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## Thieves Rob Dead Body of Duchess.

New York, December 9.—A London  
cable to the Tribune says:  
The monumental Basilica of Sup-  
erga, near Turin, was desecrated on  
Saturday night by a gang of thieves  
intent on rifling the body of the Dow-  
ager Duchess Elizabeth of Genoa,  
grandmother of the King of Italy,  
buried in August last.

The crime evidently had been care-  
fully planned, the miscreants having  
taken the precaution to cut all tele-  
phonic and telegraphic communica-  
tion with Turin and the neighbouring  
hamlets, while the entrances from the  
Basilica to the Royal Crypt were  
stoutly barred with iron from the in-  
side to prevent any surprise.

The gang had obtained the infor-  
mation that the Duchess Elizabeth  
had been laid to rest in a niche wear-  
ing her favorite pearl necklace and a  
pair of earrings. They set to work to  
wrench open one after another, the  
three coffins of walnut, zinc and lead  
hinged to the body, using acids to  
melt the metal.

On securing the desired booty they  
got clear away, apparently without  
leaving any trace of their identity.  
The sacrilege was discovered by the  
sacristan after he had opened the  
Royal Basilica for mass.

Queen Margherita and the Duke of  
Genoa were immediately telegraphed  
for, and strict instructions were  
issued from Rome to track down the  
perpetrators of the outrage at all  
cost.

It is stated that the ghouls wrenched  
the earrings from the dead  
Duchess's ears.

## 'Money Trust Not Being Probed,'

Washington, Dec. 10.—The first tes-  
timony as to a "concentration of  
money and credit" was heard to-day  
by the House Banking and Currency  
Committee in its investigation of the  
so-called money trust. W. E. Frew,  
President of the Corn Exchange Bank  
of New York Clearing House Com-  
mittee, occupied the stand throughout  
the day, and was put through a  
grilling examination by Samuel Un-  
termyer, counsel for the Committee.

Through Mr. Frew, Mr. Untermyer  
put into the record evidence of trust  
agreements by which five men con-  
trolled two of New York's greatest  
financial institutions the Bankers'  
Trust Company and the Guaranty  
Trust Company, with aggregate de-  
posits of nearly \$400,000,000. The  
Bankers' Trust, Mr. Frew said, was  
controlled by H. P. Davison, George  
B. Case, and Daniel G. Reid; the  
Guaranty Company by H. P. Davi-  
son, George P. Baker, and William  
P. Porter. These men hold and vote  
all of the stock of the companies ex-  
cept enough to allow a board of di-  
rectors to qualify, and under the  
trust agreements have absolute au-  
thority over the affairs of the com-  
panies even to the acquisition of  
merger of other institutions.

After Morgan.  
Mr. Untermyer also secured from  
Mr. Frew a description of the meth-  
od by which money was attracted  
to New York by small country  
merchants and farmers' demand  
funds for the moving of crops or the  
accommodation of their business af-  
fairs.

Mr. Untermyer and the witness  
did not get along well together and  
throughout the day the colloquy be-  
tween the two after time, be-  
came heated to a degree.

When Mr. Untermyer endeavored  
to attribute an enormous growth of  
the Bankers' Trust Company to the  
influence of J. P. Morgan and Com-  
pany, Mr. Frew objected and the law-  
yer grew bitter. He finally pinned the  
witness down to the admission that  
"Morgan influence" might have aided  
the company. Mr. Untermyer con-  
nected up Messrs. Davison Case and  
Porter with the Morgan Company.

The day ended in a discussion in  
which Mr. Frew thought his counsel,  
Charles E. Russmore, demanded the  
opportunity to make certain explana-  
tions as to his position as to regard  
the Clearing House provisions  
whereby New York banks must char-  
ge a uniform rate for the collection of  
out-of-town checks. To-morrow the  
committee also will take up the New  
York Stock Exchange, and represen-  
tatives of that organization will be  
asked to testify.

## Carthaginian Here.

The R. M. S. Carthaginian reached  
port at six o'clock last evening from  
Philadelphia via Halifax. The pas-  
sage took fifty hours and favorable  
weather was experienced. She brought  
cloven packages of mail matter, 170  
tons of cargo, but no passengers.

WITH THE ADVENTISTS.—"Out-  
look, Outlook, Outlook! Watchman  
what of the Night? Cometh the  
Morning?" This will be the sub-  
ject of absorbing interest at the Ad-  
ventist Church Sunday night. An  
open door and an open Bible. Service  
at 6.30. Come.

## Hr. Grace Notes.

Santa Claus has arrived and is the  
guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Parsons,  
whose shop he has made headquarters  
for all sorts of Christmas goods, the  
best he has ever handled.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Sheppard; and  
Mr. and Mrs. Munden Martin arrived  
from Montreal a few days ago and will  
remain the winter with friends.

Dogs raided the sheep-house of a  
resident of Downing Street, last night,  
and killed a fine breeding sheep, sev-  
eral others of the flock cannot be  
found.

Coal was scarce yesterday morning,  
but by noon we had no less than four  
loads in the harbor, in all about 500  
tons; \$7.40 is the selling price to-day  
which including cartage brings it up  
to \$7.90. We are surely on the up-  
grade.

Professor A. W. Parsons will give  
a "Stump Speech" as he terms it, in  
the K. E. B. armory on Monday night.  
His subject will be "Newfoundland's  
Past, Present and Future."

The K. E. Branch of C. B. B. S. are  
arranging for a big time in the Brit-  
ish and Masonic Halls on New Year's  
night. The proceeds will go towards  
the band fund, and it is earnestly to  
be hoped that the affair will be well  
patronized.

Fresh fish was for sale to-day at  
Messrs. Rutherford & Co's store at 4  
cents per lb. The "cod" were caught  
by a Port-de-Grave man. Quite a  
treat at this season of the year.

Mr. Edmund Rogers, who was knock-  
ed down by a younger man some time  
ago and seriously injured, is able to  
get out again. His friends hope he  
will soon be completely recovered  
from the effects of his fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Noel and fam-  
ily left by yesterday's train en route  
to British Columbia, where a son is al-  
ready settled down and where the rest  
of the family will now make their  
home. While regretting that our  
friends have decided to leave town  
we wish them much success and hap-  
piness in the land of their adoption.

Mr. John T. McRae went to St.  
John's on Wednesday on a short busi-  
ness trip.

Mr. George T. Gordon has been re-  
elected President of the Sons of Eng-  
land for another year.

Mr. Albert Rogers, who has been  
President of the British Society for  
the past 7 years, was absent from its  
December meeting, owing to illness.  
This was his first time being away  
from a meeting for that number of  
years. He has been an officer of the  
Society for 20 years, and this was his  
second time absenting himself in all  
that time. This is a record hard to  
beat.

CORRESPONDENT.  
Hr. Grace, Dec. 13, 1912.

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## Is Much Married.

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Frau Thekla M. De Beer, a widow,  
in Lepsic, probably holds the world's  
record in matrimonial ventures. At  
the age of eighteen she married Pe-  
trus Jacobus Lubbe, who died, leav-  
ing her with one child. Ten months  
later she took another husband, a  
widower with three children. A  
year and five months afterwards he  
also died, leaving her with four chil-  
dren.

Within five months she married  
the third time—another widower—  
this time with seven children. With  
him she lived for eleven years, and  
had seven children, when he also died.  
After five years' widowhood she mar-  
ried for the fourth time, on this oc-  
casion a widower with eight chil-  
dren. By him she had four children,  
and after eleven years he, too, died.  
Five years later she married a man  
named Kendrick Klopper. Another  
eleven years elapsed and then her  
fifth husband died, leaving her with  
ten children.

In two years' time she contracted  
another marriage with Hendrik van  
Wyk, a widower, who brought five  
children to swell the family. Another  
eleven years passed and he, too,  
went the way of his five predeces-  
sors, his death occurring only re-  
cently.

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## Marine Notes.

The S. S. Stephano, Clarke, sails to-  
morrow taking as passengers:—A. Flem-  
ing, Misses Bowdin (2), Mrs. Hume,  
Miss M. Tobin and 3 in stowage.

The S. S. Florizel leaves New York  
to-day for here.

The R. M. S. Mongolian is due to-  
morrow from Liverpool.

The Mildred M. is now loading fish  
at Monroe & Co's for Oporto.

The schr. Greenwood arrived at  
Channel yesterday to be laden with  
fish for Lunenburg.

The schr. Taiter arrived at Wood's  
Island yesterday to load herring for  
Gloucester.

The S. S. Westwood left for Bell  
Island to-day to load ore for Sydney,  
returning here with coal.

The Maydover started loading for  
Oporto and Brazil at Goodridge's  
yesterday.

The schr. Winifred, 3 days from  
Sydney arrived here yesterday after-  
noon. She has a coal cargo for Good-  
ridge & Sons.

You will have noticed that the  
stevedores' craft, which went away via  
Arkansas, came back by the way of  
New York.

## Five Murderers To Pay Penal.

Salem, Ore., Dec. 9.—This is to be  
hangman's week at the Oregon State  
penitentiary, five murderers being  
doomed to pay the death penalty there  
next Friday. Several of the con-  
demned men have been under death  
executions being delayed until the  
voters of Oregon passed upon the propo-  
sition to abolish the death penalty at  
last month's election. The referen-  
dum showed a substantial majority in  
favor of hanging, whereupon those  
opposed to capital punishment, de-  
clared that they would proceed  
with the executions.

The five men slated to forfeit their  
lives on the scaffold are: Frank Gar-  
rison, convicted of killing Roy Per-  
kins in Cook County; Mike Morgan,  
convicted of killing John York in  
Josephine County; Noble Foulter,  
convicted of killing Louis Gilbert in  
Klamath County, and John Taylor,  
convicted of killing George Hastings  
in Multnomah County. Several other  
murderers are in the State prison un-  
der death sentence, but in their cases  
appeals to the supreme court have  
acted as a stay.

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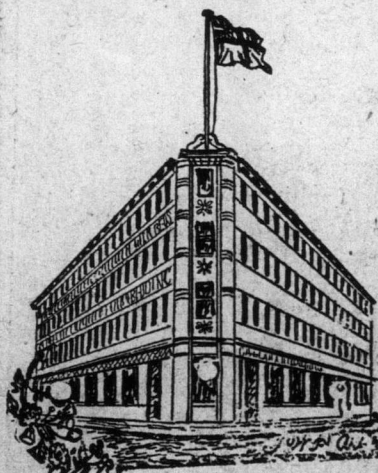
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