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Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

DIED.

LEE—At Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 9, 1899, Charles Lee, son of James A. and Minnie Lee. Funeral from J. T. Stephenson's undertaking rooms, Dundas street, on Thursday, Jan. 12, at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

THURSDAY, JAN. 12.

The great success, the brightest and merriest of all musical farce comedies.

"THE CIRCUS GIRL,"

From Augustin Daly's New York and London theaters.

60—PEOPLE—60.

The musical triumph of both countries. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1 50. Seats now on sale. 37k

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AND SATURDAY MATINEE, JAN. 13-14.

MR. ROBERT MANTELL

and a select company.

Friday night and Saturday matinee, "A SECRET WARRANT." Saturday night, "THE FACE IN THE MOONLIGHT." Matinee prices—25c, 50c, 75c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1. Seats now on sale. 39k

DAISY RINK — CLARK'S BRIDGE — Largest in the city. Skating every afternoon and evening. b

BAND TONIGHT—RED LIGHT RINK— Splendid ice. Children's carnival Saturday afternoon. b

PRINCESS RINK—EXCELLENT ICE— Musical Society Band Thursday night. Rink open afternoons and evenings. b

THE ANNUAL CONCERT WILL BE held at the Aged People's Home, on Thursday evening, 12th inst., at 8 o'clock. The public are very cordially invited to attend. 38u

JUBILEE RINK — TONIGHT — AFTER skating, beginning at 9 sharp, hockey match, Young Men's Christian Association vs. Collegiate Institute. 10c admission. b

PLACE DANCING ACADEMY — NEW terms for beginners will open as follows: Gentlemen, Monday evening, Jan. 16; ladies', Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Special rates for this term. Dayton & McCormick.

VOICE CULTURE
EVA N. ROBLYN.
Studio, Bell Piano Parlors. Residence, No. 320, Dundas street. Concert engagements. Telephone 1,270. xt

$8.95 IS THE SPECIAL FIRST-CLASS limited fare, via Grand Trunk or Canadian Pacific Railway, London to St. John or Halifax, in connection with steamship Californian, sailing Jan. 22, from St. John for Liverpool, no cattle carried. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING— Rapid teaching; low rates. All who desire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B. Millard, teacher of dancing, 345 Princess avenue.

Meetings.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF DELAWARE Cheese Company will be held at the factory, on Wednesday, the 18th day of January, 1899, at 1 o'clock, p.m. Officers' reports presented, milk routes let, directors appointed and general business transacted. H. J. Smith, Sec., Lambeth. b

I. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48, meets this (Wednesday) evening. Initiatory rehearsal. Visitors invited. Syd. Smith, N.G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R.S. b

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—THOROUGH GENERAL SERVANT; small family. Apply Mrs. T. Saxon Weld, 435 Colborne street. 39c

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT — AT once; must have good references. 89 Elmwood avenue. 38c

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT TO work in country; two miles from city. Apply 203 Hamilton road. 37c

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED — PORTER — MIDDLE-AGED preferred. Apply Fraser House, King street. 37c

Female Help Wanted

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SEWING machine operators. Apply The Hastings Hat and Cap Manufacturing Company. 38u

Agents Wanted.

AGENTS WANTED—WE WANT LIVE agents everywhere. No trouble selling our high-grade nursery stock and seed potatoes. Write us before engaging elsewhere. It will pay you. Blackford & Co., Nurserymen, Toronto. zxv

WANTED — GOOD LIVE AGENTS — Household necessities. Factory, 731 York street. 38c

WANTED—SALESMEN AND SALES-LADIES to represent a large importing house; permanent position, paying from $800 to $2,000 per year; no experience needed; you can make money hand over fist. Our hustlers do not know anything about hard times; they wear good clothes and have plenty of change to jingle in their pockets. Every reader of the Advertiser who wants a big money-making position should send for particulars. G. Marshall & Co., 258 Dundas street, London, Ont.

Lost and Found.

LOST—LADY'S SILVER CHAIN BRACELET. Reward at Strong's Drug Store. b

LOST — LARGE ST. BERNARD DOG, answers to name of "Bruno." Reward at 211 Wortley road. 37c

LOST — ON FRIDAY, WHITE SETTER pup, one black ear. Reward on returning to 463 King street. 36c

LOST—BLACK ROBE, SUNDAY NIGHT— Finder rewarded at 19 York street. 26tf

Veterinary Surgeon.

J. H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House. Residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

Exceptional Values

In Men's Suits
And Overcoats,
Made in first-class
Style, at
Deeks & Co.'s,
393 Richmond St.

Little Gents' Shoes, 75 Cents.

Full value shoes. We lead in goods of this character—shoes of low price, of unmatchable style and wearing worth. When buying look for little points of quality and finish. Our assortment is full and complete.

B. Calf Laced, riveted sole, solid leather, new toe; sizes 10 to 13.

J. P. Cook

173 Dundas Street.

Your money back if you want it.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE — SEVERAL VALUABLE properties in the city of London and township of London. For particulars apply to Mr. John W. Jones, Auctioneer, 242 Dundas street, London. 36n tyxwvt

FINE 2-STORY HOUSE, WITH ALL MODERN conveniences, for sale, or would rent to suitable tenant. Three lots on Hellmuth avenue, very cheap for party that will build this season. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond street.

Miscellaneous.

SPECIAL NOTICE—PARTIES WHO HAVE ordered copies of "Illustrated London" through agents or otherwise, will please call within ten days, at our office and procure them, otherwise we will not be reponsible, as the edition is nearly exhausted. The London Printing and Lithographing Company, Limited. 39o

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET—GOOD BRICK AND FRAME stable. Inquire A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. Phone 735.

TO LET—NO. 427 KING STREET—APPLY at 383 King street. 96tf

TO LET—BRICK HOUSE—FOUR BEDROOMS, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and basement. Apply 138 Queen's avenue. 95tf

TO LET—COVERED MOVING VANS— When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

Articles For Sale.

$4.75 PER TON (NOT IN BAGS)— Pocahontas coal for kitchen ranges or furnaces; in bags, 25c per ton extra. Same coal as sold by Harold Richardson & Co. Butts' Cannel coal for open fires. Bowman & Co. Call at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Advertiser. zvv

GET NEVER SLIP STEEL ICE CREEPERS, at 353 Richmond street. 36n

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF SCRIBBLERS, exercise books, copy books, readers and other school supplies, at Cunningham's, 778 Dundas street. East London.

EXPRESS MONEY ORDERS ON ALL parts of the world. Surest way to remit money. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, sells them. zxv

FOR SALE—ONE SLIGHTLY USED UPRIGHT mahogany piano, 7½ octaves, only $200, and one Thomas organ, slightly used, $35. Easy terms. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street.

STOCK-TAKING SALE—SOME PRICES cut in two for one week only. Keene Bros.' Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street.

FIRST-CLASS WOOD—HARD AND SOFT— stove lengths or cordwood. Prompt delivery to any part of the city. Prices reasonable. Phone 1,312. S. Gilles & Son, Sawmill, East London.

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up-to-date at small expense. J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, up stairs.

FOR SALE—POCKET KNIVES, DOOR keys. Sewing machines repaired at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

ELECTRIC BELLS KEPT IN PERMANENT repair, only 50c per year. R. M. Millar, 434 Talbot street. 21tf

PORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA, FOUR pounds 25c; smoked ham and bacon, 10c; pickled bacon, 9c; shoulders, 6c; long clears, 8c, at Park's, corner Market Lane.

BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone 1,134.

KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

Wanted.

WANTED—BY MARRIED COUPLE— Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, centrally located. Address Box 114, Advertiser. 39c

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 99 King street. Mail orders attended to

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DRS Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish Movements. 427 King street, London, Ont Phone, 502.

Educational.

THE HARDING HALL GIRLS' SCHOOL LIMITED,

now open for pupils. Kindergarten branch was started Dec. 7, at room in Conservatory of Music building, Dundas street. For calendars and other information apply to Mrs. J. E. Wells, 661 Talbot street, London.

WELLAND CANAL.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES.

SEALED tenders for supplies, addressed to the Superintending Engineer, Welland Canal, St. Catharines, will be received until the evening of Jan. 17, 1899, for the supply and delivery of various articles of Timber, Hardware, Fuel, Oil, etc., etc., for use on the Welland Canal and its branches, for the year 1899.

Forms of tender and other information can be obtained at the Superintending Engineer's Office, St. Catharines, on and after Dec. 24, 1898.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. K. JONES, Secretary,
Dept. Railways and Canals.

Ottawa, Dec. 24, 1898.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it. 34n

GEO. MOFFAT,

Of the Insurance Press, says:

"As soon as an insurance company is old enough to get a few totals together it begins to cast about for weak spots in the armor of an adversary, and if its own armor is comparatively strong in the parts in which its adversary is weak it sails in and makes comparisons. These comparisons are called 'figures.' They are spread out in the form of 'ratios,' 'percentages,' 'averages,' and other multiplied jugglery, and serve the useful purpose of confounding the patient seeker after truth, and of proving nothing whatsoever.

"What we want to know about is results. We want to know about its settlements at death, and endowment and tontine period. We are interested in knowing how every death claim is disposed of, and what protection its policies give us and what as investments they offer us."

The Ontario Mutual Life

Invites you to an examination of its actual results, its policy contracts and its settled claims.

C. E. GERMAN, General Agent.

Board and Lodging.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO GENTLEMEN boarders; cosy front room; choice location; no other boarders. Box 58, this office. 30tf tyw

Business Chances.

FOR SALE—STORE WITH POSTOFFICE and dwelling-house; also stock of general merchandise. Address Box 32 Orwell, Ont. 34bi

PAY YOUR WATER RATES

By the 16th and save the usual discount. . . . .

Office open evenings on 13, 14, 16 from 7:30 to 9 o'clock.

O. ELWOOD,
Secretary.

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Parliamentary Notice.

MONDAY, Feb. 13 next, will be the last day for receiving petitions for private bills.

MONDAY, Feb. 20, next, will be the last day for introducing private bills.

FRIDAY, March 3, next, will be the last day for receiving reports of committees on private bills.

CHARLES CLARKE,
Clerk Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, Jan. 10, 1899. 39k J11,18,25,31

ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS BROKEN

Still Another Evidence of Canada's Prosperity Last Year Shown in the Bank Statement.

Among the records of evidence of Canada's prosperity in 1898 the statement of the total bank clearings in the different cities show up prominently.

The clearings in all Canada for the year reached the enormous total of $1,174,710,345 in 1897, an increase of $215,000,000, by far the largest clearings in the history of the country.

The city of Montreal carries off the palm. The year's clearings in that city amounted to $731,264,677, against $601,185,000 a year ago, or a gain of considerably over $100,000,000. Toronto is next with $439,489,336, against $361,756,953 last year, and Winnipeg third, with $90,754,276, against $84,435,832. All the cities of the country but Halifax and St. John show gains, and the decreases in the case of the cities mentioned are very small.

WHAT THE FIGURES SHOW.

The total clearings in Canada for the past twelve months are given in detail as follows:

Clearing houses.	Twelve months. 1898.	1897.
Montreal	731,264,677	601,185,000
Toronto	439,489,336	361,756,953
Winnipeg	90,754,276	84,435,832
Halifax	62,523,827	63,513,838
Hamilton	35,637,964	33,350,542
St. John, N.B..	30,349,264	30,468,180
Totals	$1,390,019,344	$1,174,710,345

The cities of Vancouver and Victoria are not included in totals, because comparisons are incomplete for last year.

THE G.T.R. PRESIDENT

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson and Lady Wilson to Leave London—Colonial Names for Warships.

London, Jan. 11.—Sir Charles and Lady Rivers-Wilson leave London at the end of March on an extended tour through California. The charming house in Pont street, which the purchased three years ago from Mrs. Langtry, will be let during their absence.

The admiralty is being urged to emphasize the unity of the empire by adopting colonial titles for British warships, instead of meaningless names like Venerable, Irresistible and Majestic. It is proposed that one of the finest new battleships should be named Canada, while the names of Montreal, Quebec and Toronto should be given to first-class cruisers.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves, and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. For sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

Barkwell's Balsam for coughs and colds.

WILLIAM WONT MEDDLE

With the Alleged Combine Against Britain.

Contradictory Reports Regarding the Position of Germany.

The Dreyfus Case Enters on Its Bitterest Chapters.

Important Conference Between Filipino and American Commissioners.

London, Jan. 11.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says: The Paris papers assert that the long visits of the Marquis de Noailles, French ambassador at Berlin, to Emperor William on Sunday, had to do with a new grouping of the powers directed against English imperialism and in favor of peace, the ambassador urging that Great Britain's publication of a series of blue books regarding future negotiations amounts to an ultimatum in disguise after arousing the opinion of the country and rendering concessions impossible.

The German papers deny that the interview between Emperor William and the French ambassador on Sunday had to do with another grouping of the powers against England. They say the kaiser has no intention of meddling in matters that do not concern Germany.

The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News says: Emperor William and the French ambassador talked of an alliance between Germany, France and Russia in the far east. France favored it and Germany encouraged the dream without intending anything practical.

The conference between Emperor William and Noailles, the French ambassador at the German court, is the chief topic at the European chancelleries, and there are all sorts of rumors, for the most part purely guesswork. The conference, however, seems to be a token of growing friendship between Germany and France, arising from mutual interests.

FRENCH PREPARATIONS.

Trustworthy advices from Paris show that France is still going forward with war preparations at Toulon, Cherbourg, Brest, and the same accumulation of supplies and munitions of war, and the same heed to every detail in equipment of the Mediterranean and channel squadrons for any exigency that there was two months ago. On both sides of the channel there has been equal effort, and in both naval services there has been a similar sense of threatening exigencies. The premier and ministers of war, marine and foreign affairs have been busy with plans for the better defense of the French possessions abroad, in which for once appreciation of pressing needs has allayed personal, professional and departmental jealousies.

DEMANDS IN CHINA.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: Considerable anxiety is felt regarding the French demands for territorial advantages as compensation for the July riots. The Chinese suspect that the French contemplate some decisive action. The French cruiser Descartes has been coaling and is probably now at Nankin, on the Yang Tse Kiang. Li Kung Yi, the viceroy of Nankin, is said to have resigned as a protest against the French demands by the Chinese Government.

DREYFUS' REPLY.

In a telegram from Cayenne, embodying the reply of Dreyfus to questions put to him, Dreyfus energetically denies that he ever confessed that he was guilty to Capt. Lebrun Renault, and he protests his innocence.

BITTER CHAPTERS.

The Dreyfus affair has now reached one of its bitterest chapters. Accusations, vituperations and threats are raging in the courts and among the scores of boulevard sheets. It is regarded by impartial observers as the most dangerous factor to the institutions of the republic the affair has yet developed that the president of one of the chambers of the court of cassation should assume the role of a leader of agitation against the tribunal, declaring that sixteen of his colleagues are conspiring to defeat the ends of justice.

M. de Beaurepaire contributes to the papers another rhetorical denunciation of the court of cassation. He exhorts the government to take the Dreyfus case from the hands of the criminal chamber and to intrust it to the 49 magistrates composing the whole court, or to five of the oldest justices. He appeals to the Dreyfusards: "Repudiate M. Loew. Accept instead magistrates without preconceived opinions, men who are honest and slaves of the law."

IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

The Manila correspondent of the Morning Post says: There was an important conference last evening between duly authorized American and Filipino commissions, at the instance of Aguinaldo. Major-Gen. Otis said that the purpose of the conference was a mutual understanding of the policies, aims and desires of the people of the United States and of the Philippines. There was a frank discussion.

The Filipino committee at Hong Kong has broken off all relations with the American consul, Mr. Wildman. The members of the committee allege that sensational disclosures are possible, showing that the American Government recognized the Filipinos as belligerents by affording them assistance in arms and moral influence to cooperate against Spain, thus indorsing the agreement made with Aguinaldo at Singapore in April.

SAGASTA'S STATEMENT.

Premier Sagasta announces that there is no cabinet crisis, and that he would not submit a vote of confidence.

Senor Sagasta's statement has caused much excitement in political circles, where it had been believed that a cabinet crisis was inevitable. It is not yet clear whether the crisis is merely deferred until after the next cabinet meeting, or whether Senor Sagasta has succeeded in inducing certain colleagues to reconsider their resignations.

CABLE NOTES.

Mataafa has been elected King of Samoa to succeed Malietoa.

The channel service between Dover and Calais has been suspended, owing to the heavy seas which are running.

The colonial cabinet of New South Wales has approved the proposal to send 60 men of the colonial lancers for six months' training at Aldershot, England.

Paris Figaro publishes a cartoon copied from Puck, representing Kaiser Wilhelm as a boar. German police confiscated every copy which came over the border.

The Queen will grant an annuity of £3,500 to former Justice Henry Hawkins, who recently resigned from the exchequer division of the high court of judicature, and has been elevated to the peerage.

Captain Daniel Brunn will next summer head an Andree search expedition in whalers from Iceland, going to the Island of Janmayen, about 300 miles east of Greenland, where the Austrians have a supply depot, and thence to Greenland.

A Rome cable says: Mount Vesuvius is again in a violent state of eruption. Reports from Naples say the sight at night is a wonderful and terrifying spectacle. Great masses of molten matter and towers of flame are ejected 600 feet in the air.

A SUICIDE AT WINDSOR

A Woman Hangs Herself in a Woodshed.

One of Hamilton's Oldest Lawyers Found Dead in Bed—Fatal Fall.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 11.—Elizabeth Shackleford, an unmarried colored woman, aged 50, committed suicide yesterday morning in a woodshed in the rear of her home, 66 Mercer street. She had fastened a piece of clothesline around the rafters and, with a slip-knot on the other end placed around her neck, she stepped off a stool and swung herself into eternity. She had been sick for over a year, and her mind had become unbalanced. The family retired about 11:30 o'clock at night. When Laura awoke in the morning she missed the invalid and immediately started to search for her. The sister was found swinging from the rafters, with her feet almost touching the floor. Life was extinct.

FATAL FALL.

Wolfville, N. S., Jan. 11.—Yesterday morning Mr. A. L. Calhoun, while superintending the unloading of a cargo of corn from the schooner Leonard B, was struck by a tub, knocked from the platform on which the corn is received, and instantly killed. He leaves a widow and two little daughters. He was about 35 years old.

FOUND DEAD.

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 11.—Walter R. Macdonald, 73 years of age, and one of the oldest lawyers in Hamilton, was found dead in his room at his residence, Herkimer street, yesterday morning. Members of his family heard him fall, but when they reached his side he was dead of heart disease. He was down town Monday. He had practiced in Hamilton since 1853. He was a brother of Dr. J. D. Macdonald, of this city. A widow, five daughters and three sons survive him.

SEARCHING PARTY LOST.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 11.—The steamship Tacoma, from the Orient, brings news that Herr Standling and a party of the Swedish Geographical Society, who were searching for Andree in Northern Siberia, have been drowned in the Lena delta, 2,000 miles north of Irkutsk.

WHIRLED TO DEATH.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 11.—Wm. H. O'Hara, employed as an engineer at the Peninsular Stove Works, met death in a shocking manner yesterday morning. He was whirled around a fast revolving shaft until his body was a mass of pulp.

SIXTEEN DEATHS

Resulted From the Collision on the Lehigh Valley Railway.

New York, Jan. 10.—As far as could be ascertained the victims of the Lehigh Valley collision at West Dunellen, N. J., yesterday, number 16. Three died during the night. They were two unidentified men and a woman.

Engineer Rick, of the local, is in a critical condition, and the Parecca baby, from Shamokin, may die. With the exception of these two it is scarcely likely that the death list will be increased.

The identification of the following bodies seems fairly reliable: W. B. Kinkle, Mount Carmel, Pa.; John F. Jarvis, Mount Carmel, Pa.; Abner S. Keiser, Pottsville, Pa.; Jacob Helier, Mount Carmel, Pa.; Martin Keenan, Mount Carmel, Pa.; Theo Kohan or Theo Steckler, Shamokin, Pa.; W. Leader, Mount Carmel, Pa.; W. H. Markle, Shamokin, Pa.; Frank Reykeski, Mount Carmel, Pa.; W. E. Mickle, Mount Carmel, Pa.; Richard Wickel, Mount Carmel, Pa.

The identification of the five other bodies, three women and two men, is still open to great question. Whether Frank Fischer, of Mount Carmel, Pa., and Frank Market, of Shamokin, Pa., previously sent out in the death roll are really among the victims now seems doubtful.

PROHIBITION CONFERENCE.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—A prohibition conference, called by the Ontario Alliance executive, to consider the provincial policy with regard to the approaching meeting of the legislature, was held yesterday. After much discussion it was decided to defer all agitation for amendments to the Ontario license act until after the Dominion Government had defined its policy regarding the result of the prohibition plebiscit.

Say "No" when a dealer offers you a substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla. There is nothing "just as good." Get only Hood's.

Cures colds—Barkwell's Balsam.

Cure for Chapped Hands.

Cold, windy weather plays havoc with the lips and hands. It doesn't require much exposure to subject you to the annoyance of rough or red skin, or chapped lips. The usual remedies, glycerine, cold cream, vaseline, etc., are either sticky or greasy. You can only use them conveniently upon retiring. Even then your feelings are not the most agreeable.

HAZELINE may be used at any time, and is soothing and healing every time you use it. Apply it to the hands, rub gently, and it vanishes; it is absorbed. This new and dainty toilet lotion is a true skin food. It is the peer of all remedies for the complexion. HAZELINE purifies as well as beautifies. Only 25 cents.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE,
Druggists, etc.
216 Dundas street. Branch—Cor. Richmond and Piccadilly.

REORGANIZATION ABOUT COMPLETE

Seventh Fusiliers Will Soon be in Full Swing Again—The Probable Officers.

The reorganization of the Seventh Fusiliers is nearing completion. Col. Smith's appointment will likely be gazetted in a couple of weeks, when the drill shed will be handed over. It is also understood that the government will put the drill shed in thorough repair, adding proper quarters for the officers' mess.

Classes for the commissioned officers have been running for over a week at Wolseley Barracks, and classes for the non-commissioned officers will be started at once.

Contrary to expectations there will be but six companies in the regiment. The organization acted at first on the assumption that the number would be eight, but later orders cut off two. They may be added after organization.

Sir John Carling has been offered the position of honorary colonel of the regiment, and ex-Mayor Little the junior majorship. It is probable that the present adjutant, Wm. A. McCrimmon, will continue in that position, and that Drs. Piper and Ovens will be retained as surgeons.

The captains will be Major Hayes, A. Becher, Walter Smith, George Brown, A. A. Campbell and Frank Reid.

Capt. Kingsmill will likely take a lieutenancy under Walter Smith.

It is said, too, that A. Becher's subalterns will be Campbell Becher and E. Harris; that George Brown's subalterns will be E. Masuret and Fred Screaton, and that among the others who have a lieutenancy under consideration are Fred Harper, T. J. Murphy, J. S. Brown, Percy Moore and R. G. Fisher.

An effort will be made not only to restore the band to its best strength but also to establish a first-class bugle band. In Toronto, Hamilton and other cities the corporations have invariably made grants to their military bands in similar cases, and it is a matter the London council will doubtless consider.

THE LOSER'S SHARE.

New York, Jan. 11.—The contestants in last night's battle at the Lenox A. C., fought for $20,000. The beginning of the fourth round may be said to be the turning point in the sailor's favor. From that time there never was a minute when he was not after his man.

McCoy will take $5,000, the loser's share of the purse. Each man has an equal interest in 50 per cent of the gate receipts over and above $40,000. The receipts did not exceed that amount by more than a few thousand dollars.

Steamship Arrivals.

Jan. 10.	At.	From.
St. Paul	New York	Southampton
Grecian	Portland	Glasgow
Pomeranian	New York	Glasgow
Labrador	Halifax	Liverpool
Gera	New York	Bremen
Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse	Bremen	New York
Anchoria	Moville	New York
California	New York	Gibraltar
Rotterdam	New York	Rotterdam

Croup, coughs—Use Barkwell's Balsam.

rM. J. H. MacLeod, superin 200 years in the main hall of the Shah's palace in Teheran.

A cubic foot of newly-fallen snow weighs five and a half pounds, and has twelve times the bulk of an equal weight of water.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good.

Barkwell's Balsam for coughs and 36m

TRY THE NEW

SARNIA LAMP OIL WATER WHITE.

SARNIA

Water White Oil.

LIVE DEALERS HANDLE IT.
WIDEAWAKE HOUSEKEEPERS
WILL CALL FOR NO OTHER.
FULLY EQUAL TO AMERICAN OIL,
CHEAPER AND LASTS LONGER.

The Queen City Oil Co., Limited.

SAML. ROGERS, President, Toronto.
London Branch—Phone 1240.