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Divining-Rod Cranks, The London, Eng., Mining Journal has also this to say: "'Divining-rod cranks' are, apparently, doing a good business in Canada. There is always a tendency on the part of mankind to believe in the marvelous and supernatural, and to this day there are many intelligent people who believe implicitly that certain men are endowed by nature with a peculiar sense or perception by which they are enor perception by which they are en-abled to reveal the spots where mines are hidden, and to discover buried treasure by means of the divining-rod or other instrument. Canada has its full share of these 'deluded divining cranks' and full share of these 'deluded divining cranks,' and many persons have been foolish enough to believe their statements and to expend money and labor in the fruitless endeavor to discover the hidden riches in places where there is no likelihood of valuable minerals occurring. Much harm results to the mining industry through these individuals, and unless a knowledge of the nature of minerals and rocks is diffused among people in mining districts, much money and time will be wasted. To economically and efficiently operate a mining property requires more brains than to run a grocer's store, and the report of men of undoubted integrity and ability should receive that consideration warranted by years of hard study of mineral deposits and their practical development."

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New York, Dec. 28.—It is announced that the boycott against the Clover Leaf route (Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City Railway) has been removed, and that all the lines to-day resumed the sale of tickets for that road.

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