was a magazine, a news paper and a directory of the best bus concerns in the city, a Christman time feast of good things.

It is worth noting that two Cana dian peers were present when the British budget question was before that House. Lord Strathcona did not vote, and Lord Mountstephen voted agains the budget.

It has been costing Toronto about \$300 a year for school flag-flying, about \$3,-000 in ten years. The Board's determination to fly the flags every day will increase this cost to \$4,200 every year or \$42,000 in ten years.

The contest in Great Britain is be eming very bitter, and the speech being made are marked with a wealth of vituperation quite unusual to British political life. The persecutions to which the Liberal Ministers are subjected in dicate that their opponents keenly fee the weakness of their cause.

The "Berliner Journal" celebrates its "goldines jubilaeum" by the issue of twenty-page Christmas edition in colors Messrs. Rittinger & Motz are the son of the original founders of the journal. They have since 1904 managed a merger of all the western Ontario German pa pers, in the publication of which they are highly successful.

war upon the United States Steel Coron, and it is quite probable that a wasteful struggle causing much loss of productivity and great suffering to the With all its had features the Steel Trust has one which does much to redeem it. It has introduced the principle of co-operation among its army of employees, and a large number of its shares are now held by them. The effect of this will be watched with much interest during the industrial battle which Gompers has nov ordered.

The proposal of the Ontario Government to sell the timber on Rondeau Park has aroused great opposition among people of all parties in Kent The Ontario Government asserts that the cutting which it contem plates will not damage the park, which was set aside in 1894 by the Hardy Government as a provincial reserve, and which is now the last remaining stretch of the magnificent forest which formerly bordered the lakes. Lumbermen have long sought an opportunity to despoil this beauty spot, and the people of the district have no confidence in its preser vation if the scheme now announced be roceeded with. Surely the Ontario Government is not so hard up for money to squander, or so hard driven for spo to satisfy its followers as to sacrifice this beautiful notural preserve!

COULD FILL THE BILL.

(Lippincott's.)
Superintendent—What we want is a nightwatchman that'll watch alert and on the qui vive for the slightest noise or undications of burglers; somebody who can sleep with one eye and both ears open, and is not afraid to tackle anything. See?

Applicant—I see, boss. I'll send my wife around.



Christmas

The Automatic Eye-Glass Chair

Silver, Gold-filled. Prices 50c to \$2.50.

GLOBE OPTICAL CO. I. B. ROUSE, prop. 111 King East

Our Exchanges

WE GUESS NOT. (London Advertiser.) tax on Canadian wheat in the market necessary to Imperial

SAVED IN TIME. (Fliegende Blaetter.)
Clerk (run into by somebody in the ark)—Stupid ass—(perceiving it is his mployer)—that I am.

A FALSE HOPE.

(London Free Press.) Chamberlain predicts a majority of 80 or 90 for tariff reform, Hope is not dead, despite ill-health and political adversity. AN ART THAT IS LONG.

(Exchange.) She—There is really an art in putting in one's gloves, you know."

He—True; you have to get your hand in before you can do it properly.

IT GOSE THE PACE. (Bon Vivant.)

"Have you heard that poor Firmin i "No. He wasn't ill long, surely."
"Ah, you see, medicine has made great
rogress lately."

HOW TO AVOID COLDS.

(Toronto Star.) One of the rules for avoiding colde ven by a competent medical may take plenty of rest, but not to ov. t. Is a man or his wife to judge of the mount of rest the man needs? THE USUAL THING

(Toronto News.) Put on the garb of Santa Claus Stand by the Christmas tree.
Then skip about in joyfulness
With actions gay and free.
Lean on a candle, twist a wire,
And set your cotton beard afire.

JUSTLY HAPPY. (Washington Star.)

"Father," said little Rollo, "what is a happy medium?"
"I suppose, my son, that it is one who can earn several hundred dollars a day by making tables and chairs move around the room.

UNPARDONABLE OMISSION. (Puck.)

Deacon Beegosh (to country editor) I've a great notion to tell ye to stop my paper! Here, in this week's paper, ye give two columns of the front page to the Baptist fair and never once say that the church was transformed into a verifable fairyland!

(Puck.)

Auto Salesman—Business is booming. In fact, we are so rushed that we have filled our orders only up to last April. Auto Owner—I can appreciate that. At the present time I have had repairs made on my car only to the smash-ups of May, 1908.

ZELAYA A BROTHER TO WHITNEY.

(Mail and Empire.)

Zelaya has always been a staunch champion of the theory and practice of public ownership, the public of course, being the State of Nicaragua, and the President being the State. The State being short of money, the State found it convenient to take over the liquor trade. A fiat from Zelaya was all that was necessary to accomplish this. It was declared to be illegal for any private persons to manufacture liquor. The numerous plants, however, did not become worthless. Their owners found it convenient to sell their product to the Government, which would retail it at any price Zelaya saw fit. If the manufacturers asked too stiff a price, their property was confiscated and (Mail and Empire.) ers asked too stiff a price, their property was confiscated, and they were thrown into prison for engaging in an illicit business. If they cut their own profits and gave the State a chance to make money the unlarged.

TRADES UNIONS.

Hon. Mackenzie King Says There'll be No Restraint.

Montreal, Dec. 19 .- At the Builders' Exchange dinner at the Windsor Saturday night, the chief speakers were Hon. day night, the chief speakers were Hon-Mackenzie King, Hon. Charles Marcil and F. D. Monk, M. P. The Minister of Labor said the Government had no in-tention of restraining the influences of trade unions in the Dominion. The duty of Parliament would be, however, to see that all parties, both labor and capital, should get fair play.

FARMER DROWNED.

Belleville, ont., Dec. 20.—A very sad drowning accident took place on Friday last, near Anson Station, 18 miles north of this city, the victim being Oscar Merrick, one of the most prominent farmers of the township of Rawden. Merrick, who was sixty years of age, went out for some cattle, and not returning, search was made. The body was found head downwards in a spring in a field where the cattle drank. He was dead some time when found. Death was due to apoplexy. A wife and two children survive.

NOT ON BOARD.

London, Dec. 20.—Advices from Queenstown and Liverpool state that Dr. Frederick A. Cook was not a passenger upon the steamer Carmania, which arrived at the latter port to-day.

STORE OPEN TO-NIGHT UNTIL 10. P. M. COME

Shop Early Tuesday---8.30 to 12 a. m. Women's \$4.00 Linen Tailored Blouses at \$2.95

New Lingerie Blouses \$1.00 to \$3.00

\$2.00 Swiss Waist Lengths 98c

Speaking about these Blouses, it reminds us of that sale of Swiss Waist Lengths that went so fast on Saturday. Another lot for Tuesday, real White Swiss Embroidered Muslims in dots and figures. Regular 50, 65 to 75e yard; on sale 3-yard Blouse Lengths, boxed, at 98c

100 Pairs Perrin's Gift Gloves \$1.00

Custom has made Gloves the proper gift from a man to a woman, also as a gift from a friend. Men and women alike can rely on these gloves. Perrin's guaranteed stamp of perfection and quality, a Christmas import stock, all sizes, and colors, complete, easily worth \$1.25 each pair in a box, Tuesday \$1.00

Reynier Gloves at \$1.25 and \$1.50

The high class French Gloves of style and merit, made rom select soft, pliable skins, in dome wrist length, with ew wide point stitched backs, all sizes and shades, exra value, \$1.25 and\$1.50 Women's Cape Gloves Reduced 98c

Silk Lined Gloves \$1.35 to \$1.75

100 Dozen Men's Gift Neckwear 50c Special Tuesday

No man can have too many Ties. They're always ac able at Christmas time. Hundreds of kinds in plain or open Derby ends, in plain colors, stripes and fancy, in all shades. A splendid selection to choose from, each in a hox. Special price for Tuesday selling, each

Men's Silk Reefers at \$1.25 to \$2.50

Men's Silk Reefers or Mufflers, in plain silk Beng or in self or fancy patterns, in all serviceable shades .\$1.25, \$1.50 to \$2.5 Men's Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 35c

Pure Irish Linen Hemstitched Initial Handkerchiefs, for men, in fine, sheer qualities, all letters, hand embroidered,

Madeira Handkerchiefs at 25c to 75c

Real Lace Handkerchiefs, special values at \$1.50 to \$4.00

FINCH BROS. 8.30 a.m.

10 p.m.

ENLIVENED VALLEY CITY.

Sam Small Spoke at the Local Option Meeting.

Dundas, Dec. 20.-The funeral of the ate Mrs. Fred Benton took place from her home on Saturday morning. Internent was in St. Augustine cemetery. Rev. Father Feeney conducted the burial services. Deceased leaves three small the youngest only seven

children, the youngest only seven months of age.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wallace took place from the home of her son-in-law, Wilson McDermott, yesterday afternoon. The burial services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Gray.

At the closing of the public school on Friday the pupil sof Principal's Moore's class presented him with an address and a handsome gold-mounted umbrella. Yesterday the Men's League presented Principal Saunders, who is removing to West Toronto, with a handsome oak chair.

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The senior Bible class of the Methodist Church will this year take charge of the church's donations for the needy and the isolation hospital.

There is not likely to be any church festivities for the children in the Dundas churches this Christmas owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever.

The friends of local option opened their campaign—as far as holding public meetings is concerned—yesterday afternoon by a meeting in the town hall. There was a rousing good attendance for Dundas, the audience present being sufficient to well full the body of the hall. It was probably the largest and most enthusiastic temperance meeting held in the town for some years. W. J. Kerr occupied the chair, and in a few remarks introduced the speaker, Rev. Sam Small. In a very entertaining and occupied the chair, and in a few remarks introduced the speaker, Rev.
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energetic address of an hour and a half
Dr. Small presented arguments in favor
of prohibition and local option and
scathingly punctured arguments and
contentions of the liquor traffic in opposition to these measures. His address
throughout bristled with forcible, witty
and satirical expressions. The singing
was led by a choir made up of members
from the different church choirs. Sev.
eral clergymen occupied seats on the
platform. The collection was a liberal
one. It was announced that the next
public meeting would be held in the same
place to be addressed by Rev. Dr. Chown.
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Several citizens of the town are being proceeded against in the police court for having neglected sanitary measures called for by the town by-laws.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held on Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Wm. H. Hendry, the president, in the chair, and an attendance much greater than the average. After routine business was disposed of Mrs. Nicholl, of Hamilton, gave an interesting, forceful and helpful adderss on local option and temperance matters generally. Her address had the effect of arousing the enthusiasm of her hearers. Following her address Mrs. Moore and Miss Quackenbush sang very acceptably. Tea was afterwards served and a very social time spent.

Charles Stratford, who attempted suiside on Thursday, was yesterday fined \$5 by Mayor Lawrason for carrying an unlawful weapon, and committed for trial for attempting suicide.

Miss Potter, daughter of Rev. Mr. Potter, a retired Methodist minister, now fliving in Dundas, has been appointed librarian of the town's new free Carnegie

living in Dundas, has been appointed librarian of the town's new free Carnegie library. Miss Potter is well qualified for the position.

TRAINMEN MAY STRIKE.

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Pittsburg, Dec. 20.—Trainmen to the number of 75,000 employed on about 75 railroads east of the Mississippi River to-day, through officials of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, formally notified the various divisions and railroads affected that a demand for an increase in wages amounting to from 5 to 40 per cent. will be made on Jan. 3rd.

BURNED TO DEATH.

7 years, Charles Corrodio, aged 2 yand Mary Corrodio, aged 4 years, burned to death to-day in their at South Chicago, when the caught fire from an unknown causing the absence of their parents.

TUESDAY
December 21,1909 SHEA'S Try Our
ALL-WOOL
English Blankets-

The Store of "Useful" Gifts

Girls' Coats--The Biggest Values Ever Offered Beautiful warm, well-wearing cloths, medium, dark and light colors, for girls up to 14 years, coats worth \$5.95 up to \$7.50, but they came to us in the clearing out of a large factory, so out they go (every one \$2.95 perfect), at, each

Women's Coats--Half Price and Near Half Price

These make gifts of the practical kind. Every one as dependable as a paid full price, and just as good style; all came to us in the clearing of a large manufacturer. No such values were ever offered before a

\$10.00 COATS FOR \$5.95 \$15.00 COATS FOR \$7.50 \$18.50 COATS FOR \$10.00

Women's Fur Lined Coats--Less Than Ever Splendid fur collars and good, dependable fur lining, black and colored cloths, worth \$37.50, on sale, for, each Kid Gloves--Pewney's

Women's Golf Coats--Extra Special

Beautifully knit garments, pure fine wool, Norfolk style, the best value in the land; black, brown, white, grey, navy, cardinal, \$2.50 Gift Umbrellas--Priced Lower Than Elsewhere

For either man or woman. All the new ideas of handles and very best qualities; the kinds you would pay one-third more for in any other third more for in any other ...\$1.95, \$2.50, \$3.00 up to \$7.50

Rich Fur Muffs--1-3 or More Off

When we say 1-3 or more off you will require some believable and tangible reason for it. Here it is—A large manufacturer knowing our ability to handle quantities came to us with 200 Muffs he had made up for a large western house (and had left on his hands over some little squabble over dating), and offered them at a big discount for spot cash. We took them and here they are every one a beauty, lovely silky marmot, all the new styles, at these prices:

\$8.00 Muffs \$5.00
\$10.00 Muffs \$5.95
\$18.00 Muffs \$10.00
\$20.00 Muffs \$12.00
Neck Furs Ruffs Caperines Stoles Therem.

Neck Furs, Ruffs, Caperines, Stoles, Throws, Ties at even greater

Other Useful Gifts

Collars and Neckwear

More Useful Gifts

\$1.25, \$1.50,\$2.00 up to \$7.50 .. 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 5c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 ...\$2.95, \$3.49, \$3.95, \$5.00 ...\$5.95

HERKIMER.

West End Baptists Hold Their Annual Meeting.

On Friday last, the twentieth annual meeting of Hehkimer Baptist Church was held. After supper had been partaken of, at which about 200 persons were present, the company adjourned to the church where the following programme was thoroughly enoyed by all present: Anthem, choir, "Son of the Lord Awake"; cornet solo, Geo. Inrig; address, James Hooper, of James Street Baptist Church; secretary's report, F. Scriven; solo, Miss Ethel Smith; address, Rev. W. Quarrington, Wentworth Street; address, Rev. Courcy Raynor, of Emmanuel Church; selection, Wentworth Baptist quartette; address, Rev. C. E. Burrell, of Barton Street Baptist Church; address, Rev. H. E. Allen, Victoria Avenue Baptist; solo, Miss L. Jackson. church where the following programmi

Jackson.
The officers for the year are:
Trustees—T. Sharrett, A. Frid, E.
Gibbs, M. Aris, H. Sandwell, Peter
Creek, E. Connaway.
Deacons—T. Sharrett, H. Marsh, Wm.

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Inrig, Jas. Inrig, E. Connaway.
Secretary—P. L. Lewis.
Treasurer—Roland E. Frid.
Finance Board—H. Sandwell (chairwan), Wm. and Jas. Inrig, E. Connaway. A. Frid, E. Gibbs, H. Walsh and Stanley H. Smith (Secretary).
Building Committee—H. Ellis (chairman), T. Sharrett, E. Gibbs, P. Creek,

A. and R. E. Frid, M. Aris, H. W. Missions Committee-Misses E. Nellis Allssons Committee—Misses E. Nellis (chairman), I. Marsh (secretary), S. Vaughan, Harris, Mrs. A. Frid, R. E. Frid, O. Fleischer and Messrs. W. Fleis-cher, T. Sharret, R. E. Frid, Stanley H. Smith.

Citizen Campaign Committee—T. Shar-rett, H. Ellis, E. Giggs, Stanley H. Smith. Usher-W. Fleischer, W. Frid, Geo. Inrig, P. Creek, H. Walsh.

Church reporter—Stanley H. Smith. Janitor's Committee—Jas . Inrig and Peter Creek.

Peter Creek.
Music Committee—Mrs. P. Creek, Mrs.
Eggleton, T. Sharrett, Miss Campbell. BAD FOR WEEVEL.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 20.-Sleet and now, which have held the northern and

central sections of Louisiana and Miss-issippi in their grip for the last two days, will be worth thousands of dollars to the districts infested by the cotton boll weevil, according to Government entomologists now in this section. ROOSEVELT AND UGANDA.

Entebbe, Ugauda, Dec. 20.—After a delightful voyage across the Victoria Nyanza. Col. Roosevelt and party arrived here to-day. At the pier they were met by Government officials. A guard of honor for the visitors was made up of Indian Sikhs.

Don't attempt to look for Mr. Smith in the New York Telephone Dirteeory un-less you know his first name, for there are 712 of him.