for this opinion has not been disclosed

AND AGENCY COMPANY.

In another column will be found the

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THE STANDARD BANK.

MINERAL LAND POLICY.

The Standard Bank of Canada, the

til rates became more favorable.

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pany's loan business.

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of the legislature of British Columbia, The Toronto World imposing an educational test on Asi-

Morning Newspaper Published tawa, the matter of its validity will Every Day in the Year. fall to be considered by the federal MAIN OFFICE, 83 YONGE STREET, authorities. It has been affirmed that the act is beyond the powers of a

papers by carrier or thru the mail will and it appears to be contrary to the Golf Stockings for snowsheeing, report any irregularity or delay in re- view held by the imperial colonial of-

Forward all complaints to The World lation by British Columbia to check office. 83 Youge Street, Toronto.

Mr. Chamberlain, then secretary of How far the growing volume of public discontent over the attitude of the Canadian railroads towards the people and their failure to hold the balance equally between their own interest and the common good and between thru and local traffic, has succeeded in inducering parliamentary opinion was clearly disclosed by the course of the debate on Tuesday in the house of commons. For many years the railroads were accounted to lord it over the country much at their own pleasure, and to question the propriety of their methods, to challenge the justice of their arbitrary regulations or to suggest that the dictates of equity demanded redress and reform meant virtual political excommunication. But times have changed and those who in days of ever champloned the cause of the canadian people and the claims of the national industries, no longer stand national How far the growing volume of public state for the colonies, based his objecalone. One of the most refreshing fea- ments, consequent on the mission of tures of Tuesday's debate was the fact Mr. Lemieux. It is probably correct to that popular grievances were voiced assume that the British Columbia and the demand for fair and equal Legislature cannot get behind the treaty treatment supported, without regard to now in full force between Canada and party leanings, a certain proof that the Japan, as modified by the later arpopular movement in favor of effectual rangement, but the right of the legisgovernmental and legislative control of lature to impose an educational test the railroads is due to a genuine and on Asiatics other than Japanese and on Japanese not coming directly from A very pertinent example of the Japan, apparently remains unimpaired.

rough-shod manner in which the rail- Of course, Mr. Chamberlain's attenroads override equitable considerations tion may not have been called to the was provided by the bill sponsored by possibility of a conflict between feder-Mr. W. F. Maclean providing for the al and provincial jurisdiction, but on application to the railroads of the reguithe other hand, the federal authorities. lation requiring payment of demurrage by leaving it to the imperial governon cars claimed to be used for storage ment to decide whether the act should purposes. It is quite right and proper receive the royal assent, left it to be that a consignee retaining loaded cars inferred that as then advised, they beyond a reasonable allowance of time did not consider it ultra vires of the should be penalized. The plea that province's legislature. this practice prevailed frequently served as an excuse for the failure to LONDON AND CANADIAN LOAN supply cars, and the regulation was made for the ostensible purpose of enabling the requirements of consigners report of the thirty-fourth annual to be met. But the railroads recog-London & Canadian Loan and Agency nized no reciprocal obligation on their nized no reciprocal obligation on their Company, Limited. The report sub-part to expedite transportation or to mitted by the directors and unanipenalize themselves for depriving their mously adopted showed the customers of timely and sufficient fa-cilities for the forwarding of their earnings, including \$3690.64 brought for-ward, to be \$210,677.81, while the net earnings, after deducting cost of mangoods. Numerous instances were cited agement, debenture during the debate where shippers had other charges, were \$85,281.97. Out of this two half yearly dividends at the Company (continued). for weeks and rate of 6 per cent. and the usual taxes were paid, leaving a balance of \$24,that goods were rejected and drafts re- 398.64. turned because delivery within a reasonable period had not been made. Again it is notorious among business sets of the company now stand at \$3,men that cars after departure are fre- 605,123, and the "rest account" amounts quently weeks and even months on the road, yet for these failures to supply cars and for these delays in transit, the railroads decline responsibility. Dis- have met their engagements very crimination of this sort in their own promptly, being in a measure compenfavor is unjust and ought to be rem- sated by the higher grain prices. During the year applications for mortgage edied by imposing a demurrage charge on the railroads at fault. But it is ne- \$762,239 on real estate valued at cessary, even if it be left to the en- 984,160. larged board of railway commissioners. to enforce corresponding demurrage on with this conservative policy it is not the roads, that parliament should es- surprising that the accounts testify to the increasing stability of the com tablish the principle for the guidance

ruesday's debate took a wide range terest rates prevailing on sterling de-and covered many important questions bentures in Great Britain the directors connected with the duties and obligations of the railway companies. One point deserving close attention from parliament is the position of the railway commission towards the public. The Star As presently constituted it takes the form of a quasi-judicial body, deciding issues between the public or a member issues between the public or a member or members of the public and the railroads, who are thus practically litiroads, who are thus practically litigants with the pecuniary responsibiliing money.

The report of the directors, presented against the Cobait Contact Silver Mines ties of litigants. But what is wanted for Canada is a commission substantially on the lines of the public utilities tially on the lines of the public utilities amounted to \$186,097.60, being at the By consent. Judge Clute. tially on the lines of the public utilities commissions for New York City and state, which are required to ensure that the railroad and other public service companies act and deal justly with the balance to the credit of profit and loss brought forward from last year, \$105,529.45, makes a sum of \$310, 500.05.

In every department of the bank's business progress is shown, and the shareholders are to be congratulated on the business accumen and foresight. legislature of the State of New York furnished each of the public utilities commissions with counsel and attorneys and counsellors-at-law, whose duty it would be to represent and appear for it would be to r really remedial bodies, constituted for the financial needs of this province, the the protection of the people, and there- with pride as a provincial institution. fore they take it upon themselves to is reason to believe that wrong is being Editor World: In Monday's issue. Manufacturing Company. done the people thru the action of any under above heading, you quote from tuted proceedings against the munipublic service company. The onus and James R. Garland's (United States) renora, claiming on a promissory expense of vindicating public rights port regarding coal "that the best pos- made by the municipality dated the 21st ought not to be placed on and borne by sible method of accomplishing results of October, 1907, payable two months individuals, and government and parliament when enlarging the Dominion
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RECEIPT FOR COUGHS. should see that it becomes in fact the waste and prevent monopoly." You trustee for the protection of the people as well as the judge between the people to a policy of this character would give to a po

TILL END MONTH ONLY atic immigration, has now reached Ot- STOCK REDUCING SALE

Balance of Sample Shirts Sweaters, all shades, regular \$1.00 and \$1.25, for

provincial legislature, but the reason Sweaters, knit to fit collar, all combinations, reg. \$2,25, for \$1.50

fice when considering previous legis-WREYFORD & CO., Japanese immigration. In his letter 85 King Street West refusing royal assent to the latter act, GET OUR SALE CIRCULAR.

Mr. Whitney has adopted the right idea and the people of this province (1 mean the thinking people, who are not blinded by partisan prejudice), will endorse his efforts to do right, and will favor him with renewed confidence when he goes to the province for relection.

W. H. Scott.

We have the wished to be assessed as province they wished to be assessed as province as chool supporters.

At the trial Father John S. Quinn, the parish priest, stated that Mr. McCloskey had authorized him to sign his amme to the notice, but he could not give the dates on which the authority was given.

Parry Sound, Feb. 16, 1908.

AT OSGOODE HALL

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TO-DAY. Chambers. Cartwright, Master, at 11 a.m. Single Court.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Clute at 11 and Cases set down for hearing: Federal Life. Mitchell estate. Perrie estate. 5. Re Foley estate. 6. Hamilton v. Hamilton Street Rail

minion Bank v. Freeman. Re McKay estate. 9. Baker v. Hoover. 10. Muir v. Kelly.

Divisional Court. Peremptory list for 11 a.m.: 1. Gibson v. Mackay. 2. Robert v. Port Arthur. 3. Savereux v. Tourangeau.
4. Tretheway v. Tretheway.
5. Dewey v. Hamilton & Dundas.
6. Porter v. International. Court of Appeal.

Peremptory list for 11 a.m.: 1. Thompson v. Standard Mutual Fire Insurance Company (continued).

Thompson v. Equity Fire Insurance Gen. Stoessel and other defendants in

Toronto Winter Assize Peremptory list for 10 a.m.: 1. Cox v. C.P.R. Co. 2. Ham v. Mosher. 3. Flude v. Jamieson. Toronto Non-Jury Sittings.

Peremptory list for 10 a.m.: 1. Davidson v. Mineral Range. 2. Toronto v. Ward. 3. Gates v. Seagram. Paine v. Bain. Gibbons v. Smith.

quo warranto proceedings were begun present in the very mountains that once to unseat him as councillor of that were nature's bar to exploring men. Yet to unseat him as councillor town, has disclaimed the office. Delivered the Goods.

Reinhardt & Co. are seeking to re-cover \$371.50 from Andrew Wadson of Port Arthur for goods sold and deliv-

Overdue Note. Frederick Norris, as administrator of the estate of Elizabeth McKinnon, is suing H. J. Spenceley and E. Spenceley and E. Spenceley of the Village of Markham to recover

George S. Fillion has issued a writ Company, in which he is claiming \$1744

mission in all actions and proceedings involving any questions under the constituting act. These commissions are

The Trusts & Guarantee Company. liquidators of the William Hamilton

Town of Kenora's Note.

Robinson.

RECEIPT FOR COUGHS.

and each and every company entrusted with the operation of a public franchise.

The B. C. EXCLUSION ACT.

As the official copy of the recent act

to a policy of this character would give Ontario a superior place in the mining grippe, hoarseness, etc., is made as follows. Take two cups of molasses, one of Compound Bamoid, and enough warm water to make one pint; mix together in a clean bottle. Take a dessert-spoonful every three hours. This is a very simple remedy and is highly recommended by lung specialists.

As splendid mixture for coughs, colds, grippe, hoarseness, etc., is made as follows. Take two cups of molasses, one of Compound Bamoid, and enough warm water to make one pint; mix together in a clean bottle. Take a dessert-spoonful every three hours. This is a very simple remedy and is highly recommended by lung specialists.

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Priest Signed Name to List and Judge Ordered That He Pay Sectarian Tax.

brought an appeal before the divisional court at Osgoode Hall from the ruling of His Honor Judge J. R. O'Reilly of the united Counties of Stormont, Dun-

IS BRITISH FLEET COMING? Admiralty Store of Coal Increased at

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 19.-Halifax is much interested in a report current here that a large British fleet will spend some time in this station during the summer, and while the ma-rine and fisheries department here know nothing of the matter, the British admiralty is steadily increasing its reserve supply of coal and coke at the dockyards.

There is now over 7000 tons of Welsh coal and coke belonging to the admi-ralty at the dockyards, and an admi-

ralty collier, the Camperdown, is due here next month with a large cargo of Welsh steam coal. DECIDING STOESSEL'S FATE.

Sentence is Expected This Morning at 11 o'Clock. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 19.-The

court which has been trying Lt.-Gen. Stoessel for the surrender of Port Ar-thur to the Japanese, retired for deliberation at noon to-day, ordering the court-martial proceedings to apnear Feb. 20 at 11 a.m. v is expected to be pronounced Sentries have been stationed at the doors leading to the judges' etc., indicating that the judges anticipate a considerable struggle in reaching a verdict.

COLD-CAMP HISTORY REPEATS.

In another twelvementh it will be 60 years since the rush of the "Argonauts of '49." There is no longer for the United in the news of to-day, like a page from the history of that far-past treasure-hunting period, is the story of the new gold camp of Rawhide, on the soil of Nevada.

The rush to Rawhide began in Janu ered. A writ of summons has issued.

Suing the Toronto Railway Co.

On account of injuries alleged to have been sustained thru the negligence of the Toronto Railway company, a writ has been issued by Harriet Beattle and Emily Beattle to recover unstated damages.

The rush to Rawhide began in January, Already the town has more than 3500 people. There are four newspapers, including two dailies, which began publication this week. Three banks are doing business. Hotels in tents take guests in eight-hour shifts.

A touch of ultra-modern is in the cirages.

cumstance that eight automobile lines connect Rawhide with the nearest cit-Otherwise this tale of a town grow-

Stolen Coat Located.

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 19—Two weeks ago Harry Hunter, a Napanee notelman, was in the city and visited the Hotel Dieu. He took off his \$125 fur coat while in the building, and when he was about to leave he could not find it.

MELBOURNE, Feb. 19.—(C. A. P. Cable.)—Premier Deakin, presiding at the Imperial Federation League, said a closer vet freer relationship of the to be ready for any great emergency

Bust of Late Speaker. A very fine bust of the late Hon. J. W. St. John has been put in the Speaker's room at the parliament buildings in memory of the late erine Robinson, daughter of the late

showed the Australian preference to

Britain equaled the Canadian. More-over, other countries shared the ad-

A Senatorial Answer. OTTAWA. Feb. 19.—(Special).—Senator Lougheed was told by Hon. R. W. Scott, in the senate to-day, that the British Columbia Natal Act had not yet been dealt with by the gover

Had Been in Many Prisons. a dessertThis is a hard recomand Italy. He says he will not serve a term here.

Alls. Mary Burns of Colborne, is suing the James Bay Railway Co. for \$413.75, value of her interest in a strip of land which she claims had st

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

-This Store Opens at 8 a.m. and Closes at 5 p.m.-

Bargains in Wearables

Were it not for your confidence in this store's bargains, without any explanatory remarks from us, we might go on to truthfully tell you some facts as to WHY you The municipality of Chesterville have can and do save money here on wearables any day.

FOR INSTANCE THIS FACT:

No concern that we know or have heard te'l of gets any closer to the actual cost of 'growing the garments' than this store.

-We go to the mills for our material. -We buy in largest quantities.

We pay prompt cash and pull in every possible saving thereby.
We make the garments ourselves.

So it's just as near from the mill to the wearer as it is possible to get.

On Friday you may do some exceptionally profitable buying.

Women's Wear

Lustre and Cashmere Waists, tucked yokes, finished with wide tucks or box pleats, some with silk embroidered panels, full sleeves, with deep tucked cuffs, colors black, navy, cream and brown, all sizes; regularly \$1.75 to \$2.00, for 89c

House Dresses, two-piece, black and white and navy and white polka dot print, blouse tucked and box pleated, skirt with deep flounce, all sizes; regularly \$1.25, for 50c

Waists. fancy white vesting, tucked yoke, wide pleat over shoulder, others with black pin stripe and large and small checks, tucked, pearl buttons down front, threequarter and long sleeves, all sizes in the lot; regularly \$1.50 and \$1.75, for 98c

Walking Skirts, panama, serge, venetian, broadcloth and mohair, in ten styles, pleated, fluffy ruffle, trimmed with folds, straps, etc., colors black and blue; regularly \$7.50 to \$10.00, for \$4.98

Coats, short-fitted styles, loose, three-quarter tourist and three-quarter and seven-eighths fitted designs, of beaver cloth, broadcloth, covert cloth and dark tweeds, good range of sizes; regularly \$10.00 to \$13.50, for \$5.95

Women's Boots, patent coltskin, dull calf tops, dull eyelets, sizes 2 1-2 to 7: Friday Bargain ... \$2.50

Women's Underwear

Corset Covers, fine cotton, full front, several styles, ed with lace insertion and lace frills, sizes 32 to 42; regularly 25c to 45c, for 18c Vests, ribbed merino, long sleeves, high neck, button front.

natural color, sizes 32 to 38; regularly 50c, for 33c Skirts, fine cotton, deep lawn flounce, trimmed with lace insertion and frill of lawn, with lace frill, underpiece, lengths 38, 40 and 42 inches; regularly 95c, for 63c Gowns, flannelette, several styles, trimmed with flannel-ette embroidery, colors pink and white, lengths 56, 58 and 60 inches; regularly \$1.75, for \$1.00

Corsets, fine jean white or drab, straight front, low and medium bust, lace and ribbon trimmed, sizes 18 to 26; regularly 75c, fo. 43c

Women's Furs

Coats, near seal, military style, 22 inches long, best French dyed skins, trimmed with silk braid, satin 6. Javen v. Glenfield.

Disclaims the Office.

Francis George Wallbridge, physician of the Town of Midland, against whom gue warrante more than the Town of Midland, against whom great American plains thickly and are great and are great American plains thickly and are great and are great and are gr and silk ornaments, long fronts, satin lined. Friday Bargain \$2.98 - Second Floor-Yenge Street.

Misses' Wear

Underskirts, black sateen, crimped, corded frill, lengths 32, 34 and 36 inches. Friday Bargain73c Coats, various styles and colors, sizes 32, 34 and 36: regularly \$4.50 to \$7.00, for \$1.63 -Second Fleor-Albert Street.

Men's Clothing

Overcoats, of English oxford grey cheviot and black melton, single-breasted Chesterfield style, velvet collars. Italian linings, sizes 34 to 44; regularly \$7.50 to \$10.50, for \$6.49 Suits, of English and domestic tweeds, dark patterns, single and double-breasted sacque styles, durable linings and trimmings, sizes 36 to 44; regularly \$8.50 to \$11.00, for \$6.95 Trousers, striped patterns of solid worsteds, well made

Boys' Clothing

Suits, three-piece double-breasted, and two-piece Norfolk suits of all-wool English tweeds, Italian linings, knee pants, sizes 28 to 33; regularly \$4.00 to \$5.00. for \$2.98 Suits, two-piece Norfolk styles, of navy blue cheviot, serges and dark tweeds, strong linings, sizes 24 to 28; regularly \$2.50 to \$3.00, for\$1.95 Fancy Suits, Russian style, all-wool tweeds, nicely trimmed with soutache braid, bloomer pants, sizes 22 to 26; regularly \$5.00 and \$6.00, for \$3.19 Overcoats, Oxford grey frieze, single-breasted Chester-field style, Italian linings, velvet collar, sizes 31 to 34;

Men's Furnishings

regularly \$5.00, for \$1.99

Night Robes, striped flannelette and twilled cotton, collar attached, yoke pocket, sizes 14 to 19; regularly 37c to 75c, for 29c Negline Shirts, colored, made from fine shirting material, this season's patterns, sizes 14 to 18; regularly 59c Undershirts, Scotch wool, double-breasted, Shetland shade, sateen facings, small and medium sizes; regularly 65c to 75c, for 290 Neckwear, silk four-in-hands, narrow and medium width. some satin lined, some reversible, some with French

seam; regularly 25c, for 12 1-20 Boys' Suspenders, "Brownie," police and fireman styles, leather stayed backs, cast-off leather ends; regularly 15c and 25c, for10c

Men's Boots, lace, grain calfskin, solid leather soles, sizes 6 to 11; regularly \$3.00 and \$3.50, for .\$2.00 Men's Boots, imperial dice calfskin, stout soles, sizes 6 to 10; regularly \$2.50, for \$1.75

Men's Furs and Hats

Derby Hats, fur felt, calf and Russian leather sweatbands, pure silk trimmings, black, medium and dark brown, odd lines and sizes, all sizes in the lot; regu-Seal Caps, Dominion, driver and Havelock shapes; regularly \$21.00 and \$22.50, for \$12.95 Fur-Lined Coats, spring muskrat lining, Canadian otter collais, English beaver cloth shell, 50 inches long; regularly \$55.00, for \$31.95

FT. EATON COMITED.

190 YONGE STREET. TORONTO

PRESBYTERIAN APPEALS.

Need of Funds for Mission Purposes is Urgent.

Two very urgent appeals to congre gations for financial givings appear in the current issue of the Presbyter ian, one from the treasurer of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and the other from the general secretary of Presbyterian home missions. Both call attention to the alarming prospects of deficits in these respective funds and to the fact that the church year closes Feb. 29.

Bey Dr. Somerville agent for the would be devoted to the ice company year closes Feb. 29.

Rev. Dr. Somerville, agent for the church funds, says there is abundant, cause for alarm; that it is almost a ertainty that there will be a serious

shortage in nearly all purposes wher the year closes. Rev. Dr. McLaren "The financial outlook of the home mission committee seems to be growing darker as the days go by. The receipts up to Saturday, the 15th inst. February was \$45,788. If the re-

were \$107,458. The amount received last year during the last two weeks ceipts during the next two weeks sponding period last year, our income would only amount to \$153,246, leaving fare of our country can contemplate possibility. The threatened caiamity can be averted if those are in a position to do so-individuals and congregations-will send in special contributions before Feb. 29.

Suit Over Strip of Land.

AMERICAN ICE ENQUIRY.

Order to Produce Books of Knickerbocker Ice Company.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.-Altho it was announced yesterday that Attorney General Jackson's investigation of the American Ice Company would not be begun for at least two weeks, the enquiry was formally opened by special Deputy Attorney-General James W Osborne to-day. Mr. Osborne appeare before the grand jury, with which he

The only witness who had been sur moned for to-day was Mr. Ely of the Kinckerbocker Ice Company, which was absorbed by the American. Ely was directed to produce the books the Kinckerbocker Ice Company for the inspection of the grand jury Are You Member of Union?

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 18.-Liberals ed in favor of a bill to hould be the same as for the corre- for an employer to ask the question "Are you a member of a union bill was defeated by a majority of nine. with a deficit of \$26,754. No one It was aimed to prevent the introduction into the province of western American methods. The government regarded it as unwise and ineffective.

Make Your MARMALADE NOW.

The season for making Marmalade lasts only a few weeks, and the bitter Oranges we have received from Messina for this purpose are excellent.

Michie & Co., 7 King St. West 5 Telephones.

WesternFair Meeting. LONDON, Feb. 19.—The annual neeting of the western fair direc tors was held this afternoon. Capt W. J. Reid was re-elected president. In his address President Reid pointed out that the association had a cash balance of \$10,742.83 in the bank with

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