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FOUND DEAD IN HIS CHAIR.

His Housekeeper, an Invalid, Could Not Call Assistance.

Dundas School Board Has Two More Resignations on Hand

And Another Outbreak of Scarlet Fener Causes Trouble

Dundas, Dec. 1.-An old resident of the town, Michael Cronin, was found dead yesterday afternoon. For a number of years Miss Charlotte Westover had kept house for Mr. Cronin, but she has been an invalid for a year and Mr. Cronin had waited upon her. When he died suddenly she was unable to move to nouty anyone and

unable to move to notify anyone and he had been sitting in his chair, dead, for several hours before any other person came to the place.

The Board of Education is having its own troubles these days. Added to the difficulty of securing a High school principal to succeed Mr. Saunders, is the task of securing two Public school teachers to take the places of Miss Seymour and Walter Call, who are resigning, the latter to take a of Miss Seymour and Walter Call, who are resigning, the latter to take a more lucrative position in Galt.

Just when it was thought that the scarlet fever epidemic had been stamped out and the schools had been re-opened, a fresh outbreak occurred and the Isolation Hospital is crowded beyond its capacity. Five cases were reported on Saturday last alone and every day adds to the number. Nelson Duncombe, of Waterford, has been in town looking about with a view to establish another barber shop here.

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M. J. Masterton, an old Dundas boy and a former resident with his parents on the Governor's road, now of Chicago, paid the town a short visit this week.

The Hydro-Electric building is being pushed rapidly towards completion. The roof is now being put on. Towns Bros., grocers, had a plate glass window broken on Thursday evening by a boy whom they had refused a cent to use in the peanut slot bcx. The boy who did the damage by throwing a stone is said to be deficient in intellect.

Mrs. Horace Foster, of Brampton, is a visitor with her brother, Wm. E. Lyons. day last, continues to attract capacity congregations to all the services. Rev. Fathers O'Connor and Caton, the priests in charge, are two of the most powerful and eloquent speakers of the order and their able discourses have made a very deep impression. Last night Rev. Father Caton preached a purity sermon, in which he mentioned that public sentiment was fighting race track gambling, intemperance and other evils, but, he expressed regret that public sentiment was not more united in stamping out a far worse evil, one that was sapping the life of the young people of the nation. To-night there will be a sermon on temperance.

Lyons.

Mr. Fred Gayler has been permanently engaged as choir leader by the officials of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Hilts, widow of the late Rev.

Mr. Hilts, Methodist minister, formerly of Dundas, died in Buffalo on Monday, at the age of 84 years. Her remains were interred in Grove cemetery beside those of her late husband to-day.

FOR CHILDREN.

Much Business at Monthly and Quarterly Meetings.

The regular monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society was held in the pariors of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon, and after business was disposed of the quarterly meeting was held, at which were present delegates from several of the churches in the city. Mr. Adam Brown was in the chair.

At the Executive meeting there was a larger amount of business disposed of than at any meeting of the society. Quite a number of children have been placed in foster homes and two children were handed over by the Magistrate to the care of the society.

At the quarterly meeting a number of reports from visitors of the society to wards in their foster homes were read The regular monthly meeting of the

S. F. Cherrier, of this city, and for many years was herself a resident of Hamilton. She was 81 years of age, and for the past twenty years was a resident of the Abbey. Previous to her removal from Hamilton she was housekeeper for the late Donald O'Brien. Three nephews, live in this city, J. L., Leo and J. D. Charrier. Among those present at her funeral were: Rev. Father Cherrier, Rev. Vicar-General Mahoney, Rev. Father Arnold and Rev. Father Walsh, of Toronto.

John Gratton, for the last two years a resident at the House of Refuge, passed away at that institution on Monday evening, at the age of 83 years. Deceased was a native of Nottingham, England, and is survived by a wife who is also

wards in their foster homes were read and almost every one was highly satisfactory. It was certainly a reward to all engaged in this work for the labor they have given it.

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The President drew attention of the meeting to a series of leaflets "Duty and Discipline" on the training of children, and it was ordered that a set be obtained for each of the directors and delegates.

The subject was then discussed as to the best method of fully informing the people generally of the work of the Children's Aid Society. It was decided on motion of Mrs. Levy, seconded by

The remains of Henry Thorpe in Hard

on motion of Mrs. Levy, seconded by Mrs. Wm. Hendrie, that the clergy of all denominations be requested to preach a sermon some time in January, on the work of the Children's Aid Society, and that after those sermons have been at which his Honor the Lieut.-Governor the father of the organization, Mr. J. J. Kelso, and others, should be asked to the father of the organization, Mr. J. J. Kelso, and others, should be asked to speak, and thus enlist the practical sympathy and co-operation of the entire community, as every one in this city ought to know all about the society, what it has done, what it is doing.

LAST TRIP TO TORONTO.

The staunch steamer Macassa will make the last trip of a long and successful season on Saturday next, December 4th. She started this season on April 1st, making from one to three round trips daily between this city and Toronto, and in all the months missed but one trip, and that on account of bad weather. For the balance of the week she will leave at her regular hours. Hamilton 9 er. For the balance of the week she will leave at her regular hours, Hamilton 9 a. m., Toronto 4.30 p. m. The usual re-turn and 50c single fares are still in force. The steamer is steam heated

FATAL FALL.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 1.—As the result of a fall on a slippery pavement several days ago, Mrs. Josephine Burgar is dead. Her hip was fractured. The remains will be sent to Port Burwell, Ont., for burial. Mrs. Burgar is survived by a son and a daughter.

Just Rec.

A Smoker's Christmas Box.

Some fine cigars in small boxes are offered at peace's cigar store. He has Arabelas, Marguerites, Barristers, J. C. P's., Club Specials and many other popular brands. Get a box of good cigars at lateral transportation. HYSLOP ESTATE

At Osgooda Fig.

Just Received.

A fresh stock of Whitelaw's sanitary paper diapers. They are soft and strong, and perfectly absorbent.

To be worn inside the regular diaper at Hamilton. No one contra. Motion thrown away or burnt when soiled. Put ap in packages of 50 and sold for 65c.—

Parke & Parke, druggists.

Lawrason for James Heslop, moved for order amending order of Anglin, J., of 28th May, 1908, dispensing with payment into court of balance in hands of committee, and allowing it to be deposited in some chartered bank, and to confirm report, of local master at Hamilton. No one contra. Motion as to dispensing with payment in court refused. Report confirmed in other respects.

HOUSE OF LORDS VS. THE PEOPLE.

Great Campaign of Oratory to Begin---Elections In January --- All Parties In Fray.

London, Dec. 1.—The political crisis caused by the unprecedente daction of the House of Lords in refusing its consent to the Government's budget, is developing rapidly. The Cabinet, which had already determined upon the policy it would pursue in this event, had an unusually early meeting this morning to consider the wording of a motion which Premier Asquith will ask the House of Commons to adopt. This motion will constitute a remonstrance against what the Liberals contend was an invasion by the peers of the rights of the Lower House.

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AT ST. ANNE'S.

Dominican Fathers Conducting a

Successful Mission.

The mission, conducted by Domin-

ican fathers from New York, which

opened in St. Anne's Church on Sun-

day last, continues to attract capacity

OBITUARY.

Funeral of the Late Miss Cherrier

The remains of Miss Juienne Cherrier,

who died in Toronto at Loretto Abbey

on the 9.55 a, m. train, and were taker

directly to Holy Sepulchre cemetery for

interment. The deceased was a sister of

Among those present at her funcral

and is survived by a wife, who is also a resident of the House of Refuge. The funeral will take place at 3.30 p. m. to-morrow from 40 Strachan street east.

The remains of Henry Thorpe Clute tere laid at rest this morning in Ham-iton cemetery. The service was held at Blachford & Son's parlors, from where the funeral took place. Rev. W. H. Sedgewick officiated.

ACTION FOR LIBEL.

A writ has been issued in the High court by H. D. Petrie, acting for H. E. Elmer, against Wegenast & Trunan for unstated damages for libel. The plaintiff claims that the defendints distributed letters which injured is business. The plaintiff was an asurance agent and the defendants were agents for another company.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday—J. W. Lawrason for James Heslop, moved for order amending order of Anglin, J., of 26th May, 1908, dispensing with payment into court of balance in

The funeral of Albert George McArdle took place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from his late residence, 116 Bay street north, to Hamilton cemetery. Rev. S. M. Jones, of Beamsville, officiated at both services. The pall-bearers were: H. A., William and Norman McArdle, Andrew O'Grady, and Frederick and Norman Clark.

Street Church.

It was the regular half-yearly cradle ril celebration in the Barton Street Methodist Church last night. There was a large gathering, as this is one of the most popular departments of work in connection with the aggressive church. The local branch of the W. M. S. under The local branch of the W. M. S. under the local branch of the local branch of

on Monday, arrived here this morning

at Holy Sepulchre

President of the Board of Trade, who are held chiefly responsible for the budget, and Lord Lansdown and J. Austen Chamberlain, the most ardent opponents of the Government's measure, will deliver speeches.

In many respects the impending (Continued on Page 5.)

Surprised Elopers

Chicago, Dec. 1 .- As two youth

ful elopers who feared the paren-

tal wrath slipped into a down

town hotel last night the father

of the bride, W. A. Campbell, step-

ned from behind a pillar and con-

fronted them. Young Mr. and

Mrs. Lee Roy Walston shrank

back, for they had been dodging

the imagined ire of Mr. Campbell

all day. Mr. Campbell raised his

hand, but it was in signal to the orchestra, which at once struck up

the familiar chords of the wed-

ding march from "Lohengrin." In

fellow and take his medicine like a man," as Mr. Campbell expressed it the father in-law had also

invited thirty of Dr. Walston's

class mates to join the young peo-

"As a matter of fact, I have

not a great deal to say," remark-

ed Mr. Campbell, "inasmuch as I

eloped with my girl's mother when

C. O. C. F.

Grand Executive Meeting In This

City To-day.

The Grand Executive Committee of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends

is meeting in this city, the following being present: Alex, Morris, Grand

Councillor, sheriff of the county of Ren-

frew, Pembroke, Ont.; F. J. Fitzgerald,

Councillor, London, Ont.: A. W. Adams,

Grand Representative. Toronto, Ont.;

CRADLE ROLL

Annual Entertainment In Barton

Street Church.

The local branch of the W. M. S., under whose auspices the work is carried on, claim to have the largest cradle roll membership in Canada. The roll now numbers about 300.

The entertainment last night was given by the graduates of the roll and a few seniors under the direction of the superintendent. Mrs. George H. Faulknor. The church was beautifully decorated with the colors of the cradle rollers. A special feature was the cradle which hung over the platform. Many of the young performers did their work so well that they were recalled by the enthusiastic audience. The pastor of the church, Mr. Livingston, occupied the chair. A splendid offering was received.

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A feature of the programme worthy of
special mention was the "Little Light
Bearers," consisting of 22 boys and
girls specially trained by Miss Newton,
the competent deaconess of the church.

Time is Getting Short.

Grand Vice-Councillor, London, E. T. Essery, LL. B., K. C., Past Grand

I was 19 years old, and she was

ple at supper.



W. M. M'CLEMONT. Who was installed as President of St. Andrew's Benevolent Society last

The Man In Overalls

"You can't keep a good man down," said the gentleman, as he stepped into the up going James street incline car.

When you see a crowd of young people looking into the windows of the jewelry stores you may be sure that Christmas is coming.

Parents who live near the John street crossing of the T., H. & B. will do well to warn their children of the dangers to be met with at that crossing. I have with mine own eyes seen one or two rather narrow escapes of children from harm or death.

Now if the power question could be lifted out of the papers for next six months few readers would object.

In former times some people used to sing another song, but Mr. Sing is right when he says that the city should own the waterfront.

If you are not thankful for the fine weather we are being favored with you must be very ungrateful.

Sam Small talks about His Satanic Majesty as if he were in the habit of taking tea with him. Now that the Isolation Hospital has

been declared non-contagious, the people living in the vicinity can sleep with their windows open.

It would be just like you to leave your Christmas shopping to the last week, or the last day.

Another warning. See that the dampers are all right. Also that the furnace is not leaking. The Herald was crowing last night, but it may yet have to eat crow.

Drownings through the ice have already begun. What will the harvest be?

Thirty years is a long time for a con-ract to run. Where will we all be

. That trip to Europe has got my friend, the Muser, into all sorts of trouble. Better throw the diary into the ash barrel. Those young fellows who will eat their Christmas dinner in Central Pri-son might have been a credit to them-selves and to their friends had they stuck to honest labor. The lesson will have to be learned.

The Liberal Club rooms are open every evening. Are you a member?

have to be learned.

Grand Representative, Toronto, Ont.; Rev. A. J. Paul, Grand Representative, Sudbury, Ont.; A. R. Hassard, Grand Representative, Toronto, Ont.; Major H. J. Snelgrove, Grand Representative, Cobourg, Ont. The foregoing are all members of the committee, and the others present are Wm. F. Montague, Grand Recorder; J. H. Bell, M. D. Grand Medical Examiner, and W. F. Campbell, jun., Grand Organizer, all residents of this city. The most important business is the matter of the investment of the surplus funds of the society and the consideration of tenders, for the general printing and for the publication of the official paper of the society. I understand that Dr. Carr can be President of the organization if he is willing to pay the price.

Twenty-four days to Christmas. I feel it in the air. See the stores.

There are smells and smells, but the fertilizer kind would be none the worse of some perfumery mixture to make it less disagreeable to our olfactory nerves.

Stand Scotland where she did? Sur-

WATTS-ILES.

Yesterlay at 2.30 a quiet wedding was solemnized at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, when Rev. S. Daw united in marriage May Gertrude, only daughter of H. C. and Mrs. Hes. Caroline street of H. C. and Mrs. Hes. Caroline street south, to Norman Watts, of this city. The bride was given away by her father. Miss Alice Patterson was bride-maid, and C. A. Hes, brother of the bride, was groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. Watts left for a short trip to Detroit, and on their return will reside in this city. A Smoker's Christmas Present

A fancy tin of high grade smoking ixture would be a nice present for a

smoker. The best pipe tobaccos are sold for 20, 25, 40, 50, 75c a tin at peace's cigar store, 107 king street east. STOWE-BAKER.

A quiet wedding took place at 291 Locke street south yesterday, when John G. Stowe was united in marriage to Miss Emily Myrtle Baker. They were accompanied by Miss Lily Baker, sister of the bride, and Mr. Jos. Cook. The ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock by the Rev. T. MacLachlan, B. A., of St. James' Presbyterian Church.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

OBSOLETE BEFORE EVER BEING USED.

Such Is an Expert's Declaration About the Indian Fined \$25 and New New \$175,000 Sewer System.

City Engineer Macallum will recommend the new Board of Control next year to engage a sewer expert to lay out a sewerage and disposal plant that the next forty years. He thinks it will be money well spent. Had this been done before the present east end annex system was built at a cost of about \$175,000, the city would probably have been saved a lot of money, and avoided some of the manufacturers in the annex find that they will be obliged to instal tanks on their own premises to treat sewage from their factories. Mr. Macallum points out there there are certain acids in the water turned into the sewers from some of the factories that

would destroy the action of the bacteria in the settling tanks. This would crip-ple the system, and before the different pie the system, and before the different premises are connected a careful exam-ination of the sewage will have to be made. The information will be of inter-est to the manufacturers who have been waiting patiently for the new plant to be put in operation. They were promis-ed sewer accommodation over a year ago.

ago.
The new \$175,000 system, which will next not be ready for operation until next summer, is declared by one of the most summer, is declared by one of the most competent sewer experts in the country to be obsolete already. Mr. Macallum admits that there are many improvements that might have been made while the plant was being constructed if expert advice had been sought, but he thinks that with some minor changes the system will give satisfaction. The work was done before he came to Ham-(Continued on Page 10.)

WAS SUDDEN.

Financial Agents of Catarac Want Legislation Disallowed.

ELECTRIC.

THE HYDRO

(Special Wire to the Times.) Ottawa, Dec. 1.-R. M. Hutchins r., representing N. W. Harris & Co., of New York, who hold six millions of the bonds of the Dominion Power & Transmission Company, of Hamilton, was in Ottawa yesterday to see Sir Wilfrid Laurier and urged the Dominion Government to disallow the Hydro-Electric legislation of the Ontario Government for the establishtario Government for the establishment of a government power enterprise which would, he said, very seriously interfere with the security of the investments in private power undertakings established without expectation that there would be government competition and a radical interference with vested interest.

Sir Wilfrid stated that the question had already been brought to the attention of the Government by various deputations recently in Ottawa.

AT ST. MARK'S

Local Chapter of Brotherhood Held Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the local assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew was held last evening in St. Mark's par ish house, and had an attendance of 101 members, the largest number at any meeting during the year. The meeting meeting during the year. The meeting was opened by Rev. Canon Sutherland, who gave one of the most stirring addresses that the brotherhood ever listened to. He spoke on "Lukewarmness," and said that the brotherhood ought to put more faith and work into the society. The annual reports were presented by the secretaries of the different chapters, showing the good work that had been done throughout the year. The report of the local council dealt with the work of the various assembly meet. the work of the various assembly meetings and of what was being done among the inmates of the hospital and jail.

The officers for the local assembly were elected as follows: H. E. McLaren,

were elected as follows: H. E. McLaren, Ascension Chapter, President: Chas. W. Hemming, St. Mark's Chapter, Vice-President: A. R. Lanceley, Cathedral Chapter, Secretary: Frederick Lamb, St. Mark's Chapter, Treasurer,
Among those present were: Rev. Canon Sutherland, sub-dean; Rev. Canon Abbott, Rev. W. G. Davis, Stoney Creek: Rev. H. G. Archbold, Rev. T. H. Perry, The members of St. Mark's Chapter served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

KNOX MISSION.

Annual Banquet of the Men's League Last Night.

Enthusiasm and fun were rampant at the second annual banquet of the Men's League of Knox Mission, held last even-League of Knox Mission, neld last even-ing. The tables were daintily arranged by a number of ladies of the congrega-tion and a wealth of color was formed by the artistic decorations. Among the guests were the members of the Knox Mission Football League and also repre-Mission Football League and also representatives from many other football clubs in the city. Mr. Ralph Douglas was the toastmaster and those who responded were J. W. Nelson, W. J. Robinson, Y. M. C. A., Wm. Monk, manager of Erskine football team, and Rev. H. D. Cameron. All spoke along the lines of the importance of the proper care of the body, and advised the boys to refrain from anything that would make them. body, and advised the boys to refrain from anything that would make them unfit to carry out the duties of this life. William Oblender was at the piano and his playing added much to the pleasure of the evening. At the conclusion of the addresses, George Hobson, manager, and C. Midwinter, captain, on behalf of the Knox Mission football team, thanked the members of the League for the pleasure evening that had been spent.

After the banquet a special meeting of the Football Club was held and Geo. Holson was re-elected as manager for the coming year.

Death of Mrs. O'Connor a Shock to Her Friends.

Sudden and peculiar was the death of Mrs. Augusta May O'Connor, third daughter of the late Mr. William H. Mills, which occurred vesterday evening Mills, which occurred yesterday evening at her home on the mountain brow. Deceased was preparing to go out with her husband and had gone upstairs for a few moments, when she was visited by the inevitable. Some years ago she had suffered at different times with trouble in her head, but for the past few months had been in apparently good health. She is survived by a husband, who is sales manager at the Hamilton Steel & Iron Co. She formerly resided at 144 Jack-research west. formerly resided at 144 Jack-et west. The funeral will take on street west on Friday at 2.30 p. m., and will

BAPTIST S. S.

Herkimer Street Church Had Anniversary Entertainment.

Last evening the anniversary of the Herkimer Baptist Sunday School was continud in the form of the annual entertainment. A crowded audiece thoroughly enjoyed the following programme: Piano solo, Irene Pollington; recitation, Mabel Pollington; duet, Jones twins; piano soo, May Gibbs; recitation, Maria Jackson; chorus, Mr. A. Frid's class; recitation, Kathleen Ellis; chorus, Maria Jacason; chorus, Mr. A. Frida class; recitation, Kathleen Ellis; chorus, Miss Richardson's class; dialogue, Miss Marsh's class; recitation, Flosie Sharrett; recitation. Winnie Creek; chorus, Mr. Sharrett's class; recitation, Edith Creek; chorus, Miss B. Clutton's class; tableau, Mrs. McDermid's class; piano solo, Harry Culver; dialogue, Leslie aud-Dydney Aris; recitation, Eva Gibbs; solo, Harry Eggleton; dialogue, Lawrence Smith and Earl Frid; chorus, Mr. A. Frid's class; recitation, Martha Graham; dialogue, Miss Campbell's class; recitation, Muriel Eggleston; solo, Lena Jackson; recitation, Madeline Williams; original dialogue, "School Days," —. Fleicher and S. H. Smith; dialogue, Mr. Sharrett's class; recitation, Miss Ethel Smith.

M.4D COW.

Was Bitten by Mad Dog and Will be Killed at Once.

ondon. Ont., Dec. 1.—A very valuable prize cow belonging to Wm. Colvin, a cli-known breeder, of Delaware, went mai yesterday, as a result of having been bitten by a dog some time ago. Do-ninion Government inspectors have been notified and the cow is in quarantine and will be killed as soon as they see it. The dog was destroyed.

THE SHRINERS.

Great Gathering of Masons From All Over at London

(Special Wire to the Times.) on, Ont., Dec. I .- All roads lead ng to London to-day and hundreds of riners from Toronto, Buffalo and in ermediate points are pouring into the semi-annual gathering of Mocca Temple, which commences this evening and will continue all night. Illustrious Potentate A. L. Davis states that it will be entest Masonic gathering held here is ars. Buffalo Shriners are bringing th them bands and their famous pat with them

A POPULAR YOUNG LADY.

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\$15,000 VIOLIN.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—The renowned stradivarius with which Fritz Kreistler has entranced the world for seyeral years and which is known as the greatest of concert violins, has been nurchased by a local music house. The stradivarius is conservatively valued at \$15,000.

A SAD SCENE IN OLD COURT

When Blue Eyed Boy Was Sent Away For a Year.

Revolver Confiscated.

Boys Who Wantonly Shot Dog Fined \$25 Each.

"A wise son maketh a glad father." So said the wise man Sol

Norman Freeman, 97 John orth, a 16-year-old youth, was not wise and as a result his father, mother and seven brothers and sisters are heavy of heart, for that blue-eyed boy, that thing of great possibilities, was arraigned this morning at Police Court charged with the theft of \$100 from his father. pleaded guilty, and at the parental request will go to the house of correction

for boys at Mimico for one year. After the court was cleared the father had a talk with the boy. What was said is sacred, but the tears poured down the lad's cheeks, and the father's head, white with the frost of age, was bowed in sor

row.

Last night Detective Campbell brought the boy back from Windsor. Only \$27.60 remained of the \$100 stolen, the \$72.40 was spent in having a whirl in the ring of prodigality, in company with another boy.

Wallace Sterling, an Indian, left Hagersville yesterday morning for Sundridge, Ont., where he intended to spend the winter with a relative. He thought it winter with a relative. He thought it was essential to be protected; so when he arrived in this city he purchased an automatic firing 32-calibre eight chamber revolver, for the exclusive purpose, he said, of protecting his red anatomy in the wilds of Sundridge. The purchase was made in the early morning. At 11.30 his train left for Sundridge, but he was not on beaut. Furture a deposit licensed. not on board. Entering a depot licensed to sell thirst assuagers, he called for distilled goods. The law said men of his tribe must not be served, so he was re-fused. Forthwith, the bartender said, he fused. Forthwith, the bartender said, he pulled out the new shooter, and obligingly offered to make the bartender a receptacle for bullets. Detective Bleakley nabbed the red man, and on his person found the revolver. Every chamber was loaded, and in his pocket were about 200 cartridges. Wr G. C. Thomson, for the defence sleaded quilty.

the defence, pleaded guilty.
The Indian was fined \$20 and his revolver was confiscated, much to his chag

Bert Pilling and Don Roberts shot Albert Waite's pet fox terrier. They shot it wantonly, for pure mischief—or out of gross cruelty. They pleaded guilty through the counsel, Mr. J. Schelter. Each was fined \$25, and the money must Each was fined \$25, and the money must be paid over to the court until Waite can establish his claim that the dog was worth \$40, as he said it was. The case came up yesterday for hearing, and Waite said it had been settled out of court, but the Magistrate said it hadn't, because he knew nothing about a settle-ment.

ment.

Mr. Schelter said this morning in pleading for his clients that they of fered to pay complainant \$40, the amount he claimed as his loss.

ST. PETER'S

Annual Meeting of the Infirmary Held on Monday.

The nineteenth annual meeting of St. Peter's Infirmary and Home for Incurables was held in the office of the John ables was held in the office of the John Stinson estate at 3 o'clock on Monday. The warden, Rev. J. W. Tenflyck, was in the chair. The financial report for the year closing September 30 was very satisfactory, showing a surplus over expenditure during the year. In all 30 had been cared for. There had beer seven admissions, five deaths and sever discharges, leaving 18 in residence at the close of the year. Seventeen came from the city of Hamilton, ten from the County of Wentworth and three from there in the close of the year. Seventeen came from the city of Hamilton, ten from the County of Wentworth and three from other municipalities. According to nationality, seven were Canadian, fifteen English, one Irish, six Scotch and one West Indian. The Board of Management for the ensuing year is composed of the following members: Rev. J. W. Tenflyck, warden; F. W. Gates, juntereasurer; H. P. Bonny, secretary Messrs P. D. Crerar, K. C., R. A. Lucas, C. S. Wilcox, Rev. Samuel Daw, R. H. Labatt, David S. Gillies, W. J. Hobson, W. H. Connolly, Mrs. McGiverin, Mrs. F. D. Crerar, Miss Wilcox, Miss Browne, Mrs. Robt. Evans, Mrs. R. A. Lucas, Mrs. Wen. Southam, Mrs. Thos, Geoghegan, Mrs. Henry Burkholder. The thanks of the meeting were given to all those who in various ways had aided in making the operation of the infirmary so successful. tinson estate at 3 o'clock on Monday.

MEN RESCUED.

Duck Town, Ten., Dec. 1.—The sight men who were imprisoned in the London Mine of the Tennessee Copper Co., yesterday as a result of a shaft house fire, were brought to the surface early to-day little the worse of their trying experience.

NOT YET DECIDED.

Mr. Budimir Protich has not yet de cided to accept the position of Provin-cial interpreter for Saskatchewan. He has written to the Attorney-General of that Province, stating the conditions on which he will accept. Meanwhile there are rumors of efforts being made to re-