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PROBABILITIES.
Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Jan. 16.—11 a. m.—East-
erly winds, snow to-night and on
Thursday, and for the most part
light.

LOCAL

The Sovereign Bank has opened a
branch at Amherstburg.
Look at page eight for the big
clothing sale prices. Thornton &
Douglas, Limited.

Geo. W. Sulman is in Toronto at-
tending the meeting of the Retail-
Stationers' Association.
Mr. John Benning, Water street,
is receiving the congratulations of
his friends to-day over the birth of
a little daughter.

Come in and see Penman's ribbed
underwear we have reduced to 50c
per garment. Thornton & Douglas,
Limited.

Mrs. F. Russell passed away sud-
denly at the General Hospital this
morning. The cause of death was
heart failure.

Edwin Hea, of Raleigh, sold to E.
Massey three loads of hogs to-day,
that brought him seven hundred and
fifty dollars. The price paid was
\$8.25 per cwt.

Findlay McKinley, the young man
who was arrested here Saturday
night, and taken to Dresden by Con-
stable Peters, was tried in that place
this morning and acquitted on a
charge of stealing a watch from a
young girl named Parry. The young
man was honorably discharged.

A man named John Vogt came up
in the County Police Court this
morning charged with three offend-
ings of stealing—two horses and a
buggy. He was found guilty and re-
manded for a week for sentence.
The stealing took place in the town-
ship of Zone. The prosecution was
conducted by Crown Attorney H. D.
Smith.

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is the salt of satisfaction for
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Absolutely pure, never cakes.

WALLACEBURG

Wallaceburg, Jan. 16.—Miss Edna
Mickle is supplying for Miss Jennie
Welsh, teacher in the Middle school,
who is suffering from an attack of
tonsillitis.

The choir of the Baptist church
were very pleasantly entertained at
the home of Miss Vada McGregor last
evening.

James Ritchie met with rather a
painful accident yesterday. When
going into the flax factory he slip-
ped and fell, breaking his arm.

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Will inevitably lead on to Consumption unless checked at once.
For curing a long standing cold, nothing quite equals
Glifton's Elixir of Cod Liver Oil
a preparation containing all the active principles of Cod Liver Oil c-
combined with Extract of Malt and the Hypophosphites, and at the same om-
not causing any of those disagreeable digestive disturbances so charac-ter-
istic of the raw oil.
Price 50 Cents a Bottle
Radley's Drug Store, S. F. PARK & CO.
SCANE BLOCK

EARTHQUAKE DEALS DEATH

Terrible Disaster Overtakes
Capital City Of
Jamaica
KINGSTON IS RUINED

New York, Jan. 16.—The Western
Union Telegraph Co. are in receipt of
advice reporting that Kingston, Ja-
maica, has been destroyed by an
earthquake, with much loss of life.
The announcement issued by the
Western Union follows:—
"The Western Union Telegraph Co.
has received advice that communi-
cation with Kingston, Jamaica, is in-
terrupted, also to the Isthmus via Ja-
maica, caused apparently by earth-
quake, and that later advice say
"land line communication is restored
to within five miles of Kingston. Traf-
fic may be accepted at sender's risk,
subject to heavy delay." It is report-
ed that Kingston was destroyed by
earthquake, with much loss of life.
The report reached here through the
cable manager at St. Thomas.

OCCURRED WITHOUT WARNING.
Hamar Greenwood, M.P., Sends Des-
patch to Colonial Office.

London, Jan. 16.—The Colonial
Office last night received confirmation
of the terrible disaster which has
overtaken Kingston, Jamaica, in a
despatch from Hamar Greenwood,
M.P., sent from Holland Bay, at the
east end of the island.

The telegram says that Kingston
has been ruined by an earthquake
which occurred without warning Mon-
day afternoon at 3.30.

A great number of buildings and
dwellings were destroyed, either by
the earthquake or by the consequent
fire.

The military hospital was burned
and forty soldiers are reported to have
been killed, together with several
prominent citizens and many other of
the inhabitants of the city.

Sir James Fergusson Killed.
Sir James Fergusson is reported to
have been instantly killed, but no
other Englishmen, Canadians or
Americans are missing.

The city is quiet, but disciplined
workers are needed.

The governor of the colony, Sir
Alexander Swettenham, assisted by
Sir Alfred Jones, is directing affairs.

The steamer Port Kingston will
leave Thursday with most of the mem-
bers of the party who went out with
Sir Alfred Jones to attend the agricul-
tural conference.

Breakdown of Cable.

The foregoing is the most complete
despatch regarding the Kingston dis-
aster that has been received here.
The absence of details is accounted
for by the breakdown in cable com-
munication, but the announcement
that no Englishmen, Canadians or
Americans are missing will greatly re-
assure the public concerning the fate
of the unusual number of tourists and
others who are spending the winter in
Jamaica, or who were attracted there
by the agricultural and cotton con-
ference.

The party on board the Port King-
ston only arrived at Kingston on Fri-
day last. The Port Kingston, in ad-
dition to the members of Sir Alfred
Jones' party, had other guests and
passengers on board which gave her a
total passenger list of more than 100
persons. Among those in the company
were: Hall Caine, the novelist; Vis-
count Montmorres, H. O. Arnold For-
ster, M.P.; Sir Thomas Hughes, Sir
Thomas Shannan, the Earl and Count-
ess of Dudley and others of equal
prominence.

Will Cause a Shock.

The news of the disaster arrived in
London too late last night to be gen-
erally known to the public, but it is
certain to cause widespread conster-
nation and anxiety, and will bring
home to the imagination of the British
people the terrors of an earth-
quake in a way that even the San
Francisco catastrophe failed to do.

Owing to the active efforts in re-
cent years of Joseph Chamberlain and
Sir Alfred Jones, the commercial de-
velopment of Jamaica has made the
island much better known, and it has
been greatly in favor as a winter re-
sort.

Details of the disaster are lacking
as direct communication with the
stricken city has been cut off, though
the land lines had been reconstructed
to within five miles of Kingston
Tuesday evening.

So far as the reports indicate, the
fatalities number less than 100,
though the hospitals are filled with
injured, and the list of victims may
be materially increased.

Extent of Destruction.

The first great shock was felt about
3.30 o'clock Monday afternoon, and
as in the San Francisco and Val-
paraiso disasters, flames immediately
sprang from the wreckage to carry on
the work of destruction. Tuesday af-
ternoon the fire was still burning, al-
though it was believed to be under
control.

The Myrtle Bank Hotel, the princi-

The Ark

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These are all best quality of Eng-
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Saucers will need to call early.

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H. Macaulay
SPOT CASH. PHONE 159

pal hotel at Kingston, which probably
sheltered the great bulk of visitors on
the island, is reported destroyed.

The extent of the destruction which
has been wrought in Kingston, a city
which already bears the scars of a
number of disastrous visitations of
fire, earthquake and cyclone in years
gone by, is still left largely to the
imagination. The city is one of the
low-lying buildings clustered along
the shores of one of the finest and
most securely landlocked harbors in
the West Indies. The population,
which numbers 60,000, is largely made
up of native blacks.

Many steamers carrying tourists to
Jamaica were en route to the island
when the earthquake occurred, but it
so happens that, according to sched-
ules, none of the ships from New York
or Boston were in Kingston Harbor
Monday afternoon.

Career of Dead Baronet.

Sir James Fergusson, who is report-
ed killed at Kingston, Jamaica, left
London for Jamaica the middle of De-
cember. The Right Hon. Sir James
Fergusson, P.C., LL.D., D.L.J.P., M.P.,
succeeded his father as sixth baronet
in 1849. Born at Edinburgh in 1832
and received his early education at
Rugby, afterwards entering University
College, Oxford. In 1857 he entered
the army, and in the same year was
appointed to the rank of lieutenant of
the Grenadier Guards. He served through
the whole of the Crimean campaign,
including the battles of Alma and In-
kerman, and the siege of Sebastopol.
At the battle of Inkerman he was shot
through the leg. Whilst in the Crim-
ee he was elected M.P. for Ayrshire
in place of Col. Hunter Blair of the
Scotts' Guards, who was killed at In-
kerman. He retired from the army
in 1856 with the rank of captain. His
whole attention was then directed to
politics. In 1857 he was defeated at
the bye-election and lost his seat. In
1859 he contested Sandwich, but was
defeated. In the following year he
was re-elected for Ayrshire. He was
appointed lieutenant-colonel com-
manding the Royal Ayrshire Militia
in 1864, and in 1868 he succeeded as
governor and commander-in-chief of
South Australia. From 1873 to 1875
he commanded the troops in New
Zealand, but resigned the latter to
re-enter the political arena. In this
year he contested Frome and after-
wards in 1878 Greenock, and was de-
feated on both occasions.

He was appointed governor of Bom-
bay in 1880. He held this office until
1885, when he was elected to the For-
eign Office. He afterwards became
Postmaster-General.

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5 Piece Parlor Suite

Birch frames, mahogany finished, upholstered with good
quality figured velours in assorted colors, price during January
Sale only

\$15.75

5 Piece Parlor Suites

Polished mahogany finished frames, upholstered with fancy
figured velour, with plush bands on seats and backs, good
value at \$25, January Sale Price

\$22.50

5 Piece Parlor Suite

Mahogany finish frames, polished, upholstered in fine quality
silk in assorted colors, Special January Sale Price

\$30.00

Rug Suite

5 pieces, hardwood frames, best quality springs, stitched
edges, covered with best quality velvet rugs, trimmed with
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