

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1904.

LODGES.

WILLINGTON Lodge. No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

ALB. GREGORY, Secy.
GEORGE MASSEY, W. M.

LEGAL.

EDWIN BELL—Barrister, Solicitor, etc. Office, Merchants' Bank Building.

THOMAS SCULLARD—Barrister and Solicitor, Victoria Block, Chatham, Ont.

SMITH, HERBERT D.—County Clerk, Attorney, Barrister, Solicitor, etc. Harrison Hall, Chatham.

J. B. O'LENN—Barrister, Solicitor, etc. Conveyancer, Notary Public, Office, King Street, opposite Merchants' Bank, Chatham, Ont.

WALKER & REEVE—Barristers, Solicitors, etc. Chatham, Ont. Offices over Chatham Loan & Savings Co. Money to lend on mortgages. John A. Walker, K. C. John Reeve.

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MUSIO

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FLOWERS, FRUIT AND SUNSHINE.

The season is approaching when cold and make it advisable, and in many cases necessary, to have a change of climate. If you wish to know how delightful it is in charming Florida, California, Mexico, or other trip tickets, which are sold at low rates, and general information, call at Grand Trunk offices, W. E. Rispin, City Ticket Agent, 115 King St.

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Rescued By Loubet.

Paris, Dec. 21.—President Loubet yesterday morning received at the Elysee Palace the members of the international commission which is to inquire into the North Sea incident, but the non-arrival of Rear Admiral Davis prevented American participation.

CONSUMPTION BEGINS WITH A COUGH.

The cough rakes and tears the tender tissues of the throat. Inflammation supervenes and then serious bronchitis or lung trouble is established. The important time is at the beginning. Stay the progress of the cough by using fragrant, healing Catarrhoxone, which reaches every part of the bronchial tubes, throat and lungs. Catarrhoxone destroys the germs, stops the cough, heals sore spots, clears the nose and throat of discharge. Catarrhoxone soothes, never irritates. Guaranteed for every form of catarrh. For lasting use Catarrhoxone. Two month treatment \$1.00; trial size 25c.

Took Poison in Mistake.

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—J. A. Benbow, a street railway conductor, is dead as a result of carbolic poisoning. He took to his medicine. Reaching out in the dark, he took a bottle from a table, supposing it to be the medicine. It was a carbolic lotion for bathing a person after great agony.

Bishop of Pittsburgh Dead.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 21.—Right Rev. Richard J. Cullen, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh, died at noon yesterday.

EVERY LADY SHOULD KNOW

That Ferrozone removes the cause that interferes with the proper discharge of all womanly functions; it corrects irregularities and is especially good for women who are nervous and subject to headache, lame back, bearing-down pains, despondency and tiredness. Ferrozone is a blood builder and purifier and can't be excelled for the complexion. For your good looks and health use Ferrozone. Price 50c. per box at druggists.

Died in Dauphin, Man.

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—Word has just reached here of the death of John H. Campbell, father of Hon. C. J. Campbell, Attorney-General of Manitoba, who passed away at Dauphin, Man., yesterday afternoon, suddenly. For the past three years the deceased had resided with his daughter, Mrs. Hooper, at Dauphin. He was 70 years of age. The body will be taken to the family home at Burlington, Ont., for burial.

WHEN YOU NEED PHYSIC

Get a box of the old reliable Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butterbur, which loosens the bowels without causing griping pains. No remedy is half so satisfactory as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Price 25c.

Popular Conductor Killed.

Fort William, Dec. 22.—A head-on collision occurred at 3:30 yesterday morning, near Tamarack siding, 124 miles west of here. A train of empty coaches ran into a freight train on the main line of the C.P.R., wrecking both engines. Patrick Savage, one of the most popular conductors on the division, who was on the coach train, was killed, and some of the engine crews seriously injured.

A NOTED HORSEMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

Mr. Antoine Wendling, owner of Devers, 211-1-4, and proprietor of the Clifton House, Brockville, says no liniment compares with Nerviline for general use around the stable. For strains, sprains, swellings, internal pains and especially for affections of the whorl bone, Nerviline is unequalled. Mr. Wendling believes Nerviline is indispensable as a horse liniment; it has strength, penetrating power and works thoroughly. Every horse and stock owner should use Nerviline. Sold in large 25c. bottles.

There is no such thing as preparation for the event.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

WORST EVER EXPERIENCED.

Steamship Koonland Struck By a Tidal Wave.

New York, Dec. 21.—After a tempestuous voyage, in which she was struck by a tidal wave, the Red Star Liner steamship Koonland arrived here today from Antwerp. When the tidal wave struck the ship one of her passengers was thrown across the deck and had a leg broken and a sailor fell from the crew's nest, but suffered no serious injury. On the second day out a stewardess went insane and was paced under restraint. The voyage was the worst the vessel has ever experienced. There was nothing but bad weather from the time she left Antwerp on the 10th until she neared port. Hurricane followed hurricane and heavy head seas were almost continually breaking over her bows and retarding her passage. On the morning of the 12th, while the vessel was making fair time in a strong gale, she was struck by a tidal wave, which brought her to a standstill and sent tons of water tumbling over her decks. F. Pirotte, a Belgian cabin passenger, was standing under shelter and close to the deck when amidships. He was picked up and thrown across the decks. When rescued it was found that his leg had been broken in two places. Officers of the Koonland say that when the wave struck the vessel the water dashed higher than her funnels and swept the hurricane deck. F. Pirotte, the lookout, was thrown out of the crew's nest and fell a distance of 40 feet, but sustained no injury of a badly bruised side. In spite of the force of the water, the ship sustained practically no damage.

A Toronto Driver Killed.

Toronto, Dec. 22.—David King, a driver for the Nashamit Company, was so badly injured at Adelaide and Yonge streets at 7 a.m. yesterday that he died five minutes after he was taken to the Emergency. King was driving east on Adelaide street, and at Yonge street he collided with car 748 of the College and Yonge line. The wagon was smashed and he was thrown to the pavement. Deceased lived in Spruce avenue and was married. He has been in poor health for some time.

London in a Fog.

London, Dec. 22.—London was enveloped yesterday afternoon in a black fog, more dense than anything witnessed during the last two years. In many places the traffic was almost completely stopped and the most greatest care was necessary to avoid accidents, a number of which have already been reported. Torch boys did a roaring trade. The railroad trains were all delayed.

"Father of Navy" Dead.

Portsmouth, Eng., Dec. 22.—Admiral Sir Erasmus Cammpannoy, the "father of the British navy," died here yesterday morning, after a lengthy illness. He was the last survivor of the battle of Navarino, victor of the battle of Navarino, fought in 1827, which resulted in the destruction of the Turkish fleet. The admiral was born in 1814, and entered the navy in 1826.

Lancaster Lectures.

London, Dec. 22.—(C. A. P.)—The first of a series of Sunday afternoon lantern lectures, consisting of pictures illustrative of the mother country and her colonies will be delivered by the Agent-General for South Australia on Jan. 8. The Earl of Meath will be in the chair, under the auspices of the League of the Empire.

Hay Memorial Bureau.

Simsbury, Conn., Dec. 22.—The Hay Memorial Chapel given to Westchester School by United States Secretary of State Hay in memory of his son, Adelbert S. Hay, was burned yesterday. The loss, estimated at \$12,500, is only partly covered by insurance.

Oldest Minister Dead.

Niagara Falls, Dec. 22.—Rev. Adam Cleghorn, M.A., D.D., the oldest Baptist minister in Canada, perhaps the oldest in America, died here, aged 92 years. He was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, and was a grandson of the Earl of Crawford.

Clark Kills Two.

Lockport, N.Y., Dec. 22.—Fred Jones, a clerk in a store at Newfane, shot and killed Mrs. Abbie Goodrich and Constable William C. Gray late yesterday afternoon, and then shot himself fatally. No details have been received.

Explosion Injures Five Firemen.

Columbus, O., Dec. 22.—Fire yesterday on High street, near Broad, destroyed \$150,000 worth of property in the business district, and in an explosion during the fire five firemen were injured, but none seriously.

Electric Motor Power For West Shore.

New York, Dec. 22.—President W. H. Newman of the West Shore R.R. has been authorized to make the necessary contracts for the preliminary work of introducing electric motive power on that railroad.

Things in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—B. Frank, merchant of this city, was knocked senseless by three thugs on Logan avenue late Tuesday night and relieved of \$80 in cash and everything of value on his person.

Frosted Fatal.

Toronto, Dec. 22.—Allan McIntosh, who fell off a roof at the gas works on Tuesday, died yesterday from concussion of the brain. He was 24 years of age and was only two months married.

Woman Burned to Death.

Newburgh, N.Y., Dec. 22.—Mrs. Grace Crotty, a widow, aged 29, was burned to death in her home last night by the explosion of a lamp which set fire to a lounge on which she was lying.

Will Pay 10 P. C.

London, Dec. 22.—(C. A. P.)—The North of Scotland Canadian Insurance Company made a profit of £222,000 for the year and will pay 10 per cent dividend.

THE BEST REMEDY FOR COUGHS.

(From the Atchison, Kan., Daily Globe.)

This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedies for cough is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The cough remedies are almost as sure to be lost, in case of cough, as a revolver is sure to be lost in case of burglars. There used to be an old-fashioned remedy for cough, known as hives syrup, but some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better, and does not cost so much. It causes the patient to "throw up the phlegm" quicker, and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by All Druggists.

U.S. Warship Injured.

New York, Dec. 22.—Breaking five great cables as if they had been threads, the 100-ton floating derrick Hercules, moored to the side of the new battleship Connecticut, broke Wallabout Bay yesterday and crashed into the stern of the battleship Texas, smashing several plates and so injuring the war vessel that she will have to go into the dry dock.

GAINED FORTY POUNDS IN THIRTY DAYS.

For several months our younger brother had been troubled with indigestion. He tried several remedies but got no benefit from them. We purchased some of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and he commenced taking them. Inside of thirty days he had gained forty pounds in flesh. He is now fully recovered. We have a good trade on the Tablets.—Holley Bros., Merchants, Long Branch, Mo. For sale by All Druggists.

Berlin's Red Letter Day.

Berlin, Dec. 22.—The Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario and the Minister of Education were in Berlin yesterday for the official opening of the Berlin Collegiate and Technical Institute. The distinguished visitors both made excellent educational speeches.

\$25,000 GIVEN AWAY.

In the past year Dr. R. V. Pierce has given away copies of his book, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," at an expense to him of \$25,000.00 exclusive of postage. This standard book on medicine and hygiene, contains 1008 pages and more than 700 illustrations, and treats of the greatest and gravest problems of human life in simple English, from a common sense point of view. It answers those questions of sex which linger upon the lips of youth and maiden. It is essentially a family of sudden illness or accident may be the means of saving a valuable life. This great work is sent absolutely free on receipt of stamps to defray the cost of mail stamps and customs. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the book in paper binding, or 50 stamps for cloth covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

An Attempt That Failed.

Moscow, Dec. 21.—An attempt was made to revive the student disturbances yesterday, but was stopped by the police. Twenty-two persons were arrested.

I was Cured of a Bad Case of Grip by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Sydney, C. B. I was Cured of loss of voice by MINARD'S LINIMENT. CHAS. PLUMMER.

Yarmouth.

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Burlington, Nfld.

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Our stock of diamonds is larger than last year, and our prices lower. We have them set in the latest styles of Tiffany and Crown, also loose stones which can be examined thoroughly and set in kind of a setting you want. If you are in doubt what to give, give a watch or a locket chain. There is nothing more universally acceptable in our line of diamonds. You are offered the newest and most beautiful patterns at very moderate prices. I have the largest stock of watches in the city; also in novelty watches. I have just received a large assortment of bracelets, necklaces and lockets, etc., in the latest styles. Give us a call and you will not be disappointed.

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For Christmas and New Year's W. E. Rispin, General Ticket Agent, advises the following arrangements:—

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ELECTION CARDS

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Chatham.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for the Office of Mayor of the city for 1905, and solicit your vote and influence. If elected I shall give the interests of the city my best services, as I have always endeavored to do in the past.

Wishing you the compliments of the season,

I am yours obediently,

GEORGE W. COWAN

For Alderman

TO THE ELECTORS OF CHATHAM

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a number of citizens to offer myself for Alderman for the coming year, I have decided to do so, and hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

I do not intend to make any personal canvass as I believe the electors should be left free from personal solicitation to vote for the men whom they believe will serve the city most efficiently.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season,

I remain respectfully yours,

CHAS. AUSTIN

TO THE ELECTORS.

Ladies and Gentlemen—

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for Alderman for 1905.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN E. AINSWORTH.

TO THE ELECTORS.

Ladies and Gentlemen—

I am a candidate for the council of 1905, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

J. T. O'KEEFE,

Produce Dealer.

ELECTORS, CITY OF CHATHAM

Ladies and Gentlemen—

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for Alderman for 1905.

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR J. DUNN.

ELECTORS OF NO. 1 WARD.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for School Trustee for Ward No. 1 at the coming elections and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

W. M. DRADER.

TO THE ELECTORS.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

For three years I have had your confidence and I trust that my actions at the Council Board will warrant a renewal of that confidence by giving me your vote for a seat at the Council Board for next year. If elected I will serve you to the best of my ability.

Wishing you a Happy New Year.

I remain,

JOHN N. EDMONDSON.

TO THE ELECTORS.

Ladies and Gentlemen—

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence in my behalf as an aspirant to the aldermanic board, for the ensuing year.

Yours very truly,