## A Merry Christmas to Most of Us

Means a big family gathering and lots of good things to eat. For weeks past we have been preparing to supply the good things, and now we want to hand them over to you that you may have a Merry Christmas. For instance, we have:

CALIFORNIA ORANGES

Sweet and seedless, riper and better than ever before at Christmas time. Special value at, per dozen ...... 20c Other sizes ..... 30c, 40c, 50c

FLORIDA ORANGES Large, sweet, very juicy, per dozen ..... Grapefruit, each .... 10c, 121/2c

TABLE RAISINS Choice layers, pound ..... 20c Extra fancy fruit, pound.. 25c Same fruit, per box, 51/2 pounds .... \$1 25

JUICY FIGS-BIG VARIETY Small boxes .... ......10c Small baskets of pulled figs15c Locombe Figs, per box .... 40c Layer Figs, by the pund ..... 121/2c, 15c, 20c

TURKEYS AND GEESE We expect a good supply of fowl at reasonable prices. Leave your orders with us, and we will send you fine birds. Summer Savory and Sage, two bunches for .... 50

CRANBERRIES Finest Late Howe, Cape Cod Cranberries, per quart ..... 15c

CHRISTMAS CRACKERS The fun-makers for the children. One dozen to the box. Per box .... 25c and 40c ICING SUGAR

Per pound .... 8c Loaf Sugar, pound .... 10c Mixed Candy, pound .... 10c Cream Candy, pound ...... One-pound boxes Chocolates 25c Fresh Lettuce, Celery, Ripe Tomatoes and Parsley.

ALMERIA GRAPES Firm and crisp, green ..... 15c Pink tinted .. .... 25c

GOLDEN GRAPES Best quality, 3 pounds for .. 25c FARD DATES (DARK COLOR) Very rich fruit, with small pits,

two pounds for ..... 250 **NEW NUTS** We have been particular to get good, new season's nuts. Brazils and Pecans, pound .. 25c Grenoble Walnuts and Soft

Shell Almonds, pound ..... 20c Filberts, pound .... 15c We have a special mixture of Walnuts, Almonds and Filberts, per pound .... 15c MINCEMENT FOR PIES

Not ordinary so-called homemade Mincemeat, but something far better: made in our own home of the very best fruits, spices, suet, etc., in just the right proportions, in the cleanest possible manner, and thoroughly mixed. We highly recommend it to the most particular people. Pound 10c

WREATHS Brighten up the homes so much that every house should have its share. Order early, as it will, as usual, be scarce the last days. Holly, pound .... 15c

HOLLY AND HOLLY

Holly Wreaths, each ...... 25c SEALSHIPT OYSTERS Consider that they are solid meat, that the flavor is far superior, and that they are perfectly clean; and the extra price over ordinary bulk oysters is well spent. Per quart ...... 75c

THE COURTS' LISTS

Months of 1909.

Meredith, C. J .- Jan. 16, weekly;

Jan. 25, divisional; April 10, weekly;

April 13, divisional; June 26, weekly.

Falconbridge, C. J.-Jan. 23, weekly;

Mulock, C. J .- Jan. 30, weekly; Feb

MacMahon, J.-Feb. 6, weekly; Feb.

Britton, J .- Feb. 13, weekly; May 8,

Teetzel, J.-Jan. 11, winter assizes;

Jan. 25, divisional; Feb. 20, weekly,

Anglin, J.-Feb. 27, weekly; May 23,

Magee, J.-March 6, weekly; May

Clute, J.-March 13, weekly; June 5,

Latchford, J.-March 27, weekly;

London Weekly Court-Jan. 9, the

chancellor; Jan. 16, Meredith, C. J.,;

Jan. 23, Falconbridge, C. J.; Jan. 30,

Feb. 13, Britton, J.; Feb. 20, Teetzel,

J.; Feb. 27. Anglin, J.; March 6. Ma-

gee, J.; March 13, Clute, J.; March 20,

Riddell, J.; March 27, Latchford, J.;

April 3, the chancellor; April 10, Mere-

dith, C. J.; April 17, Falconbridge, C.

J.; April 24, Mulock, C. J.; May 1,

FOUR CASES SETTLED

Before Judge Macbeth.

this morning. Six cases were entered

There was a session of the first divi- gary, Alta.

sion court sitting under Judge Macbeth South London Liberals.

The case of Ward vs. Benenati was an action for \$45 damages. The plaint-

The defendant claimed that he was late residence, 91 High street, Wed-

Mulock, C. J.; Feb. 6, MacMahon, J.;

eekly; May 31, divisional.

veekly; June 7, non-jury.

Feb 1, divisional; March 15, jury;

April 17, weekly.

May 15, weekly.

June 19, weekly.

9, weekly.

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# JOHN DIPROSE

THREE POPULAR STORES

Dundas and Ridout Sts., Phone 386; Dundas and Wellington Sts., Phone 2262; Richmond and Hyman Sts., Phone 1291

## Saturday at Peters'

**TEAROOM** 

Tomato Bouillon ..... 5c follows: Hot Chocolate ..... 5c And Tea, Coffee and many other nice weekly court; Jan. 18, divisional court; ing received injuries to his head.

April 3, London weekly; April 26, di-

CANDY SPECIAL CREAM WAFERS,

Peppermint, Wintergreen and Maple, regular 15c each. On Saturday, ONLY ...... 12c

CHRISTMAS CAKE Plain or almond iced.

PLUM PUDDINGS

In several sizes. Our stock is being reduced rapidly. It would be well to order soon

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## ARNOLD BROS.

PORTRAIT PHOTOGRAPHERS FINE WORK A SPECIALTY ARTISTICALLY EXECUTED EAST LONDON.

## CASH GROCERY

40c J.; June 12, Riddell J.; June 19, Latch- emy, have been elected members of .40c ford, J.; June 26, Meredth, C. J.

eeded Raisins, 1 lb. packages......100 E. D. Microberts

PHONE 1863. 328 HAMILTON RD.

ENGINE OFF TRACK AT HAMILTON

G. T. R. Express This for consideration, but all but two were be held in the South London clubrooms

The engine of Grand Trunk train iff gave a new fur-lined overcoat to the defendant, to have it pressed, and A very successful the defendant, to have it pressed, and A very successful dance was held on hour and ten minutes. No person was the coat. Witnesses were called to dance will be held on New Year's Eve, H. Branton; senior woodward, Bro.

prove that the defendant had used Thursday, 31st inst. proper means in pressing the coat, but The train was coming from Hamilton and jumped a switch point. It as the garment had undoubtedly been burned, and as the defendant seemed A meeting of the special power comas the garment had undoubtedly been Power Committee. was not going very fast, and the rest to be the only one who could have mittee will be held this evening at done it, his honor gave judgment the city hall. The appointment of an The auxiliary from Hamilton soon against him for \$25.

put it on again.

iff, and R. K. Cowan for the defend- made. Mr. R. N. Hannon, of Edmonton, ant. Alta, is in this city, visiting with his Tambling & Jones, contractors, Death of Wm. Ching. parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Hannon, of brought action against Mr. Andrews. Mr. William Ching, the well known 709 Colborne street. Mr. Hannon is for \$65, for work done on the Jeffery contractor and member of Wellington employed in the survey department of building, Dundas street. the Alberta Government.

Ex-Ald. William Skinner, of 326 not responsible for the work. The nesday, aged 63 years. He is surved York street, left this morning for Judge, however, decided that he was, by a son, W. J. Chng, of the North-Buffalo, where he will spend the and gave judgment in full for the west, and two ssters in England. He Christmas holidays with relatives. plaintiff.

home to their friends at Oakhurst on plaintiffs, and Meredith, Jud 1 & Mere-Tuesday afternoon and evening next. plaintiffs, and Meredith, Jud 1 & Mere-row afternoon at 2:30 to Woodland

#### STREET RAILWAY HAD BAD TIME taken as follows:

The street railway company was "up drifting the snow on the tracks, par- parts capably. ticularly along the Ridout line, making it almost impossible to run the

Operate Cars Last Night.

The sweeper was kept busy all evening, but it was practically unable to look after the whole system. On the lines which had little or no protection the crews had the greatest difficulty. The trouble was overcome, however, a schedule.

#### BAD BOYS BREAK ARC LIGHT GLOBES

Police Are Looking for the Culprits in the East End.

number of boys who have been amus- about 200 crippled cars to Blackwell persons alive. ing themselves by breaking the globes Siding, north of Sarnia. on the arc lights at the street corners in the east end.

boys may have cause to regret their actions, as the company will push any cases brought up. Some time ago a number of boys were arrested on the wrecks on all parts of the system.

### CHURCH STANDS AS A MONUMENT

Christian Church on Dundas Street East Was Erected by Late Rev. J. J. Rice.

Rev. J. J. Rice, D. D., of Toronto, dent, was a former Londoner, having ronto. been stationed in this city for a num- Rev. R. B. Cochrane, of Woodstock, FOR NEXT YEAR he erected two churches, one of the he erected two churches, one of whch Petrolea. Arrangements Made for the First Six das and Elizabeth streets. He left this The circuit lists for the six months former parishioners are still in Lonof 1900 for all the judges of the var- don.

lous courts have been arranged. The Rev. Dr. Rice was on his way to 5c appointments affecting London are as the hospital, of which he was chaplain, when he was struck by a car. He The chancellor-Jan. 9, London was unconscious for several days, hav-

### A CANTATA IN CENTENNIAL CHURCH

Splendid Christmas Musical Entertainment Held Last Night.

8, divisional; April 24, weekly; May The members of Centennial Sunday Christmas cantata at the church last rose jars at St. Mary's Church bazar. too much talk and too little founda-15, divisional; May 1, weekly; May 10, evening, and despite the inclement Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stinson, of 787 tion for the talk. in the edifice. The receipts amounted friends, and particularly the emto over \$40, which will be applied to ployees of the C. P. R., for the kind-the Sunday school funds.

HARVEY PAUL the Sunday school funds.

Cornwall, Dec. 18 .- Wm. Bero, mar-

Local Items

tonight. A large crowd is expected.

electrical engineer will be considered.

Street Methodist Church, died at his

OUT OF COURT Carson, public libarian, after an ab-

Session of the First Division Court been practicing law in the Yuken, and of current fletion.

-Dr. Whittaker, of Edmonton, is Annual Meeting.

has recently joined a law firm in Cal- Court Defiance Elects.

Grandma ..... Miss Elsie Watch Grandpa ..... Mr. Ed Adams

Visit to Grandpa's," the parts being

The title of the sketch given was "A will sue us for the amount.

Snow on Rails Made It Difficult to Shiny-Eyes ..... Miss Hazel Holman Betty, the maid .. Miss Nellie Holman Among those who took minor parts were Victor Scott, Percy Dowling Wilfred Shortt and others. All the against it" last evening, the stiff wind members of the cast handled their

The musical part of the programm was supplied by the following: Trio, Misses Gladys Gower, Cora Sinclair and Nellie Ram. Duet, Misses Pierson and Crocker.

Trio, Miss Gertie Essingham, Blanche Ball and Albert Wright. Miss Lillian Hardy deserves great credit for the manner in which she when the rain came, and formed a trained the members of the cast in crust over the snow, making drifting their dialogue. Mr. Bert Weir, who had impossible. On many lines the cars charge of the musical part of the prowere unable to maintain any sort of gramme, is also deserving of much

CRIPPLED CARS TO

GO TO SARNIA New York physician, and formerly Orders Have Been Received Here to

Send Them There. Orders have been received in the offices of the Grand Trunk in East the advisability of death tests to The local police are hunting for a London, to send trains composed of eliminate the possibility of burying

There are about 650 cripples in the The globes are very costly, and the found necessary to send some of them to the sidings for the winter. The disabled cars accumulate very

rapidly, and are sent to this city from

EAST END BANK MANAGER WEDS.

#### Mr. George L. McHattie Married to to warrant. Estimable Woodstock Lady.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Ald. (Dr.) Mearns, of Woodstock, last night, when his case of suspended animation nor even daughter, Louise, was wedded to Mr. come remotely in contact with such a who died there Monday as a result of George L. McHattie, manager of the case. They all agree that there have injuries received in a street car acci- east end branch of the Bank of To-

ber of years, as pastor of the Bible performed the ceremony in the pres- cataleptic subjects. Christian Church, previous to the ence of a large number of guests Methodist union. While in this city from this city, Toronto, Grimsby and would undoubtedly be of service, as The bride was assisted by her sis- nervous and muscular response to the

ter, Miss Cosie, and the groom by Mr Vanstone, of the London offices of the sponse followed death could be taken city about 28 years ago. Many of his Bank of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Mc-Hattie left for a honeymoon trip to infallible test. New York, and will return to this city about Jan. 1.

#### EAST END NOTES.

buried, there is nothing in the idea Rev. Father Teefey, of Toronto, There is a certain amount of cold who addressed the Canadian Club at its banquet today, will speak at St Church this evening on the "Incarnation." There will be no entrance fee, leaving the undertaker's hands and no collection will be taken. The many friends of Mrs. Barnard.

of Anderson avenue, will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from necessitates the injection into the her illness. large arteries of a very strong polson,

Mr. A. J. Graber, Ontario street, is which would effectually settle the matreceiving the congratulations of his ter. friends, he having held the lucky num- The concensus of opinion, though, school gave a decidedly successful ber that drew the handsome pair of seems to be that there is altogether Distillers ..... 35% weather succeeded in filling every seat Lorne avenue, desire to thank their ness during their recent bereavement. He Chopped Off Offending Members

#### . Remanded for Sentence for Stea! . ried, 40 years old, was on the way to trut Suintremer 'selyonuy equ reeu Riddell, J.—March 20, weekly; June the police court this morning in pury siy no stand and paddous pur to ing "Laundry Girl." charge of a policeman to receive sent- -vesis a cleave He suddenly select.

ence for stealing six hides, when he trow a rotuo of noiseimrod beisenber At a special session of the police Cemetery. The servinces will be conducted at 3 o'clock by Rec. M. Graham, court held yesterday afternoon, Mag- Southern Pacific ....1191/8 1197/8 1187/8 119

pastor of Wellington Street Methodist istrate Love found Harvey Paul guilty St. Paul ..... 147½ 148 147½ 148 147½ N. S. Steel ..... of stealing "Laundry Girl," the once Union Pacific .... .179% 180% well known racehorse, from William Central Leather .... 283/8 293/2
II. S. Steel ...... 53 533/4 visiting his parents in South London. The annual meeting of Kilwinning Klue, and he was remanded until Sat-He sees remarkable improvements in Lodge, No. 64, A., F. and A. M., will urday for sentence. London since he left nine years ago. be held in the blue room of the Ma-

He is enthusiastic over the future of sonic Temple, tonight. Members of enced on a charge of stealing an overWest. Union Tel.... 6714. coat from the City Hotel. He pleaded guilty to this charge yesterday morning. W. Stevenson, an employee of Tomorrow The Advertiser will begin day afternoon and gave evidence to Can. Converters ..... 44 Lost Millionaire," by L. Campbell Dav- set of harness from the stable and had Detroit Elec. Railway.... 541/4 -Mr. John M. Carson, of Dawson idson," a popular English writer of not returned it.

Sence of seven years. Mr. Carson has and is above the average of the output told by Klue's father that young Klue Halifax Elec. Ry., xd. .... had "jumped out" and that he had left Havana Electric ...... 371/2 instructions for Faul to sell the horse.

## GRAFTERS SENTENCED

Years in the Penitentiary.

Kunkel this morning imposed the fol- Penman ... ... ... 44 lowing sentence upon the men convict- Dominion Textile, com. ... 60 AS YET OF SUIT ed on March 13 of the charge of con- Can. C. Cotton ....... 52 spiracy to defraud the state in con- Dominion Textile, pfd. ... 100 new state capitol:

## pany will sue us," said his worship. INDIAN LISTERS

me some time ago that they would bill

us for the cost of the bridges, but so far I have heard nothing further.

ished and we can look for a bill at any

"It will probably mean a suit. Mr.

LONDON DOCTORS

of People Buried Alive.

NEVER KNEW OF SINGLE CASE

Although It Is Admitted That Such

Things Have Occurred Elsewhere.

Dr. George R. McEwen. a prominent

professor of anatomy in Rush Medi-

and cleanliness at the South Side

Woman's Club, Chicago, strongly urged

the action of the nervous system.

Local Opinions.

Embalming Does It.

ARE A NUISANCE

"I understand that the work is fin- Taibot Street People Complain of the Actions of Local 'Redmen."

Meredith some time ago informed us Merchants, lawyers and others on that the city was not liable for the Talbot street, from Dundas to Carlcost, and we will refuse to pay for ing, complain that members of Lonthem on his advice. The company in- don's Indian list brigade, congregate sist that we are responsible and they daily on that block to such an extent that they have become a positive "There has been nothing done about nuisance, and the businessmen have appealed to the newspapers to assist them in having the redmen "hang out" somewhere else.

It is said that on a day when one f the listers is to appear in court, the other members of the tribe hang around and discuss the matter for hours before the case comes up, and as they are afraid to go around the police station, they congregate on Talbot street, and render themselves Don't Take Stock in the Talk a nuisance to the business and professional men and people who walk along the thoroughfare.

One enterprising gentleman has brought a camera into use, and has secured several photos of the Indians at 76%, 25 at 77, 100 at 76%, 5 at 76%, standing on the corner of Talbot and 25 at 76%, 100 at 77, 25 at 76%, 10 at. Carling street. The picture was 77, 25 at 76%; Reserve, 500 at 280 (30) taken out of a second-story window, days), 500 at 280 (30 days), 1,200 at and it shows several of the big chiefs 272, 500 at 273, 100 at 280 (30 days), of the brigade earnestly discussing the 50 at 274, 500 at 280 (30 days), 2,000 pros. and cons. of the tribe's woes, at 2731/2, 100 at 272; Toronto Railway, This photo is likely to be followed by 4 at 18; Power, 25 at 107%, 32 at 107%; a series, and the pictures will likely Winnipeg, Elec., 10 at 1641/2; Pacific, 10 be used in evidence against the of-

# cal College, in an address on sanitation and cleanliness at the South Side LATEST STOCK

Dr. McEwen advocated the use of COBALT MINING STOCKS. an electric battery immediately after death, as a vigorous attempt to revive Noon quotations on Copalt mining stock, telegraphed The Advertiser by Ed-ward Cronyn & Co., members of the To-ronto Stock Exchange:

Several local doctors, in speaking to quotations on Mining Exchange are as Bell Telephone an Advertiser reporter, refused to take follows: Beaver 24, Chambers 81, Re- Can. Gen. Electric ...... 104½ 104 the matter as of great consequence, serve 271, Cobalt Lake 15, Coniagas C. P. R. There is far more talk on the subject, 650, Foster 40, Meehan 23, Kerr Lake City Dairy, com. ....... where there is even the remote possi- 47, Peterson Lake 31, Rochester 19, Consumers' Gas ...... 200 

Never Knew of a Case.  Three medical men stated that in a period covering many years of practice they had never met with a	kaming 139 xd., Tretheway 138.  CHICAGO EXCHANGE.  Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.  Chicago, Dec. 18,
case of suspended animation nor even come remotely in contact with such a case. They all agree that there have been such cases, but they are very,	Wheat— Open. High. Low. Close. December
very rare, and only attack persons of a highly nervous organism, known as cataleptic subjects.	December 57½ 57½ 56½ 56¾ May 60¼ 60¼ 60¼ 60¼ 60¼
In such a case the electric battery would undoubtedly be of service, as while life remains there would be a	December 49¼ 49¼ 48¾ 48¾ May 5158 5158 50% 51 Pork—
nervous and muscular response to the electric stimulation, while if no re-	January
sponse followed death could be taken as certain. This being practically an infallible test.	January 9 17 9 20 9 17 9 20 May 9 35 9 40 9 35 9 37 Short Ribs—
The Great Fear. Regarding the fear some people have	January
that they will come to life after being buried, there is nothing in the idea. There is a certain amount of cold	Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stock Broker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser. New York, Dec. 18

comfort in the fact that if one doesn't Open. High. Low. 2 p.m. happen to be dead in the first instance Amal. Copper ...... 78% 79% 77% one would certainly be dead before Am. Sugar Co.... ... 127½ 128¾ 126½ 127½ Am. Locomotive .... 54% 54% 54 Am. Foundry ..... 453 Am. Refining Co.... 80 The modern system of embalming Atchison com.... 96

Balt. & Ohio ..... 553% Can. Pacific Ry.....175 175% 174% 174% Standard Bank ... Ches. & Ohio ...... 551/4 565/8 Colorado F. & I..... 371/2 38 367/8 38 Illinois Central .....1451/2 146 Inter. Met..... 175% 175% 175% 173% Kan. & Texas com.. 38% 39 Louis. & Nash...... 121% 121% 120% 121½ Dominion Savings ... Missouri Pacific .... 63 631/2 62 Nor. Pacific .......1401/4 1405/8 1393/4 140 Norfolk & Western. 83% ... National Lead ...... 76% 77½ Ontario & West..... 44% 44% 44 Pacific Mail .... 331/2 34 33% Ontario Loan ...... Pennsylvania ... ..128% 12) 128½ 128% Ontario Loan, pfd. ...... People's Gas .... ... 100% 100% 100 401/4 Toronto Mortgage ..... Press Steel ..... 41 Reading ...... 138½ 139% 138 1383 Republic I. & Steel. 25½ ..... 138% Dominion Steel ... Rock Island .... 2234 Southern Ry.... 24 1/8 25 Southern Ry. pfd..... 58 ...

Texas ...... 321/2 323/4 311/2 U. S. Steel ...... 53 U. S. Steel pfd......11034 11114 Wabash com.... 185% 191/4 471/4 46 MONTREAL.

Montreal, Dec. 18. Bid. serials. It has a vivid plot, well-told, made the statement that he had been Dom. Iron and Steel, pfd. 69 % Illinois Trac., pfd., ..... 921/2 94 1/6 Minn. and St. Paul ..... 1301/2 Ogilvie, Milling, com. ....113% 1131/2 Toronto Railway, xd., ... 1061/2 1051/2

> Laurentide Paper ... .... J. H. Sanderson, W. P. Snyder, W. L. Mex., L. and P. ... 90

## FREE!

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STOCKINGS FREE. To each purchaser of one pound of Strong's Baking Powder will be given one of these dainty souvenirs, containing ONE sample bottle of choice perfume, ONE sample package sachet powder, along with ONE of our hand-

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some 1909 calendars.

at 175, 10 at 175%, 50 at 175, 25 at 175%, 50 at 175%; Soo, com., 100 at 130%, 100 at 130%; Converters, 5 at 431/2; Coal, pfd., 5 at 1021/4; Penman, 30 at 431/2; Iron, com., 25 at 19, 25 at 19, 50 at 18%; Textile, 160 at 58%, 150 at 59, 55 at 591/2; Scotia, 25 at 551/2; Textile, pfd., 75 at 961/2, 75 at 97, 33 at 971/4, 5 at 97, 10 at 971/2, 169 at 98; Ogilvie Bonds, 10,000 at 106; Textile Bonds, 5,000 at 961/4, 20,000 at 96; Bank of Montreal, 5 at 245; Ogilvie, com. 25 at 1131/2.

TORONTO. Toronto, Dec. 18.

Detroit United ... ...... Dom. Coal., com ....... Dom. Steel, com. ... 191/4 Dom. Telegraph ... ....103 Electric Development .... .. Halifax Tramway .. ..... International Coal ...... Lake of Woods ...... Laurentide, com. ... Laurentide, pfd. ... .....116 Mackay, com. .. ..... 741/4 Mackay, pfd. Mexican, L. and P. .... 741/4 M. St .P. and S. S. M. ... 135 Northern Nav. .....105 Prairie Lands ... Sao Paulo Tram. ... Toronto Electric Light ... 135 Toronto Railway ... ... 106 1/4 Tri-City, pfd. ....... Twin City ... 95
Winnipeg Railway .... Shredded Wheat .. ..... Shredded Wheat, pfd. ... .. Bank of Commerce ... .. Dominion Bank ... .....245 Bank of Hamilton ......203 Imperial Bank ... ..... 45% Merchants' Bank ......164 Molsons Bank .... Bank of Montreal .......250 57% Bank of Nova Scotia .... 551/2 Bank of Toronto ... ... Traders' Bank ... .....1371/2 Union Bank ... .......135 Agricultural Loan ... ... Canada Landed ...... 144 144 Can. Permanent ......141 171/2 Central Canada ... 381/8 Colonial Invest. ... Hamilton Prov. .. ..... Landed Banking ... .... London and Canadian . . . . 444 National Trust ......

> Laurentide .. .. ...... Mexican Electric Mexican, L. and P. ..... Rio Janeiro ... 92 52% 3. 15 at 74; Con. Gas, 3 at 1971/4, 10 at 198; 191/4 18 at 68; Dom. Steel, 25 at 19; Toronto 46% Rails, xd., 25 at 106; Sao Paulo, 10, 25, 5 at 154%; Rio. 10 at 76; Rio bonds 1.000 at 911/2, 55 at 92; Can. Perm., 100 at 141; Nor. Nav., 10 at 104; R. & O. Nav., 5 at 761/4; Mexican L. & P., 5 at 73; Imperial Bank 5 at 2301/2, 2 at 231; Traders' Bank, 1, 3 at 1371/2; Toronto, 1 at 221 Dominion Bank, 2 at 244 Bank of Hamilton, 5 at 203; Bank

Real Estate ........

Electric Development .... 85

NEW YORK. New York, Dec. 18 .- Cotton - Futures opened steady: December, 8.82; January, 3.48; March, 8.60; May, 8.68; July, 8.69; August, 8.56; October, 8.47.

Central Can. Loan & S. Co., 2 per cent;

Dominion Bank, 3; Dominion Coal Co. 2

National Trust Co., 2; Winnipeg Ry., 21/2 COTTON MARKET.

LIVE STOCK MARKET. EAST BUFFALO. East Buffalo, Dec. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; slow; prime steers,

107% | \$6 50 to \$7. Veals-Receipts, 125 head; active and 25c higher: \$7 to \$10. Hogs-Receipts, 6.800 head; fairly active and steady to 5c higher; heavy 76% \$5 85 to \$5 95; mixed, \$5 75 to \$5 85;

75 1/8 Yorkers, \$5 25 to \$5 75; roughs, \$5 10 to \$5 35. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 5,000 head; sheep slow and steady; lambs active and 25c higher; lambs, \$5 to \$7 75; a few at \$7 85; yearlings, \$5 75 to \$6; wethers, \$4 50 to \$4 75; ewes. \$3 75 to \$4; sheep, mixed, \$2 to \$4; Canada lambs, \$7 35 to \$7 60.

OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Dec. 18.-Oil opened at \$1.78. ENGLISH MARKET.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, Dec. 18 .- Closing wheat -Spot. easy; No. 2 red, western winter, 7s 101/2d; futures quiet: December, 7s 111/d; March, 7s 6%d; May, 7s 5%d. Corn-Spot steady; new American, mixed (via Galveston), 5s 1/2d; futures steady;

January, 5s 31/4d. Tallow-Prime city, steady, 28s 6d.

#### At the last regular meeting of Court Klue, sen., denied having made these Lake of Woods, com. ... 97 Defiance, No. 7, Canadian Order of Foresters, the following officers were elected for the coming term, 1909: P. The latter states that his home is in Mexican, L. and P. C. R., Bro. W. M. Shoebotham; C. R., Broughdale, Ont. Bro. Wm. Talling; V. C. R., Bro. Ed. Alex. Judd, who bought the horse Toon; recording secretary, Bro. Wm. terday for being disorderly in the Mont. Steel Works, pfd.... A. Reid; chaplain, Bro. W. R. Part- court room and wanting to fight Klue, N. S. Steel and Coal. .... this morning, tying up traffic for an pelts had been burned, thus spoiling men of Wolseley Barracks. The next auditors, Bros. W. A. Reid and James and was fined \$1 and \$3.85 costs. It was claimed that in the pressing the Thursday evening by the N. C. O. and ridge; treasurer, Bro. H. N. Fleming; also appeared yesterday afternoon

#### Shoebotham, M. D.; hall trustee, Bro. A. R. Galpin; finance board, Bros.

Sue the City.

Reid, Fleming and Talling.

W. M. Doman; junior woodward, Bro.

H. J. Holladay; senior beadle, Bro. G.

Harper; junior beadle, Bro. James

But Mayor Stevely Says the P. M. Will

row afternoon at 2:30 to Woodland "There is no doubt that the com- court will be made at once,

T. H. Luscombe acted for the plaint- It is likely the appointment will be NO NOTIFICATION

> was born in Hosworthy, Devonshire, the Pere Marquette against the city for maximum penalty. London and Port Stanley.

Mayor Stevely has received no noti- Mathues and J. M. Shumaker, \$500 Mt. L., H. and P. .......101 fication as yet regarding the suit of fine and two years' imprisonment—the Montreal St. Ry. ......

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