## MANITOBA IS

## FOUL MURDERERS ESCAPE PUNISHMENT

It is claimed that the police department is seriously handicapped owing to the attorney-general's department declining to approve the spending of the to bring them to justice.

Some weeks ago two Chinamen were brutally murdered on Salter street, and the chief of police, in his anxiety tives if proper facilities are granted to secure the capture of the perpetrathem to do so. tors of the murder, engaged a detective familiar with eastern methods and put him to work to detect the criminals. Higher officials, however declined, it is said, to authorize the expenditure of the money even to secure the capture of the perpetrators of one

get clean away, and it is doubtful if for trial.

the attorney-general's department now Slobojan, wanted for murder in the defendant. not even a whisper is heard of any attempt by the crown's law officers to

erious effort seems to have been made

Another case that cropped up within ers with conspiracy to defraud a number of farmers at Morris South, of land, etc., valued at over \$12.000. and the indictment was quashed owing to

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FIRED FLOUR MILL.

Trial of Alleged Incendiary in Wapella, Active Securities Have Depreciated

Wapella, Sask., Dec. 28.-The preliminary trial of R. J. Lund was held of the coldest blooded murders ever here to-day, Lund is accused of set-occurring in the province. From the occurring in the province. From the number of men charged with murder and other very serious offences, and who have escaped, Manitoba seems to be a regular Utopia for the culprits.

At the present time, the police are At the present time, the police are which were supposed to be saturated to held waverants for three which were supposed to be saturated ting fire to the flour mill of this town, number of men charged with murder which was burned down on August 29.

London, Dec. 28.—There is considerable applied to her for work, corresponds in every detail with the clothing found near the dead woman's body. While Mrs. Wright could give little demand from the United States woman, she recalled that Miss O'Keefe supposed to hold warrants for three which were supposed to be saturated men wanted to answer a charge of with coal oil. J. T. Knowles swore leged to have murdered a girl called Biron in a city hotel, but for some reason he seems to have been allowed to consider the seems to be seen allowed to consider the seems to have been allowed to consider the seems to have been allowed to consider the seems to have been allowed to consider the seems to consider the seems to

Levi Thompson, of Wolsey, crown

GREAT AERO CONTEST.

Chicago, Dec. 28.-The Aeronautique Within the last three months the grand jury returned a true bill against it will hold an international balloon "Doctor" Oscar Margolei, wanted on a contest here on July 4th. Two valuable charge of murder of a girl, and although the doctor was in the city about tance and for the greatest time in the the time of the inquest on the girl, and was since known to be in Montreal, no world.

## Treasures Found in Our American Forests.

That our American forests abound in plants which possess the most valuable medicinal virtues is abundantly attested by scores of the most emine medical writers and teachers of this and other countries. Even ged Indians had discovered the usefulness of many native plants before the advent of the white race. This information, imparted freely to the whites, led the latter to continue investigations until to-day we have a rich assortment of most valuable American medicinal roots.

Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., believes that our American forests abound in medicinal roots for the cure of most obstinate and fatal diseases, if we would properly investigate them, and, in confirmation of this conviction, he points with pride to the most marvelous cures effected by his "Golden Medical Discovery," which has proven itself to be the most efficient stomach tonic, liver invigorator, heart tonic and regulator, and blood cleanser known to medical science. Dyspepsia, or indigestion, torpid liver, functional and even valvular and other affections of the heart yield to its curative action.

50 cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and you will receive it by return post.

In treating all open sores, or ulcers, boils, carbuncles and other swellings, it is important that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery be taken persistently to purify the blood and thereby remove the cause of the trouble. It is in the blood that the great battle of health has to be fought. The ulcer and the sore are simply the scarlet flowers of disease, with roots running down into the blood.

These roots must be eradicated or the disease will break out afresh. "Golden Medical Discovery" cleanses the blood of all foul and poisonous accumulations, pushes out the dead and waste matter, and thus purifies the entire life current. Disease in the flesh must die out when it is no longer fed by foul blood. "Golden Medical Discovery" effectively cures disease in the flesh by curing its cause in the blood.

Not less marvelous, in the unparal-laid area it is constantly making of \$200.

Suffer from frequent headaches, back-ache, dragging-down distress low down in the abdomen, or from painful or irregular monthly periods, gnawing or faitressed sensation in stomach, dizzy or faint spells, see imaginary specks or spots floating before eyes, have disagree-able pelvic catarrhal drain, prolapsus, anteversion or retroversion or other displacements of womanly organs, from weakness of parts, will, whether they experience many or only a few of the above symptoms, find relief and a permanent cure by using faithfully, and fairly persistently, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Both the above mentioned medicines are wholly made up from the glyceric extracts of native, medicinal roots. The processes employed in their manufacture were original with Dr. Pierce, and they are carried on by skilled the propose. State of the above mentioned and part of the processes are wholly made up from the glyceric extracts of native, medicinal roots. The processes employed in their manufacture were original with Dr. Pierce, and they are carried o

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Not less marvelous, in the unparalleled cures it is constantly making of woman's many peculiar affections, weaknesses and distressing derangements, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as is amply attested by thousands of unsolicited testimonials contributed by grateful patients who have been cured by it of catarrhal pelvic drains, painful periods, irregularities, prolapsus

The reason why "Golden Medical Dis- and other displacements caused by

The reason why "Golden Medical Discovery" cures these and many other affections, is clearly shown in a little book of extracts from the standard medical works which is mailed free to any address by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., to all sending request for the same.

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WOMAN RESCUED

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 30 .- Slavery is not Another case that cropped up within the last year or so is that of an American named Charles Douglas, who was charged before Mr. Justice Mathbeing faulty. As soon as the indict-ment was quashed he walked out of wonderful escape of one of her charm-Supineness of Police Alleged to be Due to Parsimony of Attorney
General's Department.

Winnipeg. Dec. 28. — Considerable comment has been heard on the streets lettly owing to the number of men charged with serious crimes who have so far escaped punishment.

The police say there are a number of men wanted on charges of murder, but the ment was quashed he walked out of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to the law officers of the court a free man, and was allowed to escape, owing to swear another information against him. The second many treatments—consulted doctors—tried hot baths—used almost every kneumatism. Mrs. R. C. Small says.

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Another case in which justice seems to have been evaded was that of a Jew had no

## FOR BULLION

Nearly Two Billion During

and Germany for gold and speculawith coal oil. J. T. Knowles swore that Lund promised to discharge a considerable amount of indebtedness provement in the recent state of affire to the roll on the roll of th land is expected to secure and a gen- Flanagan, an elevator man in a New erally favorable interpretation is York department store, who, after a

there has not been for twenty years such a depression of stocks as during the year 1907. It gives a list of 387 stocks, representative of active securities dealt in on the London stock exchange, having a nominal capital value of \$17,155,000,000 on which during the year there has been a net depreciation of \$1,710,000,000 or an average fall of nine per cent. The decline of sev Bankers Magazine says, amounted to \$775,000,000 or 3 per cent.

## WAR MUNITIONS

### U. S. Government Shipping Large of a hundred dollar diamond from Mrs. Quantities of Material to Eastern Possessions.

San Francisco, Dec. 30 .- Two thous and tons of war material, including over six million rounds of cartridges. much equipment for submarine mines. and seventy-five hundred Springfields, start for the Philippines this week. Army officers at first denied its pres-

RAID ON ITALIAN CABIN.

Hold-up Robbers Repulsed-One Killed and Others Wounded.

Everett, Dec. 28.—As the result of .30 at Snohomish, one hold-up man s dead, his partner seriously injured nd three Italian railroad laborers of company of seven are in the hos- to prison. ital, victims of the bullets of the

lighwaymen's guns. The dead man was killed by a blow from an axe, wielded by one of the Italians, and a spade used effectively eft the other hold-up man torn and bleeding and minus an ear. The ounded hold-up man recovered suf-ciently to give his name as William

ped into the room. An order was given the Italians to throw up their hands and turn their faces to the wall. the Italians showed fight and a volley ployees in the large office buildings is was opened from the highwaymen's seriously felt. The Pittsburg Railroad guns. Three men fell, and in the mixup, a spade and an axe were secured ning its cars, conductors and motormen and for several minutes a battle raged to the little room of the cabin. Final-

being laid up with the grippe.

City Physician B. A. Booth says the present epidemic of gripe exceeds in scope and severity all but that of 1889, the worst in the history of the city, and yet may break the record. He censiders the disease may have originate fragedy and placed the Italians under arrest pending an examination by the coroner which will take place to-morrow.

CARBERRY HOTEL GUTTED,

Carberry, Man., Dec. 30.—Fire has being laid up with the grippe.

City Physician B. A. Booth says the present epidemic of gripe exceeds in grow as cased to-day by Alfred Farlow, of the publication committee:

Take notice that I. Helga Jacobson, of Eclida Coola, B. C., intend to apply for mittee:

"There seems to be an impression that contributions to the fund are desired. This is a mistake. Since the announce ers it contagious, and believes the germs of he disease may have originated from here. In 1889, the malady's start was traced back through Europe to Asia, and finally located in Hongkong, China.

Miss Elsle Collis, who has been teaching school at Grantham, in the Comox dissonated the contributions to ald the fund.

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"It should be well understood that Mrs. Eddy has set aside the entire amount necessary for this fund, namely \$1,000,000, and donations from a mount of the control of the Scott Present and previous desired.

Takence Curstine for the Crosal by Alfred Farlow, of the publication committee:

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Carberry, Man., Dec. 30.—Fire has destroyed the Dufferin hotel here with a loss of \$15,000.

## UNRAVELLING A **MURDER MYSTERY**

#### Indentification of Body Found New Jersey Pond--Tracking Suspected Criminal.

of the crown Levi walked out of court and left the same night for Chicago. He is said to be still there, but that he is not very anxious to return to Winnipeg.

A number of other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited, where the defendants seem to other cases can also be cited to other cases can also be cited to other cases can also be cited to other cases. ago, when she was employed in home of Thomas Nevins, a contractor in Orange. Since that time Sergt. Draybell states that the woman was employed in the capacity of a maid in several places in and about Orange. Recently, he said, he had lost trace

> Draybell informed the police that he closest friend that Miss O'Keefe had with Miss Nevins, a niece of Thos. Nevins, and that undoubtedly she took the name of Nevins at the time of seeking employment. Mrs. Wright's description of the

woman she recalled that Miss O'Keefe

ven remembers the incident.

Since that time a Galician named Brown, of Moosomin, appeared for the since that time a Galician named Brown, of Moosomin, appeared for the placed on the slackened demand for the with positiveness that Miss O'Keefe The Statist expresses the opinion that the probabilities favor a very large addition to the reserves of the New York associated banks and a return of a portion of the gold and a return of a portion of the gold as the said that Miss O'Keefe appeared very pervous red after the gold and a return of a portion of the gold as the peared very pervous red after the gold and the peared very pervous red after the gold as the peared very pervous red after the gold and the peared very pervous red after the gold and the gold and the peared very pervous red after the gold and the probabilities favor a very pervous red after the gold and the gold an New York associated banks and a return of a portion of the gold recently sent from London. The Statist also thinks that the depression in the United States will be neither as serious nor prolonged as the pessimists anticipate.

According to the Bankers Magazine stated that the woman left the restau-rant shortly before midnight.

The police say there is no doubt that she finally met this man, and, after spending the Xmas day with him, was lured into the meadows and mur-dered. Detectives are trying to locate the two young men who employed Miss O'Keefe in Brooklyn.

LADY DIAMOND THIEF.

Vancouver Bride Sentenced for Stealing \$100 Ring From Mrs. J.

(Special to the Times). Vancouver, Dec. 28.-Mrs. Dalzen towles, a bride of six weeks, whose usband is an officer on the Empress f India, was sentenced to-day in the olice court to six months for the theft J. Sheasgreen, a well known society

woman, formerly of Victoria. Mrs. Rowles received a Christmas gift of the ring which she did not like as well as the one Mrs. Sheasgreen showed her and a substitution was effected surreptitiously.

MELEE IN SECTION HOUSE.

One Bandit Killed and Another Badly heiress, caused considerable excite-

Shohomish, Wash., Dec. 28.-Two men named Miller and Carroll entered a ection house last night which was oc- making a living as a common laborer cupied by seven people and ordered and says the past eight months have them to hold up their hands. The been his happiest. A warrant on the hold-ups then began shooting the occupants.

The occupants of the house attacked the outlaws with tools and killed Milarroll was struck on his body several times and his eyes were dug out. Officers from the city arrived and all were taken

> DISEASE-SMITTEN PITTSBURG. Thousands of People Prostrated by

Typhoid Fever and Pneumonia.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 28. - What is said to be the worst epidemic of sick-Carroll and says his dead partner's ness since 1889 is being experienced in Pittsburg, and physicians estimate that a short time. Shortly after supper time at the thousands of persons are prostrated by alians' cabin a knock was heard on pneumonia and typhoid fever, and espeeir door and two masked men step- cially by the grippe throughout the

> Probably every home in affected in Company is having difficulty in man-

## This will Keep the Boy on the Farm

## It Will Give Him a Real Start in Life

UIT worrying about how you're going to "give the boy a better chance in life than his father had." Let up wondering how you're going to man-age to give him a start. Fix it so he can make his own start - and have fun doing it. He will stay on the farm if you go at it the right way. This way:

Any normal, healthy boy likes to "fool 'round" with live things—chickens for instance. Make him work at it, and he'll tire of it quick. But give him a little business of his own,—set him to raising chickens on his own hook .and he won't let up till he makes a success of it. I can arrange the whole

thing for you,-teach your boy how to succeed at poultryraising for profit,-show him where to save work and worry doing it,-stand right back of him and coach him along,and find him a good, quickcash buyer who will pay the highest prices for all the poultry he raises or the eggs he



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## **GRIM CONDITIONS** IN ARMENIA

### Kurdish Bandits Terrorize Inhabitants--Entire Town Isolated--Wholesale Robberies

for the last eight days that town has been entirely surrounded and isolated by bands of Kurdish raiders, who have attacked caravans and driven hundreds of loaded camels to the moun-

A caravan escorted by the guards of the Russian consulate at Urumiah, which was the first to get through, was attacked by 50 bandits. The robbers were repulsed, many of them being kill-

ed or wounded. Complete anarchy prevails at Urumiah. Russia is planning to strengthen the consulate guard there, but it is declared at St. Petersburg that the time

## **ELOPING PASTOR** IS NOW LABORER

#### Left Aristocratic New York Church With Heiress--"Happiest Eight Months of His Life."

San Francisco, Dec. 30.-Rev. Jere Knode Cook, pastor of the aristocratic St. George's church on Long Island and a Yale man, whose elopment eight months ago with Loretta Whaley, an ment, was spotted here yesterday afternoon by a Call reporter. The couple have an infant. Cooke has been charge of abduction awaits him.

KILLED HIS MOTHER. Eight-Year-Old Boy Perpetrates Matricide in Cold Blooded Fashion.

Stroudsburg, Pa., Dec. 30.-Mrs. Geo. Hoedshilt, of Scranton, was accidentally shot and killed here yesterday by her eight-year-old son Lewis.

Mrs. Hoedshilt was talking over the telephone. Her son who had preously been shooting at a mark with pointing the weapon at her, pulled the trigger. The bullet struck Mrs. Hoedshilt in a vital spot and she lived but

FOR CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. Million Fund Donated by Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy is Sufficient.

Boston, Dec. 28. - The following statement regarding the charitable purposes of the fund of \$1,000,000 recently given by Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, the founder of the Christian Science church, was issued to-day by

kong, China,

Miss Elsie Collis, who has been teaching school at Grantham, in the Comox district, is home for the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. Percy Collis, Head street.

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"It should be well understood that Mrs. Eddy has set aside the entire amount necessary for this fund, namely \$1,900,000, and donations from other mother, Mrs. H. Percy Collis, Head street.

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"It should be well understood that Mrs. Eddy has set aside the entire amount necessary for this fund, namely \$1,900,000, and donations from others have not been asked for nor Maintained on the highest standard; rates \$1.50 to \$2.50 per day. Free 'bus.

## Sweeping Reductions in Ranges Lasts Until December 31st.

"HER MAJESTY" RANGE (\$8 with 'HER MAJESTY" RANGE (without

set)......\$50.00 \$39.5 Guaranteed satisfactory. They are asbestos lined and are manufactured by the Buck Stove Company, Brantford, Ont.

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ENTOMBED MINERS

Phone 312

Ely, Nevada, Dec. 28.-Fifteen feet advance was made vesterday in the rescue work at the Alps shaft, where the three miners are entombed. The rescuers have not yet reached solid ground. The imprisoned men are cheerful and in good health.

APPLICATIONS for teacher for Mayne Island public school will be received until January 1st, 1908. Geo. Georgeson Stey., P. O., Mayne, B. C.

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