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TORONTO.

VIBORG MANIFESTO SIGNERS SENTENCED

67 of Them Must Serve Three Months' Imprisonment-Terms Commence Jan. 20.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 31.-The trial of 169 members of the first douma. who signed the Viborg manifesto, was concluded to-day. One hundred and sixty-seven of them were convicted and ELFORD-On Dec. 31, Arnold W. Elford, sentenced to three months' imprison-ment, while two were acquitted on the ground that they had signed under misapprehension. The sentence car-ries with it the loss of all political

rights.

M. Ramischwili, who already has served more than three months' preliminary imprisonment, will be immediately set free. Unless an appeal from the decision of the court is taken, the sentence will take effect beginning Jan. 20, until which time the former decision will remain at large mithest deputies will remain at large without

RECEPTION AND BANQUET. President of Massey-Harris Co. Guest at Pleasant Function.

The home-coming of the Hon. L. Melvin-Jones, president of the Massey-Harris Co., after a three months' trip in Europe, was the occasion last night of a reception and banquet, tendered to Mr. Jones by the directors of the company, who took this occasion of bringing together the heads of the various departments in the offices and factories. including the foremen from both Toronto and Brantford works. Nearly 100

C. D. Massey, honorary president of the company, occupied the chair.

J. Kerr Osborne, vice-president, proposed the health of the president, which was replied to at length by Mr. Jones, who related his experiences on his recent trip, which extended far into Russia, and which resulted in the securing of some very large orders for machines to be used in Stheria a part of the to be used in Siberia, a part of the world which is practically new ground

world which is practically new ground to the Massey-Harris Co.

Mr. Jones took occasion to say much that was practicable as to the requirements in agricultural implements of the various countries he visited, and also as to the great responsibility that rested upon the foremen and employes themselves to see that only the best of material and the best of work entered into the construction of machines that are not taken out of the boxes into which they are put in the factories until they teach the farms many thous-ands of miles in the interior, and often many miles from a railroad.

In addition to the directors and employes of the company there were present as representing the shareholders Dr. Elmore Harris of this city, Lloyd Harris and W. S. Wisner of Brantford, and J. D. Patterson of Woodstock.

We cannot give you a poor grade of coal, because we don't handle it, but if you are looking for the best hard coal sold in the city, come to us. We mine our own coal, and therefore can sell at the exceptionally low price, \$6.50 per ton. The Connell Anthracite Mining Company, Limited; head office, corner Queen and Spadina-avenue.

Have a Sleigh Ride.

Call up Finn's, Main 6309, for pleasure sleighs and tallyhos.

BABE'S BODY FOUND.

The nude body of a newly-born girl baby was found by a passerby immediately east of the Logan-avenue railway crossing yesterday afternoon. Coroner G. G. Rowe will investigate.

Pianos rented on very reasonable terms. Six months' rent allowed in case of purchase. Heintzman & Co., 115-117 West King-street, Toronto.

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CANDIES

For New Year's

We have the largest assortment of high-class candies in the City. We also have some very attractive New Year's novelties and crack-ers. For your convenience the store will be open on New Year's

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Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1907, Christopher Warner, in his 55th year.
Funeral Thursday, Jan. 2, 1908, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 153 Margueretta-street, to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.



OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—The Canadian Club of Ottawa has issued invitations to the presidents of all the Canadian Clubs in Canada to hold a meeting in Ottawa on Jan. 17 to consider the In Ottawa on Jan. It to consider the proposal of Earl Grey for a monument upon the heights of Quebec, to celebrate the tercentenary and to make a national parks of the Plains of Abraham and other battlefields. The meeting will be to consider the ways and means in connection the governor-general's scheme.

At Williams' Cafe, Yonge and Queenstreets: Soup, chicken a la Creole. Broiled Niagara Whitefish, parsley

Roast Young Turkey, cranberry Ragout of Venison, hunter style. Creamed Potatoes, green peas. English Plum Pudding, brandy sauce.

Orange Sherbet or ice cream. Tea, coffee, or milk.
This choice table d'hote 50c at Wil-

Noted Painter Dead. PARIS, Dec. 31.—Charles Hermann-Leon, the noted animal and general painter, died here to-day. He was born in Havre, July 22, 1838.

Customs tariffs are complicated. Friction wastes energy. Bring your entries to us. Ordinary entries 50c. Maurice G. Thompson, Customs Broker, 60 Yongestreet.

Try Watson's Cough Drops.

Geary at Ayre's Hall.

Mayoralty Candidate Geary addressed 150 of his supporters in Ayre's Hall last night. The meeting was called for the purpose of arranging for the manning of the polls to-day, and most of the evening was taken up with that work. Thos. Gearing presided. He said the real fight was between Geary and Oliver, and that the Oliver vote in Ward 2 was the most to be feared. It was not a political struggle, tho Mr. Oliver had issued a card appealing for votes as the Liberal candidate.

Mr. Geary said he relied on the quiet, solid vote of the citizens. There had been a tremendous slump in the past two days from two of the real contending parties to himself. He said the people would not be deceived by the candidate who laid his whole bulk on the power platform. He esteemed greatly the support of such men'as Cecil B. Smith and A. C. Pratt, M.L.A., who had given a great deal of study to the power question.

Dr. John Noble and E. Strachan Cox had charge of the organization work for to-day's battle at the polls.

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DEATHS.

A Freak Bet.

There may be a funny sight along Queen-street to-morrow afternoon.

A bet has been made by T. H. Freeman, a barber, at 1206 West Queen-street, and G. R. Coboy, waiter at the Hotel Gladstone, that if Oliver is elected mayor, Coboy will wheel Freeman in a wheelbarrow along Queen-street to Yonge, down Yonge to The World office, leaving Hotel Gladstone at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and if Nesbitt is elected Freeman will wheel Coboy. Freed Donovan of Foxley-street will furnish the wheelbarrow and referee the bet. A Freak Bet.

DEATHS.

ELFORD—On Dec. 31, Arnold W. Elford, aged 11 years, son of James Elford, George-street, Mimico.

Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, at 2 p.m., to Humbervale Cemetery.

HILLIM—On Tuesday, Dec. 31st, Mary Doig, wife of George Hillim, in her 78th year.

Funeral on Thursday, at 3.30 p.m., from her late residence, 4 Dundonaldavenue, to the Necropolis.

E. Hillim—On Tuesday, Dec. 31, at his residence, 250 Sackville-street, George William, the beloved husband of Lulu Legier and son-in-law of O. J. Giroux of H. M. C., and member of Court Calinsmore 432, I.O.O.F.

Funeral Friday, 8.30 a.m., Jan. 3, to St. Paul's Church, thence to Mt. Hope Cemetery.

MMARTIN—On Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1907, at his son's residence, Oxford Mills, Ont., Mr. Peter McMartin, in his 87th year. Heleaves two, sons and three daughters, Mrs. S. B. Eaton, Toronto, Mrs. S. James, Merrickville, Ont., and Mr. Joseph McMartin of Oxford Mills, Ont. Mrs. Charles, Mrs. S. B. Eaton, Toronto, Mrs. E. A. Rogers, 210 Close-avenue, Clara J., widow of the late Alexander Murray of London, Ont.

Funeral service at the above address on Thursday at 3 p.m., thence to North Parkdale C.P.R. Station.

Interment at London, Friday, Jan. 3, 1908.

NEWTON—At his late residence, 132 Palmerston-avenue, on Tuesday, Dec. 31st, 1907, John Newton, beloved husband of 1908. Up to the Retail Merchant. NEWTON—At his late residence, 193 Palmerston-avenue, on Tuesday, Dec. 31st, 1907, John Newton, beloved husband of Margaret Newton, in the 81st year of

Margaret Newton, in the Sist year of his age.

Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, at 2.30 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Funeral private.

PERKS—On Dec. 30th, at 112 Montroseavenue, of pneumonia, Ruth Shelley Perks, beloved daughter of Hy. Perks, in her 15th year.

Funeral Thursday, at 2 o'clock, from above residence, to St. James' Cemetery. VERRAL—At Weston, on Tuesday, Dec. 31st, Mildred Elizabeth, daughter of George W. and Kate Elizabeth Verral. Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, at 2.30 p.m. to St. John's Church, thence to St. Phillip's Cemetery, Weston.

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WARNER—At St. Michael's Hospital, on Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1907, Christopher Warner, in his 55th year. ontractor he had invariably employ ed union men, while the Star Foundry Co. had been the first in the city to give 10 hours' pay for 9 hours' work. R. J. Dingman said he had been assured that owing to the financial magnitude of impending problems a dis-honest mayor could make a million n the next three years.

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Dr. Watson conveyed the information that when the street railway system was taken over in the '90's, Mr. Vokes was in favor of keeping the direct control of the system in the hands of the council, but was overruled by his colleagues.

George L. Wilson held that the mines, as well as all public utilities, should be operated by the govern-

E. P. Pearson was, chairman.

At Euclid Avenue Hall. A couple of hundred ratepayers lis-tended intently to Ald. Geary at Eu-clid-avenue Hall last night, discuss Other speakers were J. T. V. May, Dr. O'Connell and Ed. Randall. John Tyler, president of Ward 5 Conserva-tives, presided.

THE LATEST DISCOVERY.

A Substitute for Champagne. During the slight depression now existing in the market many persons heretofore accustomed to indulging on New Year's Day in champagne feel they must debar themselves. To such, the new discovery of an excellent substitute for champagne will be of inter-est, the following is the recipe: Get some "Fisherman" Scotch or rye whiskey, place some quart bottles of rad-nor water on the ice for several hours before uncorking, place rye and Fish-erman in different claret jugs, filling up with radnor water. The mixture, served in thin hock or claret glasses, will be just as much appreciated as

THE SAVOY'S
Light Mid-Day Lunch, for Business
People—12 till 2. Yonge and Adelaide. AT WORK IN LONDON.

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 31.—(Special.)—A mysterious taxpayers association has begun to distribute literature in opposition to the power bylaw.

stered in green tapestry, regular \$20.00, for ... 10-00 HALL STANDS, two only, in

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many others equally good, are indicated by yellow price tags.

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SECRETARY, No. 153, in furned oak, a quaint craftsman design, with leather pockets, regular \$35.00, for 15.00

BOOK RACKS, No. 154—Two only, in cream enamel, each will hold about 40 books, regular \$15.00, for... 7.50

of 5 small and 1 arm, in weathered oak, with leather seats, regular \$80.00, for 40.00

LIBRARY CHAIRS, No. 23, in solid mahogany, with spring seat, in russet Spanish leather, regular \$20.00, for 0.00

HALL ARM CHAIR, No. 344, in weathered oak, with back and loose cushion in seat, uphol-

Office Furniture and Filing Cabinets

We carry a big stock in these lines. Come and take advantage of our January Sale Prices.

John Kay Company, Limited 36 and 38 King Street West.

IMMIGRANTS COMPLAIN.

Tell Chatham Board Kind of Work Crowd Attempts to Release Prisoner They Want.

CHATHAM. Dec. 31.-When the Chatham Board of Trade filed up to ing last night they found their quarters already taken possession of by between 25 and 30 immigrants. These men claimed that they could not get of pleasure out of abusing this country. They said that they were told before coming out here that they would get a shilling an hour for every hour they worked. On arriving here they found that a shilling in this country only amounted to twelve and one-half cents, whereas they understood it would be twenty-five cents, the same as it is in England. When some of the board suggested that these men look for work on the farms surrounding Chatham they became quite indignant, and said that they did not come to this country to work on dignant, and said that they did not come to this country to work on farms. They said that the manufacturers of Chatham would have to hire them before spring, or there would be a small revolution in this section of the country.

The Board of Trade had to abandon

the business of the evening to listen to the Englishmen's complaints. The board did not decide on any definite

A TORONTO MAN'S VIEWS. There was a young man from Toronto. Who said I'll drink Scotch if I want to, And Fisherman brand is the best in the

So that is the Scotch I am on to. AT THE HOTELS.

At the King Edward: Mr and Mrs Kirby, J. H. Ashdown, W. Millar and C. L. McRae, Winnipeg; M. de Brunott. New York; Dr. Schnarr, Kenora; nott, New York; Dr. Schnarr, Kenora; Mrs. E. A. Wood and daughter, and J. D. Caverhill, Vancouver; E. C. Whight, Boston; Hon. G. W. and Mrs. Ross; E. M. McBride, Calgary. At the Queen's: D. Davies, Fernie, B.C.; S. G. Chamberlain, Edmonton; R. H. Bryce, Winnipeg; O. C. Whitney, New York; Wm. and Mrs. A. E. Leary, Calgary. Leary, Calgary.
At the Rossin: Rev. Dr. J. J. Hare, Judge Smith, L. T. Barclay, George A. Ross, J. L. Smith, Dr. McGilli-vray, Dr. Adams, and John Rice, On-tario Ladies' College, Whitby.

Buffalo Man in Again.

Gustave Liebers, who was arrested here several months ago and sent back to Buffalo, charged with stealing an automobile, is again in the toils here. Liebers, who is a boilermaker, 35 years of age, was arrested by Detective sulted as follows:

No. 3 signaling section, St. John, 361.4; No. 8 signaling section, No. 7 signaling section, Quebec, 260.4; No. 2 signaling section, Toronto, 170; No. 10 signaling section, Winnings, 150.2. of age, was arrested by Detective Archibald last night on request of the Buffalo police, charged with abandoning his wife.

AN INCIPIENT RIOT.

Private Joe Green, R.C.D., was engaged last evening in seeing out the their chambers in the market build- old year in such a hilarious manner that Patrolman Robson (207) found it necessary to lock him up in No. 1. work, and seemed to take a great deal and took him in charge. They were passing down Bay-street when the Gayety let out. The crowd imme-diately surrounded the prisoner and diately surrounded the prisoner and he broke away from his captors. A continuous running brawl then occurred, the crowd continuously growing as they moved down Bay from Richmond to King. The detail, with the assistance of two patrolmen, succeeded in getting the prisoner into The Mail office. Green, who is a Frenchman, and has a personal feud against Corp. Mansfield after calling Corp. Mansfield several epithets, struck Mansfield repeatedly in the face before he could be overpowered and handcuffed. After considerable excitement he was taken to the fort in a ment he was taken to the fort in a

WENTWORTH REGT. LEADS. Royal Grenadiers Get Best Mark in Toronto Brigade.

OTTAWA, Dec. 31.-Militia general orders announce the results of the annual inspection of corps. The most surprising showing is in the city infantry corps, where the 77th Wentworth Regiment comes head of all, winning twice as many marks as the Queen's Own. The particulars are: 77th Regiment (rural), Dundas, 456.8; 8th Royal Rifles, Quebec, 447.6; Regt., P. L. Fus., Halifax, 381.8; Highlanders, Hamilton, 377.4; 1st Regt., P. W. Fus., Montreal, 376.8; 43rd Regt., P. W. Fus., Montreal, 376.8; 43rd Regt., D.C.O.R., Ottawa, 358.4; 13th Regiment, Hamilton, 364; 14th P. W. O. Rifles, Kingston, 367.2; 10th Regt., Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, 294.6; 57th Regt., Rangers, Peterboro, 290.2; 48th Highlanders, Toronto, 263.6; 21st Essex, Fus., Windsor, 210.2; 2nd Regt., Q. O. Rifles, Toronto, 206.4; 10th, Q.O.C., Hussars, Quebec, 197; 62nd Regt, Fusiliers, St. John, 148; 63rd Regt., K. R. Rifles, Halifax, 47.2.

In the permanent corps the Toronto company heads the depot companies of the Royal Canadian Regiment. The signaling corps' inspection resulted as follows:

Found Liquor. County constables raided three Weston hotels late Monday night and found a quantity of liquor.

ATTEMPTED MURDER.

The neighborhood of Queen and New Year's Eve mink ruff.

was laid before Police Magistrate Ellis yesterday.

Did Magistrate Err?

ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 31.—(Special.)—
As a climax to the friction existing am-

Local Option Creates Dives

substantial merchant of Owen Sound, says: "Local Option has not lessened drunkenness in Owen Sound,-but it has created dives and it has been the cause of lessening trade." Last year, with seven months of Local Option and five ot license, Owen Sound had 362 police court cases. In eleven months this year, under Local Option, it has had 510 police court cases. "I saw 75 drunken men the other evening on a walk through two of our streets." Your streets will not be pleasant

for women after dark if Local

Option carries your town.

Ex-Alderman W. H. McClarty, a

Banker J. P. Raven, of Owen Sound, says: "There have been more failures here in 19 months of Local Option than there were in the seven years previous. Property. has decreased in value from 20 to

Naturally. For under license Owen

Sound had but eleven liquor sellers,

closely restricted. Under Local Option there are to-day SIXTY

places selling liquor there,-with Local Option takes the traffic from the grip of the law and delivers it over to private greed. Will that suit YOUR town?

Local Option Makes Drunkards

Total Assets

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