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## BISHOP POTTER ON PROHIBITION

New York Episcopal Dignitary Says It is a Fraud and Failure.

New York, Dec. 31. — During a discussion of the subject of the opening Sunday saloons before the Church club, Bishop Potter said that inasmuch as the "powers that be" had decided against any change in the existing laws of New York State, the object was academic. Bishop Potter went on to describe the law as a makeshift. He recognized its unworkableness as a mitigation of crime, and that this attitude of the law was false and vicious. "That was the first under that was made," said Bishop Potter. "The next was in the matter of vicious sentiment. John B. Gough says pictured the drunkard as a man, who was not a criminal in a drinking drunk, because he was practically a martyr. That is just as false sentiment as the other is a false ideal, the whole theory of Mr. Gough's thing was false and wrong." Bishop Potter said concerning prohibition: "Wherever it has triumphed has educated a race of frauds and hypocrites." In Maine, New Hamp-

shire and Vermont today by actual statistics the consumption of certain preparations is larger than anywhere else in the country. One of these is a sarsaparilla, which has 71 per cent of alcohol; another is a compound with 27 per cent of alcohol; another with 21 per cent with 61 per cent of alcohol. A good elixir has 10 per cent of alcohol and a great multitude of people who are sworn prohibitionists are the consumers of these things. We are going to persist in this policy to screw up all the alcohol doors on Sunday and open the back door. We are going to nurse a race of hypocrites, to furnish an opportunity to the police to exact a bonus and to close the door to the manly and Christian method of dealing with temperance. Prohibition is an impudent fraud and an impudent failure."

ALCOHOL PHYSIOLOGY. Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 31.—The feature of Monday's meeting of the State Science Teachers' Association was a paper by W. O. Atwater, professor of chemistry in Wesleyan University, on "Alcohol Physiology in the Public Schools," in which he said: "A body of temperance reformers, by extensive organized effort, have secured in almost every state of the Union legislation requiring textbook instruction in temperance physiology in public schools. Unfortunately for science, pedagogy and morality, a considerable part of this teaching is not in accord with the views of specialists on the results of the latest scientific investigation. Thus it comes about that the child in the United States at educational movement which is attempting to build up moral reform upon a basis of doctrine which scientific authorities disapprove."

In explaining what, in his judgment, constitutes rational teaching of the subject, Prof. Atwater said he believed the instruction should be only in the higher and not in the lower grades of schools, and that both the kind and the amount of instruction should be left to the great body of capable, conservative and earnest educators to decide.  
The total revenue of the Ontario fisheries department for the year under the direction of Mr. Samuel T. Basford, was \$38,517, as compared with \$35,445 last year.



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## MUSIC AND DRAMA.

### "The Flaming Arrow" at the Grand Opera House.

"The Flaming Arrow," as presented at the New Grand last night, proved one of the best melo-dramas yet seen here this season, and is probably the best play that Lincoln J. Carter has given to the stage. It is a realistic picture of life in the far west, and the scenery was appropriate and picturesque. The Indian camp of the first act and the council fire of the second act were worthy of special note. In the latter case the Indians seated amid wild and rugged surroundings, and plotting vengeance against the whites on account of their territorial encroachments, presented a picture that was intensely real and convincing. The Indian actress, Go-Won-Go Mowhawk, gave an effective presentation of the role of White Eagle, and the subordinate parts were in satisfactory keeping. The two equine actors, Wong-go and Buckskin, came in for much of the applause accorded by the audience.

### Hypnotism at the London Opera House.

Last night a well-filled house greeted the second performance of Prof. Pull and his vaudevillians at the London Opera House. Prof. Pull did some marvelous mind-reading without contact, receiving gratifying applause. Rice and Raymond received well earned recognition for their illustrated songs, as did the other performers in their respective lines. Prof. Pull closed the evening with his hypnotic scenes, placing his subjects under complete control, and making them perform some side-splitting antics. A special matinee (reserved) will be given today, when Prof. Pull will perform the wonderful test that killed the famous mind-reader, Irving Bishop. It will be remembered that Bishop was performing the feat of reading the mind through copper wires before the students of Bellevue Hospital, New York, when he fell into a cataleptic sleep and the doctors pronounced him dead. Being curious to see the brain of such a mental marvel as Bishop, Irving Bishop was placed in a moribund state, and when he died after lingering for several days. His mother recovered a large sum after a long legal fight.

### "THE CHRISTIAN."

Hall Caine's great play, "The Christian," will be presented at the New Grand afternoon and evening today, with a strong company. There are few who have not read and admired the novel. In the dramatization the story has lost none of its power, rather it has been improved, especially in its final act, which leaves John Storm and Glory Quayle triumphant and happy, instead of the man who is in danger of contamination with the world, imbued with the revelation that he must kill her body to save her soul, John Storm bids her prepare for the end. With the fervor of the glory he had known in youth, she brings back to him the love of her young days, and his parting with her prepares for the end, she appeals to his love, and conquers and saves herself.

### "FIRST DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH."

The Seattle correspondent of the New York Dramatic Mirror says in last week's issue regarding an early booking at the New Grand: "Mrs. Sarah Cowell Lemoine, in 'The First Duchess of Marlborough,' was the bill at the Grand Opera House, Dec. 2, 3 and 4. Mrs. Lemoine, as the duchess, scored a veritable triumph by her natural portrayal of the part. Mary E. Barker came in for a large share of the honors as Queen Anne, of a generally excellent supporting company, Harold Russell as the Duke of Marlborough, Frederick Paulding as Robert Harley, Joseph Wilkes as the Earl of Northampton, and Mrs. Masham, deserve special mention. Both costumes and scenery were beautiful; the production, as a whole, was the dramatic treat of the season.

## DIED IN JAIL!

### Sad Fate of a Well-Known Business Man, Charged With Stealing a Tree.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—George Brown, a member of the firm of Brown Brothers, one of the largest retail meat and fish firms in the city, died in Montreal jail last night.

Mr. Brown was arrested on Saturday, on a charge of stealing a tree from the slope of Mount Royal. He denied the theft and refused to offer bail, in the default of which he went to jail, determined to remain there until January when his case was to come up. Last night he died suddenly in jail.

At the coroner's inquest this morning a verdict was given in accordance with the facts.

## HIGH CLASS STOCK

### Ontario Furnishing Short-horns for the Other Provinces.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 31.—F. W. Hodson, Dominion live stock commissioner, who is in the city, says that a carload of exceptionally fine Ayrshire Short-horn cattle has been purchased in Ontario for Hon. Dr. Borden's farm in Nova Scotia. This is the highest class shipment that has ever gone into the eastern provinces.

Another carload of pure-bred stock has been sent to the Live Stock Association of British Columbia. A fine lot of Short-horns has been forwarded from Ontario to C. W. Pearson, deputy minister of agriculture, at Regina. Thousands of dollars worth of cattle are being shipped out of the province. G. H. Hadman will send 1,100 head of stockers to Duncan, B. C. In a few days he has already transported about 4,000 animals this season. Mr. Hodson also states that Robert Davis has sold his celebrated Clyde-dale stallion, which has won many prizes at the Industrial, to Mr. Clarke, of Gleichen, Alberta. This is the best horse which has so far been shipped into the Northwest Territories.

## DREW A PISTOL

### Sensational Affair in St. Thomas—A Well-Known Dentist Involved.

St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 31.—Quite an exciting and sensational affair took place on Talbot street today. For some time things have not gone pleasantly in the home of Dr. F. P. Cunningham, dentist, resulting in the separation of the doctor and his wife, Farley & McLaws, barristers, were instructed by her to take proceedings for alimony today, and have issued a writ. Today her brother, J. H. Hessian, of Covington, came to the city. Hot words passed between the doctor and the woman he loves, and the police were called on the scene, but so far no action has been taken in the shooting affray.

## WOLVES IN MICHIGAN.

Detroit, Dec. 31.—Wolves are more numerous in the Michigan upper peninsula this winter than ever before, and woodmen are continually bothered by them. Sometimes the animals become so savage as to attack the men, and are so bold as to approach close to the cities. One was killed within half mile of Menominee a few days ago.

## POLITICAL

### Hon. Mr. Hartly Likely To Be Opposed by J. H. Metcalfe.

Special Visit of Mr. J. P. Whitney to Ottawa—Mr. Hartly's Successor.

The Kingston Conservative Association has elected delegates to choose a candidate to oppose Hon. W. Hartly. The candidate will be selected Thursday night. James H. Metcalfe will doubtless be the man.

Hon. Wm. Hartly will round out the year as a member of the Ontario Legislature, and on Jan. 1 will forward his resignation to Speaker Evanturel. It is possible that a new election will be held during January, as Kingston wishes to have a member at the coming session of the legislature. There are names already mentioned for the vacancy on the Liberal side, among whom are John Carson, R. F. Elliott, John McKeelvey and Mayor Kent.

Mr. Gross, of Wexford, will move the address in reply to the speech from the throne at the opening of the legislature, and Lieut.-Col. Mutrie, of South Wellington, will second it.

At Belleville 467 voters have been registered under the manhood suffrage act for the parliamentary election.

J. P. Whitney, leader of the Ontario opposition, who was in Ottawa on Tuesday, is said to have made arrangements with the local Conservatives to bring out in Ottawa an Irish Catholic Conservative representative in Edward Slattery, who was defeated in the last election. At that time Messrs. Lumsden and Powell, respectively Liberal Conservatives, were elected, and there was great dissatisfaction because both Irish Catholic candidates were defeated. Afterwards the local Irish Conservatives were very dissatisfied, and the visit of Mr. Whitney is said to be with the object of patching up of the difficulty, and asking Mr. Slattery to run again in the Conservative interest.

## NAVIGATION NEWS

### American Liner St. Paul Had Roughest Trip in Its History.

New York, Dec. 31.—"Though the ship hasn't a mark on her, even a twisted nail, to show what a tempestuous voyage we had, it was, nevertheless, among the roughest experiences I have ever had," said Captain Jamieson, of the American liner St. Paul, on that vessel's arrival from Southampton on Sunday. The liner was due to arrive early on Saturday morning, but was delayed owing to the heavy mountain-like seas that buffeted it all the way across, and the fierce winds that, coming at all points of the compass, made the passage a succession of rolls and pitches such as mariners, much less passengers, are seldom called on to face.

With all the adverse conditions the liner came through without mishap, however, and when it was berthed it bore no outward evidence of its rough and turbulent combination of wind, and sea, and rain that it had passed through on the way over.

### BOSTON SCHOONER LOST.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 31.—The Boston schooner, Harry L. Bell, struck on Green Island Bay of Fundy last night and is a total loss. The crew was saved.

The schooner Protector arrived at Halifax today with a cargo of six thousand bushels of corn from New York. The Libeoro struck the schooner which sank with her cargo. The corn is a total loss.

### MARITIME PROVINCE FAILURES.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 31.—The failures during the year closing were 119, with liabilities of \$568,857, and nominal assets of \$220,000. The failures on Prince Edward Island were, with liabilities of \$104,000 and nominal assets of \$38,000. In Newfoundland the failures for the current year were nine, with liabilities of \$105,000, and assets of \$58,000.

### NAVIGATION REOPENED.

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 31.—Navigation was opened at this place after a strong northerly wind last night blew out all the ice outside the breaker, and the harbor is again open to vessels.

### STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Dec. 31. Reported at: From Numidia,..... Halifax. .... Liverpool

### INSURANCE AGENT'S SUICIDE.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 31.—A dispatch from Greenway says an insurance agent named C. W. Vedder committed suicide there.

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Mr. Hugh Mooney, 510 West Forty-Second street, New York City, secretary of Union 56, of the Eccentric Firemen of New York, writes: "I can recommend Per-na to be the only genuine catarrh remedy that I have ever tried. (I have tried a great many during the five years that I have suffered with catarrh.) Subject to colds as I am, from drafts and sudden changes of temperature, every new cold brought its own fresh attack of catarrh. At times my nose was stopped up, and there was a noise like the rumbling of thunder in my ears, and a painful headache went with it.

"A friend advised me to take Per-na, as it had cured him; I bought five bottles of it, and when these were finished my catarrh had disappeared.

"I bought five more and I have three of them yet, and whenever I get a fresh cold I take a few doses of Per-na as a preventative from catarrh.

"The symptoms never present themselves now." HUGH MOONEY.

Mr. J. B. Reese, Habnab, Md., writes: "Two years ago I became a sufferer with pneumonia, quincy dyspepsia, Bright's disease and many forms female weakness. This fact should lead every one who has the slightest cold or cough to begin at once the proper treatment.

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If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Per-na, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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