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THE WEATHER.

Fair today, followed by strong breeze and moderate local gales, southwest to south. Saturday, mild and showery.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1907.

## OKLAHOMA TOWN FACING A VERY SERIOUS RACE WAR

## Deadly Combat Expected Between Whites and Negroes

Every Man in Henrietta Has Been Sworn-In As a Deputy Sheriff—Lynching of a Negro Started the Trouble.

HENRIETTA, Okla., Dec. 27.—With every available fighting man sworn in as a deputy and only 120 rounds of ammunition in the town, Henrietta is facing a deadly race war as the result of the lynching of James Garden, a negro, December 24.

The firing of a small negro shack owned by a white man near the Frisco station yesterday caused a call to arms. Within five minutes the town was in a state of alarm. Three patrolmen were prepared for an attack. Three patrolmen have been established.

Thirty-five negroes heavily armed passed through Wildcat yesterday inciting the blacks to revolt. They are camped on the river within ten miles of Henrietta. More than thirty armed blacks have gone from Wileta to Clearview, one of the thick negro settlements in the coal fields. About fifty stands of small arms were purchased by negroes in Wileta before the hardware stores quit selling to the blacks.

## MINE OWNERS WANT TO KILL THE UNION

## Goldfield Mine Owners Trying for Injunction To Bring About Dissolution of Miners Union.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 27.—Late yesterday afternoon officials of the Miners' Union and C. E. Mahoney, vice-president of the Western Federation, learned of the plan of the mine owners of Goldfield to obtain an injunction through the federal courts preventing picketing and bringing about the dissolution of the Goldfield Miners' Union.

Asked last night what the course of the miners would be in face of this latest move of the opposition, Mahoney said: "An injunction of this kind, if issued, will mean that there is nothing left for the miners to do but to go and jump in the sea. Any judge or set of men who fancy that the Goldfield miners will tamely submit to this procedure, are greatly mistaken. I would favor ignoring any such order from any court in existence. Injunctions come to be a mere joke to the American people, and this one would be the biggest joke of all. We shall fight it with every weapon at our disposal. There would be nothing else for us to do."

"I assume that the watchers or examiners suggested in the completion of the case deputy United States marshals. These would tend to embitter the elements of this controversy more than federal troops."

## MAGISTRATE RITCHIE SCORES DISORDERLY BOYS OF THE CITY

## Several Cases Dealt With in the Police Court This Morning.

"Birds of a feather flock together." This is what Judge Ritchie said to Herbert Nixon and William Watson, two youths who were brought into the police court this morning and fined \$8 or two months in jail for being members of a disorderly crowd, shouting and making a disturbance around the entrance to the Princess Theatre last night.

Both boys pleaded not guilty, but the evidence of Patrolman Totten overbalanced their statements, and they were fined, as stated above, and sent below to separate cells.

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## CHANGES IN CIVIC HEADS

## Common Council Will Consider Re-organization of Departments on Monday Next.

On Monday evening an adjourned meeting of the common council will be held to consider the reorganization of the various civic departments. The committee appointed to discuss this matter and bring in a report to the council have had no meeting since the council met last week. It is likely therefore that no radical changes will be made for the present but that the present officials will be reappointed at the will and pleasure of the common council, so that the matter of a reorganization can be taken up during the first few months of the new year.

Several changes have been proposed but it is unlikely that anything will be done until the matter has been more thoroughly looked into.

It has been proposed that Robert Wisely, director of public safety might be appointed director of public works and John Kerr, chief of the fire department, made director of public safety. The chief now has an application in for increase of salary and it is thought the two offices, that of chief and director, might be small seem to meet with a great deal of favor.

Another suggestion is that H. G. Bunt should be appointed superintendent of water and sewerage and William Murdoch, the present director of that department, made director or engineer over all city work. This proposal is said to be satisfactory to both Mr. Hunter and Mr. Murdoch. The latter would, however, be unwilling to take any position that would be subservient to Mr. Hunter.

Engineer Peters would continue to act as consulting engineer. As there is likely to be no more wharf building during the coming year it is thought this arrangement would be satisfactory.

It is rumored that there is a possibility of a settlement being made with Messrs. Mooney in connection with their claims in the water extension contract. It is said the contractors have made an offer to withdraw the suit on payment of a certain sum but the aldermen consider the amount too high.

During the coming year the city will be called upon to pay Mr. McArthur & McVay's claims in the water extension work, and probably a number of claims to be drawn in the same connection. Clark & Adams are also to receive the balance due on their wharf contract. Altogether \$15,000 or \$20,000 has already been paid.

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## ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF ABDUCTION CASE IN WHICH MONCTON MAN FIGURES

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—That Holger Oberg, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oscar Oberg, who was kidnapped from the home of Wilhelm Grill on Wellington hill street, Mattapan, last Saturday, is being held in hiding in this city is now the belief of the grief-stricken mother and the detectives who are on the case. Upon new evidence obtained last night Mrs. Oberg telegraphed the Grill to notify the Boston police to arrest her divorced husband, who she alleges stole the child with the aid of a woman accomplice. The New York police are watching all outgoing steamers in case Oberg attempts to take the child from the country from that port.

Mrs. Grill is the absence of her husband, who sailed for Europe Monday, for the second time made formal complaint of the kidnapping last night to the police. On the afternoon of the crime she reported the case at headquarters and although the kidnappers had stolen some of her own children's clothing in their haste to get away, headquarters officials said they could do nothing and turned the matter over to the police.

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Not until her arrival at Mattapan on Sunday did she learn the news. Crushed by the blow, she frantically cried for her child, but later, after hearing the details, she braced herself for the struggle ahead and set about at once to recover the boy.

All the news she could find at the Grill's was from the story of Nannie Peterson, the maid. It was very brief. With the Grill children young Holger had been playing about the yard and had just run into the house for their luncheon, when there came a ring at the front door. Mrs. Grill was in town and the maid was alone, and as the ringing continued she finally pushed the button opening the door. Mr. Oberg entered and rushing up the stairs, caught her in his arms, with clothing which she found in the maid's room, according to the girl, caught up young Holger and dressed him with clothing which she found in the maid's room.

Frightened and hysterical, and fearing to make an outcry, Nannie saw the woman who was with him close the door and watched them as they took an elevator car bound toward Boston.

Late in the afternoon Mrs. Grill returned and from that white-faced girl learned of the tragedy which had suddenly fallen on the household. Immediately she came to light the pathos of this Christmas tragedy.

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## PROVINCIAL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCT. 31

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 27.—(Special)—The Royal Gazette, published today, contains a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the province up to October 31 last.

The ordinary revenue was \$800,000.33, and the expenditure \$800,000.33, leaving a surplus of \$0.00. The total receipts were \$800,000.33, and the total expenditures were \$800,000.33.

The largest items of expenditure are: Public works, \$230,421; education, \$220,750; interest, \$178,800; provincial hospital, \$30,762; agriculture, \$29,534; executive government, \$28,292; legislative assembly, \$20,433; game protection, \$20,433; general services, \$19,281; exhibitions, \$13,000; mining, \$10,888; stampage collections, \$12,000; printing, \$13,097; hospitals, \$6,700; forest management, \$7,485; surveys and inspections, \$2,800; amusements, \$2,280; boys' industrial home, \$1,500; factory inspectors, \$849; agent general, \$2,000; appeal Emerson vs. Maddison, \$500.

The receipts from the sale of debentures treasury bills, etc., are given as follows: Proceeds of treasury bills sold in London, \$1,387,130.00; proceeds debentures York & Chatham Railway, \$1,212.50; proceeds wharves and grain elevators, \$1,200.00; proceeds debentures settlement lands Victoria county \$37,101.00; equity court deposits, \$5,086.60.

This brings the total receipts for the year up to \$2,403,675.51.

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## THE TRAGIC DEATH OF MRS. EDWARD CHISHOLM

## HOW THEY HAVE FRAMED IT UP

## Mayor Sears To Run for Local House First and Then Become Dr. Pugsley's Running Mate.

With the passing of Christmas Santa Claus has left the city and returned to Ottawa. The minister left much earlier than some of the faithful thought he would and in consequence there are a number of disappointed ones mourning his departure. The mayor failed to find a post office in his stocking and consequently he is beginning to lose his faith in Santa Claus.

Premier Robinson looked for a calendar with the date of the provincial elections marked in red but it did not materialize. It is not yet known when the convention will be held to nominate a ticket for the city in the government interests, but it is generally believed that the line-up will be, Edward Lantall, M. P. P., A. O. Skinner, D. J. Purdy, M. P. P., and Mayor Sears.

The mayor is, however, an unknown quantity. The minister is anxious that he should form one of the local government ticket and if elected it is proposed that he should later resign and run with Dr. Pugsley for the dominion house.

For ten months little Holger has been living with the Grills, and his sweet disposition and winning manner made them look upon him as one of their own.

Three months ago Mrs. Oberg went to Canada and established an office there, but she is said to have called in word that her husband was in Sweden and never thought for an instant he would make another attempt to take her boy away again. He must have come from the land of his birth for the sole purpose of getting the child, for he has not been in business in this city for more than three years.

Oberg was formerly employed by a street railway company in Boston in the capacity of electrical engineer.

COLLISION WAS FATAL

## Three Persons Killed and Several Injured in Rear-End Collision on Pennsylvania Road

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 27.—Three persons were killed and more than a dozen others were injured in a rear-end collision on the elevated tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad today, a short distance from the station in this city. Two cars were so badly smashed that it will be several hours before the exact number of persons caught in the wreck will be known. Fire added to the difficulties of the work of rescue.

The train involved was the express from Atlantic City and the Pennsylvania accommodation train. These trains are due in the Camden station at 8:31. There was a very thick fog when the accident occurred and it is believed that this condition is the primary cause of the collision. Both trains, it is said, were running cautiously as they approached the station. The trains came together with considerable force.

The tender of the Pemberton train telegraphed the first car of its train, killing three persons and injuring at least four. The rear car of the Atlantic City train was wrecked, but not badly. So far as known no one was killed on the Atlantic City train, but about half a dozen persons were injured. The wreckage immediately took fire from the hot coals from the Pemberton locomotive, and the fire department of Pemberton was called into service. The fact that the collision occurred on the elevated structure made the work of rescue more difficult. The injured were quickly taken from under the mass of wreckage and conveyed to hospitals. The fire was extinguished before it reached any of the victims pinned under the wreckage. One of the dead was identified as T. L. Webster, of Merchantville, N. J. None of the cars left the elevated structure.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Opening prices of stocks moved irregularly within a narrow compass and on a small volume of business. The reopening of the London Stock Exchange after a two-day holiday interrupted new issues of securities, trading. The market opened irregularly.

SIX MINERS KILLED

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 26.—Six miners met death in West Virginia during the past two days.

Four of the men were drowned yesterday near Sewell, W. Va., while attempting to cross the river in a small boat which was caught in the swift current and carried down the river and wrecked.

Two miners were killed on the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. tracks at Newburg, near Grafton, W. Va., today, while on their way home from work.

In the police court today John Collins was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail for drunkenness and profanity.

## SHE WAS SMOTHERED PROBABLY AS RESULT OF DRINKING

## Before Marriage Mrs. Chisholm Was Laura Ward and Was Known to Police—She Was Found Dead This Morning.

The death occurred at Milford this morning under peculiar and circumstances of Mrs. Edward Chisholm of this city. The woman had been drinking heavily for the past three months and yesterday afternoon she called at the residence of Henry McCann in Milford and asked for a rooming place for the night. She was accompanied by her baby boy, a child scarcely three years of age, and was very much under the influence of liquor.

Mr. and Mrs. McCann, who know the woman, took her in and gave her a bed. This morning about daylight Mr. McCann heard calls and groans coming from the woman's room and on going in found her lying face downwards on the bed. On examination it was found that she was dead. Mrs. McCann went at once to the office of Dr. M. L. McFarland in Fairville and the doctor, who is also coroner for that district, went to the house after making an examination and instituting enquiries, he decided that an inquest was unnecessary. He attributed the cause of death to smothering, as a result of excessive drinking.

It has been learned that the woman had been drinking heavily for about three months and she has frequently been seen rolling drunk, dragging her little child along with her. Her husband, it is learned, went west in the fall, on the harvesters' excursion and his present whereabouts are unknown.

Mrs. Chisholm's maiden name was Laura Ward. She was well known in police circles and she has frequently been seen rolling drunk, dragging her little child along with her. Her husband, it is learned, went west in the fall, on the harvesters' excursion and his present whereabouts are unknown.

Mrs. Chisholm was about 30 years of age and had few relatives.

Frank Ward, 3 Bradley street, and James Ward, blacksmith, corner of Union and Carmarthen streets, are under the father-in-law is James Chisholm, 5 Frederick street.

It is not known what arrangements will be made regarding the burial.

Mr. and Mrs. McCann have agreed to adopt the child, which is now left alone. The drunken wife and husband to whom reference was made in yesterday's Times were heard from again last night. The police had to be summoned, as the woman was very drunk and it was feared she would set the house on fire. The families in the same building are in constant dread. An officer went in and was unable to rouse the woman, who was in bed with the two little children, apparently in a drunken stupor. He put out the lamp and went away. Later the husband went in, apparently in a drunken stupor. The Times is informed that the woman is as much or more addicted to drink than the husband. Something should be done to protect the children. Money that was given for their Christmas by men who were appalled by the wretched appearance of the home and did not then know what the woman drank, was spent for two days' debauch. The children's lives are in danger.

LATE PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Baker, of Randolph, who have been spending Christmas in Boston, returned on today's Boston train.

Dr. G. M. Bailey, of Debec, was a passenger on today's Boston train en route to St. Martins.

Reverly Stevens of St. Stephens, who has been spending Christmas with his parents, returned to the border town today.

Court Log Cabin, I. O. F., meets this evening in Foresters' Hall. Three candidates will be initiated and officers will be elected for the coming year.

Nixon and Wheaton, the two lads who were arrested for creating a disturbance at Berryman's corner, were allowed to go this afternoon.

"What became of all the buds who were here last year?"

"Some have grown into bachelors' buttons, and some into wallflowers."—Life.

COOK ON EMPRESS OF IRELAND DIED SUDDENLY LAST NIGHT

## The Empress Will Sail This Afternoon With 1000 Passengers.

The royal mail steamer Empress of Ireland, expected to sail for Liverpool via Halifax about 5 o'clock this afternoon. She will take away about 1,000 passengers, cabin as follows:—75 saloon, 125 second cabin and 80 steerage.

Two special trains arrived at the west side this morning bringing a large number of passengers and baggage, and the regular Montreal train, which came in two sections, brought many more.

The steamer will carry away a good sized cargo in addition to the big passenger list.

A death occurred on the steamer last evening when Thomas Ryan, an assistant...

## THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

## FOR OFFICE SEEKERS.

It is rumored today that as a result of a conference between Dr. Pugsley and the minister, before the minister left for Ottawa, there will be established a first, second and third degree, and all candidates will be called upon to pass a severe examination, growing in severity with each degree. This will have a tendency to develop cold feet, and reduce the number of applicants. In the meantime, anyone really wanting an office will apply direct to the minister—or someone high in his confidence—and get it.

## HORRIBLE THREAT.

A delegation from the union...

Mr. George Robertson and Mr. E. H. S. Flood were seen walking down Waterloo street last evening. They were the object of much interest, to large groups of unemployed Liberals, who were out looking for members of the patronage committee.

A man who would try to steal a fur coat in this climate must be thinking of going to some region where the weather is cold.

The matter of reorganizing the civic departments is likely to be delayed for some time. It appears that most of the possible candidates for office are comparatively young men. It is desired to secure a few experienced as engineers, directors and the like, and the crop is short.