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los of appetite and indigestion.

### gerald and R. Shoebottom. The instaltee in Favor of Them lation was conducted by County Master W. B. Walker, assisted by Past Here. Master A. Aitkens. One candidate was

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been handed out by the Sunday car AT CONSERVATORY committee

tendance has increased in the churches Dear Sir,-As far as we are aware most centrally located, and I do not think that the attendance has deabuses have resulted from Sunday creased in the outlying districts. cars in Winnipeg, except it be that a much larger number of people fre-The first of a series of Saturday quent the public parks on Sunday afthe running of Sunday cars. They are afternoon recitals was given at Conternoons. As to whether you would As to my own opinion concerning the servatory Hall by pupils of the London call this an abuse or not, you must usefulness and benefit of Sunday cars, Conservatory last Saturday, when the yourself decide. The general opinion I may say that before Sunday cars were following programme was most creditis that church attendance has inoperated in this city, I was opposed creased We have not heard of any to them, as I believed they would be opposition within the past year to detrimental to the interests of the city.

> ...Rubinstein requested me to send you reply as a close observation, I have decided above. Yours truly. W. F. PAYNE, News Editor Manitoba Free Press.

Winnipeg, Nov. 23, 1908. Dear Sir,-I do not think that church Lean. attendance has decreased in any way because of the cars running on Sun-Beethoven day, nor have I ever heard of any complaint being made by the city min- nipeg than there is to the rising of the Liszt isters or by those interested in sun. Yours truly, G. H. Saults, editor church work. A great many hun- of Town Topics, Winnipeg. .. Chopin dreds of reople use the cars during fine weather to take trips into the suburban districts. The opportunity of spending a few hours in the open we are unable to trace the slightest country is to many people, who live all abuse of the Sunday car service, and the week in the city, probably more we cannot see where the church at-

Church workers use the street cars opinion is the other way. It would apto attend missions and places of wor- pear to us that a city contesting a Sunship, to which they are especially de- day car service is narrow in its prinsirous of going, but which they other- ciples, and built along unprogressive wise, would be unable to attend. There lines. You ask us for our candid opinis at present no opposition to the ion, and we believe that this service is running of the cars, and, I believe as necessary as steam to machinery. county court Saturday afternoon, that the Sunday cars would be sustained of the Commercial. that if a vote were taken tomorrow, Yours truly, Rowland F. Hill, editor of Carruthers vs. Brownlee and was by a very large majority. There is no ly Christian Sunday while still having Sunday street cars. I was one, who

> Editor Nor'West Farmer. Winnipeg, Nov. 23, 1908.

and ministers. Seventeen of these letters favor Sunday cars. The remaining Dear Sir,-At the time Sunday cars letter was written by a member of the were installed in Winnipeg there was Lord's Day Alliance, who said he was considerable difference of opinion opposed to Sunday cars because people among the citizens; here and there went out to the parks. The citizen's comforts of mind and body are certain were also some very strong objections committee wish to say that when they to follow continued use of improper raised by the clergy, but since they have wrote to those city officials and prominent men, such as judges and editors, been put in operation, I have heard they had no idea of their feeling about bust are likely to overlook the fact vidually or through the press. Sunday cars. It would have been an In talking the matter over with one stone away at last, so will the use of of the prominent members of the from people who were committed to a heavy, greasy, rich food, finally cause Winnipeg clergy, about six months certain view. Certain letters appeared in last Saturday's papers of this city

ago, he informed me that since Sun-Fortunately many are thoughtful day street cars had been installed from Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto, enough to study themselves and note that there was a noticeable increase but these ministers are all members of sor. the principle of Cause and Effect in in the attendance of his church, and their daily food. A N. Y. young wo- he could attribute it largely to the fact that the people were able to come pected to take any other view of the It is true that where street cars

derstood that their correspondence has some annoyances to the speaker, but not be supposed to lean one way or the other, but would likely be of inde-Nuts food, praising it highly, and as quent intervals, this is not a serious pendent mind. Letters have been received from the ful to say that Grape-Nuts not only is very little tendency on the part of following: of Middlesex, L. O. L., No. 1847, the relieved me of my trouble, but built the people, to stay away from church Mayor Wigle - Sunday cars are a me up and strengthened my digestive on Sunday during the summer menths great benefit to the city, and there are organs so that I can new eat anything because of the fact that they can take no complaints from ministers or others.

Water Commissioner Peck-No abuse distance for recreation. Yours truly, has resulted from them. E. W. HUNNEHAN. Ald. McKay-Sunday cars have in-Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Well- Editor The Canada Thresher Man and creased church attendance. Winnipeg, Nov. 30, 1908.

Ald. Bedford-Ministers of all denominations patronize the cars and can be cured by Putnam's Corn Ex-Dear Sir,-There is no organized man's carriage. opposition to the running of Sunday F. Bridges-Lack of Sunday cars Putnam's.

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### MALONE REMANDED.

Simcoe, Dec. 14. - Chief of Police Malone was Saturday remanded for one week. It is said that if the case goes to trial by jury a change of venue will likely be applied for.

his bed next week, if his remarkable lian, Bro. Wm. Rennie; R. S., Bro. J. recovery continues. The wounds are Calvert; F. S., Bro. A. H. Banks:

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## City and District JUDGE MACBETH

-The Poplar Hill Bartist Sunday School will hold their annual Christmas tree on the evening of Dec. 23. Everybody welcome.

-The scholars of Bailey's Methodist Sunday school will give their annual entertainment of readings, recitations and drills on Tuesday evening.

-A meeting of the Lobo Women's Institute will be held at the home of of Dec. 16. All ladies interested in this reserved judgment. work are invited to attend.

-The annual Sunday school entertainment and Christmas tree of the tract, was opened at the county court, Wyton Church will be held on Thursday evening, Dec. 17. A good proprogramme is being provided, which will begin at 7:45 o'clock.

No Quorum. The transfer of the license of the Grand Central Hotel to the Canada News Company was not made Saturday evening. There was not a quorum

of the commissioners.

Hamilton Voters. The total number of voters in Hamilton city is as follows: Ward 1, 1,712; ward 2, 2,011; ward 3, 2,772; ward 4, 2,345; ward 5, 2,107; ward 6, 2,773; ward 7, 3,955. Total, 17,675. In London there are about 12,000 names on the

lists. Annual Dinner. The annual dinner of the medical department of the Western University will be held in the Tecumseh House on Wednesday evening, Dec. 23. Mr. J. E. Judd is chairman of the dinner committee, and Mr. Nelson George is

Officers Elected at Putnam.

At the last regular meeting of Pride following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. M., Bro. Charles Wilkins will likely be able to leave Rath; D. M., Bro. Lloyd Fenton; chaphealing splendidly and his recovery is Bro. J. G. Spring; D. of C., Bro. Jos. Morris; lecturer, Bro. John Beecham.

At the annual meeting of Ahoghill

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but as the lawyers were not ready to oceed, it was postponed till Jan. 20.

PLENTY SNOW

The court then adjourned till Mon-

ON SATURDAY

'Beautiful" Fell in Great Quan-

tities Late in Evening.

On Saturday evening there was

fine downfall of the "beautiful"

several inches falling within a few

The quantity was sufficient to guar-

antee good sleighing until Christmas,

provided the weather man keeps the

temperature down about freezing

It was not a pleasant evening to

spend downtown. The snow clung

tenaciously, and the average man and

woman looked like real animated

The story that a woman had cars now, and I think that a great

and families of the city, who live in

the congested districts, and who are

of the only day they have at their dis-

posal. There has been no increase in

that nature, by reason of the cars run-

ning, and I am satisfied that if the

"vote for or against Sunday cars" were

put before the people again, there

would be practically no opposition.

chairman of the police commission.

Yours truly (Signed), R. T. Riley,

Dear Sir,-I believe the church at-

that this city could not do without

Sunday cars at this time, and I be-

them would not be without them.

Very truly yours-Ald. D. M. Mc-

Dear Sir,-There is no more cause

for opposition to Sunday cars in Win-

Dear Sir,-So far as we can gather

tendance has decreased; in fact, our

The committee also says: Windsor

is a city of 15,000 population and has

Eighteen letters have been received

from city officials and prominent men

Winnipeg, Nov. 23, 1908.

lieve that after you have once tried

Winnipeg, Nov. 30, 1908.

inted in Montreal from the sheer many people, who, like myself, voted

weight of the hat was not duplicated against Sunday cars, are now satisfied

here, although the provocation was with the existing condition of affairs.

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McIlvenna; committee. John McCord, Letters Received by the Committee drinking or rowdyism or anything of

The following additional letters have

Winnipeg, Nov. 23, 1908. their running. Mr. Dafoe, our chief I have, however, changed my opinion. editor, who is very busy at present, After giving them a fair trial and after

RESERVED DECISION of a blessing than otherwise.

In Carrothers vs. Brownlee Case Tried heard before Judge Macbeth at the doubt from the experience of Winni-Mrs. S. W. Graham on the afternoon county court yesterday. His honor peg, that a city can enjoy a thorough-This morning the Harris vs. Eastman at the time the vote was taken here, had Sunday cars since the year 1874. case, for alleged non-fulfillment of con- voted against them. Yours truly, GEORGE BATHO.

Indigestion and the attendant dis-Those who are still young and ro- no unfavorable comment, either indi-

that, as dropping water will wear a

man writes her experience thus: "Some time ago I had a lot of tro- from a greater distance at practically matter than they did. bule from indigestion, caused by too no inconvenience to them. rich food. I got so I was unable to digest scarcely anything, and medi- run past the churches that there is been conducted with men who would cines, seemed useless. "A friend advised me to try Grape- as the cars are not run at very fre-

a last resort, I tried it. I am thank- inconvenience. So far as I know there desire. But I stick to Grape-Nuts." a street car and go out a considerable "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle

ville," in packages. Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human

### Special As chairman of the police commission The street railway had some diffi- I am prepared to say that the running culty in maintaining their schedule, of Sunday cars has never been brought but they kept pretty close to the time, to the notice of the commission as a Announcement and got through without much com- factor in promoting disorder or crime, nor do I think it has given the police any extra work, other than the movement of an increased number of people would give to any force. Sunday cars have been an immense advantage to the women and children

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easy matter to have secured letters would be great loss, especially to churchgoers. Postmaster Wigle-Would regard as sweetheart that would not permit his a fanatic anyone who would suggest leaving her bedside when she was ill of that Sunday cars be stopped in Wind-

> Ald. Keogh-Sunday cars have increased church attendance, and have helped the working classes. Ald. Ferriss-Any city or town with-Ministers not opposed to them. Ald. Hawkins - People would not know what to do without them.

Ald. Sheppard-Only opposition to Sunday cars in Windsor comes from people who have recently moved there McCulloch, of Evanston, the only woman from places where the cars are prohibited. J. A. McKay, Windsor Record-Sun-

Too Much Political Graft.

Many say it can't be prevented, credit. neither can corns or warts, but they

DEVOTION WAS FATAL.

Chicago, Dec. 14.-A devotion to his typhoid fever, cost the life of Frank Griffith, 34 years old, a Northwestern University graduate of the early nineties, just on the eve of his wedding. Some months ago Griffith's fiancee, Miss Susan Paldock, fell ill with the fever, but was sustained in her fight with the ailment by out Sunday cars is behind the times. the presence of Griffith at her side. She recovered, but he was stricken with the same malady, and died yesterday.

CALLS ADAM LOAFER.

Chicago, Dec. 14.-Mrs. Catherine Waugh justice of the peace in the United States, in a woman suffrage address yesterday denounced Adam as a loafer, painted Eve day cars are a great convenience for as the mother of all arts and sciences, and declared that the history of the human race showed that woman was the originator of most of the good things of the world, for which man now takes the

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