

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Read Page 13 for want, for sale and to let advertisements in this issue. Canon Wade will conduct the services at the Church of the Ascension to-morrow. The Bank of Hamilton is asking for legislation empowering it to grant pensions to employees. Mrs. J. A. Henderson will receive in her new home, 2 Freeman place, on Thursday, Dec. 5th. Mrs. Clarence A. Challen will receive the first Wednesday of each month at her new home, 34 St. Matthew avenue. Mrs. Robert Campbell, Sunnyvale, 14th street west, will receive on the first and second Mondays in December. Toronto merchants and business men who were interviewed to-day seem generally to be well pleased with the new French treaty. The Toronto License Board has notified certain retail liquor merchants that if they continue to employ direct keepers their licenses will be cancelled. The want page, number 13, tells an interesting story. If you want anything, would buy a house, or have lost or found an article, consult page 13 in this issue. The handsome prizes to be given the winners at the poultry show are on exhibition in the Frank E. Walker Co's. windows, corner of King and Catharine streets. Judge Monck sent Alfred Larmer to jail for two months yesterday morning, for failing to obey the order of the court to stay away from his mother's residence. A small fire broke out at the Ontario Engraving Co's. building early this morning which did a little damage before the fire department were able to quell it. Ed. Nugent, Stoney Creek, was sent back to the Asylum to-day, from where he was released a short time ago. He was arrested in Stoney Creek as a dangerous man to be at large. Fred. Nash, Wellington street north, who is employed at the Howell Lithographing Co., had his finger and a portion of his hand cut off while working on one of the machines. The officers and members of St. George's Society have been invited to attend the annual sermon of St. Andrew's Benevolent Society to-morrow evening in St. Paul's Church and are to meet in the school room at 6:30 o'clock. Owing to illness, Rev. T. Albert Moore will not be able to fill his appointments here to-morrow, but the Western Secretary of the Alliance, Rev. W. M. Rochester, will preach in the places he was announced for. Ernest Drackett or Case is still missing and, as he has left nothing behind him in the way of bills to show that he had any reason for leaving, the police think that he has probably put an end to his life. The Secretary-Treasurer of the Labrador Medical Mission sent on Nov. 28, to the Provincial Secretary, \$92.50, received from mite boxes, also donations, from Mr. P. Kidner, \$5; Mrs. Williams, East avenue north, \$1. An informal duck dinner was held at the Jockey Club last evening by the officers of the 11th and 91st Regiments. A very good time was spent in short speeches and good stories, after which they went to the armories, where cards were indulged in. George Lightfoot's stable was entered on Thursday night and a valuable horse standing in its stall was set upon and stabbed in the forehead with a pitchfork, and injured so that it died a short time after. The police are investigating. Mrs. Liberty, Barton street east, left yesterday with her two children for Connaught, Ohio, for a visit to friends, and in the hope of being able to effect a cure for rheumatism from which she suffers. Her many friends will be pleased to see her come back with her former health restored. A number of personal friends of Mr. Walter Harvey, local agent of the Toronto World, who has resigned to accept a position in Shanghai, China, presented him with a purse of gold last night. The presentation took place at the Royal Hotel. Mr. Harvey has made many friends since he came to Hamilton. The pastor of St. James's Presbyterian Church, Rev. T. MacLachlan, B. A., will preach in the morning, on "Christian Fellowship." The Rev. Dr. B. Drummond, B. D., of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, will preach in the evening. A short service of songs before regular service. Seats free. All welcome. A very large crowd gathered in Erskine Church lecture hall on Thursday evening, when the Boys' Club put on a minstrel concert and mock trial. The minstrel programme was replete with songs, jokes and witty sayings. The mock trial was on the topic of Brownie Smythe's breach of promise, was well put on. The hat sale at Waugh's, post-office opposite, closes to-night, twenty per cent. off all hats, three dollar hats to-night two-dollar; two dollar hats, to-night one-dollar; dollar and a half hats, to-night one-dollar; colored shirts from fifty cents. Gloves from seventy-five cents. Underwear from fifty cents. Eugene McCormack, who has been working in Toronto hotels for four years, but who says he was born in Hamilton, was sent to jail for 90 days by Magistrate Denison yesterday for fraud. He collected money, alleging that it was for the widow of a man who had been killed, but did not pay it over. He is also alleged to have represented himself as a nephew of Magistrate Denison. Don't Follow the Crowd. Be first at Fralick & Co's. big sale of clothing, men's coat jackets, sweaters and fancy vests. To-morrow we open new lines of the Glencoe Woollen Co's. bankrupt stock at 50c on the dollar; 84 cent jackets \$2; men's \$3 sweaters and cardigans, 2 \$1.50; men's \$15 suits \$8.98; men's \$18 overcoats \$13.50; men's \$15 overcoats \$9.98. Come early.—Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James north.

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THE WEATHER. FORECASTS.—Easterly winds; cold, with light snow falls. Sunday, strong northwest winds; fair and colder. The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries: Temperature. 8 a. m. Min. Weather. Calgary . . . . . 44 32 Cloudy Winnipeg . . . . . 2 8 Cloudy Parry Sound . . . . . 22 18 Cloudy Toronto . . . . . 26 18 Cloudy Ottawa . . . . . 14 14 Fair Montreal . . . . . 18 16 Fair Quebec . . . . . 10 10 Cloudy Father Point . . . . . 20 18 Cloudy Port Arthur . . . . . 18 14 Cloudy WEATHER NOTES. The shallow depression which was over Saskatchewan yesterday has moved quickly southward, and is now centered in Illinois, and that which was over Florida is now east of North Carolina. The weather is cold and wintry everywhere except in Alberta and British Columbia, and zero temperature prevails in Manitoba. Washington, Nov. 30.—Forecasts: Eastern States and Northern New York: Snow in north, rain or snow in south portion to-night and Sunday; warmer to-night in west and north portion; fresh to brisk northeast winds. Western New York: Snow to-night and Sunday. Lakes Erie and Ontario: Fresh to brisk winds, mostly east; snow to-night and Sunday, except Sunday on western Erie. The following is the temperature as registered at Parke & Parke's drug store: 9 a. m., 25; 12 noon, 33. Lowest in 24 hours, 20. CANADIAN FORECAST OF THIS DATE IN 1906. Forecasts—Strong breezes and moderate local gales, southerly, veering to westerly and northwesterly; mild with a few showers.

STOCK NOTES. Yesterday's New York Herald: Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific refunding 4 per cent. bonds at 104; the investor, at 101-1/4, about \$4.00 per cent. on the capital. Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific refunding 4 per cent. bonds at 93 in November, 1906, returned on the investment about 4-1/2 per cent. At the latest price of 89 for Central Pacific first mortgage bonds the income yielded is about 4.80 per cent. A Central Pacific first mortgage 4 per cent. bonds, which secure the great Burlington property to the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific railroads, returned at 104 last year 4 per cent. on the investment. Chicago, Burlington and Quincy joint 4 per cent. bonds at 95-1/2 return investors about 5.20 per cent. on the purchase money and give them a rare security. East Buffalo, Nov. 30.—Cattle—Receipts 250 head; quiet prime steers, \$5.50 to \$5.85. Veals—Receipts 150 head, active, 25 lower; \$3.00 to \$7.00. Hogs—Receipts, 1,500 head, active, 15c to 25c higher. Heavy mixed Yorkers and pigs \$5.15 to \$5.25; roughs, \$4.40 to \$4.60; dairies, \$5.10 to \$5.25. Canadian finest colored, new, in quats, 61c. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 5,000 head, active and steady, yearlings, \$4.25 to \$4.50; Canada lambs, \$5.25 to \$5.50.

NOTICE CHANGE OF ROUTE. Commencing Sunday, December 1st, 1907, the G. T. R. depot cars will run James street, Herkimer, Locke, King and James to G. T. R. depot. The King street cars will run up Barton to James and down King, alternate cars going Westworth and Sherman to Main. Hamilton Street Railway, C. K. Green, manager.

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NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for the passing of an act to incorporate a Company under the name of THE BANK OF HAMILTON PENSION FUND, for the purpose of securing to employees of the Bank a certain pension according to the nature of the office held by them in the Bank and the duration of their service, and to make provision for their widows and children, with authority to invest and re-invest its funds in such securities as may be approved of by its Board of Directors, and generally such other provisions as may be necessary or expedient in connection with such Pension Fund. Dates at Hamilton in its twenty-second day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven. LEES, HOESON & STEPHENS, Solicitors for the applicants.

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AMUSEMENTS. SAVOY. HAMILTON'S HOUSE OF THEATRE. Week commencing Monday afternoon, Dec. 2. ADVANCED VAUDEVILLE. COGAN AND BANCROFT. Fun in a Roller Rink. THE THREE GEMS, in "Chorus Life."

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J. W. BENGOUGH. Will give a Temperance address illustrated with crayon drawings, in Bennett's Theatre, Sunday Evening. The Meaurio Quartette will sing. Doors open at 8 o'clock. The public cordially invited. Children unaccompanied by parents not admitted. SILVER COLLECTION at the door. THOMAS S. MORRIS, President C. T. E.

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MISS ELLEN YAW. This famous soprano, and Georgiella Law, pianist, will appear at the GRAND next Wednesday night. Prices 50, 75c, \$1 and \$1.50. Seats on sale on Monday morning. \*\*\* THREE \*\*\*

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