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RESPECTS SUICIDE'S WISH. Roosevelt Takes Possession of Two Angora Cats.

New York, Dec. 21.-Before Mrs. Lulu B. Grover, a magazine writer, committed suicide on Dec. 8, she wrote a letter to the effect that the president should receive her personal property. She added the hope that Mr. Roosevelt would order the disposal of her body and take care of her two

pet Angora cats. To-day it was learned that, altho Mr. Roosevelt never knew the woman her wishes were respected. Acting under the president's order United States District Henry L. Stimsor with the public administrator, personally supervised the cremation of the body and forwarded the cats to the White House.

Patrick Notified.

Ossining, N.Y., Dec. 21.—Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of Wm. Marsh Rice, was officially notifled to-day of the commutation of his death sentence to imprisonment for life. He will be put to life. He will be put to work in the

# HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

Demand of All Employes for More Pay-Runaway Girl Arrested in Chicago.

Hamilton Dec. 21.—(Special.)—Several of the civic committees held their final sessions of the year this evening. The Philip Carey Co. was given permission from the board of works to close Trolley-street between the T., H. and B. spur line, and the northern division of the G.T.R. The Western Ontario municipalities power union taxed the board \$141 as its share of the expense in connection with the

the expense in connection with the educational campaign for the power scheme and the aldermen paid it, saying that it was money well spent. The board had an appropriation of \$77,000 and spent \$103,000.

The harbor and beach committee wound up with a small surplus. It was agreed that the north siders who sold their cottages on the beach to the Toronto and Niagara Power Company should be excused from paying rental to the city. S. Alfred Jones asked for concessions for a client of his who wants to establish a figure 8 and other amusements of that kind on the beach. Before the concession is granted he will be asked for more particulars.

granted he will be asked for inversariculars.

The members of the sewers committee got a little shock when they met this afternoon by a petition from all the sewage disposal works hands for more pay. C. Leckie asked for an advance from \$2.46 to \$3 a day. J. Hodgson for an increase from \$2.19 to \$2.50; and the nine firemen and laborers for a boost from \$1.80 to \$2 a day. The matter was referred to next year's council.

Death of Mrs. Pearce.

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Mrs. Victoria A. Pearce, wife of Fred A. Pearce, 222 West King-street, of the custom house, died this afternoon at the age of 46 years.

May Smith, Breadalbane-street, a 14-year-old girl, who went to Chicago, was arrested on her arrival at the Windy City on the complaint of her father. A man named Gibson, who met her, was also arrested. The local police do not know what the charge will be against Gibson, but the father left for Chicago this afternoon.

There are no tidings yet of the two There are no tidings yet of the two English waiters who, it is supposed, were drowned while skating on the

Stewart Gives a Talk, smoking concert was held at the date for mayor, made a short speech.
He expressed himself as being opposed to allowing the railway to use the parks, and against any concessions to the Cataract Power Company. He had opposed the perpetual franchise granted to the company on East King-street in connection with the ferminal station project. The street railway was the biggest wolf of a company that he knew of. It was in possession of a franchise that would be worth \$400,000 in a few years, and yet it had the cheek to ask for concessions.

Frank Baker, an Italian, was this norning sent down for a month for assaulting Norbert Cummings.
Liberal Ticket.

ne board of trade candidates and following will probably appear on the Liberal aldermanic ticket: Alder-men Lewis, Eastwood, Evans, Allen, Dickson and Wright, and E. Morwick, Joseph Kirkpatrick, W. J. McDonald, R. R. Spera, Charles Gardner, Pat-rick Bateman and Thomas Robson Percy Crisp, King William-street, and Henry Alter, South John-street, were sent to the Mimoco Industrial School this morning for stealing small sums of money from Stanley Mills & Co.'s

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writes to say he is and hopes to be pr The public schools dergarten rooms Carlton and Western school held an extra St. Mark's Hall thi 32 pieces were render packed. At a recent labor

speakers claimed shortage in his coal. town had gone to th ting in public scales that they were not then a number of been requested to scales and there h cases a shortage of from 50 to 100 lbs. in

A recital was give the Presbyterian Chu liamson of Toronto.
Dr. T. W. Hacket
re-election as truste Excelsior Camp, Thompson Hall to r Thompson Hall to n these officers: P.C., A.L., W. Abernethey rant: banker. W. H. Hart: assistant, P. Maddock: watchman sentinel, Thomas Rot Drs. Perfect and M. ers. J. Sutherland, F. ney: delegates to he McMaster: alternate A lady's silver wa the police on Annet school to-day and is ant at the police sta The report of Dr. suggests that the go tioned to grant powe from any municipalit of proper care, allo eases to spread. The should also be closel; no opportunity be giproper sanitation; says. "we should a guard these concerns

would prevent the creports calculated to indirectly injure the sirable," the report the inspection of rolaced in the hands spector."
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streets and the sing.
St. Monica's R. C. way-avenue, will he service on Dec. 31.
The public schools to re-open again on a teacher in the Electronical a position accepted a position and Miss M. Bolton

Wych The Ratepayert Wychwood will hole in the Hillcrest Sch day evening, Dec.

A committee mee ccurt Ratepayers' A at 10 Nairn-avenu of selecting a candi board. S. Robinson

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A small audience

the Deer Park Schocalled for the purthe reason why the forceased so much Bredin, Grainger plained that the Denot be managed the Muskoka, for the petheir children. The year dated back to township treasurer year dated back to township treasurer to the request of to overdraft had to be was the loss in assenue-road and the were annexed to the had to be engaged, and to be installed. Substituting the second of the control o decreased by one-l pupils has increased Bredin said the re Toronto and the re Torento and the recome to Deer Parl who are settling buy a 25 foot lot ar small children wit school accommodat ler advocated exprete enlarge the schmotion to that effect The valuation olate Mrs. Sarah Rohas been increased has been increased cession duty depa was formerly appra real estate, bank a some Dominion S materially increase the estate to the v

The annual meet scrvative Associatio 2. Township of Yor school liouse last The attendance wa the address of W. listened to with the election of officers Hinds; vice-president, treasurer, George O. James Brown, Geor Fray, J. McKay, F. Osborne. Reviewing sion thus far, Mr. ly to the marvelous timent, as evidence the leaders of the spesition with respectant way rate, and the band telephote committee of the service of the rail Maclean also comme erument on their a the power policy. eriment on their a the power policy. Give a rattling sp which he took ore service rendered by floor of parliament many ridings were the movements he Hozelton Sam Wils spoke briefly and the cheers for the King Reeve George Synthe early part of with a hearty recommendation of the control of t

The closing exe piblic school took roon, with a spler parents and friends ments were served