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Good Many. Judging by opinions heard in muni-cipal circles a lot of people are labor-ing under the delusion that as soon as

Hamilton builds its municipal lighting plant house lighting can be done for almost nothing. Mayor Stewart to-day admitted that he had no idea how much it would cost the city to instal equipment for house lighting, and that no provision is made for that in the plant the city proposes building. His idea, he says, has always been to consider that phase of it later, and make a dick

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that phase of it later, and make a dick-er with the Cataract for its lighting plant. If the company does not see fit to sell a by-law would be submitted giv-ing the ratepayers the option of voting the necessary amount for a house light-ing the ratepayers the option of voting the necessary amount for a house light-ing the ratepayers the option of voting the necessary amount for a house light-ing the ratepayers the option of voting the necessary amount for a house light-ing the ratepayers the option of voting the oted for the Hydro by-law before under the improssion that provision was made for house lighting and giving man-ufacturers competition in power. As a matter of fact, when Hamilton has spent its \$340,000 neither the private house users or the manufacturers will benefit one iota. Should the city later decide to instal a plant for incadescent lighting, even aldermen who are favor-able to the Hydro project, admit there is no doubt the Cataract would begin a cut rate war which would leave the city's expensive plant on its hands, without any promise of returns, because there is no doubt that the great major-ity would take the power where they could get it the cheapest. As for the manufacturers, the Mayor points out that the city long ago drop-ped the idea of supplying them. The only way that could be done, he thinks, would be by concr-ted action on the part of the manufacturers, and a de

only way that could be done, he thinks, would be by concerted action on the part of the manutacturers, and a de-mand that they be supplied. He admits that it would not be profitable for the city to supply the wants of the manu-facturers except on a large scale.

BARKER OUITS.

Could Make Nothing Out of the Hodgins Charges.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, June 24 .- The Commons Special Committee which investigated Hodgins' charges will bring in a unanimous report to Parliament. Messrs. Barker and Lennox, the Opposition members on the committee, have decided to with-draw from their attitude of demanding a further investigation of the charges of over-classification, and have wisely concluded that the quietest way out of the fiasco is the best. The evidence will, therefore, be reported to the House in the course of a few days. report to Parliament, Messra, Barker

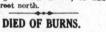
COLLINS' JOB.

Dr. T. Millman Will Hold It Temporarily.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., Jnue 24.—The Executive Council of the Independent Order of Foresters met this morning, and selected Dr. T. Millman, Supreme Physician, to discharge the duties of the late Harry Collins, Supreme Treasurer, until July 6, Collins, Supreme Treasurer, until July 6, when the Council will meet again to ap-point a new Treasurer. Eventually it is said the offices of Secretary and Treas-urer of the order will be merged and vested in one person. This cannot be done for some time, however, because such questions must be submitted to the Supreme Court of the order, as several changes in the constitution are involved.

KILLED BY TRAIN. One Man Dead and the Other Ex-

James street north.



(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., June 24.—Mrs. Proulx, 350 St. Andrew street, while lighting the fire last night, was so badly burned that she died in the Water Street Hospital

WEATHER NOTES. The low area which was centred in the westward of Michigan yesteriday has passed across the great lakes, and is now south of James Bay, while the western high area is spreading quickly eastward. Heavy thunder storms occurred yester-day in parts of Ontario, and the weather is becoming unsettled and showery in. Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. It is fine and moderately warm in the western provinces. Washington, June 24.—Forecasts: Eastern States and Northern New

Toronto Stocks- Asked.



Toronto, Ont., June 24 .- With their heads pillowed close to the track and bodies stretched down the back, David Gilmour, of Stromness, Ont., and Thos. O'Leary, of Syracuse, N. Y., were found on the Grand Trunk Railway northern division near Black Creek bridge, one mile north of St. Clair ave-nue, about 1 o'clock this morning, Gli-mour was dead and O'Leary so badly in-jured that his death is expected any time at Grace Hospital.

They Go to Extremes.

Your head and your feet are equally well treated at Hennessey's beauty par-lors. Shannpooing, hair dressing and scalp massage; corns and callouses pain-lessly removed, and that misserable ten-derness overcome. Over Hennessey's drug store, 7 King street east. 'Phone 2581.

MONTEITH TO RETIRE.

Toronto, June 24.—While no official announcement has been made, it is an-ticipated that Hon. Nelson Monteith will. place his resignation in the hands of Premier Whitney in the course of the next few days.

NEW RAILROAD.

Port Huron, Mich., June 24.—That the Canadian Pacific Railway will build a line from Sarnia to Komoka next spring is the announcement now made.

Tasty and Nice.

French mustard, in large jars, and 5 and 10c bottles; one tim of ham, beef or tongue 5c; bottle of lime juice cordial 35c; Caley's concentrated fruit drinks (all flavors), one bottle at 15c will make enough delicious drinks to last you ell summer; delicious cooked ham, 30e 1b.; jellied ox tongue, spiced beef, roast veal. —Peebles, Hobson & Co., Limited.

to-day. GERMS, GERMS, GERMS. Something Concerning the Growing Dread of Bacteria.

Dread of Bacteria. Radium destroys germs, but radium costs 3,000 times as much as gold. If a barber put a fresh towel under the head of each customer he raises the price of a shave. If he were com-pelled to sterilize his instruments to the degree undertaken by one medical barber shop in Paris, his fee would approach the dollar mark. Every man who smokes put a gen-erous allowance of germs between his teeth. with local thunder storms.

teeth. Uncooked food, like saalds, has the bacteria of the water with which it is prepared. Not only are we unable wholly to avoid the deadly germ, but many un-doubted methods of outwitting him cost too much in time, money or ab-stention. Some there be who avoid cars, and others the public carriage, from dread of exchanging germs with occupants.

Following is the Victoria Yacht Clur rogramme for the remainder of t

aeon: June 27—Cruising race, yacht class A; uising race, yacht class B; start from . H. Y. C.

SOME LATE

July 4—Yachts, class A; yachts, class 3; 16-foot skiffs; motor boat race. July 11.—Yawl class, 16-foot dingeys. July 25—16-foot dingeys, yawl class, otor boat race. Aug. 1—Yachts, class A; yachts, class

Aug. 8-16-foot dingeys, 16-foot skiffs,

yawl class, cruising race yachts class A and B; start from V. Y. C. Aug. 10-Roce for rudder cup to yawl

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Aug. 29-Motor boat race. Sept. 7-16-foot skiffs, 16-foot dingeys

cars, and others the public carriage, from dread of exchanging germs with occupants. There are even those who, at the theatre, prefer a box because it prom-ises a species of bacteria superior to what is offered in the stalls. At the opposite extreme are thousands who gayly drink from any vessel, and many who by the use of public towels and soap exchange honest voil for in-sidious beasts. The number of death- caused by carelessness probably surpasses the number encouraged by worry, but both are great. The best chance be-longs to the man who takes what pre-cautions are easy and within his means, and omits the rest without wasting thought. Becure in the knowledge that 'death lurks in every flower,'' and hurts us most in aprehension, he is observant without timidity, and careful with-out anxiety.-Collier's Weekly. Most of the horses that were at the H. J. C. spring meeting have been shipped away, most of them going to Windsor. There are two or three small strings here yet, however, the presence of one of them being enforced.

"Frost has written a treatise on bachelors." "What does he call it?" "Lives of the Hunted."-Life.



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Thursday, June 25th, at 8 o'Clock