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HAND-SEWERS AND MACHINE OPERA tors wanted to work on coats. Apply G Bartmaun, Sanford's new building, 25 John st. (

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GOOD SEWER WISHES WORK BY THE day. Apply Box 16 Times office. WANTED-THREE CANS OF MILK daily. Box 14. Times office.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE. OR SALE-THREE STORES ON YORK street, 66 feet frontage to Merrick street, pply 68 York street. F YOU WANT TO SELL REAL ESTATE of any description, use the For Sale column of the Times.

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LOST SATURDAY-FUR COLLAR. RE-ward 24 Victoria avenue north.

L OST-FUR COLLAR OF LADIES' CAPE \$10 REWARD WILL BE PAID FOR the discovery of the lady who borrowed a hand-bag or satched from Mrs. Phillips, at Rock's hotel, on or about the 8th inst., 130 Wood

L money Saturday night between Canada grocery and Barton on James. Reward, this office.

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MONEY TO LOAN—ON HOUSEHOLD furniture, pianos and other chattels with-out removal. Easy terms of payment. M. P. Shine, No. 9 MacNab street north. IF YOU ARE MOVING OUT OF THE city we will pack your furniture, lift and clean your carpets. It is a good time now to have mattresses renovated or furniture recovered. Theo, LeMessurier, 104 King west, Telephone 1375.

WANTED-ALL KINDS OF CAST OFF clothing and carpets. Highest price paid for children's clothing. Pay for good dark pants \$1.00 up. Orders promptly attended to. Mrs. Mombhatt, & John street south.

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See Miss Pargeter's fine stock of hair
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With the largest and finest assorted stock of Watches, Jewelry, Sterling Silver Novelties that is possible to find in this Our store is the headquarters for holi-

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Whole Wheat, 14c pkg.; Granose Flakes, 14c per pkg.; Grape Nuts and Ralston Break-fast Foods; Rolled Oats, 4 lbs for 10c. Another consignment of Heinz's Sauer Kraut at 10c per quart.

II6, II8 and I20 King Street West.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-Weekly Times. 50c first Insertion. 25c for each subsequent insertion.

### MARRIAGES.

TEWART-HOWE.—At the residence of William M. Stewart, 66 Emerald street north, on the 23th inst., by the Rev. John Young. C. W. Stewart of St. Catharines, to Nellie, youngest daughter of the late Mrs. Sarah Ann Howe.

### DEATHS

SLAUGHTER.—In this city, on Dec. 25th.
Mrs. Sarah Slaughter, relict of the late Join
Slaughter, in her fith year.
Funeral will take place from her late resenere, No. 3 Mulberry sincet, on Thursday
ances please accept this intimation.

### BANKING.

### THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

Deposits received and interest allowed. General banking business transacted. STUART STRATHY, Manager N.B.—Also open Saturday night from 7 to 9

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Light color in infusion—will outdraw any apan tea grown. Although similar in flavor

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# How's This?

hander, Mrs. Lines; Commander, Mrs. Foster; Lieutenant Commander, Mrs. Roussoaux; Record Keeper, Mrs. McMahon; Chaplain, Mrs. Gill; Physician, Dr. Baugh; Sergeant, Mrs. Aute; Mistress at Arms, Miss Hanley; Sentinel, Mrs. Sweeney; Picket, Mrs. Daver. Davey.

Lady (sitting for protrait) — And make my mouth small, will you, ever so small? I know it is quite large, really, but make it quite tiny, will

you?"
Artist (politely)—Certainly, madam.
If you perfer it I will leave it out altogether.

—The Hospital authorities acknowledge the receipt of book for children's ward from Miss Burrows' class; \$2.50 from Miss Robertson's Bible class, Hannah Street Church; scrap books from Wentworth kindergarten children, and books from the Ministering Children's League of St.

-Edward Evans, foreman of the Bell Telephone Company's construction gang, burt his back while lifting a pole this morning, and was taken to the City Hospital. The injury is not

fast Foods; Rolled Oats, 4 lbs for 10c. Another consignment of Heinz's Sauer Kraut at 10c per quart.

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Serious.

The thoughts that come often unsought and, as it were, drop into the mind, are commonly the most valuable of any we have, and therefore should be secured, because they seldom return again,—Locke.

# STRENGTHEN POSITIONS.

Roberts and Kitchener Leave Gibraltar for Cape Town.

## METHUEN REPORTS CONDITIONS UNCHANGED

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New Orleans.

London, Dec. 27.—The War Office here has received the following despatch from tape Town, dated Tuest day, Dec. 26th: "There is no changed in the situation. Metiuen reports that the enemy's force has increased and a half miles from his outlying pickets. "Mechaner recombing three and a half miles from his outlying pickets. "Mechaner recombined with two squadrons of mounted infantry for two miles along the line, and drew the fire of four guns and two Vickers machine guns. Four horses were hit. "The Queen's Christmas message was received with enthasiasm. "Gatacre is endeavoring to re-open commanusation with the Indwe collieries."

Ladysmith Cheerfut.

New York, Dec. 27.—The World to-

Ladysmith Cheerful.

New York, Dec. 27.—The World today has a despatch dated Tietermaritzburg, Dec. 24, which was sent by its correspondent in Ladysmith by heliograph to Hetagmaritzburg. The despatch says: "Although, expected relief has been delayed, Gen. Sir Geo. White feels no anxiety. The garrison has an ample store of provisions. The health of the troops continues good, considering the season.

"Officers and men are in excellent spirits, and will render a good account of themselves in any public event.

"The Boers made an attack on the Eritish left, but the defence was evidently stronger than they expected. The British would not go out beyond their strength."

CHERCHILLES ESCAPE.

The annual meeting of School Section No. 8 was held this morning in the school house. The reports of the trustees and auditors were accepted, the former showing that a high grade of efficiency has been maintained. There were no nominations for the position of school trustee, Mr. Wm. Farrar was re-elected by the rate-payers present, he receiving 13 votes more than Mr. R. E. Kinsmore, the other nominee. Mr. Geo. Awrey was chairman, and Mr. J. M. Eastwood secretary, of the meeting.

Lady Maccabees.

The Lady Maccabees elected their officers on Tuesday evening for the coming year as follows: Past Commander, Mrs. Rousseaux; Record Keeper, Mrs. Membro: Ghanlain Mrs. Gill. Physic.

Maccabee and auditors were accepted, the former showing the day in a small wood, in company with a huge vulture, who displayed a lively interest in me.

MCCH HARDSHIP.

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ROBERTS-KITCHE NER. The Two Commanders Sailed From

Gibraltar To-day. Gibraltar To-day.

Gibraltar, Dec. 27.—The British steamer, Dunnottar Castle, having on board Gen. Lord Roberts, of Kandahar, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces in South Africa, arrived here yesterday evening. Gen. Sir H. Kitchener, who came from Egypt to join Gen. Roberts as his chief of staff, embarked on board the Dunnottar Castle, and the vessel sailed early this morning for Cape Town.

New York, Dec. 27.—Sydney Paget, racing partner of W. C. Whitney, and brother of Almeric Paget, Mr. Whitney's son-in-law, sails to-day for England, where he will join the body of Rough Riders now being organized by Lord Woolverton for service in South Africa.

Roberts Has a Free Hand. New York, Dec. 27 .- Lord Roberts,

broten millions.
Edward C. Holges & Co., bankers and brokers, Eoston, suspended business to-day. The firm is one of the largest in the city.
The remains of 151 dead sailors, victims of the Maine, arrived at Washington at 8 o'clock this morning over the Chesapeake & Ohio Raliroad, on a special train of six cars.

Robert Erskine, No. 707 Queen streat east, Toronto, a teamster, while walk-

east, Toronto, a team-ter, while walk-ing beside his team on Queen street this morning, fell, and died before medical help reached him.

A Busy Store.

A Busy Store.

Parke & Parke are making things lively in their line. No matter what you want you can get it there if it is at all getable, and what is more, always at reduced prices. Of course, if you have money to burn, price makes no difference to you, but the majority of people nowadays are looking to see how they can effect a saving on their purchase.

Perfection.

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Can anything be better than the best? Can anything be more perfect than perfection? Our Perfection Coffee is without doubt the best flavored coffee sold. It has flavor without rankness. Every cup of our Perfection Coffee properly made and served to your callers New Year's day means a cup of satisfaction. Andrew G. Bain, 93 King street east.

oup of satisfaction. 93 King street east. Make no display of your talents or attainments; for every one will clearly see, admire and acknowledge them, so long as you cover them with the beautiful veit of modesty.—Emmons.

CANADIANS SEND GREETING. Ottawa, Dec. 27.—Capt. Rogers, of Ottawa Company, cables from Belmont, dated to-day, to Mrs. Rogers. Message says: Happy returns; all

FINGERS AMPUTATED.

Wm. Allingham Alleges Neglect by His Employer.

His Employer.

Westerday afternoon Wm. Allingham, an orphan boy, consuited Magistrate Jelfs regarding his late employer, Jas. Hall, a farmer who lives near Caledonia. His story was that he had been working for the farmer. Through some neglect, he alleged, his hand was crushed in defective machinery. He didn't get professional medical treatment and blood poisoning set in. A few days ago, when he became unable to work, he was sent here to his aunt. Mrs. Brown. No. 101 York

Brandon Murderess Explates Her Crime.

NERVY TO THE LAST MOMENT.

whose election followed.
are:
No. 1 Mard—James Costie.
No. 2 Ward—John W. Coffey.
No. 3 Ward—William Kavanagh.
No. 4 Ward—Herbert N. Thomas.
No. 5 Ward—Chris, Connolly.
No. 6 Ward—Thos. O'Dowd.
No. 7 Mard—P. Ronan!

The Canadian Contingent.

Many officers and others of the last Canadian Contingent, following the example of British officers in Egypt, took with them Sparklet soda water bottles, a new device which in Lord Kitchener's words "enables one to convert a bottle of plain water into sparkling soda or lithia water, in the twinkling of an eye." This is accomplished by means of small steel beads of liquefied soda water gas, which accompanies the Sparklet bottles. Call in and see this new invention.—Gart land & Ratherford's, leading druggists. The Canadian Contingent.

Changes in Contingent Make-up. Changes in Contingent Make-up.
Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 27.—(Special)—
The Minister of Militia states that
the list of officers will be known
to-night, It is now about complete.
There is considerable talk here
about a change in the contingent.
It is said that an extra squad of
mounted men will be sent to act
as scouts, in addition to three
squads and three field batteries.
The Minister, however, has nothing
to say on the subject, although the to say on the subject, although the General states that there is to be a change of some kind.

For a Pipe Smoker.

# FRENCH MINERS' STRIKE SPREADS.

Military Protects Mines Now in Operation.

### OUEER JUSTICE METHODS.

Molineux Jurors Complain That Detectives Dog Them.

### BISMARCK'S MEMOIRS SUPPRESSED

Sons Fear They Will Conflict With Kaiser's Version-Hindu Astrologers Pray for the Queen and British Success-Paget Wants to

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 27.—The British Consul at Noumea confirms the report that the plague in a severe type is raging, and that many deaths from that cause have occurred in New Caledona. The Government of Australia have taken stringent precautions for quarantining arrivals from Noumea.

the arguments that the opinions of those present were far from boing annimous. When the point he insisted on had been yielded Lord Roberts then demanded that Gen. Kitchener be given him, and this was agreed to.

SLOW PROGRESS HINTED AT. It is argued now that Roberts and kitchener will so completely reorganize the methods of the eampaign that it will be March before the first decisive move is made to end the war.

No Funds Forthcoming.

Clinchiati, O., Dec. 27.—M. Pere Perrit, recruiting for the ambulance corps for the Boer army, suspended operations to-day on account of the failure to receive an expected draft from Dr. Leyds.

War Notes.

The British Consal at New Orleans says supplies for Boers are sent from that nort.

To Hard Blake was hanged this morning, for the mistress, Mrs. John Lane, in July last. After her arrest she made a full contract that nort.

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It was said that Recorder Goff told the remonstrating jurors that he could do nothing for them, and they went away disastisfied.

The Molineux murder trial, now in its forty-fourth day, has broken the record for long drawn out murder cases by one day without any of the essential points having been proved. It yet remained to-day for the prosecution to prove that a murder had secution to prove that a murder had been committed or that a package of poison had been sent through the mail

STRIKERS ON THE MARCH. STRIKERS ON THE MARCH.

St. Etienne, Dec. 27.—The strikers marched in procession to-day to several of the mines, where partial work is proceeding, but dragoons stationed at the pit heads protected the workers, and no disorder has occurred. The strike has spread to the mines of Rive De Gier, a town in Loire, twelve miles by rail from this place.

Bound to Please. Our sausages are made by ourselves from the freshest of pork, daily; delicately flavored, and are bound to please the most fastidions. We would very much like you to try them. So many of our customers were so pleased with the appearances of our Christmas beef that they have been ordering many joints. We still have a lot more to cut up. Kindly call and see it.—Hazell & Son.

Drowned at Huntsville.

Huntsville, Ont., Dec. 27.—A six-year-old son of J. T. Burke, of this place, broke through the ice on the river last night and was drowned.