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Herbert Kingstone and George Strathy, Toronto boys, 11 and 12 years of age, for prompt action and bravery in jumping into Lake Rosseau and saving a little girl, Muriel Strathy, from drowning on Aug. 8, 1896; bronze medal to each.

Percy and Kenneth Broadhead, Hull, Quebec, boys, for prompt action and gallant conduct in attempting to save a little boy named George Marsden from drowning in Ottawa River, Aprif 10,1896; parchment certificate to each.

Charles Rumsey, a sailor on the schooner Charlotte of Jersey, for very prompt and brave action in jumping from the schooner into the sea at Gaspe, fully dressed, and saving from drowning a lad named Elias Conture, Sept. 5, 1896; special silver medal.

SAVED A TRAMP'S LIFE.

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Edmund Joly de Lotbiniere, Point Platon, Que., for prompt action and brave conduct in jumping into the sea and saving from drowning Edmund Lanageaux, Sept. 12, 1896; bronze medal.

Louis Beauchamp, Hull, Que., for prompt action and gallant conduct in jumping into the canal at Ottawa and saving Joseph Lessard, who was drowning, May 5, 1896; bronze medal. Also for similar conduct in saving many other lives on previous occasions; parchment certificate.

Roland May, St. Catharines, for prompt action and gallant conduct in jumping into the canal and saving Mrs. Lindsay of Ottawa, who had failen from the steamer Lakeside on the night of Sept. 8, 1896; special silver medal.

FOR BRAVERY AND PLUCK.

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Herbert Baskill of Burke's Falls, for prompt action and brave conduct in jumping into the River Magnetawan and saving from drowning a lad named Percy Beck, June 26, 1896; bronze medal.

Miss Isabella Barry of Trafalgar, for prompt action in going to the rescue of an old man named Solomon Caston, who had fallen into the River Credit and would have been drowned, had it not been for Miss Barry's assistance, April 29,1896; parchment certificate.

John Hazell, Fred Depew, Richard Hutchinson and David McGillivray of Hamilton, for prompt and plucky conduct in going to the rescue and saving nine men from drowning by the capsizing of a sailboat in Hamilton Bay, May 17, 1896; parchment certificate.

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The election of officers resulted as follows: Adam Brown, Hamilton, president; J. W. Murton, Hamilton, secretary; Major McLaren, Hamilton treasurer; Mr. S. G. Wood, Toronto; Henry D. Robinson, Niagara Falls; J. M. Robertson, Galt; James Goldie, Guelph; Dean Innes London; Mrs. Lake, Ottawa; Senator Sanford, Hamilton, and presidents of all affiliated societies will compose the Executive Committee. H. P. Dwight, Toronto; A. S. Iring, Toronto; Jos. Green, Richard Fuller, Hamilton; Charles Black, Niagara Falls, investigating governors. Joseph J. Green and Alfred Powis, Hamilton, auditors.

Miss Ethel Smith of Toronto was present to receive the Sanford gold medal.

25 per cent. off all Coats, Jackets, Capes, Ulsters-all this season's goods -all must go this season. SOOTTISH CLAN AND FAMILY TAR TANS-Sharpshooters for Cuba.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 10.—There is being secretly organized in this city a company of sharpshooters, supposed to be under the command of J. W. Proctor, a noted Indian scout, who are to go to Cuba to join the insurgents. Seventy-five men have already been enlisted.

Only those who have had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day; but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure.

An Expedition for Cuba.

Joyce's Bail Estreated.

Arthur W. Joyce, the Yonge-street tailor, did not answer to his name in the Police Court yesterday. A warrant has been issued for his arrest and the \$200 bail estreated.

An Expedition for Cuba.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 10.—A club-of Cuban pale, languid, and unable to stand any exertion. Miller's Compound Iron Pills made her strong and gave her color." 50 doses, 25 cents.

Mr. Benj. Scott, Van Horne, Ont., says: "My heart caused me great uneasiness, my appetite failed and I became very weak and discouraged. Miller's Compound Iron Pills made me color." 50 doses, 25 cents.

VOICES IN THE CAMPAIGN. DRANK DEATH'S DRAUGHT.

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An Inmate of a Poorhouse in Chicago Falls Heir to a Rich Estate in Dublin.

western Railway. Illustrated pampilets and full information will be fursibled on application to W. B. Kniskern, G. P. and T. A., Chicago, III. 51

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That the Gollowing recommendations from the sub-committee on teachers:

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School; Miss M A House, Joses Ketchum:

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That the following transfers be made:

Miss I Forrest, from Bathurst-street to Jusse School; Miss E M School, Miss I Somaris-street School.

That Miss B Haterington be promoted to the position of directress in the Niagara-street School Miss I Board of the School, Miss E M School; Miss M Sc

till de cars.

In conclusion, he urged the societies of maintain Toronto on its pinnacle for Sabbath observance, for it has the citadel fell the same would be the fate of all the outworks.

Nev. G. A. Kuhring next conducted an impressive consecration service, HARDWOOD IS SCARCE and it seems to be referred to a sub-committee. The Kremer-first Company intends to geople who will send a stamped the same standard to the city and its least send to the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city and the city and the city and prices have consected to central part of the city and the city an

California in Three Days.

The "Overland Limited," the famous transcontinental train via the Chicago, Union Pacific and Northwestern Line, leaves Chicago at 6 p.m. every day in the year via the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, and makes the trip to California in only three days. Double drawing room sleeping cars, buffet, emoking and library cars, dining cars and free reclining chair cars are features of the equipment of this perfect train. Tourist sleeping cars are also run through to California and Oregon daily, and personally conducted excursions leave Chicago every Thursday. Agents of connecting lines sell tickets via the Chicago and Northwestern Railway. Illustrated pamphlets and full information will be furnished on application to W. B. Kniskern, G. P. and T. A., Chicago, Ill. 51

THE ONTARIO BEEKEEPERS.



On With A Rush



A PARTICULAR purpose influences us in to-day's store news. We want to emphasize Christmas trade, and how terribly close the day is drawing!

In the big store we are already meeting the requirements of thousands—you'd better join the army of shoppers at once. Next week will open with that tremendous crowding that can be possible only in a store with the wonderful stocks that are found here—everyone wanting to buy their Christmas presents at Simpson's.

We must make room for distinctively holiday goods at every turn, and in this is unfolded much of the point of to-day's store news. You read it in the special mention of mantles, where there is to be a great clearing to make room for further holiday displays.



STARTLING PRICES IN MANTLES SATURDAY

The present season's business in mantles with this store has been three times greater than in any former season. We have reason to be more than pleased with the success of the department. Our concern now is to clear the tables of remaining stocks, in order that further room may be made for the great Christmas trade of the coming week.

Profit is giving us no concern-the immediate room is what is wanted. And here is our earnest of these plain words:

700 Mantles, all this season's goods, will go on sale for the quickest possible

MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS FOR SATURDAY.

\$.25 Men's Rlack Imitation Lamb Caps, close and even curl, well lined and finished, special, 25, 50, and.... 1.40 Boys' Black Persian Lamb Caps, wedge shape, silk lined, special

Boys' Black and Grey Imitation Lamb Caps, nice curl and goods well covered, reg. 65c, for.... Men's Extra Fine Fur Felt Stiff Hats, the very latest and most fashionable styles, lined with heavy satin, best silk bindings, regular \$2.50. Saturday

Men's Nutria Beaver Caps, wedge Shape, heavy, even and rich dark fur, special..... Men's Fine Fur Felt Soft Hats, very latest styles, silk bindings, good leather sweats, our special.....

SATURDAY'S GREAT SALE OF MEN'S SHOES.

SATURDAY SPECIALS IN CHRISTIANS FURTHER STATES AND ASSESSED OF THE STATES A

SATURDAY SPECIALS IN MEN'S FURNISHINGS Hemstitched Initialed Silk Handkerchiefs, 24 in. squ

The Robert Simpson Co., Ltd. 170, 172, 174, 176, 178 Yonge St. S.-W. Corner Yonge and Queen Sts. 1 and 8 Queen St. W.

AGITATOR O'DONOGHUE,

Who is a Civil Servant, Tries to be the Head, Bedy and Tail of the To-

ronto Trades Council. Judas couldn't have done worse! How asked Delegate O'Donoghu e of the sectary of the Municipal Committee at tary of the Municipal Committee at the meeting of the Trades and Labor Council last evening. The remark was called forth by a clause in the Municipal Committee report supporting the asertion of Secretary Timms of the Municipal Committee in his letter to the Mayor that the Legislative Committee were not authorized to appear as representing the views of the Trades and Labor Council to the City Council to secure protective labor clauses in the Street Railway agreement.

"The man who divulges the pass to the enemy is shot as a spy," he went on. The speaker claimed that the Legislative Committee had been given such powers, and thought that the action of Delegate Timms was due to his blased views on the Sunday car question.

Delegate Timms asked: "Would Delegate Timon he represents here?"
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Delegate O'Donoghue kindly tell us what Labor Union he represents here?"
Delegate O'Donoghue replied that that was not the matter in question. He did, however, belong to a very old organization.

PROMPTLY STRICKEN OUT.

Leading Merchants.

It was learned yesterday with regret that Mr. George McPherson will remove to Montreal immediately after the first of the New Year. Mr. McPherson's large shoe interests in the metropolis make the present change imperative. The retail store at 186 to Yonge-street will be taken over by the McPherson Shoe Company of Montreal, who will close out Mr. McPherson's magnificent stock here. Mr. Stafford Higgins (one of the company) will conduct the sale of the goods.

Wax Candles for Christmas.

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Among other suggestions adopted in the above report was one advising the council to ask for legislation prohibiting the Beli Telephone Co. from employing women or children in the hours not allowed by the Factory Act. Another called attention to the overcrowding of the Street Railway cars, particularly on Yonge-street. It sanctioned the City Council to adhere in every way to the present regulations contained in the labor clause of the Act relating to the Street Railway Company. The City Council were asked to empower the Street Railway to build bridges and approaches to the Island, in consideration of a release for use of the Island roadbeds.

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The Peterboro firm who employed cheap "scab" labor on the ill-fated York-street bridge came in for a roast in the Legislative report. This report also asserted that the deputations from Brantford and Port Hope re the manufacture of binder-twine in the Central Prison "savored strongly of political party strategy." The movement, it continued, only originated after a change of Government in Ottawa.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE .

HIGH-CLASS FURS

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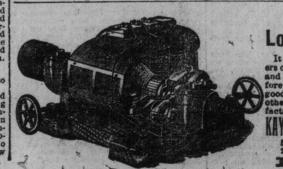
MR. J. HARRIS begs to inform his numerous customers and friends that he has taken the premises

No. 65 King - Street West, where he intends during the remainder of this month to offer his large stock of HIGH-CLASS FURS (which has accumulated in consequence of the mild

weather) at a reduction of from 25 to 50 per cent below list price, in order to effect a speedy clearance, and those contemplating purchasing Furs of any description are respectfully invited to see our stock before going elsewhere Below will be found a few of the bargains:

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