Arcade, James-street north. WHOLESALE NEWSDEALERS. W. Beebe, 391 Spadina-avenue. corge Messer, 707 Yonge-street. rs. Moriarty, 1426 Queen west.

At the meeting of the Board of Works and the possibilities of Ashbridge's Bay and submitted to the public. There is no section in or adjacent to the city that is so well adapted for manufacturing purposes as Ashbridge's Bay. The land, the water and the railways are here assembled together in a more convenient manner than is possible any-where else in this neighborhood. At a yery small expense both the CPR and the railways ago having been about the commend?

In submitted to the public. There is however, would be for the merchants to remove the temptation to steal by hiring a sufficient number of clerks to look after the business in their stores.

The Suspension of W. A. Bell.

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The Mayor informed the council of the suspension of W. Adamson Bell, clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell, clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell, clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Department, in considering the suspension of W. Adamson Bell clerk in the City Clerk's Depart The is a will adopted for management in that dense to the proposed and adopted for the management of the competition of the local for the hashing a second to the competition of the local for the hashing and the competition of the local for the hashing and the competition of the local for the hashing and the competition of the local for the hashing and the competition of the local for the loc

English prices. House rents are low and do not, on an average, allow the land-lord more than from 3 to 5 per cent. on his investment. Household necessities are equally low in price. Everything necessary for an excellent Christmas dinper could be had this year cheaper than at any preceding time. If the people

have less money to-day than formerly they have this satisfaction, that they are able to get a larger amount of commodities in exchange for it.

About the only thing that has not yet taken a tumble in Canada is the rate of interest. The banks have apparently of interest. The banks have apparently conspired to maintain the old-time rates, in face of the fact that everything else has depreciated in value. There is a greater accumulation of gold and money in the world to-day than ever before in its history. There is a greater amount ordinary street car fare especially if only half a cent a mile, so going out live or six miles would not be more than its history. There is a greater amount of money lying idle in our banks than at any time heretofore. A large proportion of the capital that finds its way into manufacturing and business enterprises; so btained through the agency of banks. If the bankers have an agreement among themselves as to the rate they will charge they virtually settle the rate for enterprises. They set the pace, and others have to follow. Competition in business is so active to-day that no one can hope to succeed and pay the high rate of interest that is demanded by the banks.

In the world to-day that is demanded by the banks. one can hope to succeed and pay the high rate of interest that is demanded by the banks. The greatest obstacle to progress is this combination among the bankers to maintain the rate of interest above this natural level. Seven per cent. is not the natural rate on capital at the present time, and it cannot long be maintained at that figure. The banks are responsible for forcing the rates above their proper level, and it is to them we must look for a readjustment./ It a reduction were made business and manufacturing enterprise would receive a stimulus that would benefit the whole country. In Eugland there has been a general fall in interest rates, and even the most forced to a succeed in the first of the province and pressonal upon the evidence has been a general fall in interest rates, and even the most forced to a succeed in the forenoon and another take his place in the afternoon. C. W. LEA, and the substance of interest that is demanded by the banks. The greatest obstacle to progress is the combination among the bankers to maintain the rate of interest above their natural rate on capital at the present time, and it cannot long be maintained at that figure. The banks are responsible for forcing the rates above their proper level, and it is to them we must look for a readjustment./ It a reduction were made business and manufacturing enterprise would receive a stimulus that would benefit the whole country. In Siences?

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would benefit the whole country. In England there has been a general fall in interest rates, and even the most gittedged securities have appreciably advanced in value. An agitation is confoot to reduce the rate of interest paid the depositors in the postoffice savings banks in Great Britain. It is time the bankers of Canada desisted from their dog in the manger policy and allowed the money that is entrusted to them to circulate among the business industries of the country at the natural rate of interest. The loan companies will also the west sided upon. Now that the bicycle is act in their own interest if they decide to prinz their interest charges down one banks in Great Britain. It is time the hankers of Canada desisted from their doz in the manger policy and allowed the money that is entrusted to them to circulate among the business industries of the country at the natural rate of interest. The loan companies will also act in their own interest if they decide to bring their interest charges down one per cent. at least. While landlords receive on an average 3 or 4 pen cent.on their investments, with a great deal of proposed New Rifle Range at Otiawa.

Spartan.

sit is not needed now that the broad granolithic one is laid on the west side of the Queen-street-avenue.

This should leave the ground there free for a sinder path for bloycles, and as there are thousands of wheels up and down this road during the day, it would be a great convenience to riders it such a suggestion were acted upon. Now that the bicycle is here to stay, some concessions should be made the large body of men and women who use the wheel both for pleasure and business. It is to be hoped the clubs will push this matter and give us a good path down the average.

SPARTAN. their investments, with a great deal of insecurity at that, the loan companies Ottawa, Dec. 24. — The Dominion Rille have a dead sure thing on every dollar they invest at 6 per cent. and over. The greatest curse to the country to-day is excessive interest, and we trust that before long the situation will be relieved by the bankers abandoning their Jewish practices.

Ottawa, Dec. 24. — The Dominion Rille Association is obtaining options on certain lands on the banks of the Ottawa, near Rockliffe, for a range on which to hold their annual matches. The present range on the Rideau River is too close to the city, and will have soon to be abandoned. If the association gets the land at reasonable prices, then the Militia Department will purchase it.

THE TORONTO WORLD ate a few small articles exposed for sale THE AQUEDUCT AGREEMEN n some of the large shops in the city. The custom of stealing articles in shops, principally those of small value, has un control of the magnetic than to make an example per to him than to make an example per to him than to make an example per to him than to make an example the control of the magnetic than to make an example per to him than to make an example per to him than to make an example the control of the magnetic than the magnetic than the control of the control o and the magistrate had no other course open to him than to make an example of some of the most recent cases. The way in which goods are exposed for sale in the larger stores is a direct temptation to those whose moral nature is weak. It would be well for ladies whose power for resisting temptation is limited to understand that the merchants have in their employ secret detectives who all the while have their eyes or customers promenading through the shops. The storekeepers find it Bay, showing roadways and sites that to employ a sufficient number of sales-

Bay, showing roadways and sites that may be made available for manufacturing purposes. He was also instructed to lay out a street car route along the breakwater. The extent, the condition and the possibilities of Ashbridge's Bay and the possibilities of Ashbridge's Bay district are little understood by the citizens of Toronto. It is very desirable the plans referred to should be prepared and submitted to the public. There is however, would be for the merchants of the

dued. It can now be had at from \$8.75 to \$5 a ton. Clothing is approaching and bylaws, especially when they have received legal sanction by Act of Par-

surate with its age and experience.
ROBT. CUTHBERT. Toronto, Dec. 22.

Dr. Langtry's Five Acres. Editor World: I have years ago adve

Proposed New Rifle Range at Ottawa.

ending the bylaw affecting auctioneers d restaurant keepers.
Ald. Shaw and McMurrich moved that should be postponed.

The Mayor moved an amendment to

the Franchise Is Handed Over-The Avenue-road Street Car Service Again -Dumping Discharged Convicts in To-ronto-W. A. Bell's Suspension.

friends are feeling somewhat alarmed at his condition. William Littlejohn oc-

gamation with other companies about as strong as we are able to, but it is a very difficult thing to provide against, as there are so many ways of getting

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are tricts of the city.

9. There is no penalty provided for the company failing to complete the aqueduct within the period of five years, It might be well for you to consider if the aqueduct is not completed within the period of five years, this agreement should cease, and the parties be in the same position as though it had not been entered into, or if you desire, to provide some other penalty in case the work is not completed within

The unfortunates who are compelled to the companion of the

work is not completed within This motion, moved by Ald. Frankland, seconded by Ald. Hubbard, was adopted:

Whereas it has been intimated that the

ray-8. Ald. Bates moved that the Executive Committee be instructed to provide the sum of \$1500 to be expended in the wages to men to break stones for the wages to men to break stones for the city streets, that the expenditure be under the direction of the City Engineer and that the work be fairly divided among those able to do the same.

On an amendment the Board of Works was instructed to use any unexpended balances that may exist for this purpose.

A bully introduced by Ald Lam was A bylaw introduced by Ald. Lamb was passed establishing as one of the pub-lic lanes of the city the lane running northerly from the north limit of Allen-PETTY KLEPTOMANIA.

A good deal of sympathy is expressed for the two or three women who have been unfortunate enough to appropribate at once.

There are a number of varieties of corns. It can be city the lane running northerly from the north limit of Allenavenue.

Ald, Crawford introduced a bylaw

in the Soudan. Father Rossignoli escaped from his long and cruel captivity in the Soudan by a stratagem which, in the circumstances, must be regarded as the most pious of frauds, says The London News. He pleaded sickness, was allowed to go to Khartoum for change of air, fied thence to Berber and finally, by the aid of a judicious bribe to the jailer, found his way to Assouan. Father Rossignoli was one of the so-called Austrian mission, which was mainly composed of Ald. Crane will move that the City Engineer be directed to discontinue the practice of charging engineering expen-Avenue-road

-Dumping Discharged Convicts in Toronto-W. A. Bell's Suspension.

The City Council held a session yesterday afternoon, these members being present: The Mayor, Ald. Allen, Atkinson,
Bates, Burns, Crane, Crawford, Dunn;
it Foster, Frankland, Graham, Hubbard,
an Bates, Burns, Crane, Crawford, Dunn;
it City Clerk Blevins was unable to be
the City Clerk Blevins was unable to be
present owing to severe indisposition.

The veteran official, although he has
kept at his post, has been very unwell
for the last few days, and his many
have

Day of the local legislature for an amendment to the Municipal Act, whenever any Council is desirous
that whenever any counc The Board of Works met prior to the

Avenue-road route being dropped. The petition was referred to the City Engineer.

The street railway company has agreed to renew the old snow-cleaning agreement, by which the company pays one third of the cost.

On the motion of Ald. Lamb the City Engineer was instructed to prepare plans laying out roadways through the marginals of Asibridge's Bay, in order to make available sites for manufacturing purposes, and to provide for a street railway line for the Eastern Island via the breakwater and Cherry street and report the same to the board.

The City Engineer's report was adopted without alteration.

OHRISTMAS FARE FOR THE POOR.

as there are so many ways of getting over such a clause.

8. We have added a clause as to annexed territory, because we felt that if any additional territory should be added to the city, it would be very awkward to carry out with the company different agreements applying to different districts of the city.

9. There is no penalty provided.

Ministerial Association.

At the meeting of the Ministerial Association yesterday morning, Dr. Sims read a paper on "The Pastor and His Children," which was discussed by Revs. Grant, Chapman, Tucker, Adams, Lhamon, Dr. John Burwash, Dean Jones, Dr. P. C.

Dr. Sims denounced Separate schools, and Rev. Mr. Lhamon sterial Association.

The unfortunates who are compelled to spend Christmas, in the Hospital. last night enjoyed an immense treat in the shape of an entertainment and Christmas tree. The amphitheatre was crowded with patients and their friends, and many prominent people were present, Dr. Armour was the official Santa Claus. Dr. O'Reilly acted as chairman, and the proceedings were under the supervision of Mrs. Lieut.-Col. Hamilton, who has or years provided a similar entertainment at the General Hospital. Prof. Bell Smith, Messrs. Bert Harvey, Alfred Rubbra and others contributed to the program and short speeches were made by Rev. Mr. Skeay, Mr. J. L. Blaikie and

Standard Works at Lowest Prices.

The entire stock of the Williamson Book Company is now being offered at greatly reduced prices by Mr. Nicholas Garland at the store, King-street west, near the Dominion Bank. The store has been crowded for the past week with purchasers of Christmas presents. The reduction sale will continue until Wednesday, Jan. 2, when the whole stock will be sold without reserve by Suckling & Co. at their rooms, 64 Wellington-street west, at a rate on the dollar. Parties wishing to make handsome presents for New Year's can obtain books at less than half the usual price. This is an opportunity that seldom occurs, and it will certainly close at noon on Jan. 2. Let "good digestion wait on appetite and health on both," by taking Ayer's Pills,

POLITICAL PRISONERS.

from El Obeid in 1885. At that time, that is to say, in the earlier part of their captivity, the nuns were employed as domestic slaves, beaten and tortured. The late Mahdi cherished a special aversion to them, on account of the success of the mission station which they had established before he had made good his hold in the Soudan, and also because of the obstimate defence of Obeid under its Christian garrison. Seven captive



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IS HE A' TORONTO CROOK'S

James C. Wilson Arrested in Portland for Larceny—Thought to Be a Pro-fessional Thief.

Portland, Me., Dec. 24.-James C. Wilon, a man of about 56 years, was arraigned before Judge Gould this morning, charged with attempting the larceny of a watch in a jewelry store. Wilson's left arm is crippled. He told a long story to the court. Wilson said he was born in Montpelier, Vt., had resided in Montreal and Toronto, and spent several years in London. He was engaged in the horse business at Buffalo at one time. He said he came here Friday to meet Robert A. Roberts of Toronto, who was about to sail for London to look after a certain legal matter for him. He intended to purchase the warch as a gift for the daughter of Roberts. The price was \$68. He said he had in his possession \$535. City Marshal Trickey testified regarding his examination of the prisoner immediately after his arrest. Wilson first said his home was in Montpelier, but later claimed to belong in Montreal. He told the Marshal he was a lawyer and a lobbyist. When asked by the court if he was ever arrested before he said he had been arrested on charges of defrauding people in horse trades. Judge Gould said he thought the prisoner was a professional their and that he would hold him for the grand jury. Bail was placed in \$400, spent several years in London. He was al thief and that he would hold him for the grand jury. Bail was placed in \$400, but up to noon no surety had been pro-cured. The officers regard Wilson as an important catch. Photographs of him will be sent out with a view to pro-curing further evidence against him.

MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE.

The Details of the Laws of the Variou

Civilized Nations Relating There to The British House of Commons last year expressed a desire to be furnished with a return giving details of the marriage and divorce laws prevailing among the civilized nations of the world. Circulars asking for information were, therefore, sent out by Lord Rosebery, and the result has just been published. The Auckland News, Auckland, contains a summary of the reports, from

bery, and the result has just been published. The Auckland News, Auckland, contains a summary of the reports, from which we take the following:

"One of the questions especially asked was as to the age of which marriage may be contracted. It seems that in Austria the marriage of children under fourteen is not legitimate, but up to the age of twenty-four the consent of father or guardian has to be obtained. In Russia, the bridegroom may not be younger than eighteen, nor the bride younger than eighteen, nor the bride younger than sixteen and persons over eighty are prohibited from marrying at all, while no person is permitted to contract a fourth marriage. The farther north we go the later becomes the marriageable age, till in Sweden and Norway the law is that a man cannot marry until he is twenty-one and the women until she is eighteen. In America, it is extremely difficult even to outline the marriage laws, as there are forty-seven sovereign States, each claiming exclusive control States. each claiming exclusive control over the matter of the marriage of its citizens. Hence it comes that in Montana and Washington twenty-one is the tana and Washington twenty-one is the earliest marrying age for man and eighteen for woman, while in New Jersey and Connecticut the ages are respectively fourteen and twelve. All that a schoolboy in Washington has to do in order to wed a schoolgirl friend is to induce her to lay aside the skipping-rope for a while and fly with him across the border to a more complaisant state.

"In the matter of charges and fees there is a delightful lack of unanimity among civilized nations. In Sweden and Norway, for example, time and place are quite optional, weddings in church being of exceptional eccurrence. and you are not bound to give the officiating clergyman any fee whatever. In Switzerland, the only fee is one to cover expense of the publication of the marriage in a local newspaper, and registration, and you can be married at any hour you please. In Greece, a registration, and you can be married at any hour you please. In Greece, a bishop's license costs four drachmas (sixty cents), and the registration five drachmas (one dollar). In Belgium drachmas (one dollar). In Belgium they make a little charge for a 'marriage pamphlet' presented to the parties, and for stamps, but even these are dispensed with if the parties make a declaration of poverty.

"On the subject of the grounds of dispense vary great divergences occur be-

vorce, very great divergences occur be-tween the different nations. In France, to call a wife canaille before her childtwo en the different nations. In France, to call a wife canaille before her children justifies a decree of divorce, as also does a wife's 'refusal to obey her husband when it is a question of a theatrical engagement.' A wife can also get a divorce if the husband ill-treats his mother-in-law. In spite of the proverb the advantages of a little aversion at the beginning of matrimonial life, it is the law in Germany that 'insuperable aversion may become a ground for divorce, if both parties consent and there are no children.' Roumania distinguishes herself by an enactment that a divorce can be procured if the tribunals are satisfied that 'existence in common is impossible.' In Massachussetts and Mississippi 'the habitual use of, opium or like drug' is held a sufficient excuse for untying the marriage knot; and in some States, as West Virginia, marriage will be annulled if one party is a negro and the other a white person. As to the cost of divorce, the cheapest and simplest kind in the States costs \$100, in Germany it varies from \$12 to \$250. In Russia, Consistorial Courts pronounce in divorce cases, and the expense is very great. Saxony's modest figure is from \$12 to \$25. There are other curivery great. Saxony's modest figure is from \$12 to \$25, There are other curi ous regulations in different countries. Thus, in Portugal, it is the duty of a married woman to follow her husband married woman to follow her husband everywhere except to a foreign country.' A Portuguese married woman also 'may not publish her literary works without her husband's consent.' Parties divorced may not re-marry in Roumania. In Italy, there is no divorce at all, marriage being annulled only by the death of one of the parties. In America, the only State that has a similar law is South Carolina."

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Barrister Donovan Released. Barrister Donovan Released.

The court has ordered the immediate liberation of Barrister Joseph A. Donovan from the custody of Governor Green Some three weeks ago Mr. Donovan wa committed for an alleged contempt of court. The proceedings, however, which led to the issuing tof that order, as well as the order itself, Mr. Duvernet, Mr. Donovan's coursel, says were entirely as the order itself, Mr. Duvernet, as Donovan's counsel, says were entirely irregular. This the court has practically conceded by granting his immediate gelease upon a writ of habeas corpus. The writ was applied for by M. Duvernet on Wednesday last, and M. Justice MacMahon, who has since full breast granted the order investigated the case, granted the ord

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