

GREENSPAN IN TROUBLE.

Arrested in Buffalo This Morning For Wife Desertion.

He Will Be Taken to Indianapolis To Stand Trial.

Somewhat Funny Adventures of Hamilton Man in Buffalo.

(Special Wire to the Times.) Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Morris Greenspan, the Hamilton, Ont., tailor who claimed to have been robbed here of \$100 several days ago, was sincere in his story to the court that he was heart-broken, especially because the loss of the hundred would keep him from spending the holidays in the same city as his wife—Indianapolis. His heart was partly, at least, repaired this morning when he saw Detective Samuels, of Indianapolis, walk into the police headquarters and announce that he had come to Buffalo to take Greenspan to Indianapolis. Greenspan had one Clara Smith arrested on the charge of robbing him. He said he had dallied in Buffalo on his way west from Hamilton, and had made Clara's acquaintance on the street, and that the next morning he awoke minus his money. The judge discharged Clara for insufficiency of evidence. Greenspan was at once arrested for disorderly conduct. His tale about his wife in Indianapolis and his being booked in Buffalo touched the judge's heart, and Greenspan was also let go. Being broke he had dallied since then in this city. Meanwhile the Indianapolis police read of his case and arrested the Buffalo police that Indiana's wanted to see him as much as he wanted to see Indianapolis. Detectives located the Hamilton tailor, and he was looked up this morning. The Indianapolis police arrived with a warrant for Greenspan's arrest on a charge of abduction. He assured Greenspan that his having gone broke here would not prevent his moving out to the city where his wife is living.

'66 VETERANS.

Annual Meeting of the Association Held Recently.

The annual meeting of the Hamilton Veterans' Association of 1866 was held at the City Hall on Friday evening. Lieut.-Col. J. Stoneman, President, in the chair. The report of the Secretary was read, reviewing the proceedings for the year, showing that the interests of the Veterans was still kept up in the Association. The financial statement showed a fair balance on hand. The election of officers for the ensuing year was then proceeded with, the result being the re-election of all the officers, as follows: Honorary President, Col. J. M. Gibson, Lieutenant-Governor, Lieut.-Col. J. Stoneman, President, Lieut.-Col. J. Stoneman, First Vice-President, A. Leitch, Second Vice-President, W. J. McDonald, Secretary-Treasurer, R. A. Hutchison, Drill Captain, Capt. W. G. Reid, Standard Bearer, F. Evans. Correspondence was read in regard to the claims of the Veterans of 1866-1870 for recognition by the Dominion Government. Mr. J. Stewart, M. P., S. Barker, M. P., and W. O. Sealey, M. P., wrote stating their hearty support in any measure to be brought before Parliament towards that end. W. J. McDonald, Second Vice-President, delegate from this association, reported on the visit of the delegation to Ottawa on the 3rd inst., and the pleasing interview the committee of that delegation had with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Premier, Sir F. Borden, Minister of Militia, and other members of the Cabinet. The assurances given by the Premier and Cabinet were such as to greatly strengthen the hopes of the delegation. A committee has been formed of members of Parliament from the different constituencies to have the matter introduced into the Parliament as early a date as possible.

BRIGHTSIDE.

Mrs. Barber Entertained Literary Club of Caxton Chapter.

Brightside, the handsome residence of Mrs. Frank Barber, was bright indeed on Saturday afternoon when she entertained the Literary Club of Caxton Chapter, I.O.D.E. A brief business meeting was held first, when several new members were voted in. Mrs. Sutherland, regent, who presided, reported that Dr. Langrill wants only magazines and paper-covered books, which will be destroyed after they are used. Mrs. Barber's home is admirably adapted for large gatherings, for the drawing room, music room and dining room all open with wide arches into the square reception hall, a good sized room itself, and from the library, at the head of the stairs one could hear the programme easily. Mrs. Barber is always a charming hostess and Miss Barber is an able assistant to her mother, and as Mrs. A. Elmore Richards is a most popular entertainer, it goes without saying the attendance was large—it was a record breaker for numbers. The musical programme, really a high-class concert, consisted of vocal solos by Mrs. Blatherwick, Mrs. (Dr.) Parry, Miss Alma Ellis, accompanists, Mrs. F. D. Petrie and Miss Bessie Leckie. Mrs. Richards gave three capital selections, a Scotch monologue, "Sanders McGlashan's Courtship," a pathetic poem, "Little Boy Blue," by Eugene Field, and a musical selection, "The Story of a Fairy," which Mrs. Richards interpreted with grace and skill, cleverly accompanied on the piano by Miss Bessie Leckie. Mrs. Barber invited the ladies to the tea room where dainty refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed. The next meeting of the club will be held at the residence of Mrs. Elmore Richards, 88 Wentworth street south, Saturday, Jan. 15.

—Fred G. Flood will sail from New York on Wednesday, December 15, for Bristol.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Mrs. J. P. Bowman, of Buffalo, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Coffey, 35 Leeming street.

John Grant will sail on the steamship California from New York on December 18 for Aberdeen.

Col. and Mrs. H. P. VanWagner, of Stoney Creek, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steele, 6758 Sheridan road, Chicago, Ill.

William Burke was one of the passengers of the steamship Caledonia, which sailed on Saturday from New York for London.

The woman's venturous Historical Society will meet to-morrow morning to discuss the advisability of holding a historical entertainment later in the season.

The Lambton Creamery Company has been awarded the Hamilton Asylum butter contract, and the Hedley, Shaw Milling Company, Toronto, gets the flour contract.

To accommodate everybody Mr. Rouse, of the Globe Optical Co., 111 King street east, will be in his office every evening from 8 to 9 o'clock during the coming two weeks.

The 1 p. m. Brautfort car on Saturday was delayed for nearly half an hour at the corner of Hess street and Charlton avenue by a load of hay which had fallen directly on the tracks.

Bra Gan Zan, the colored man who was committed for trial on a charge of forgery, came before Judge Snider this morning, and elected to be tried by a jury without a jury.

Fred Inman, Presquet avenue, fell from where he was working at the steel plant to the ground, a distance of 15 feet, last night. He sustained a broken ankle. He was taken to the City Hospital.

Canon Sutherland's lecture on "Lady Macbeth" in the Waldorf parlors to-morrow night will be a great treat. There will be a good musical programme. Mr. Adam Brown will be chairman.

Two breaks in the trolley wire were the cause of the delay of the Barton street car service this morning. The wires broke at 8.30 a. m., but it was not until 10 o'clock that both were repaired.

In answer to a call at 10.58 this morning from the corner of King street and Sanford avenue, Fireman Atchison, driver at Victoria avenue station, was thrown from his seat while turning a corner. He was uninjured, and was able to proceed to the fire.

Mrs. Walkobie, 174 Barton street, came near losing her life early Sunday morning, by being asphyxiated by gas, which escaped in her bedroom. She was in a serious condition when taken to the City Hospital, but is almost well today.

William Murray, who was arraigned in Police Court on Thursday on a charge of false pretence, and was allowed out of \$100 bail furnished by Aid. Sweeney, has not showed up yet. He is said to be in Flint, Mich., and efforts will be made to get him back.

Mr. J. J. Seitz, president and general manager of the United Typewriter Company, Toronto, and formerly of Hamilton, accompanied by Mrs. Seitz, left last week for an extended trip to Europe and the Mediterranean. They purpose being away about three months.

Owing to the expiration of the insurance exhibition of the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts advertised to close on the 17th inst., will be closed to the public after the evening of Thursday next. Those who have not seen their works of art should visit the exhibition in the Public Library building before that time.

Peter Cannon, the youth who was in Police Court on Saturday, December 4, on a charge of insanity, will likely return to his home in Aberdeen, Scotland. His father has written him.

The fire department were called out to three very trifling fires on Saturday evening and this morning.

In connection with the recent discussion about teachers resigning in the middle of a term, Trustee C. G. Booker points out there is a mistaken idea about the contracts. The contract which every teacher signs is for one year from September 1st, and there is no provision for resigning on giving a month's notice. Mr. Booker thinks that when a teacher signs a contract with the Board of Education both parties are in honor bound to live up to it.

SAD STORY TOLD AGAIN.

(Continued from Page 1.)

The daughter's wages amounting to \$3 that Bradley had taken. He was made to give them up.

Samuel Fay, Dundas Road, was given the "one more chance" he so strongly pleaded for. If arrested for drunkenness the fine will be \$20; for vagrancy, a term in prison.

A favorite pastime on Saturday nights of Edward Cusack, a redskin, seems to be to endeavor to scalp Constable Stevens at the Terminal Station. On Saturday, after Edward had flooded his interior with fire-water, he met the aforesaid officer and straightway proceeded to accomplish his purpose, but Robert Walker, assistant station constable, intervened, with the result that the redskin this morning faced charges of drunk, disorderly and assault.

P. C. Cuck also gave a hand to taking Mr. Cusack to the post station. He was fined \$20 and costs or one month.

William Arnold, 28 Clark avenue, a 16-year-old youth, seemed to think that Mr. Copeman's head was a good target for three pieces of chalk and coal at Mr. Copeman is proprietor of a Barton street east pool room.

Arnold was charged with being disorderly. He paid \$5 with orders to keep out of the pool room in future.

CANNING MERGER.

Another movement is on foot to bring together the Canadian canneries with a view to forming a merger of the industry. A number of the eastern independent canners attended a meeting held in the Waldorf Hotel, this city, on Friday and Saturday. As a result of the conference a committee was appointed to prepare a report on the matter, to be presented at a meeting to be held in Toronto this week.

TO FINISH THIS YEAR.

Lighting Arbitration Again Adjourned, This Time Till 31st.

The street lighting arbitration which was adjourned a week ago for the purpose of allowing Mr. Hawkins, of the Cataract Company, time in which to prepare a statement of the cost of operating the plant, in order to compare it with the estimate of Engineer Gabey, was resumed this morning. Mr. Hawkins statement showed the cost of operation, less the interest and loss of power in transmission, to be \$189,071. On the former occasion Mr. Hawkins had estimated that the cost was about \$178,000.

When his attention was drawn to the difference by H. C. Rose, solicitor for the city, he explained that on the previous occasion he had given a rough estimate, but he had since gone into the question definitely.

Mr. Rose asked the witness if he could explain the reason the cost of power had gone up since 1899, and he explained it to be the intricacy of the present day system.

Mr. Rose questioned the witness as to how many more consumers the Power Company had at the present time more than in 1899, but he could not answer definitely.

Mr. Rose asked the witness if he could explain the reason the cost of power had gone up since 1899, and he explained it to be the intricacy of the present day system.

Mr. Rose questioned the witness as to how many more consumers the Power Company had at the present time more than in 1899, but he could not answer definitely.

Mr. Rose asked the witness if he could explain the reason the cost of power had gone up since 1899, and he explained it to be the intricacy of the present day system.

Mr. Rose questioned the witness as to how many more consumers the Power Company had at the present time more than in 1899, but he could not answer definitely.

Mr. Rose asked the witness if he could explain the reason the cost of power had gone up since 1899, and he explained it to be the intricacy of the present day system.

Mr. Rose questioned the witness as to how many more consumers the Power Company had at the present time more than in 1899, but he could not answer definitely.

THE SAN

And City Dispensary Keep Up Good Work.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Hamilton Health Association was held this morning. Miss Renton's report for last month was very satisfactory. There are thirty patients on the visiting list. Twenty-six called on clinic days for examination and sixty-two on other days for medicines and supplies. Donations received at the dispensary last month were: Women's Institute, Waterdown, one parcel of warm clothing; magazines from Mrs. Norman Jones, Mrs. W. H. Mills, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. Grafton and Mrs. Doolittle; basket of bottles for dispensary from Mrs. Cracknell. Dr. Holbrook reported forty-one patients in residence for month of November. During the month twenty-nine gained a total of 104 1/2 pounds and five lost a total of 17 pounds. The largest individual gain for the month was 15 pounds. The ladies will be grateful for contributions of warm clothing to be sent to the dispensary, 63 Hess street north.

TO OLD HOME.

Lyons' Employees Honor F. C. Bellamy Before Leaving.

A very pleasant affair took place in the office of the Lyons Tailoring Co., when Mr. F. C. Bellamy, who has been in the company's employ as cutter for the past four years, and is leaving for his native home in Devonport, England, was called into the office and presented with a very beautiful umbrella by his fellow-employees. Mr. J. B. Lewis made the presentation. Mr. Bellamy, though taken completely by surprise, was not lost for words to express his appreciation not merely of the present, but of the spirit which prompted it, and to know that those whom he came in daily contact with felt so kindly towards him. The spirit of good will shown by all, from the members of the firm to parcel by the greatly appreciated. A pleasant journey and speedy return were the wish of all the company.

RATHER DANGEROUS.

Skating enthusiasts were given an opportunity of exercising on the inlets on Saturday, but the ice was rather thin. In spots it was about four inches thick, but only in spots. On the Coal Oil Inlet skating was indulged in by large numbers on Saturday, and a few were also at it yesterday.

First Methodist Church hockey team had a work-out on Saturday on Gage's inlet. The ice where they were playing was about four inches thick.

RIGHT LIVING.

Inspector J. H. Smith gave an address at the Gospel Temperance Reform Club on Sunday afternoon, his subject being "Right Living." The speaker pointed out the superior and more enduring advantages of possessing minds enriched with the wealth of wisdom rather than the sordid dollar. His address was well received, and heartily applauded by a fairly large audience.

A solo was sung by Mrs. Smith, accompanied by Miss L. Smith. President Rolle occupied the chair, and in endorsing the speaker's address, urged the need of due regard being paid to the moral and Scriptural admonitions of the speaker. Mr. Smith was unanimously invited to give another address.

ALMOST A CENTENARIAN.

At the advanced age of 95 years, Mrs. Bridget Murphy, widow of James Murphy, passed away at 7.30 this morning after having been in poor health for a number of years. She was a native of Ireland and had resided in this city for 35 years. She leaves one son, Captain Murphy, of the New York police, and one sister, Catharine Burns of this city. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning from her late residence, 7 Sheaffe street, to St. Mary's Cathedral. The interment will be in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Vincent Edwards' Christmas Cakes

Following our usual annual custom, we are prepared to receive orders for Vincent Edwards' Christmas cakes. When we say that Edwards' Christmas cakes are the finest made, we pass on to you the expressed opinion of Hamilton's best citizens. If you intend buying Christmas cakes, buy Edwards'—Peebles, Hobson & Co., Limited.

Store open in evenings from 8 until 10

For the next week our store will be open from 8 until 10 in the evenings.

There's a store full of suggestions here and you are welcome to come in and look around at leisure.

ROBERT DUNCAN & COMPANY

Phones 909-910. James and Market Square.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Strong easterly winds with rain and sleet. Tuesday continued cloudy and mild with occasional rain or sleet.

WEATHER NOTES. The disturbance which was to the westward of the lower Mississippi valley on Saturday has moved slowly northward and is now centred in Ohio. Light snow has fallen over the larger part of Ontario and rain is now falling in the more western and southern parts of the province. The weather is comparatively mild in the western provinces.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Eastern States and Northern New York—Snow in north, rain or snow in south portion to-night. Tuesday colder.

Toronto, Dec. 13. (11 a. m.)—Forecast for this afternoon and to-morrow: Occasional rain and sleet; colder Tuesday.

The following is the temperature as registered at Parke & Parke's drug store: 9 a. m., 32; 11 a. m., 34; 1 p. m., 35. Lowest in 24 hours, 20; highest, 35.

OBITUARY.

Two Very Estimable Women Passed Away Yesterday.

At the age of 52 years, Mrs. Lucy Eugene Rayner, wife of George J. Rayner, 32 Steven street, died yesterday afternoon. Deceased, who was a member of the Church of England, leaves besides a husband, one son.

Mary King, wife of Wm. C. King and for forty years a resident of this city, passed away yesterday at her residence, 30 York street, at the age of 77 years. Deceased was a native of England. The funeral will take place at 3.30 to-morrow from the residence of her son-in-law, George Coombes, 191 Stanley avenue, to Hamilton Cemetery.

Annie, only child of Patrick and Mrs. Pinder, passed away last evening after an illness of a few days. Deceased, who was a bright and well beloved child, was a member of Erskine Sunday school. She was eight years of age. The funeral will take place from her parents' residence, the other side of the high level bridge, on Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. to Hamilton Cemetery.

The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Ann McLintic at the age of 92 years. Deceased had been ill for some time, and her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Boyler, Cleveland, had been summoned home a week ago. The funeral took place at 2 p. m. to-day, from Green Bros' parlors to Hamilton Cemetery.

The death of Charles Alfred Wallace, two-months-old son of Thomas and Mrs. Heppel, 18 King William street, took place yesterday. The funeral was at 3.30 p. m. to-day to Hamilton Cemetery.

Rev. A. E. Mitchell officiated at the funeral of Robert McGillivray, who died at Newburgh, Mich. The pall-bearers were F. J. Bowman, W. Gee, J. M. Paterson, L. Garner, F. Crocker, all members of Hamilton Camp, No. 30, Woodmen of the World, and H. S. Pierce, of Brantford Green Post. The funeral took place from Green Bros' parlors.

The funeral of George Stanley Mason took place yesterday from his late residence, 338 Victoria avenue north, to Hamilton Cemetery. Rev. P. W. Philpott officiated at the house and grave. The pall-bearers were John Bartlett, John Higginbotham, Raymond Paul, John Ellison, F. D. Day and J. Kenny.

ON GAMBLING.

Rev. J. B. Paulin Preached Good Sermon Last Night.

Rev. J. B. Paulin preached a vigorous sermon last evening in St. Giles' Church upon "The Evils of Gambling." In the course of his remarks he quoted Herbert Spencer's definition of a gambler and the part he played in the great drama of life. Referring to horse racing, he was liberal minded enough to grant any one the pleasure he might have in seeing the racing of horses, as in any other pastime, but it was the betting and the bookmaker that were the cause of the downfall of many a young man. He had followed the debate recently in the House of Commons, where the argument had been advanced that if there was no betting there would be no horse racing, and if no horse racing there would be no competitive field for the breeding of good horses. Surely the great human race was of more importance than the breeding and improvement of horse flesh. He spoke of legitimate stock investment or the stock exchange, when men were over anxious to get rich quickly, it was generally the case of the spider and the fly, and the public were deceived.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

At the weekly meeting of International Juvenile Temple, I. O. G. T., on Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Robert Morrison, Superintendent, presided, and was assisted by Miss Mabel Austin, Chief Templar.

F. S. Morison delivered an able address especially to the boys present. Assistant Superintendent Mrs. D. B. Smith presented the following programme: Piano solo, Miss Lizzie Smith; song, Mrs. C. A. Hardy; recitation, Miss Mildred Brown; song, Mrs. D. B. Smith; military song, Miss Lottie Hardy.

RACE PLEASD the Spectators.

Speaking of Saturday night's race between Longboat and Sherring, Sol Mintz said the event proved very interesting to the 1,500 persons who turned out to see it. When mine and a half miles had been covered, Sherring held the lead, but by a fine burst of speed the Indian forged to the front in the stretch and won the race by about 25 yards.

Sherring and Longboat will race five miles in London to-morrow night.

MERCANTILE TRUST CO.

A home company authorized to act as TRUSTEE, EXECUTOR, ADMINISTRATOR, ETC.

Correspondence invited. Safe Deposit Boxes 4 1/2% Interest on special deposits. Paid quarterly. \$2.00 per year and upwards. S. C. Macdonald, Manager.

BIRTHS.

BURKHOLDER—On Sunday morning, December 12th, 1909, at the City Hospital, Queen Alexandra Wing, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Burkholder, a daughter.

DEATHS.

ANDERSON—At the City Hospital on Friday, December 10th, 1909, Marjorie Anderson, Vice Pres. of the Brown-Boggs Co., Ltd., in her 53rd year. Funeral from his late residence, 22 Fairleigh avenue, Tuesday at 2.30 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

PINDER—At her parents' residence, second house north of the High Level Bridge, on Sunday, Dec. 12th, 1909, Annie, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Pinder, aged 8 years, 5 months. Funeral on Wednesday at 3 p. m. to Hamilton Cemetery. Friends will please accept the intimation.

AIKIN—In ever loving memory of our dear father, Alexander Aikin who was accidentally killed on the evening of December 12, 1907. We cannot tell the pain he bore— We did not see him die— We only know he passed away, And never heard "Good-bye." WIFE AND FAMILY.

KIME—Accidentally killed on Friday, December 10, 1909, at Glen Willow, Ohio, H. W. Kime, aged 29 years, formerly of Hamilton. Funeral at 2.30 p. m. from his brother's, Adrian, residence, 194 John street north, Wednesday.

Dundas papers please copy. Our father is from our household now. A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled. WIFE AND CHILDREN.

KING—At her late residence, 30 York street, on December 12th, 1909, Marjorie, beloved wife of William C. King, aged 77 years. Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, George Coombes, 191 Stanley avenue, Tuesday at 3.30 p. m. Private interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends gratefully advised.

McCLINTIC—In this city on Sunday, December 12, 1909, Martha Ann McLintic, aged 92 years. Funeral took place this afternoon (Monday) at 2 o'clock from Green Bros' parlors, cor. King and Catherine streets, to Hamilton Cemetery.

RAYNER—At No. 32 Steven street, on Sunday, 12th December, 1909, Lucy Eugene, wife of George J. Rayner, in her 52nd year. Funeral Tuesday at 3.30 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICE ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

The members of above society will kindly attend funeral of our late Bro. Jas. Anderson on Tuesday, the 14th inst., at 2.30 at his residence, 22 Fairleigh avenue to Hamilton cemetery. Wm. McLORMONT, president; Wm. DAVESPORT, Secy.

THE ASHTABULA.

Another Car Ferry Ashore Near Port Burwell.

Port Burwell, Ont., Dec. 13.—The car ferry Ashtabula, which, in trying to enter the harbor early Sunday morning, took the bottom and went aground, is still in a helpless condition. The tug Monarch has been sent to the Ashtabula, but so far has not succeeded in getting her off. Another tug is expected from Cleveland. The wind at the time the vessel went on was northeast, but changed during the night, and it is now from the southeast. The Ashtabula has worked her way astern from her original position about twice her length. She is now resting quietly on the bottom, and it is not anticipated there will be any trouble getting her off when the other tug arrives.

UNLUCKY LADY.

Three Times Her Prospective Husbands Met Sudden End.

Utica, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Herman Spencer, a farmer 35 years old, was burned to death near Guilford, N. Y., in a fire that destroyed his barn on Sunday morning. Spencer was to have been married next Wednesday. Five years ago the lady whom Mr. Spencer was about to marry was planning for her wedding when her lover was killed by the cars. Two years ago she was again to wed when her affianced husband was taken suddenly ill, and died in a few hours.

FOUND!

The road to good health and vigor contained in Diamond Malt Extract. Contains all the medicinal properties contained in good Canadian malt, and as a tonic, is unexcelled. 20c per bottle. Look for the Diamond Label.

COAL

INLAND NAVIGATION CO., Limited. 604 Bank of Hamilton Bldg. PHONES 2882 and 2883.

ASK FOR FIVE ROSES FLOUR

THOMAS S. MORRIS. Phone 35. 65 Wellington North.

FUNERAL REFORM

Plain and becoming funerals for adults conducted as low as \$40. Furnishings and outfits the very best. Courteous service and personal attention. IRA GREEN, prop., Green Bros. Rink and Catherine Streets. Office Tel. 29, Residence Tel. 27.

THE TIMES READERS ARE MENTALLY NOURISHED DAILY ON FACTS—NOT FADS OR FANCIES.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

December 12.—St. Louis—At New York, from Southampton. Montreal—At New York, from Genoa. St. Paul—At Southampton, from New York. Monmouth—At Antwerp, from Philadelphia. Valparaiso—At Antwerp, from New York. Montreal—At Liverpool, from Philadelphia. Rouen—At Naples, from Boston. Coronia—At Naples, from New York. La Lorraine—At New York, from Havre. Campania—At New York, from Liverpool. Hesperian—At Halifax, from Liverpool. Celtic—At New York, from Liverpool. California—At New York, from Glasgow. Caledonia—At Boston, from Manchester. Ontario—At Portland, from Glasgow. Baltic—At Queenstown, from New York. Pres. Grant—At Cape Race, from Hamburg. Oceania—At Cape Race, from Southampton.

AMUSEMENTS

GRAND SATURDAY MAT. & EVG. The Fascinating ROMANCE GRAUSTARK. Special prices for this big company. Matinee Seat sale—Night 50, 35, 25c; Thursday \$1.75, 50, 35, 25c.

BENNETT'S EVERY AFTERNOON AND EVENING

Models of the Jardine & Paris with Carroll Henry, Brown & Downing Co., El. Coto, Jean Robb & Co., Ethel Whitehead & Pickett, Three Ernests, Hanl' & Jarvis, Kinetograph.

ROYAL CANADIAN ACADEMY OF ARTS

31ST ANNUAL EXPOSITION. FIRST TIME IN HAMILTON. Open every day from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Art Gallery, Public Library UNTIL DEC. 16th. Admission 25c. School children 10c.

CAXTON CHAPTER, I. O. D. E.

Rev. Canon Sutherland, M. A. sub. Dean, will give the second of his series of lectures on HERMIONS OF SHAKESPEARE. In the drawing room of the Waldorf Hotel on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16th. Course ticket, \$1.00; single ticket, 35c. Notice of January lecture later.

Raisins Raisins

Waste no time in seeding your own, for we do it free. 3 Lbs. of Best Raisins 25c. Our Currants are the No. 1 stock, 2 pounds 25c. Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, Table Raisins, Malaga Grapes, California and Navel Oranges, all nice fruit.

Eggs Eggs Eggs

Now is the time they are scarce, but we have them. Good and Cheap 27c. The DUFF STORES CO., Limited. Grocers and Butchers, 216 and 218 York Street.

Fancy Boxed Note Papers

A Christmas present that any lady will appreciate. PRICES FROM 25c to \$2.00. A. C. TURNBULL, 17 King St. East.

WATCH OUR WINDOW

For Xmas suggestions, viz.—Toy Motors and Engines, Flashlights, Toasters, Cigar Lighters, The Pins, in fact everything electrical, WE LEAD IN CHRISTMAS DECORATING. A splendid assortment of up to date Desk Lamps and Fixtures. The ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO., Limited. Phone 22. 67 James street south. Geo. Lowe, Pres. J. T. Farrell, Secy-Treas.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Beginning Monday, December 13, we will sell our immense stock of hats at cost. We are carrying the largest selection in the city to-day. This stock must be sold by January 1st. Trimmed hats, good qualities, will be offered during this sale from \$2.00 up. Mourning goods and ostrich plumes will be sold at very low figures.