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May 6. 1907.

The White House,
Washington, Feb. 16, 1907.

My Dear Sir:

It is with regret that I must refuse your kind invitation to be present and speak at your annual banquet.

I have noted with pleasure the good work which your association has done in promoting playgrounds for the national capital. I am especially pleased with the progress of the playground trust. This year's appropriation for the purpose of playground sites, I trust that the bill of Representative Boutell will also go through so that you may be able to secure sites in the various quarters of the city. It is the hope of all of us here and before the price upon them becomes prohibitive. The plan of playground development for the district has been so carefully drawn that I hope it may be carried out substantially without further delay.

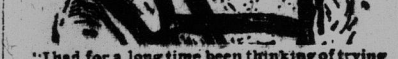
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Sincerely yours,
(Signed) THEODORE ROOSEVELT.
Mr. Cuno H. Rudolph, President,
Washington Playground Association,
City.

A PATHETIC LETTER.

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The best records of the road for similar periods. The figures published yesterday show gross earnings for the ten days of \$1,998,000, as compared with \$1,578,000 during the same time last year, an increase of \$418,000. This is considered an excellent showing, although it is considerably behind the best record for ten days made by the road, which was at the end of last October, when the figures reached \$2,483,000, while the closing ten days of last March totalled \$2,099,000. Only four times in the history of the C. P. R. have its gross earnings for any ten days passed the two million mark, and every one of these has been registered since last September.

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(N. Y. American, May 8.)
With police to guard the body on its

When the party reached the church at the corner of Madison avenue and Forty-fourth street, Mrs. Smith was very nervous and was hardly able to leave the carriage. A crowd of several hundred curious persons surged about the entrance despite the police reserve sent there to keep the approaches clear.

One hundred singers sang the chorale numbers, and the Rev. Dr. Leighton Parks, rector, conducted the Episcopal service.

For several days at least, it is said, pri-

(Toronto World.)

By the expenditure of some \$15,000, some side trips over the line for the latest wrinkles, and the expenditure of a good deal of careful planning on the part of C. B. Foster, district passenger agent, the C. P. R. has evolved at the southeast corner of Yonge and King streets new ticket and executive offices that you will have to travel hard to match in America.

It will be several weeks yet before the last touch is given and the job completed, but already the place has undergone a surprising transformation. The former cramped quarters on the first and second floors have been stretched out until to-day they are capacious, light, airy and

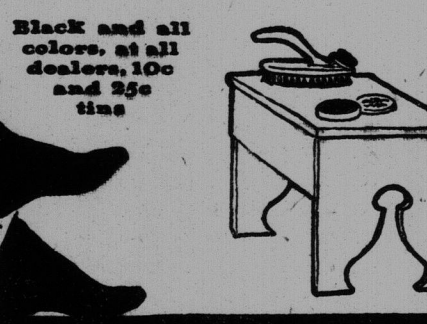
whisks the money and the stuff away. It shoots into the basement and up to the central office on the second floor, where the cashier makes change and returns it to the proper station. Another result is that the book-keeping falls off the shoulders of the clerk, who now at 6 o'clock can put on his hat and go home, without having to worry over a discrepancy between his bunch of cash and what someone else thinks it ought to be.

As the ticket receipts for the city office have more than doubled since 1901, footing up to \$1,000,000 this year, it is apparent that the pneumatic system will be bird-worked.

is a 16-foot parlor, where sleeping car diagrams may be seen. From this a passageway leads into the city passenger agent's office, presided over by Walter Maughan, city passenger agent of the rail department.

A 28-foot counter is to be devoted to the Atlantic steamship service department, and Mr. S. J. Sharp, at present doing the same business at No. 89 Yonge

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Mr. Foster has chosen the sunny corner of the second floor of the building for the staff of the district passenger department. The room is 64 feet long, and the polished concrete running north and south is 32 feet long. Seven double doors are now in position for the executive clerks, and there will be about twenty employees on this floor. The ceilings are decorated with green burlap up to a painted molding, and rows of hanging electric lights dispel the gloom.

This is the first office in America that has installed the pneumatic cash tube system for the exchange of funds between the

Brokers' offices in New York are littered with wires on the weather and the corn. Little is said about stocks, but of course the weather is a factor that can be used for stock market purposes. Yesterday's reports were even more doleful than usual. To judge by the talk heard in the streets, the farmers are so poor that not one bushel of wheat or corn would be garnered in the United States

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