

he board room. Patients in the Western Hospital will eat arkey to day, and in the evening will be entertained with music and given Santa entertained with music and given Sahia Claus' presents. The isolation Hospital and the Emerg-ency are both neatly decorated and the patients will be properly cared for. The poor little tots up at the Sick Child-ren's Hospital hung up thele stockings last night. Old Santa will not forget them, and to-day will be spent in jubilation by the little sufferers. Mr. ing met this Reliverys to the Klondike. Mr. Philip Sheridan, a Montreal lawyer, who went to the Klondike two years ago, has returned home on a holiday. He says the White Horse Railway is now graded from Carfboo Crossing, opposite Bennett, to White Horse, a distance of 50 miles, and will be completed in June. He adds that the Bennett and Skaguay line, which cost \$2,000,000, is one of the best paying roads in the country. In August the net receipts were \$200,000, and this figure was doubled in September. Mr. Sheridan states that the railway will be completed to Selkirk, 275 miles from White Horse, in 18 months' time. Services in Churches. Christmas was celebrated in all the non-conformist churches yesterday and in the evening by the Anglican, while to-day the Roman Catholic and Anglican churches hold their Christmas services. The music was very fine and showed the great energy of the leaders and their respective choirs. Many of the churches, especially the Angli-can, were prettily decorated with bunting, flowers, palms, holly and cedar. Through all the services, however, there was a note of sadness because of the war in South Africa. Special prayers were offered for all the army, and especially for the Canadian Services in Churches, CHIEF BECKINGHAM DEAD. In some of the Methodist churches the collection went to the poor funds of the church, and in one case reached \$100. Second Man in Command of the Montreal Fire Brigade Passed church, and in one case reached \$100. St. James'-Square Presbyterian. In the evening the Christmas sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. Louis Jordan, while Christmas music was given at both services. The soloists were Mrs. Douglas and Miss Louise Craig. Jarvis-Street Baptist. Although it was such rough weather this Montreal Fire Brigade Passed * Away on Saturday. Montreal, Dec. 23.-(Special.)-Assist-ant-Chief Beckingham of the Mont-real Fire Department died this morning. Although having been ailing for a long time the end was not expected so soon. At 7 o'clock last night the deceased suddeniy became unconscious, and sank rapidly till this morning, when death came. About two years ago the deceased was taken with a species of neuralgia of the head, complica-tions set in and it was from this disease that death finally resulted. Sub-Chief Beckingham was almost 60 years of age, having been born in Halifax on March 7. 1840. It was on July 1, 1859, that he joined the Montreal Fire Brigade. It is needless to say that the brigade was a nuch different one than it is to-day. On Feb. 4, 1867, the deceased was appointed a guardian on the force. On Jan. 24, 1881, he was appointed foreman of the salvage, and appointed assistant-chief on Sept. 8, 1800. Sub-Chief Beckingham was looked upon-in the Fire Department as one of the most efficient and falthful officers who ever worked for the corporation. His cour-age at fires was proverbial. As a man he was retiring in habits, broad in his sym-mathes and just to the men under him. Deceased was a most ardent Mason, and he expressed a wish some time ago that he shuld be burled with Masonle honor when death came. This wish will be re-spected. He will also be given a fireman's fineral. The police or some city band will head four children. EATAI WRECKS IN ENGLISH FOC Away on Saturday. Although it was such rough weather, this church was filled both morning and even-ing. Their renowned choir, under the leadership of Mr. A. S. Vogt, was the at-traction, special music having been an-nounced. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Thomas, preached both services. Cooke's Presbyterian. The pastor, Rev. William Patterson, preached both sermons, in the morning on the wise men who came from the East and in the evening on Dwight L. Moody. No special Christmas music was given. – Broadway Tabernacle, This heamiful church was crowded at Broadway Theernacte, This beautiful church was crowded at both services. The pastor, Rev. Joseph Odery, preached at both services, and the chcir, under Mr. Doward, gave very special nusic. Metropolitan Church. The services at this church 'yesterday were largely musical. Under the leadership of Mr. Torrington, some beautiful singing was rendered by the choir. Rev. R. P. Bowles preached both sermons, his subject in the evening being, "Christ, the Light of the World." Church of the Messiah, This church looked very pretty, decorated with holly and cedar. Special music was given at night by the choir. Rev. J. Gil-lesple preached the Christmas eve sermon. A special musical service will be given to-day. FATAL WRECKS IN ENGLISH FOG.

All Saints'.

The sermon in the morning was preach ed by Rev. A. Baldwin from the text "Why art thou cast down, O my soul?" In the evening Prof. Clark of Trinity Univer-sity preached on the message of the angel-to the shepherds. The church was nicely

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Hotel: New York City. Dec. 22, 1899. Sir.-As a private citizen of the United States, I ask you, do the inhabitants of Canada know for what purpose they are arming? It behooves you as a man in public life to warn them that in a very short time, owing to the statesmanship of Lord Salisbury, the diplomatic relations be-tween the United States and England will be disrupted. Anna Seavey Pacett, e disrupted. Anna Seavey Pacett, cklizen of the Republic of the United

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met this correspondent. Railways to the Klondike.

Eight Persons Killed and Many In

jured-One Train Goes Over an Embankment.

London, Dec. 23 .- The present fog in Eng-

land has caused a series of railway disas-

bankment at Hamilton, a town near Glas-gow, to-day. Five persons were killed and any injured. The Caledonian express fell over an em-



Don't think our Vapo-

8 Cresolene is something Mr. E. F. Clarke is the strongest man new, for it isn't. For twenty available in that respect. "He is reputed years it has been exten- to control the Orange and Conservative

sively used for all forms of bronchial and lung trouble. The manipulators rely upon these to elect him. And in order to clear the Mrs. Ballington Booth said of it, field, Mayor Shaw, who might split up years ago, that "No family where these votes with Mr. Clarke, is induced years ago, that "No family where there are young children should be with out Vapo-Cresolene." You breathe-in the vapor, it goes all brough the bronchied tubes and brough the bronchial tubes and dature is being carried out. A Pullman express telescoped the Conti-nental express near Brighton, and three persons were killed and twenty injured. The Welsh and Windsor express trains collided outside of Windsor and disorgan-ized the Christmas traffic.

ungs, soothing, healing curing. It's But it is just possible that the scher may fail. And fail it will if the people pleasant, safe, economical. bleasant, safe, economical.
 Wapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere.
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 Wall St., New York, U.S.A.

dents of Toronto ought to be able to go to he told them that he had undoubted as-

the Island without paying toil to anyone. As it is we are all subjected to a tax of 10 cents every time we wish to reach our the Conservatives would approve of it. It E. A. Macdonald is made Mayor, all

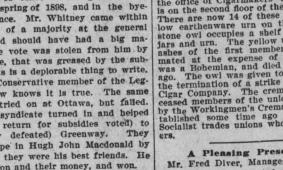
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"The island without paying toll to anyone.
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ds it is we are all subjected to a tax of no cents every time we wish to reach our own property on the lake front.
As cording to our agreement with the To-roto Railway Company, citizens are entitied to decent accommodation while traveling in the cars. It is notorious that the pople do not get the service contracted for. They are packed in third-class cars, they are made to stand up instead of gets the set, there are the volunteers
Besides these, there are the volunteers

Volunteers Everywhere. Besides these, there are the volunteers throughout the length and breadth of the land, who are leaving desk and warehouse to shoulder muskets, not in home defence, as was the stipulation when they joined the home volunteer force, but to go to the **People Take Hold**. "The English people, in truth, are taking "The English people, in truth, are taking"

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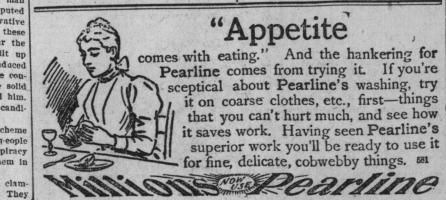
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tion is being manipulated. The thing to be done is to bring out a man who can beat Macdonald, who is pledged body and soul to entropy the constant of the cons to oppose the corporations. The manipulators knew it would be im-possible to elect their man on a purely municipal platform. They therefore select a men who is strong in other directions. Mr. E. F. Clarke is the strongest man



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upon the people to plead with Conservatives to vote for Ned, but really to vote





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Hostility to Law The colonel says the-rier Ministry out west as a goodly number of ed Greenway cheerful though they would vo in Manitoba politics, t tainly support the O Federal contest. Mr. has carried things wi for the plain people of are determined to tea the very first opportun The Compar Col. McLennan said t made on the stump be tive leaders when they and the Liberals had upon the people. It w Hon. John Norquay di although Mr. Greenw he has a farm, house many thousands, and v left politics much poo began Hon. Mr. Siftor in Manitoba of being dollars. All these the colonel, caused the elect put on their thinking The Mayor of Auror

The Mayor of Aurora Mr.F. L. Daville and no as stated in the newsp

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Judge Favors Plaintiff. Judge Morgan on Saturday gave judg-ment in favor of the plaintiff in an action brought by Dr. Jesse A. Mills against the York County Loan & Savings Company. The plaintiff claimed \$202.66,being money deposited to his credit with the company. The action of Lamb v. Singer will be tried on Tuesday. Judge Favors Plaintiff.

Appeal to Be Heard, The Reformers' appeal in the North Waterloo election case, will be heard by the Court of Appeal on Jan, 9.

sceptical about Pearline's washing, try it on coarse clothes, etc., first—things that you can't hurt much, and see how it saves work. Having and see how