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-Mrs. D. A. Macfarlane and daughter, Peterboro, spent Christmas here. -Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Walker, of Chatham, were holiday visitors in the

Port Huron, are having a protracted visit in the city. -Mr. John Mulligan, of Petrolea, is

-Mr. Ernest Pettigrew and family,

visiting his sister, Mrs. J. F. Moralee, 419 Horton street. -Miss Olive Jackson, of Sarnia, is

visiting with her cousins, the Misses Chalmers, of Grey street. -The entertainment of the New St. James' Sunday school will be held on Thursday evening (not Tuesday). -Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, of East

extended visit with relatives in Hamilton and Niagara Falls. -Mr. and Mrs. Reuben T. Kenning New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Sankey, of London, visited Mr. and

Mrs. T. Kenning, at Guelph, over Christmas. -Mr. William Johnston, of the

William Johnston Printing Company, Chicago, is spending the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mrs. Joseph of Three Per Cent for the current half-Dudley, Grand avenue. Dudley, Grand avenue.

pany's agency at Windsor. He succeeds Mr. William Hayes, formerly of this city, who has been appointed to a responsible position in the Northwest. inclusive. esponsible position in the Northwest.

—The sergeants' mess of Wolseley London, Dec. 17, 1905.

M. H. ROWLAND, London, Dec. 17, 1905. Barracks will hold an at home on New -

the New Year's Day function.

by a deputation from the fancy biscuit department of the McCormick Manufacturing Company, in which she occupies the position of forelady, and the year. presented with a handsome Dresden FORMER LONDONER DEAD. presented with a handsome Dresden china tea set and a celery set. Accom
A Washington dispatch announces ador song from "Carmen." Both possess of blood.

Mys. L. Tuesday evening, it was decided to years of age, and a brother of J. K. hold the annual meeting of the asso- O'Connor, the photographer. ciation on Friday evening, Dec. 29, in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. There are now upwards of 200 members in the association, and, as matters of vital inerest will come before the meeting, in- Mr. and Mrs. Harris Thrown From duding the election of officers for the ensuing year, the indications point to a

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1906.

taken charge of the music, and has this young singer, those who heard him organized a very successful choir, on Sunday expressing their appreciadilly street, was waited upon recently Reid, and Messrs. Welks and Cruickshank. This praise service will be the first of a series to be given throughout

panying the gifts was an address ex- the death of James O'Connor, builder voices of rare merit, and their acts is an pressing appreciation of the kindness and proprietor of the oldest hostelry artistic treat. shown by Miss Summers to the staff. in that city, who at one time was a

#### BOTH WERE INJURED

Their Buggy on Brick Street

erformances daily, the American Vita- was very successful, the choir render- street on Saturday night, a dog ran out and frightened the horse. The equine the seat of the buggy from the body, and night. allowing both occupants to fall into the

bruises. The horse was caught some time afterward in South London.

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## 'TWAS NONE THE LESS ENJOYED

Making by all Classes of Londoners.

piping cold, but snow, the white robe other as though they had been on it was a Christmas of the old-fashioned each other the compliments of the

seen searching for small patches of ferent points. snow upon to which to try out a new In every home and charitable instisled which Santa Claus had thought- tution in the city Christmas was celelessly furnished during the night. There were no sleigh bells. Instead membered. These included the Mount the rumbling of wheels rolling over Hope Orphanage, the Protestant Orthe pavements told of how Santa Claus phans' Home, the Home for Incurahad been compelled to leave his sleigh bles, the Salvation Army London in a reindeer wagen. In the morning services were held in In the county jail, Mr. Fred Matgreat many churches in the city, thews, of the postoffice department, and the glad tidings were sung by served a fine dinner to the prisoners

The Day Spent in a Merry and the beautiful voices in the choirs many a heart answered with throbs of thanksgiving, and many a resolution In the afternoon the people spent the day in their own homes, in the theaters or walking about the city en-Christmas was spent in a merry joying the Christmas sights. "A Merry manner yesterday by the great ma- Christmas" could be heard on all sides. ority of Londoners. The air was Absolute strangers addressed each of winter, was missing. Nevertheless, familiar terms for years and wished season. There appeared to be no en Everywhere the tooting of horns mity-all was peace in a season of

could be heard, mingled with the in- peace. discriminate and inartistic playing of A thin ice having formed on the mouthorgans by youthful musicians, river, a number of venturesome boys On every sidewalk children could be amused themselves by skating at dif-

brated, and the inmates were well re-Hospital, and other such institutions. well-trained choirs. Christmas music at his own expense, and made the unis very beautiful, and as the anthems fortunate feel that they have a few swelled from the deep-toned organs friends in the world.

#### SUPPOSED THIEF FARCE-COMEDY MADE HIS ESCAPE

Climbed Through Warehouse "The Arrival of Kitty" De-Window After a Scuffle With an Employe.

Ten days ago Mr. James Slater missed

by a stranger, who demanded the over- Kitty, and he certainly proved himself one coat, claiming it as his own. McKellar of the finest actors who have as yet asked the fellow to come into the office graced the stage of the Grand. His and see Mr. Slater. When the latter humor is spontaneous and easy, and his heard the man's claim he phoned for the audiences are infected by it every mopolice. At this the stranger made a dash ment he is in view. Miss Dolly De Vyne and grabbing him by the threat, the two formance this dainty and delightful fell to the floor.

his head against some sharp obstacle and the Colonel, supplied endless amusement he was stunned. The stranger broke and proved himself a comedian. Miss away and ran down the cellar, and from Florence Forrest is also another clever there he escaped through a window on member of the company, and made to the railway tracks. A description of charming Kitty, "The Arrival of Kitty, will probably capture him.

### VETERAN ACTOR IN LONDON AGAIN

the city. When can we show you this Pete Baker, an Old Timer, at Holiday Brawl in South End Vaudeville, Is Not Forgotten -Fine Bill This Week.

> The bill at Bennett's Vaudeville Theater Bennett was compelled to turn hundreds bottle fight.

-Mr. William Quinn, Sarnia, has this company, has been declared and that taken over the Bell Telephone Com- the same will be payable at the company's Pete Baker, of "Chris and Lena" fame. Port Stanley tracks, with blood As the veteran humorist walked on the streaming down her face. Following stage there was not a hand-clap, and his her and belaboring her with a broken one is remembered."

J. Edward Pierce and Marie Roslyn, the

Georgia Gardiner and Ralph Deane put -Winnipeg Telegram: At a meet- resident of London. The deceased on one of those real laughable sketches ing of the executive of the London Old Boys' Association of Winnipeg, held on site the city hall here. He was 76 on one of those real laughable sketches in which a wife thinks she knows it all, and gets race horses mixed up with girls The police took a quart flask of whisky running after her husband. The sketch from one of them. waxes tremendously funny, and both Mr. Deane and Miss Gardiner display no little dramatic ability in the course of the

Other acts on the bill are those of Ex-Alderman Suffering From Acute Talbot and Rogers, two very funny singing and talking comedians; Barney First, who knows how to make people laugh While Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, of Nell and Miller, acrobatic dancers, who Elmwood avenue, were driving on Brick put on a first-class black-face turn, and Parnell, of South London, will be pained Herbert the Frogman, who is an enter, to hear that he is seriously ill with pneutainer of no mean order.

A landmark of Paris, dating from Christmas at home, but on Saturday night stantly his whole nervous system is the city's most ancient days, is to dis- was taken ill with a severe cold. It was paralyzed and he is transported into Mr. Harris was rendered unconscious appear. This is the Street du Petit- felt that he had overworked himself in the fields of Elysian bliss. He has all and suffered several wounds on the head, Pont, which commemorates the strug- Toronto, and his physician advised a leng the effects of a night against the mawhile Mrs. Harris escaped with a few gles of the city against the Norsemen. period of rest for him. On Sunday his hogany, with none of the trouble or London recently on his way to South condition changed very much for the dangers of barroom brawls. He re-Africa. "America," he said, "yes, very worse, and acute pneumonia developed. mains almost unconscious for several fine, very big, very quick. But Eng- Today his case is very serious, but his minutes, and afterwards enjoys a land-London-unspeakable.

Ninove, in Belgium, and Christiania, change for the better. Lacemaking is to be a diversion of in Norway, have established Roosevelt fashionable women in Washington this streets. Geneva and Paris propose to

lighted Holiday Audiences -A Good Company.

"The Arrival of Kitty," one of the funhis overcoat from his office at the ware- niest farce-comedies which has as yet house at 225 York street. Dugald Mc- struck London, delighted large audiences Kellar, an employe of the firm, was in at the Grand on Christmas afternoon and the cellar on Saturday morning last and evening. The piece is after the manner found the coat. He returned it to Mr. of "Jane," "The Man from Mexico," and others, and is a scream from beginning to Later in the day Mr. McKellar was met end. Mr. Hal Johnston appeared as for the street. McKellar caught him, made a splendid Jane, and during the per-McKellar, however, in falling, struck very catchy manner. Mr. Fred Wren, as the man was given to the police, and they should it arrive in London again, will be

### sure of a hearty reception. **WOMEN FIGHT OVER BOTTLE OF WHISKY**

Has Serious Results for Mrs. Rice, Aged Seventy.

Mary Rice and Rebecca Jacoby, two this week is of the usual high order. well-known characters in the city, be Christmas afternoon and evening the came intoxicated yesterday, and wound house was packed, and at night Manager up the day's hilarity with a desperate

There are several feature acts on the stagger out of the doorway of a house Year's Day from 2 to 5 p.m. The ing the anthems in a very creditable and when he stepped into the wings and was occupied by Mrs. Rice, a veritable and a solid gold cross. The following sergeants of the permanent force are manner. Special mention might be in a second appeared before the footlights shambles. Blood was spattered all is the report of the school: time for all who accept invitations to Thy Light is Come" (by Sir G. Elvey), place with the people. The applause was Mrs. Jacoby were bleeding profusely Glavin 947, Josie Glavin 839. ing. Mr. C. E. Tanny has recently meux." There is a great future before compelled to make a speech, and said: unconscious. The women were ar- O'Dwyer 448. "It does me much good to know that rested and taken to Victoria Hospital, Class III.-Blanche Curtin 644, Mary there are some people in the house who where their injuries were attended to. Hanlon 617, Will Thompson 562, Mary gone up to the head waters of the which has had a good effect on the en- tion in no uncertain manner. The know me. It is a great many years since They were afterward removed to the Glavin 560, Mary Fraser 491, Martin Stickine River from Wrangel to trade solos in the anthems were carefully I played in London, and at that time I county jail. On arriving there the O'Dwyer 387. -Miss Alice Summers, of 487 Picca- rendered by Misses Rutherford and was a member of Baker and Farron, the Rice woman became frantic, and tried Class II.—Margaret Hanlon 596, Lucy terior of British Columbia. About 20 old-timers. It does one good to know that to tear the bandages from her head. Boyle 586, Pearl Glavin 584, Isabella miles down creek they found the Dr. MacArthur, the jail surgeon, was Fraser 519, Raphael Glavin 492, Bert- Indians with whom they traded, but called. He is of the opinion, that if rand Farmer 466, Vincent Thompson they had no time for barter. They operatic toreadors, put on a magnificent blood poisoning does not develop, Mrs. 238. of age, and is very weak from the loss Hanlon 300, Adeline Fraser 300.

Mrs. Jacoby's hands were cut considerably, in defending herself against Mrs. Rice's attack. She is over 40 years of age and has a police record. Both women had been drinking, and had quarreled over a bottle of liquor.

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The pupils of school section No. 1, which is the pupils o Manager. The audience instantly caught on that police were called. When the officers Doyle's departure for Alberta, presomething out of the ordinary was doing, arrived they found the house, which sented her with an excellent address

royal entertainers, and promise a good made of the anthem "Arise, Shine for in a change of costume, he had made his over the place, and both Mrs. Rice and Class V.—Angela Glavin 949, Eileen the choir excelling themselves in this deafening. He sings well, is a perfect for several wounds. The former's in- Class IV.—Herbert Hanlon 689, Leo -The special feature of the Christ- difficult number. Mr. Milton Francis mimic, and can tell a story with any man juries were the more serious. Her Thompson 685, Arthur O'Neill 594, Clemas service in the First Methodist was in good voice, and gave an excel- living. He also recited a Scotch poem head was cut in several places, and her ment Glavin 586, James O'Dwyer 557, the news of the find: Sunday school was the splendid sing- lent rendering of the song, "Les Ra- which brought down the house. He was hair was matted with blood. She was Charlie O'Dwyer 501, Raymond

act. They appear in toreador costumes, Rice will recover. She is over 70 years | Class I.—Hildegarde Curtin 350, Rose Prizes for general proficiency in each class were awarded as follows: Class V.-Angela Glavin.

Class IV.-Herbert Hanlon. Class III.-Blanche Curtin. Class II.-Margaret Hanlon. The prize for the highest number of

#### Raphael Glavin, class H. NOSE JAG IS LATEST

A Norwegian Discovers Method by Which Can Get Quick Drunk. Christiania, Dec. 26.-A new method

been discovered here, and is extremely Indians speak of it as the "mother of popular with the lower classes because of the ease and economy with which The moving pictures are splendid. Mati- some months past Mr. Parnell has spent. The man who would forget his woes Cash or Cure jumped to one side of the road, jerking nees every day and performance every the greater part of the time in Toronto, fills the palm of his left hand with looking after the large business he has aquavita, a strong corn brandy, takes worked up there. He intended spending one long whiff at the mixture, and inmany friends in London hope for a speedy sleepy fatigue, a lassitude like that superinduced by the use of opium. "Nose drinking" has become a real vice, and its prevalence is having a

Presentation to Miss Doyle by Mc- The "Hero of Two Past Sensations" Springs Another.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 26. - Chilkoot Jack, the hero of two past sensations an aged native, widely known from Ketchik to Unalaska. His story was to

Every year for generations the Stick were all engaged in packing off immense quantities of gold in big and little nuggets. Every effort was made to keep secret the location of the find, but the visiting Indians managed to

discover it. Not far from where the interior Indians were met there had been a great landslide on the side of the mountain. The slide apparently was days in attendance was awarded to recent, and it had uncovered a deposit of gold gravel far richer than the best ground of the Klondike when it was

in its height. Chilkoot Jack says that he knows othing of quartz, but he knows gold, and there was more gold in sight than he had ever seen before in his life, in the north. The find is about 25 miles of acquiring a quick and cheap jag has frem Diss Creek, and intelligent

### all the gold in the north."

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