FAIRLY BRISK MARKET TODAY

LOCAL MARKET.

Saturday, Jan. 11. It was thought at one time this morn-It was thought at one time this morning that the market would not be up to the standard for a Saturday, as the farmers were late in reaching the market. There was, however, a good sized crowd in attendance, and the market be considered a fairly brisk one.

Sales were fairly brisk, especially for oats, poultry and eggs. There was no change in prices to any great extent.

Grains—There was quite a large supply of oats. Sales were brisk at \$1.45 to \$1.48 per cwt. Barley sold at \$1.26 per cwt. A load of peas sold at 75c per bushel.

Hay and Straw—There was 155 loads of hay offered this week, including the four offered today. Sales were small at \$15 to \$16 per ton. Straw is dull at \$8 Butter and Eggs-Butter sold at 26c

for crocks and 27c for pound rolls. Store lots sold at 24c to 25c per pound. Fresh laid eggs sold quickly at 30c per dozen wholesale, and \$32 retail. Vegetables and \$32 retail.

Vegetables and Roots-Potatoes sold at 80c per bag wholesale, and 85c retail.

Turnips, 40c per bag. Onions, 80c per bushel. Lettuce, 30c. Tomatoes, 15c to 20c per pound. Celery, 40c per dozen.

Carrots, 50c per bag. Parsnips, 40c per bushel.

St. L. & C. Nav. 115 ... St. St. L. & C. Nav. 115 Poultry sold well and prices were firm.
Turkeys went at 13c per pound, dressed.
Chickens, 10c to 11c. Old hens, 8c. Geese,
9c to 10c per pound, and ducks, 10c.
Dressed Hogs—Sales were fairly brisk
for the large supply, at \$7.50 to \$7.75
per cwt.

Live Hogs-Prices for Monday will be ENGLISH MARKET.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Jan. 11.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11½d. Futures quiet; March, 8s ¼d; May, 8s ¾d. Corn—Spot firm; prime mixed American, aew, 5s 7d; do, old, 5s 8d. Futures quiet; January, 5s 5%d; March, 5s 5%d; Peas—Canadian steady, 7s 9d. Flour—Winter patents steady, 30s 9d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast quiet, 11 15s to f2 16s.

Beef-Extra India mess firm, 96s 3d. Pork-Prime mess western strong, Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, easy, 49s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, weak, 45s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, weak, 45s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 51s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, dull, 50s 6d; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, dull, 49s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 52s shoulders, accurred 11 to 12 lbs. ibs, dull, 49s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 15 lbs, dull, 52s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs,

11s; American refined, in pails, quiet, Cheese—Canadian finest white, irm, 62s; do, colored, new, firm, 64s. Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, firm, 62s; do, colored, new, firm, 64s.

Tallow—Prime city quiet, 29s 6d; Austradan (in London) easy, 32s 4½d.

Turpentine Spirits—Firm, 39s 6d.

Rosin—Common easy, 8s 9d.

Petroleum—Refined firm, 7½d.

Linsed Oil—Easy, 24s.

Cottonsed Oil (Hull crude)—January-April teady, 22s 6d.

steady, 22s OIL MARKETS.

LONDON. London, Jan. 10.—Petroleum, American tefined, 7d; spirits, 7½d. ANTWERP. Antwerp, Belgium, Jan. 10.-Petroleum,

PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 11.-Oil opened and

COTTON MARKETS. NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 10.—Cotton—Futures losed barely steady. Closing bids: January, 10.63c; February, 10.69c; March, 10.78c; April, 10.79c; May, 10.80c; June, 10.75c; closed steady; middling uplands

spot closed steady; midding 11.45c; middling gulf, 11.70c; York, Jan. 11.-Cotton-Futures opened steady; January, 10.63c bid; March, 10.82c; April, 10.85c; May, 10.86c; July, 10.76c; August, 10.62c; October, 10.15c of-

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 10.—Sugar—Raw steady; air refining, 3.40c; centrifugal, 96° test, 1.90c; molasses sugar, 3.15c. Molasses—

LONDON. London, Jan. 10.—Raw sugar—Centrifu-gal, 11s; Muscovado, 10s; beet sugar, gal, 11s; Musco. January, 9s 10½d. TORONTO. Toronto, Jan. 10.-Sugar-Firm;

creal granulated, \$4 50 per barrel; yellow, \$4 10; Ontario beet, \$4 35; in bags, 5c less. DAIRY MARKETS. CHICAGO.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Butter—Firm; cream-cries, 20c to 29½c; dairies, 18c to 25c. Cheese—Steady, 11½c to 13½c. NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 10.-Butter-Firm; re-

ceipts, 4.324 packages; craemery specials, 31c to 31½c; do, held, seconds to specials, 23c to 29½c. heese-Steady and unchanged; receipts,

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts 125 head; steady; unchanged. Veals-Receipts 300 head; active, 25c lower; \$5 to \$9 75. Hogs Receipts 10,200 head; slow.

10c to 15c lower; heavy \$4 60; mixed \$4 60 to \$4 65; yorkers and pigs, \$4 60; roughs, \$4 to \$4 10; stags, \$3 to \$3 75; dairies, \$4 50 to \$4 60.

hee; sheep active, lambs slow, 15c to Winnipeg, bonds,

and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.15. Hogs—Receipts about 27,000; and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.15.

Hogs-Receipts about 27,000; market cents lower; light, \$4.10 to \$4.40; mixed, \$4.10 to \$4.45; heavy, \$4.10 to \$4.45; rough, \$4.10 to \$4.20; pigs. \$3.50 to \$4.15; bulk of sales, \$4.30 to \$4.35½.

Sheep-Receipts about 2,000; market steady; native, \$3.50 to \$5.60; western, \$3.50 to \$5.60; western, \$3.50 to \$5.60; western, \$3.50 to \$5.60; western, \$2.50 to \$5.60; western, \$2.50 to \$5.60; western, \$3.50 to \$5.60; western, \$5.50 to \$5.60; west ady; native, \$3.50 to \$5.60; western, 50 to \$5.65; yearlings, \$4.90 to \$5.80; mbs, \$5.25 to \$7.30; western, \$5.25 to

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

HAY MARKET. TORONTO.

a. 10.-Baled Straw-Quiet, at \$9 50 to \$10 50 per ton on track here Baled Hay—Timothy is quoted at \$16 50 to \$17 50, in car lots on track here. PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 11.-Strength was the dominant stone in the local grain market, prices under the spur of a lively demand showing general advances. Manitoby wheat was quoted ic higher, but there is but a small amount of Ontario whea moving. Prices are decidedly firm. Win moving. Prices are decidedly firm. Wish buyers 5c lower. There is a particularly strong demand for oats. Manitobs flour is firm, and large milling firms been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the expected to contract the distance been sariously considering the people.

Montreal, Jan. 10.—The G. T. P. to-day gave out the contract tor 126 miles of road from Edmonton to Wolf Creek in the foothills. This is the most during the expected with indignity to the dead yesterday. He took the body of a tangent to the contract tor 126 miles of road from Edmonton to Wolf Creek in the foothills. This is the most take a supply are said yesterday. He took the body of a dead infant and threw it into the city down. He was given the cents to do it by the father of the child, Peter In the city of the care and the proposal proposal proposaling description. I am, your obedient servant.

Wheat—Amnitoba foot is from Edmonton to Wolf Creek in the foothills. This is the most charged with indignity to the dead yesterday. He took the body of a dead infant and threw it into the city down. He was given the cents to do it by the father of the child, Peter In the city of the care and the proposal proposal proposal proposal and support at the approaching election, I am, your obedient servant.

Wheat—Amnitoba foothills. This is the most carry on the work and recommendations for road from Edmonton to Wolf Creek in the foothills. This is the most carry on the work and recommendations f

port, are offering at \$3.85, with \$3.80 bid: Manitoba patents, special brand, \$5.90 to \$6; seconds, \$5.20 to \$5.40; strong bakers,

Peas—83½ to 84c.
Rye—No. 2, 80c ot 81c.
Corn—Old No. 2 yellow American is nominal, at 72c to 73c, Toronto freights; new No. 3 yellow, 66c; mixed, kiln-dried, 65½c; Canadian, 58c to 59s.
Oats—No. 2 white, 48c to 49c outside, 59c on track at Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 46c to on track at Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 46c to 47c outside, 48c at Toronto. Buckwheat-66c to 66½c. Millfeed-Bran, \$19 outside: shorts, \$21.

Butter and Eggs-Steady. Cheese-Quiet, but fairly firm. 7 PER CENT

Bank of England rate (first time in 33 years) causes many cheap investments and panie prices. H. G. BLCHER 432 Richmond

> STOCK MARKETS. TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 10. Morning. Afternoon. Ask. Bid. Ask. Bid Canadian Pacific C. P. R., rights..... Detroit Railway 385% 36½ 117½ 120

City Dairy, pfd. .1831/2 Consumers Gas ...1831/2 Dom. Coal, com Dom. Telegraph ...115 Mackay, com Mackay, ptd. 50½ Mexican L. & P..... 50½ Mines 7¼ Prairie Lands Bank of Commer Dominion Bank merce. .. ik220 Bank of Hamilton. Imperial Bank218 118 Canada Permanent.... entral Canada

bonds... 921/2 Afternoon Sales: Mackay, common, 50, 5, 25 and 25 at 59%, 25, 50, 25 and 25 at 60; do, preferred, 10 and 10 at 63, 2 at 63%; Colonfal Loan, 20 at 62; General Electric, 10 and 25 at 101; Twin City, 10 and 25 at 87; Sao Paulo, 5 and 25 at 118%, 9 at 118% 25 at 1194, 25 at 1194, 100 at 119. Winning 87; Sao Paulo, 5 and 25 at 118½, 9 at 118, 25 at 119¼, 25 at 119¼, 100 at 119; Winnipeg, 20, 5 and 100 at 12½; Woods, 25 at 78½; Consumers' Gas, 24 and 15 at 183, 5 at 183½; Dominion Bank, 10 at 220; Traders' Bank, 3 at 125½; Canada Landed, 15 at 116; Soversign Bank, 4¼ at 100½; Canada Permanent, 100 at 121½, 200 and 300 at 122.

Colonial Loan

Huron & Erie ...

Landed Banking London & Canada...100 National Trust150

oronto Mortgage Mex. Power, bds......

Dom. Savings Hamilton Provident 120

FIRE J. A. NELLES & SON INSURANCE

Board of Trade Bidg, 380 Richmond St. MONTREAL. Montreal, Jan. 10. Ask. Bid. Ask. Bid. Bell Telephone

Converters Canadian Pacific Detroit Railway Coal, com. Dom. Steel, com. Dom. Steel, pfd. Halifax Railway 99 Woods, Laurentide Paper Laur. Paper, pfd.. Mackay, com. 591/2 Mackay, pfd. 633/6 Mexican L. & P. 50% Minn. & St. Paul. 94 Montreal Power ... 87 Montreal Ry., xd... 199 N. S. Steel, com... 61 66 36½ R. & U. Navigation. 67
Rio Janeiro 36½
Sao Paulo 118
Toledo Railway 11
Toronto Railway 97%
Twin City Railway. 87% 149 162

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 N. S. Steel, bonds
 103%

 Nova Scotia, bonds
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 981,
 843/8

Ogilvie, bonds112 Rio, bonds 731/4

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts about 400, market steady; beeves \$3.65 to \$6.25; cows and helfers, \$1.30 to \$4.50; Power. 225 at 87%, 200 at 88, 100 at 87%, 16 Texans, \$3.10 to \$3.90; calves, \$5.25 to \$4.50; westerns, \$3.70 to \$4.50; stockers Paulo, 100 at 119%; Molsons Bank, 5 at 199, 15 at 198; Detroit Railway, 100 at 3944; 199, 15 at 198; Detroit Railway, 100 at 594; Paulo, 100 at 119%; Molsons Bank, 5 at 199, 15 at 198; Detroit Railway, 100 at 3944; Mackay, common, 50 at 594, 150 at 5934; Iron, common, 110 at 16%, 7 at 16, 100 at 164; do. preferred, 20 at 50; Scotia, 25 at 61; Bank of Toronto, 1 at 205½; Bank of Montreal, 7 at 236.

TO LABOR AMONG LEPERS

London, Jan. 10.—Canadian cattle are unchanged at 11c to 1½c per lb; sheep are 12½c to 15½c; refrigerator beef is 9c to 15½c; refrig Antwerp on the Red Star liner Vader- whiskered officer of the law got away land was Vincent Masoin, who has before the member for South York left his home to spend his life among could cry privilege or shout for the the lepers on the Island of Molokaia sergeant-at-arms, or even to dein the Pacific. Mr. Masoin, who is mand conduct money or witness soon to be ordained a Roman Catholic fees. It is more than likely that the priest, is a graduate of the University member for South York will not venof Louvain in Belgium. He will spend ture beyond the protecting coattails a year at Fairhaven, Conn., where he and the protecting thrust of the serexpects to be ordained next Christmas. geant-at-arms' sword until this thing

He will then go to Molokaia. Father Damien dled four years ago after he had labored for many years G. T. P. LETS BIG CONTRACT among the lepers of Molokaia. Mr.

REPLY TO SUNDAY CAR ADVOCATES

Continued From Page One. of votes and hosts of friends, and cost

him his election according to his own didates for the Dominion House and testimony in the Free Press of Thursday last Mr. Walker says "that the Minis-

terial Association were determined to defeat the man who was the people's champion along with other members of the council, who were returned with such large majorities on Monday last." I do not know how my friend is able to speak so positively for the Ministerial Association. As a matter of fact the question of mayoralty or aldermanic candidates was never, to my knowledge, mentioned in any meeting of either the Ministerial Association or Lord's Day Alliance. The honor of the defeat of the champions for Sunday cars is not with either of the organizations referred to, but the independent action of the toiler, who wants his day of rest and the law-abiding Sabbath-observing electors of the city. Evidently these champions were not

"the people's candidates." I am sorry, Mr. Editor, to have to repeat again what has been so often said, but the cobwebs seem very profuse before the eyes of prejudiced beholders.

The so-called Rational Sunday League circulated petitions, which duly signed, such petitions being the voice, it is alleged, of 6,000 persons. The petition was "requesting the council to take immediate steps toward securing a Sunday car service for the city and suburbs." This was not a request for a vote of the people, but for an action by council, which presupposed a bylaw, and the council referred the matter to No. 1 committee to ascertain the opinion of the city solicitor. In the meantime a counter-petition was presented, being the voice of 11,-000 persons asking the council to take

'no action." The solicitor's opinion was that the

Mr. Walker declares "All we ever asked for was the submission of the ing as many of you as possible. question to the people." Be fair, Mr. been your request. The defactive the Dominion Parliament. I am est, also declared that she was well vision of 11,000 citizens as well as that therefore now before you in that cap- satisfied. of Mr. Meredith, the city solicitor, fail- acity soliciting your suffrage at the ed totally to see in the petition pre- approaching election. sented what Mr. Walker now says was the burden of the prayer. Mr. Walker asks why I oppose

am glad to inform him: First-The "people" said by petition

place, and Charles Brennan would be as we commenced it. warming the seat of Ald. Beattie.

cars. A thousand plebiscites would avail nothing, until the law is changed, pertaining thereto in a manner creditwho wish Sunday cars appeal to the you. Legislature who only can deal with the matter, and should the action of the Legislature be favorable to Mr Walker and his friends, we will loyally bow to its decision.

E. B. LANCELEY. London, Jan. 10.

Billy Maclean Neatly Caught by Process Server in the Commons.

to be against the privileges of Parattempt to serve a paper on a member of Parliament in the corridors of the House, but it is done every now down the corridors asking the meswent down and approached the whisin the envelope for him.

high court of Toronto for contempt of court in connection with an aron Saturday in the case of another motion for contempt against W. H.

blows over.

East Middlesex Liberals will hold ture, will speak, as will also a numtheir convention in Hyman Hall, Lon- ber of other gentlemen. don, on Saturday, Jan. 18, when can-

the Legislature will be chosen. leader of the Liberals in the Legisla- Middlesex Liberals will be held.

Every Liberal in the riding is invited

to be present. Previous to the selection of a can-

G. T. R. AND TELEGRAPHERS AGREE

Toronto, Jan. 10. - Once more the It was announced tonight that the Dominion Government's conciliation

agreement includes a 10 per cent increase for the men employed in the ment has been reached between the lump sum of \$10,000 among the men fraternal societies should, actively op- from the introduction of new members G. T. R. telegraphers and the company. employed in the higher grade stations.

LETTER TO SOUTH NEW THAW JURY HURON ELECTORS

Party and Politics. Seaforth, Jan. 10 .- Mr. M. Y. Mc-

His Stand in Regard To

o the electors of South Huron: The Governor-General has issued his proclamation calling an election in South Huron to fill the vacancy in the Dominion Parliament caused by the death of the late Mr. B. B. Gunn, Nomination has been fixed for Wednesday, Jan. 15, and the election is appointed to take place on Jan. 22. As are at middle age or over. When the dation, and after most careful consid- bringing of new risks into the society council had no power, under the the time is short it will not be pos- panel had finally been completed, after eration by the members of our supreme fresh from the medical examiner's statute, to take the "immediate steps" sible for me to see many of you per- many vexatious delays, and after the court, the rates were accordingly in- scrutiny. And the proposed new class

ly regret the reason which makes this echoed his wife's sentiments. election necessary. The late member prisoner and his wife had an earnest vote of the people on this question. I for South Huron, Mr. B. B. Gunn and five minutes' talk, after the last juror myself were for many years close had been sworn, and while the attorto the council "take no action." Mr. we differed very widely in politics, appointment of a commission, which regard will be done by the representneighbors and friends, and although Walker refers to the 6,000 petitioners neither of us permitted this difference as "the people." I refer to the 11,000 to interfere with our social or busipetitioners as "the people." Majorities ness relations, and had he been spared rule in this country of ours. If Mr. to contest the constituency with me I Walker's policy obtained, then Mr. feel confident in saying that we would Matthews would be in Mr. Stevely's have closed the contest as good friends

Second—The Dominion statute posi- any personal introduction to you. I tively prohibits the running of Sunday have been with you and amongst you, cars, save those which were being one of you in fact, for the past 35 operated prior to 1897. The Provincial years, and have taken a more or less statute does the same. The London active part in your public and local city bylaw and the agreement of the affairs. You are therefore in a good city with the street railway company position to judge of my fitness for the also prohibit the running of Sunday position to which I aspire and of my ability to perform the important duties and all we say is let the petitioners, able to myself and advantageous to

Not a Hide-Boand Partisan.

While as you know I have not by any means been a hide-bound partisan, I have been a consistent and lifelong and that party will continue to receive and from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Aftermy confidence and support as long as wards, at the request of the attorneys, their principles and conduct are such he fixed the hour of adjournment at 5 SERVED HIM IN THE HOUSE as, in my estimation, will best serve o'clock instead of 6. the interests of this young but great and rapidly growing country of ours. Ottawa, Jan. 10. — It is supposed country, and can give to you a reason occupy more than two hours. liament for an officer of the law to justify, at least to my own conscience, noon, Martin W. Littleton, Thaw's the course I shall see it my duty to chief counsel, making the opening take as your representative.

In the same manner, should you see and then, and a victim of a service of this kind yesterday happened to representative I shall give a consistent be W. F. Maclean, of South York. A representative, I shall give a consistent man with big whiskers, coonskin coat support to the Laurier Government so and fur cap was walking up and long as their actions and conduct are such as to merit, in my opinion, that York to Brooklyn, was opened yessengers for Mr. Maclean, and after support. Under their management the terday. a while somebo'v found Mr. Mac- country has prospered as it has never lean and told him there was a man prospered before, and under such cirin the corridors looking for him, He cumstances I deem it would be extremely inadvisable and not to the inkered gentleman rather politely, ac- terests of the people to make a change cepted an envelope from him on the at the present time, and, judging of statement that there was something the future by the past, I feel that I ing for less rent. will not have any difficulty in extend-Before he had opened the envelope ing to the Government my most genthe member for South York had more erous support as your representative. than a suspicion that there was some- From what I have already said you thing doing, and on looking at the will understand my position, and I documents inclosed he found that he trust it will meet with your approval by shooting himself. He was a vetwas ordered to appear before the and merit your most generous support.

The Proper Position. In local matters, should you honor ticle regarding the Toronto Railway me with your confidence and elect me George Worthington, of Nebraska, Company, and that he was also sub-as your representative, I shall always droped dead there yesterday. poenaed for examination in Toronto consider myself at your disposal, and you will ever find me ready and will-New York, Jan. 10.—Among the 73 Greenwood, managing editor of the the interests of the county, and especially that part of it confined within the bounds of South Huron, irrespective of local, personal or political considerations, and if I can consistently and properly do a political opponent a service I shall be as cheerfully at his disposal as I will be to those attached to me by political ties. This, Bay, the Merchants and Miners' steam- in Hamilton schools. I consider the only proper representa- ship, Lexington, bound to Savannah, tive position.

I hope during the campaign to have still fast. the opportunity of discussing with you on the public platform at greater length some of the many public ques-

made a bet on the Burns-Squire fight dump. He was given ten cents to do ty council yesterday interviewed Hon.

Liberal Candidate McLean States Second Trial of the Millionaire Slayer To Begin in Earnest Next Monday.

New York, Jan. 10.-The second jury Lean has issued the following address to try Harry K. Thaw for the killing of Stanford White was completed late today, and on Monday morning the prosecution will present its direct case

against the defendant. Five jurors in all were accepted and body of businessmen, most of whom then increased. Upon his recommen- from any benefits resulting from the sonally, and I adopt this method of exercise of 23 peremptory challenges creased—on an average more than would have no funds to carry on this placing myself before you and reach- by the defense and 20 by the people. 23 1-3 per cent, notwithstanding the work and in consequence there would Thaw announced that he was entirely fact that there was at the time no be no new class. As you are aware, in June last the satisfied and in fact well pleased with Walker! Be fair. Do you mean to say Reformers of South Huron, in conven- the twelve men chosen. Young Mrs. that the city solicitor would have ven- tion assembled, did me the honor of Thaw, who has watched the selection tured such an opinion if that had selecting me as their candidate for of the jurors with the keenest inter-

> "They are much nicer than the men selected last year," she said, as court I need scarcely say that I do deep- adjourned, and Thaw said that he The neys were conferring as to the will be sent to Pittsburg to take the atives of our membership when they testimony of Mrs. William Thaw, the meet. mother, who is still too ill to come on to New York.

The jury, as finally completed, stands as follows: 1-Charles E. Gremmels, a ship

2-Arthur R. Naething, employing 3-George G. Carry, drygoods. 4-George G. Rupprecht, salesman. 5-John H Holbert, mineral waters. 6-David E. Arrowsmith, manager. 7-William F. Doolittle, auditor's

clerk. 8-William H. McHugh, clerk. 9-Frank J. Howell, manufacturer. 10-William Burck, assistant secre-

tary Y. M. C. A. 11-Francis Douvale, real estate 12-Jas. A. Hooper, meats and provisions.

Justice Dowling announced today member of the great Liberal party, hours would be from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., that beginning with Monday the court

Assistant District Attorney Francis But I shall never consider myself ment for the prosecution, as he did at P. Garvin will make the opening state- of track in Western Canada. bound to support my party except the first trial. He will not consume when I believe them to be right and more than ten minutes, and it is said the state's direct witnesses will not

AMERICAN

The new East River tunnel, New

The new University Heights bridge across the Harlem River was formally opened vesterday.

Fourteen East Side tenants in New York were evicted yesterday for strik-The corporation of New York is con-

sidering the purchase of the Belmont tunnel for \$8,000,000. Phineas A. Wheeler, Rome, N. Y.,

eran of the Civil War. A cable to New York from Men-

William H. Taft was unanimously ing to do what in me lies to advance lican members of the Legislature in easier. indorsed for President by the Repubjoint caucus at Guthrie, Okla. Two gatling guns and about one

> tobacco warehouses at Lexington, Ky., Association. in anticipation of a visit of the night

went aground off James Point and is The first message of Governor A. E. Wilson to the general assembly of

James Hunter, a Toronto barber, dead infant and threw it into the city. A deputation from the Huron Coun-

Middlesex Liberal Convention The Insurance Law Will Be Opposed by the I. O. F.

So Declares S.C.R. Stevenson

Hon. A. G. MacKay, the brilliant didate a business meeting of the East The attitude of the 1.O.F. toward the pending Insurance Bill is indicated by the following statement given out last evening at I. O. F. headquarters by Elliott G. Stevenson, S.C.R.

> Since I have had an opportunity to ciety by their own personal efforts as examine and consider the portion of they have by their money contributions the insurance bill recently introduced to the mortuary fund. into the parliament of Canada relating In justice, our old members are encountry offices, and the division of a that our society must, and that all from the lower mortality rate resulting pose the passage of the same.

> > Foresters, the provisions affecting it society as a whole. would not only seriously embarrass, of crippling our society been assigned

Our society has shown a deep interest in and willingness to enact by its own laws provisions having for their purpose the insurance of its permanency by adopting adequate rates of premium or assessment.

We were the pioneers in this movement, and at a meeting of our supreme legislative body held in Toronto in membership and another to consist of August, 1898, our society adopted a those who shall after January, 1909, table of premiums or assessments become members, and in substance nearly approaching the so-called na- provides that no assessment or contritional fraternal congress table of rates, bution of either class shall be used for that has been given approval by the the purposes of the other. royal commission and the framers of the proposed law.

vestigations made by our late lament- ety. pressing necessity therefor. The ac-

affecting the then membership were not disturbed, and that in consequence there has been an inequality in the contributions of members entering our society before 1899 and since, but this is a question that has had and is having the most serious and thoughtful consideration by our executive, and, indeed, by our membership, and I feel warranted in saying that whatever may be found necessary to do in this

This latter problem is a most serious many of whom have contributed quite law, which we consider both ill-adas much to the building up of our so-

Berlin's population increased 767 in 1907.

dead John Bretz, of Doon, is dead, aged seventy.

Dr. Francis Fair, of Camlachie, is dead, aged 90.

new members Four new men are in Peterboro council this year.

Montreal Liberals will banquet Hon. Sidney Fisher on Jan. 27. Conservatives and 3 Liberals

F. Stowey, a camp cook near Kenora, has been missing since Monday. The final session of the present

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association will hold a banquet in Hamil- that no one is able to fathom the ton on Jan. 16.

opened a sealed ballot box. From the new city directory, which

Storley Creek hotelmen will apply make the world shudder." for a recount of the ballots cast in the local option vote in Saltfleet. The movement of ice in the St. east upon the ruins of Japan and

William Pane, of Hamilton, was

cover. Mr. William McKenzie, of McKenzie & Mann, has returned from England,

C. M. Stork, Belleville, has been Whitney, Hon. Dr. Reaume and Hon. elected president of the Hastings Frank Cochrane today, and, so it was

Theater tickets for the benefit performance for a hospital for sick During a storm on the Chesapeake children in Hamilton cannot be sold the real chief of the deputation was

ting goods under false pretenses from also that it be made the county Emmanuel Maris, of Stoney Point. Kentucky was devoted chiefly to the his arm terribly crushed in the roll-

arm was amputated near the elbow. W. L. Wylie's painting of the Cowes naval review in 1965 in cele-Clarence Lefler, of Brantford, was charged with indignity to the dead view in the House of Commons.

to fraternal insurance societies, I feel titled to all benefits that may accrue into the society-that is, from the mor-As concerns the Independent Order of tality rate to be experienced by the

> to the most vindictive representative of the so-called old-line system, it could not, in my opinion, have been more effectively performed than it would be by the provisions of the proposed insurance law, if they should be made effective.

The new bill, in effect, creates two societies, one consisting of our present

Our present membership contributes large sums for management expenses, It was not necessary for the Parlia- at least one-quarter of a million delment of Canada, or any other country, lars of which is expended annually in to coerce us in this regard, but the in- bringing new members into our soci-

ed leader, Dr. Oronhyatekha, the great- If the proposed law should become est leader that the cause of fraternity operative, the present members could sworn at the morning and afternoon has ever developed, satisfied him in 1898 not, and would not, if they could, consessions held today. As a whole the that the perpetuity of our society de- tinue this expenditure, for the provisjury is made up of a most intelligent manded that our premium rates be sions of this law would cut them off

tion was taken solely for the purpose become effective in the form intro-So I repeat, should the proposed law It is true that the premium rates as esters would simply have to seek a home where ill-considered laws would not threaten its existence.

From the standpoint of the interests of our 260,000 members, the enactment of the provisions of the proposed law would prove a calamity, and would benefit no one except to remove the Independent Order of Forester as a

competitor of old-line companies. You can therefore understand that we feel deeply concerned about the matter and have called for a conference of our representative bodies within the Dominion of Canada to decide one, and must be solved by doing no upon the most effective steps that may needless injury to our old members- be taken to resist the passage of this

CANADIAN

Mrs. E. Meadows, of Rockwood, is

The mayoralty vote in Peterboro totaled 2.790.

Oxford county council has eleven

Mrs. Thos. Mills, of Kenora, drank carbolic acid and died. Last year the C. P. R. laid 518 miles

Kingston council consists of 13

Newfoundland Legislature was opened

M. Huchnergard, town clerk of Berlin, denies the rumor that he

contains 48,650 names, Winnipeg claims a population of 140,000.

John River is threatening the de- America, but he contends that if she struction of villages along its banks. does hold this conviction she is play-Charles E. White claims \$1,500 ing with fire, as a war might arouse from the city of St. Thomas for his the Asiatics from the Indus to the horse going through Palm street Amur. bridge.

struck by a street car yesterday, and had his scalp badly torn. He will re-

and reports the money market much

vised and destructive extension of time in four other cases Alfred Evans, of Buffalo, was arrested in Hamilton on a charge of forgery. He has been working in that city for some time, and it is expected that many charges will be laid against

him. The Canadian Northern Quebec Railway Company petitions for authority to build from St. Jerome to St. Eustache; also from Ottawa, via Hawkesbury, to Montreal, with permission to enter the city of Montreal both from the northeast and from

the southwest. BLAMES POOR BRITAIN

Held Responsible for Late War, and Now Seeking More Gore.

Paris, Jan. 10.-Lucine Millevoie, a member of the chamber of deputies, who first achieved notoriety by his connection with the Boulanger movement, is the author of a sensational article published today, in which he calls upon Great Britain and France to intervene in the American-Japan-

ese crisis before it is too late. He declares that Great Britain, supported by France, holds the key to the situation, but says the difficulty is secret hopes of the British Government.

M. Millevoie lays the responsibility

for the Russo-Japanese war to the door of Great Britain. This war made a cemetery of Manchuria, and the writer asks if Great Britain now de-I sires "another orgy of blood which will M. Millevoie argues that Great Britain may believe she can rule the far

AMBITIOUS NEW LISKEARD

Will Ask the Coming Local Legislature to Make County Town.

Toronto, Jan. 10.-A deputation from New Liskeard waited upon Premier hundred men are guarding the six big County Fish and Game Protective given out, invited the ministers to attend a banquet at New Liskeard on Wednesday in honor of the opening of the new waterworks and a new steel the real object of the deputation was Dolphus Chauvin, of Tilbury, was ered in any redistribution measure to arrested at Detroit charged with gettown.

FOR THREE MILLIONS

Montreal, Jan. 10.-At a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Bell Telephone Company held today, the proposal to sell the Manitoba There is a great deal of scarlet fever with W. O. Chupe, a tailor, some time it by the father of the child, Peter Dr. Reaume, minister of public works toba Government was adopted with ago. It was never satisfactorily set- Isaacs, an Indian. He was arraigned, at Toronto, to obtain assistance in out a dissenting voice. The president, Bredenburg to Esterhazy, from Wey- too small. Twanty of the cases are a revolver and began to shoot Chupe Kingston favors Presbyterian have submitted its petition for au- gain. The price is \$3,400,000, payable burn to Sloughton, and Shebo to from the country and the rest from up. He fired two shots, did no damthe city.

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