

If a better man presents himself on this plank I will be only too glad to withdraw. Until we can have public ownership of these rations who now control their solemn agreements with the people. This they are not doing. I believe that even with things as they "What more would your policy be if you

were mayor?" "To try and do things. Do my best in carrying on the city's affairs in a business way. In all government the main thing 's to carry it on with the machine as it is, ment now and the work in hand is to get o'clock he was gradually sinking.

easing taxation is to increase the population of the city by encouraging industries and making the place atttractive, thereby Then the Extra Storeys Will Be

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distributing the rates over a greater number of people. And I am glad to see that The decision of the Toronto Hotel Com-Toronto is growing rapidly in population pany to add two storeys to the new hotel and in new industries, and in the number at once will not delay the contractors who of people of means who are coming here to expect to have at least five storeys ready Another way is to get for the peo- to turn over to the owners by May 1 ple the worth of their momeyl Officials, next. Architect Lennox was seen by The from the highest to the lowest, must World yesterday and said the contractors be led to feel and must be encouraged would put on a temporary board roof o by the mayor to see that their best efforts the five storeys, covering it with felt to are due to the city, and that a strict ac- make it waterproof, and then the work of finishing the portion closed in would count will be asked of them all. "Take the law as it is and hold each be hurried to completion. In a few days

man, mayor, aldermen, official, employe, fifty brickfayers will be at work erecting the interior partitions, and as soon as the responsible for his part of it. "My pledge, in a sentence, is that, if necessary materials can be secured the with things as they are. "There are many other things I would the mills can roll it. The whole structure

mention, and I may talk of one or two of them each day, if any or all of the news papers care to ask me. I do not subscribe to the doctrime that a representation The go-alreadness of the contractors of to the doctrime that a representative of the people has a claim for a second term on any office. Like the boy who runs your messages, he is on trial." EXCHANGED GLAD HANDS.

busy and fair treatment was accorded to Mr. Maclean called at the City Hall in the afternoon to verify his qualification, and on the way out met His Workling and on the way out met His Worship more rapidly than Toronto's new hotel. Mayor Howland and exchanged glad hands

and the compliments of the season. Per-sonelly, they have long been warm friends. Made in Canada. "Girardot Brand" wine - something Xmas. Sullivan's.

Home Seekers, Attention. Here is your opportunity to secure a most Warranted-\$25. 289 Yonge Street. 366 desirable home in finest section Parkdale, detached, nine artistically-arranged rooma, hardwood finish. Daisy hot-water heating, tract. most modern plumbing, separate commode, poration. Phone 2770. Colonial verandah: lot 30x135; price only See my list of other bargains in real es- Bath and bed, \$1. 202 and 204 KingW. tate column. H. H. Williams, 10 Victoriastreet.

For the holiday season, we are show-ing some very choice neckwear for both ladies and gentlemen.—Harcourt & Son, 57 King St. west. 135

Ex-Mayor Macdonald III. It was announced at the residence of ex-Mayor E. A. Macdonald that the Miness

of that gentleman is causing his relative grave anxiety. When you want the best perfumes go to Bingham's. 100 Yonge St

Age, purity and flavor, "Girardo Brand" Canadian wines. Sullivan's.

Get a New Williams Sewing Machine for \$25. 289 Yonge Street. \$56 Pember's Turkish Baths, 129 Yonge

Moody was discovered about midnight by his wife lying on the couch at his home, 92 Lippincott-street, in an uncon in Toronto, I am for making scious state. Neighbors were sent for, United States Consul Boyle, at Liverpool, Declares That Englishmen Believe, if Radical Changes

and an examination of the man's clothing revealed a 4-ounce bottle, which had contained laudanum, and which was purchased at Houston's drug store at 430 are, they can be made to do it. That is one thing, as mayor, I would try to do."

WILL ROOF HOTEL IN.

Added Without Any Delay.

To Commercial Travelers.

Turkish and Russian Baths, 129 Yonge

Massey Hall, "Our Navy," 2 and 8

Princess Theatre, Lulu Glaser, in

"Dolly Varden," 2 and 8 p.m. Grand Opera House, "The Christian,"

2 and 8 p.m. Toronto Opera House, "One of the Bravest," 2 and 8 p.m. Shea's Theatre, vandevike, 2 and 8

p. m. Star Theatre, "Gay Paree Bur-

lesquers," 2 and 8 p.m.

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five days' trial.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

special accident and sickness con-Ocean Accident and Guarantee Cor-on. Walter H. Blight, clty agent. 2770. 136

Process of Attrition Brings the Last Stand Perceptibly Nearer, and the Steadfast Loyalty of the Colonies Compensates for Recently Reported Reverses-Queen's Health Shows Improvement. London, Dec. 25 .- "Christmas, for the third year in succession, finds the country engaged in war," that is the burden of the editorials in the London papers this morning, and regrets are expressed that the casualty list issued to-day totals 49 men killed and 71 wounded. Satisfaction, however, is found in

the fact that the process of attrition brings the end of the struggle perceptibly nearer. Compensation is likewise found in the undiminished loyalty displayed by the colonies.

Xmas brought a change of weather conditions in Europe, where the severe frost and snow have given way to cold rain and sleet. In London, the wretched weather threw a certain gloom over the festivities. Shopkeepers suffered heavily, as the downpour of rain

PREMIER ROBLIN'S DILEMMA. DEPUTIES CLINCH. Frenchmen Engage in a Personal Stands Between Two Fires-To En-

force or Not to Enforce Act. Encounter in Lobby of Chambers. Paris, Dec. 24 .- During a debate in the Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 24 .- It is stated

Chamber to-day, Deputies Allemaine and that the early meeting of the local legis lature on Jan. 9 is for the purpose of making a pronouncement of the govern-ment's policy re the liquor act. What it will be remains a mystery. On the one batants clinched and rolled over each other on the ground, until friends stepped in and separated them. M. Allemaine was taken to a doctor to have his bruises dressed, while M. Bernard departed, threat-eming dir vengeance. The "Elboner" nunch. Do you know

ing dire vengeance.	The "Elboner" punch. Do you know	GIVEN A VACATION.	
GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.	where to get it Xmas morning? You will have to hurry. We close at 2.	Halifax, Dec. 24All the men of the Mounted Rifles who live in the vicinity	R
ort Frances, Dec. 24The trial of Wil- m Randolph of Koochichmer, Minn.,	AIDS CIVILIAN RIFLE CLUBS.	of Halifax or within a day's travel of this city, were given three days' vacation to	
ich took place at Grand Rapids, Minn.,	London, Dec. 24William Waldorf Astor has donated £10,000 for the promotion of	spend Christmas with their relatives.	
ndolph was indicted on a charge of the city Frank Sullivan at Rainy Lake City	civilian rifle clubs in the United King- dom.	Smokers' presents - Briars - Meers- chaum-fine assortment. Alive Bollard	181
on made by Randolph's attorneys, and ading the argument the prisoner is out bail.	Smokers' presents - Cigars-10 in box- Havana. Alive Bollard, manufacturer.	Edwards and Hart-Smith, Ohartered Accountants, offices Canadian Bank of CommerceBuilding, Toronto.	
Patents - Fetherstonhaugh & Co.	A DISTINGUISHED GROUP.	A Charming Gift.	
ng-street West, Toronto, also Mont- al, Ottawa and Washington.	Montreal, Dec. 24 Mr. G. M. Bosworth, fourth vice-president and general traffic	delight any of your triends. Visit our sales-	Т
X RAYS FOR CANCER.	manager of the C.P.R., was presented this	rooms and examine our display of cut flowers and plants. Now is the time to	
amplain-street, who is suffering from	and district freight agents of the whole	ordef for Xmas. 5 King St. West, 445 Yonge St., Toronto. ed	
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cancer, is being treated by X-rays, and it is declared he is greatly benefited after Go to Bingham's when you want the Thomas' English Chop House-music from 5 to 7.30 p.m.

College-street. Everything pointed to the man having swallowed the contents, and Dr. Henderson, who had been sent for, after administering the antidotes to count-eract the effects of the poison, had Moody removed In the police ambulance to the brought into use and everything possition in the ranks of the world's brought into use and everything possition. There is made by United States brought into use and everything possition to save the man's compared to the police ambulance to the brought into use and everything possition to use and everything possition use and everything possition to use and everything possition the man's trade and commerce."

rather than to be tinkering at the machine. done by the physicians to save the man's Consul Boyle at Liverpool in his annual writers and from the newspapers. There Protection per se, he says, is not ver, We have a certain form of city govern-life, but despite their best efforts at 3 report extracts, from which were made are fears expressed, says Mr. Boyle, that much advocated, but it is significant that a result of a collision, which occurred yespublic to-day by the State Department. even in the carrying trade the supremacy many of the most widely circulated papers terday afternoon at Atheriey Junction, bethe best possible results out of it as it is. Moody is about 43 years of age, and Moody is about 43 years of age, and It is conceded, says Consul Boyle, that of Great Britain is threatened. When the of Great Britain are now holdly advocat-

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kept thousands of people indoors.

the absent King.

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all suffering from bad trade conditions.

fairly prosperous, but Paris, Berlin and Vienna are

The Prince and Princess of Wales presided yester-

MAN WHO MALIGNED SCHLEY.

Secretary of Navy Long Summarily

Washington, Dec. 24 .- Secretary Long has

Dismisses Author MacLay.

day at Sandringham at the annual distribution of

Are Not Soon Made, the United Kingdom Will Be Relegated to Ranks

Toronto. On reaching Chicago, a physi-cian was called, and attributed her indis-position to drinking bad water on the Rederts Toronto, is made senior lighten. Roberts, Toronto, is made senior lieuten-Tain. She boarded the steamer Rosalle at Se-attle very 11. On her arrival at Victoria, the port doctor declared she was suffering Mills, and not Capt. Fenton. Great en-

his arm underneath the wheels. Other passengers were badly shaken up. Thomp-son was taken to the hospital at Barrie

for treatment. William Meyers, a G. T. R. brakeman,

William Meyers, a G. T. R. brakeman, received a severe scalpwound, and sus-tained a fracture of the shoulder blade last night at Thornhill. Meyers was en-gaged in turning a semaphore about 10 o'clock, when a portion of the danger sig-nal fell, striking him on the head. He was brought in on the train to Parkdale Station, where Dr. Griffiths attended to his injuries, and had him removed to the Emergency Hospital. No serious results are anticipated, altho the extent of the injuries to the head is not known as yet.

LEVEES IN THE EVENING.

Court Gazette Announces Changes in ing announces that the levees at St. James' gifts, joints of beef, etc., to the tenants on behalf of

Twenty-five New Williams Sewing Machines-\$25. 289 Yonge Street. 356 The health of Queen Alexandra still improves, but it will be impossible for Her Majesty to leave Lon-

BIRTHS.

don this week. The Prince and Princess of Wales ANDERSON-In New York, on Friday, the will spend Xmas day at York Cottage with their 20th inst., the wife of Fred. G. Anderson of a son. PARRY-At Tacoma-ave., on Dec. 24th,

the wife of W. Parry (Letter carrier) of a son.

MARRIAGES. SMILEY-WELLS-By the Rev. J. F. Ock-ley, Toronto, on Nov. 26, Mr. William A. W. Smiley of Toronto to Miss Alberta Edna Wells, fourth daughter of Mr. Rich-stantial way in which they greeted their ard Wells of Aurora.

DEATHS. CROSBY-At Richmond Hill, on Dec. 24th,

Funeral on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., to Richmond Hill Cemetery. JOHNSTON-DIED, In Toronto, at 13 Suffolk-place, Dec. 25, Jeremiah T Johnston, in his 34th year.

SIMPSON-At Grace Hospital, on Dec. 24, Mary A. Simpson, relict of the late Joseph Simpson.

Baldwin-street, on Thursday, Dec. 26th, little lower temperature. at 2.30 p.m. THRUSH-On Dec. 24th, 1901, at his

New Williams Sewing Machines, fully warranted \$25. 289 Yonge Street. 356 Ontarian......PhiladelphiaGlasgow

of a Third-Rate Power. Washington, Dec. 24.—There is a large number of thoughtful and well-informed people in Great Britain who express the the unsatisfactory finan-there is a strong sentiment among the the crew were sent to quarantine with the ship for three weeks. Lamentations at the government for Christ-the government for C

CAPTURED SIXTY PRISONERS

Pretoria, Dec. 24.-Lieut. Colenbrander's tween the G.T.R. southbound express and force surprised a Boer laager in the

Lieut. Colenbrander is in command of Lord Kitchener's Fighting Scouts, and has had a remarkably good record as a gallant and daring fighter.

Santa Claus in France. Paris, Dec. 25 .- The Christmas toy fair,

held along the boulevards of Paris, presented its customary aspect this year. The

The midnight masses in the churches

the great Christmas tree to 6000 children of indigent exiles from the lost provinces.

Get a New Williams Sewing Machine for \$25. 289 Yonge Street. 356

The W. & D. Dineen Co. usually have an advertisement in this paper, but to-day they are not going to "talk shop"just take this opportunity to wish you the merriest kind of a merry Xmas, and

LIGHT SNOWFALLS.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Dec. 24 .-1901, Parker Crosby, aged 85 years. Meteoroiogical Office, foronto, Dec. 22-(8 p.m.)-An III-defined area of low pres-sure, which was off the Middle Atlantic Coast last night, has developed into an important storm, which is now centred in New Brunswick, and gales prevail in the Maritime Provinces. The weather con-tinnes cloudy and mild in Ontario and Que-bee, and fine swed mild in Manitoba and Fumeral notice later.
RICE-At the residence of her grandfather,
T. G. Rice, 56 Avenue-road, on Tuesday,
Dec. 24, 1901, Winnifred Maud, infant
daughter of Thomas and Alice Rice, aged
11 months.
Funeral private.
SIMPSON-At Grace Hospital, on Dec. 24, Probabilities. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay-Easterly winds; cloudy, with light Funeral from her late residence, 35 local snowfalls; stationary or a Manitoba-Fair and mild. Twenty-five New Williams Sewing Machines-\$25. 289 Yonge Street. 356 father's residence, 33 Sword-street, Gordon Wilfrid Thrush, aged 3 years and 4 STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

ing announces that the levees at St. James Palace and the drawing rooms at Buck-ingham Palace, will, hcreafter, be held dur-ing the evenings. The Victorian regula-tions are otherwise unchanged.

afterwards attended the fete of Alsace-Lorraine, held in the winter circus, where toys and clothing were distributed from

efforts during the past twelve months.

injuries to the head is not known as yet. Meyers is 18 years of age, and lives at Wife of President Loubet Helps

CHRISTMASTIDE IN THE OLD LAND IS CLOUDED THREE YEARS OF WAR AND THE END IS NOT YET

 Court Gazette Announces Changes in the Victorian Regulations.
 many booths were atractively decorated, but the unceasing rains completely marred the usual street enthusiasm.

Among the great cities of the world, New York is regarded as having the greatest cause to rejoice for material prosperity. Rome and St. Petersburg are

months.

Funeral private.

cut off, and several cars were derailed, as

