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PROMINENT LIBERALS

For Overlooking the Claims of Hon. Robt. McKay to Reorganized Harbor Board.

Montreal, Dec. 25 .- (Special.) -- One of was to adopt a resolution condemning a member of the new organization. The yoter it appears, is unanimous, are extremely improbable.

and it is most significant that tried and trusted Liberals like Senator Mackay, Robert Bickerdike, E. H. Lemay, E. put themselves so squarely on record upon circulating the report, in the against the administration.

the resolution was adopted, condemn- Capt. Macklin last night is water r. Penny withdrew his objections, and without a dissenting voice.

EDUCATION IN TURKEY.

cept in so far that the sexes live of precisely apart, the women never penetrating into the selamlik, and the men only occasionally visiting their feminine relations in the haramlik. The girls, according to "Blackwoood's," are edu- great severity raged over Montreal cated as ours our, chiefly by foreign governesses. They learn all foreign languages, and speak them fluently, even among themselves (French for of the trains were delayed. choice, as far as my experience goes). To-n except when, out of respect for the what. presence of a member of the older generation, they fall back on the use of their mother-tongue. They read the classics of all countries in the original, classics of all countries in the original. The lifetime of a good watch is and play Wagner and Bach on the fifty years. In its daily duties the

tle.

Up to the age of twelve girls are watch may even then be in serviceas free and untrammelled as European able condition. children, and are allowed to play with them and attend their parties. But with her twelfth birthday comes the inevitable day which no Turkish woman of the upper classes may hope to evade. On that day the girl becomes a citizens of Toronto, the men who own woman; she adopts the tcharchaff, and the two light companies and have foins that silent sisterhood who are condemned to see the world darkly broken their solemn pledge not to town, promises to be a stirring event.

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Mayor Richardson will preside.

SPRING WEATHER AT WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Dec. 25.—This city to-day enjoyed one of the merriest Christmas celebrations in its history. Beautiful spring-like weather favored the festiand thruout the day the spirit

Roosevelt's Determined Attitude in the Matter of Discharge of Negro Troops.

Washington, Dec. 25.-Milton D attorney-general, has been designated

to have the case in proper form for submission to the senate, should the investigation be ordered. And should it not be ordered, he will still have the information for use otherwise.

It is, perhaps, needless to say that the president is "standing pat" on this question, and yet perhaps, it is just as well to say it, in view of the speech in the senate by Mr. Foraker, who announces that he will endeavor to have the investigation resolution passed.

There are two good reasons for Senator Foraker's activity in behalf of the colored troops. First, there are 107,341 colored people in Ohio—or were in 1900—or about 22,000 voters of that color; and he will come up for reelection to the senate in two years. Second, Senator Foraker is, thru his associations and tastes, violently op-

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Even if the senate should hold an gaged as teacher at the Forest Hill school. investigation, resulting in the clearing of the troops in question, the president will not restore them to the army. He will obey no order of congress or of any other body, with regard to that matter, and even if the affair should proceed to the point of impeachment, he will cheerfully stand it, feeling sure that his position is the it, feeling sure that his position is the proper one. His attitude in this regard will be made clear to members of the two houses, in fact, he has already talked it to several senators, some of them to-day.

Mrs. (Rev.) H. Lee. with ner two children, of Huttonville, sisters of Mrs. (Rev.) Wellwood; J. H. Beynon, brother of Mrs. Wellwood; Miss Josephine Beynon of Temperanceville, J. H. Rowe of Chatsworth. of them to-day. Recalls Goodnow Case,

Recalls Goodnow Case.

In this connection it may be said that the president's course is entirely in harmony with that which he pursued where the services were held at St. Clement's Church yesterday, one at 8 a m. and one at 10.30 a. m. At both services holy communion was celebrated. Over 120 communicants were presented to the services were held at St. Clement's Church yesterday, one at 8 a m. and one at 10.30 a. m. At both services holy communion was celebrated. in harmony with that which he purof Minnesota, and Robert W. McWade of Pennsylvania, from the consular service in the far east. He was urged hy friends of both the London public schools, is visiting her brother, the Rev. Mr. Powell. by friends of both these gentlemen to permit the cases against them to be brought to trial, but he refused ,ad-

cient evidence to convict them of crime. At that time he said that he would never consent, as president, to keeping men in government employ was held on Christmas evening. keeping men in government employ who had laid themselves open to the was not enough evidence to convict them in a count, there was enough. In his opinion, to demonstrate that they were not entitled to remain in the ser-

With the colored troops, it is quite conceivable that white men may have blacked their faces and "shot up" Brownsville for the purpose of injurthe last acts of the old harbor board of the reputation of the colored troops of the 25th regiment. It is also conceivable that the man who shot Cap the government for not appointing Macklin of that regiment last night their chairman, Hon. Robert Mackay, was also a white man, with face black ed. But while these things are clearly possible, the president holds that they

In their eagerness to attack the pre sident, some of the more prominen Goff Penny and Alphonse Racine, should defenders of the colored troops insist However, a prominent member of the discharge embraces also the members old board was seen to-day and fully of the battalion who are on furlough confirmed the story and said the resolution would soon be published.

The men on furlough at the time of It is understood that Robert Bicker- the rlots are still in the service and dike, M.P., occupied the chair when will remain there. The shooting of ing the government for "overlooking" the president's wheel, according to Senator Mackay's claim, and that Mr. those who are following the case in Penny at first opposed the idea of centures this city, and serves to show some-suring their party friends at Ottawa. However, following a lively discussion, the men in the discharged battalion. ithdrew his objections, and of censure was adopted ator Lodge, who is to make a rejoind-issenting voice.

As bearing on this same point, Senator Lodge, who is to make a rejoinder to the Foraker speech, has had inserted in the Congressional Record that part of the evidence in the case taken from war department records, Newadays, a Turkish home differs shows that the 25th regiment has on very little from a European one, ex- several occasions since 1885, been guilty

against it at Brownsville. SNOW IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Dec. 25.-A snowstorm of and district to-day. In fact, it is the \$30 being realized. worst storm for a long time, and many To-night the storm abated some-

Pulsations of a Watch, From Amateur Work. bad, they have at their finger-ends; and from this ofttimes polluted source they glean the knowledge they have of western customs. Many of them dabble in literature themselves, copying the style of their favorite author with a skill which is quite remarkable.

balance vibrates 18,000 times every hour, 432,000 times a day, or 157,680,000 times every hour, 432,000 times a day, or 157,680,000 t piano. All European fiction, good and balance vibrates 18,000 times every

RICH MEN WHO BREAK THEIR

WORD. The men who own the street rail of their natural desire to participate in its gaieties.

and thousands of dollars to defeat the Postmaster Ninmo will enter the list for the position of reeve, in opposi-

Passenger Train Runs Into Freight-Funeral of Engineer

y President Roosevelt to proceed at Black Preceptory, 675, have announced

by President Roosevelt to proceed at once to Brownsville, Texas, for the purpose of securing all possible affidavits and other information bearing on the "shooting up" of that town by colored troops.

Thus is the president forestalling the possible action of the senate in ordering an investigation of the discharge of a battalion of the Twenty-fifth Regiment, colored, on account of that shooting, and hopes to be able to have the case in proper form for submission to the senate, should the

associations and tastes, violently opposed to the president's crusade
against corporations, and willing, on
occasions, to embarrass him, if pos-

Two services were held at St. Cle-

The annual public school meeting nitting frankly that he had not suffi- will be held in the school room to-day

who had laid themselves open to the grave suspicion which had attached to Goodnow and McWade. While there was not enough evidence to convict them in a count, there was enough. In Rev. George A. Mitchell, B. A., of Toronto, will preach at both morning and evening services. On Tuesday evening there will be an oyster supper and entertainment. E. S. Williamson of entertainment. E. S. Williamson of Toronto will give his recital of "A Christmas Carol" as condensed by Charles Dickens. The Misses Stringer

of Toronto will assist in the music

While driving along the sideroad to the south of the village a few days ago, the horse driven by Dr. Trumpour took fright at the running out of a farmer's dog and bolted, dashing along Mainstreet and into the yard adjoining the doctor's residence. Dr. Trumpour was removed to the house, and Dr. Macdonald of Markham hastily summoned, who found his patient in a critical condition, owing to the sudden shock. The latter is now convalescent. Unionville.

The annual meeting of the Markham The annual meeting of the Markham Conservative Association will take place in Victoria Hall on Saturday, Dec. 29, at 2.30 p.m. A. McCowan, M. L.A.; T. H. Lennox, M.L.A., and other prominent Conservatives are expected to be present.

The annual meeting of the public school board will take place in the school house at 10 c/clock this morphing.

schoolhouse at 10 o'clock this morning. The new regulations of the provincial The new regulations of the provincial legislature, respecting the salaries of teachers, coupled with the report of the inspector, calling for the expenditure of a large sum of money in securing the respective player and the charge at the ch more playgrounds and other improvements have aroused a feeling of hostility in the school section. The same condition of affairs prevails at Button-ville, where some \$700 will be required to meet the views of the inspector.

Franklin Stiver is around again after the section, under A. E. Hewittson, rendered a special service admirably. A memorial window to the late Mrs. Menagh was unveiled. At 4 in the afternoon service was beld in the St. Andrew's Mission Churca, Tonight the annual Sunday school Christmas entertainment will be held. Robert Davies will preside, and he has commissioned the section. Franklin Stiver is around again after a long and serious illness, due to ty-phold fever.

The around again after tor, Rev. Frank Vipond, to double the usual number of presents.

The Christmas tree and entertainment at the Ebenezer Church on Monday evening was largely attended, some

Arthur Davison returned home on Monday evening from a two months' business trip to the coast. Pressure is being brought to bear to induce County Councillor Quantz to contest the reeveship of Markham Township. For the other positions there is a big list of candidates.

school, consisting of choruses, recita-tions, motion songs, etc., a drama entions, motion songs, etc., a drama en-titled "Jumbo Juno," also a farce, entitled, "Advertised for a Husband." Rev. G. B. Johnson will be chairman.

East Toronto The mass meeting called for to-night in the "Beaches" Masonic Temple, protest against the proposed C. N. R.

tion to ex-Councillor Hinds. Altogether, some eight or ten candidates are suggested in Ward 3.

Special musical services were held in t. Saviour's Church yesterday. Hope Methodist Sunday school hold their annual entertainment on Thursday evening. Little general interest has so far

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hockey practice, and a match between two local teams, together with curl-

Homeless Were Provided for by Charitable Bodies.

To those who had not homes and a dinner, a feast was provided by the many charitable societies, and no one had excuse for going hungry. Thirty, seven thousand of the city's poor shared in the distribution of Christmas dinners by the Salvation Army, Timothey D. Sullivan and the Bowery Mission. Five thousand baskets and one thousand bags, each containing a fowl and "fixings" sufficient for a family of five persons or more, were distributed by Commander Eva Booth of the Salvation Army at the Grand Central Palace from 11 to 1 o'clock. Tickets entitling the bearers to dinners had been given out by members of the Salvation Army and holders were admitted to the great hall in squads of 200 and presented with a basket of food. dinner, a feast was provided by the presented with a basket of food.
Dined at Home.

nual Christmas tree and distribution of more than 3000 toys to the children. Commander Booth said that the poor had suffered more this year than last, as the price of food and rents had been advanced.

east side partook of Christmas dinner at the Timothy D. Sullivan Association rooms in the Bowery. No distinctions were made between applicants, except that the lame and the blind were given rence in the line of those walting In Dire Distress.

The majority of those who came food were evidently in sad need of clothing, for many were without over-coats, and hundreds were only the remnants of shoes. The day was bitterly cold. As each man departed from the hall, a pounchful of tobacco, a pipe and a ticket for a pair of shoes was given him, and then the hall was cleared for another group of 300.

One hydraged and fifteen baskets of the street of the

1200 men participated in the mission's annual Christmas dinner. Five hundred dinner bags, each containing enough food for a dinner for ten persons, were distributed by the Volunteers of Ame-

Twenty thousand persons in the penal and charitable institutions of New York City enjoyed Christmas dinners, the gift either of the city or of charitable TOWNSHIP organizations. In many institutions there were vaudeville entertainments and music for the inmates. Harry Thaw's Christmas dinner the Tombs was sent down from a big cafe by order of his wife.

IN CHICAGO.

was universal here to-day. In the homes of the prosperous and destitute alike, feasting was in order, and 70,000 poor families tasted of the bounty of those on whom blessings have been

The charitable organizations worked faithfully in looking after the wants of those who sought relief, and in addi-tion practically every church in the city attended to its poor and brought food to thousands who otherwise might have missed the general happiness of

the day.

Christmas gifts aggregating mere than \$500,000 were given to employes by Chicago employers.

Chicago, Dec. 25.-The 4000 printers who are still on strike in the United States for an eight-hour working day, received to-day a Christmas present from the International Typographical Union of \$10,000, each receiving \$2.50, in addition to his or her regular week-

GIVES \$50,000 TO EMPLOYES.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 25.-H. K. Mc-Harg, who recently sold his Virginia &

How New York's Hungry and

New York, Dec. 25.-New York celebrated to-day the most bounteous Christmas it has known in many years. Ideal winter weather-clear, cold and sunshiny-marked the day. It is seldom that New York does not turn out its myriads of thousands on a holiday to tax the transportation lines, but it seemed that the city stayed at home for its dinner and other Christmas plea-

The usual Christmas dinner at the palace was abandoned, as Commander Booth was convinced that the recipients of the gifts preferred to take them to their own homes and prepare their dinners after their own fashion. This made it possible to add 1000 bags to the amount usually distributed.

In the afternoon occurred the annual Christman tree and distribution.

More than 6000 of the homeless of the

One hundred and fifteen baskets of food and clothing were distributed to poor women at the Bowery Mission this morning, and to-night more than 1200 men participated in the mission's

Chicago, Dec. 25.—Christmas cheer PRIVATE DISEASES those on whom blessings have showered.

SURPRISE FOR PRINTERS.

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gift—that the money was to be ex-pended to purchase a Christmas turkey.

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To the head officials of the road Mr.

McHarg presented one year's salary each. The gifts to subordinate employes alone aggregate over \$50,000. ONE CANDIDATE IN EARNEST Granatstein of 3rd Ward Has Meeting of His Own.

A well attended meeting was held last night in the Jewish Synagog, McCaul-street, in the interests of J. S. Granatstein, candidate for alderman

Louis Gurofsky presided. The meeting, for orderly attention and intelligent interest, was in many respects a favorable contrast to some of the Angle-Saxon gatherings of Monday night. Quite half the number of speeches delivered were in a foreign language, but only from the reason that the speaker could best express himself in his mother tongue.

The chairman, in calling for the support of Mr. Granatstein, said that the increasing element of the Jewish peo-ple, along with their law-abiding proclivities, entitled them to a representa-tion voiced by one of themselves, in civic affairs, and that so far from foreigners becoming a menace to society here, they will more likely in the end prove one of its greatest supports, as the freedom of the laws and institu-tions of Canada can be no better appreciated by any than those who pre-vious to choosing this country as the land of their adoption, were the vic-tims of despotism, tyranny and mis-

considered the gas company and the Toronto electric monopoly two of the most souless and vicious corporations in our midst, and, with regard to the former, if they were seeking a charter at the present time, instead of years ago, when they obtained theirs,

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as to enable them to refuse anyone gas at their sweet pleasure, or make him plump down a deposit of \$10, as they now require all Jews to do. Gas bills have been, and are, paid just as promptly and as well by Jews as Gentiles, and this invidious discrimination is a slur and a disgrace put upon the Jewish citizens of Toronto.

Mr. Levinsky and Mr. Sapera spoke

H. C. Hocken, who is standing for introller, made an effective speech in favor of Mr. Granatstein, and at the same time enlightened the audience so to his own platform.



CRES est frontage. H. H. WI

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Certain state balt Lake Mi Auditor Cluff a newspaper denials locally or should, be the directorat tails arranged the company's Mr. Cluff's p only what m group so bulk Ottawa section proved to be. Objection is the following "It appears

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