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Advertisements under this head a cent a word. OPENING SERVICES IN CONNECTION with the Waterloo atreet south Presbyterian Sunday school, on Tuesday evening, at 5 o'clock, in the school room, corner of Waterloo and Grey. Brief addresses by city Presbyterian ministers. Music by by choir, under Prof. Barron.

Prof. Barron.

QUEEN'S AVENUE METHODIST
Church; revival services every evening;
song service at 7:45 o'clock. The pastor will be
assisted by Evangelists Ranton and Hathaway,
Everybody welcome.

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Advertisements under this head 1 cent a word NOTICE—ANNUAL MEETING STOCK-HOLDERS North Branch Cheese Com-pany, will be held Monday, Jan. 12, 1812, to receive annual report and elect directors and transact any other business. Free Balley, Secretary. 3tu bw.

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WANTED—A GOOD COOK—NO WASH-ING; reference required. Apply 296 31tf

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housemaids, 20 good general servants;
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charge to girls, at Mrs. S. WOODLIFFE's, 2623

WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT
-References required. Apply to Mrs.
JOHN PURDOM, 429 King street.

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WANTED—AT ASYLUM FOR INSANE—London, an assistant cook; wages \$10 per month. Apply to the matron.

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250 Dundas street, Orders by mail or
express promptly attended to. Telephone 601.

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P. R. SPEN. -PAINTER, GRAINER, sign-writer; paper-hanging and decorning a specialty. Moderate charges, 344 Applications of the control of the control

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Street.

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Richmond street; the finest in the city.
Choice wines, liquors and cigars. T. TAYLOR,
proprietor.

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Page 18 AVENUE, LONDRON, has returned from Europe; practice resumed; specialty, diseases of women.

PR. MACARTHUR, B.A., 485 DUNDAS street. Specially children and women. DR. JARVIS — HOMGEOPATHIST — 834 Dundas street.

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R. McCALLUM HAS REMOVED HIS office to 415 Dundas street, opposite the

DR. R. FERGUSON-OFFICE AND RESI-DENCE, to Craig street, South London.

Telephone 753.

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Cl. T. CAMPEELL, M.D., M.C.P.S.-Office and residence, 287 Queen's avenue, 10 and 6 to 7:30 p.m. \$1 to 3 p.m. and 6 to 7:30 p.m. \$2 to 10 p.m. and 6 to 7:30 p.m. \$1 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 7:30 p.m. \$2 to 10 p.m. and 6 to 7:30 p.m.

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No marriage licenses without bondsmen, 62 Richmond street, south of Dundae; residence, 41 Dufferin avenue.

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J. H. WILSON & SON-CFFICE, 904 KING
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MEREDITH, CAMERON & JUDD-inson Hall Chambers. E. MEREDITH, Q.C., J. C. JUDD, E. R. CAMERON.

A GOODRICH. LAWYER. 124 DEAR.
BORN street, Chicago, Ill.: 27 years' experience; secrecy; special facilities in several states; "Goodrich on divorce, with laws of all states," in press. Price 86.

A LBERT O, JEFFERY, ILLB. D.C.L., barrister, solicitor, notary public, office, Ontario I oan Building (upstairs), Market Lane, London.

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Titzgerald & Glass, Barristers, solicitors, etc., 83 Dandas street, London. Money at 54 and 6. W. W. Fitzgerald, Q.C.; Chas. T. Glass, B.A.

H. LUSCOMBE BARRISTER, SOLICITORO, Money at lowest rates.

MILLS WEEKES-BARRISTERS, ETC.,
London, Ont. Office corner Dundas
street and Market Lane. Hon. David Mills,
Q.C., G. N. Weekes, Money to loan on real
estate at lowest current rates.

PARKE & PURDOM — BARRISTERS
Offices, opposite City Hall, Richmond
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TENDERS

TENDERS will be received at this office up to Thursday, Jan. 7, 1892, at 5 o'clock PLUMBING WORK

required at City Hall. Specifications may seen at this office. ALD, THOS. CONNOR, Ch. No. 2 Com. ORMSBY GRAYDON, City Engineer. 36k cod

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THENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office up to Thursday, Jan. 7, 1892, at 5 o'clock, for a STONE BREAKWATER, at Victoria Bridge.
Plans and specifications may be seen at this

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WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by J. W. Jones, at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Tuesday, the 29th day of December instant, at the hour of 2:39 p.m., the general stock of E. A. Cairneross, of Shakespeare, consisting of:

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.	Drygoods	6,197	
. 1	Tweeds and gents' furnishings	2,465	
	Millinery	821	84
	Hats, caps and furs	1,174	
١.	Wall paper	309	
4	Boots and shoes	4,988	
3	Glassware and crockery	593	
	Hardware and oil	1,676	
	Groceries	963	
1	Patent medicines and stationery	455	
. 1	Shop furniture	249	
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Total. \$19.980 80 at two, four, six and eight months, with interest at 7 per cent, per annum. Stock list on the premises and with Messrs, Gibbons, McNab & Mulkern, London, Stock can be seen on the premises at any time.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES

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Canadr Southern Division—Coing Eas Leave Leave St. North Shore Idmited (daily) 8:30 p.m. 11:50 p.m. N. Y. Express (daily) 8:30 p.m. 3:00 a.m. American Express (daily) 5:30 a.m. 11:15 a.m. Atlantic Express (daily) 8:30 a.m. 11:50 p.m. N. Y. and Boston Express (daily) 2:25 p.m. 4:45 p.m. (daily) 4:45 p.m. Canada Southern Division-Going West. North Shore Limited (daily) 8:39 p.m. 7:28 s.m. Chicago Express (daily) 8:30 p.m. 4:20 s.m. Chicago Express (daily) 9:50 s.m. 10:05 s.m. American Express (except Mail (except Standays) 1:25 p.m. 3:15 p.m. Facific Except Standays) 1:25 p.m. 3:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

Trains strive in London at 8:25 a.m., 12 m and 6:40 p.m.
[Note,—No trains to or from London on Sundays.] John Paul, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, 305 Richmond street.

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Turchasers should look to the Label on the Eoxes and Pots. If the address is not 583, Oxford Street, London, they are spurjous.

TEMPERANCE NEWS.

The liquor traffic exists in this country day only by the sufferance of the member The tiquor traffic exists in this to-day only by the sufferance of the n ship of the Christian churches. The masters of the situation so far abolition of the traffic is concerned, they say "Go," it will go.

Out of 70,000 British troops in India, 18,000 are teetotalers. Sir Frederick Roberts himself says that "for every 5,000 teetotalers enrolled, the strength of the British army is practically increased by another battalion." The authorities in India make an annual grant of 8,000 rupees for temperance work and give the use of a room in every corps for meetings, as well as allowing refreshment bars to be opened, the profits of which go to temperance work, so that the men are encouraged in every way to remain true to their pledge.

In an experimental observation of 38 boys of all classes of society, and of average health, who had been using tobacco for a period ranging from two months to two years, 27 showed severe injury to the constitution and insufficient growth; 32 showed the existence of the irregularity of the heart's action, disordered stomachs, cough, and a craving for alcohol; 13 had intermittency of the pulse, and one had consumption. After they had abandoned the use of tobacco, within six months' time, one-half were free from all their former symptoms, and the remainder had recovered by the end of the year.—[Science.] former symptoms, and the remainder had recovered by the end of the year. -[Science. 111

It is difficult to convince many otherwise excellent people, says The Christian at Work, that there is any harm in taking an occasional glass of wine or other intoxicating beverage at the table or elsewhere. They never drink to excess, it is said, and why should they deprive themselves of a harmless indulgence because other men are too weak to control their appetites. This is the usual argument, but in the present harmless indulgance because other men are too weak to control their appetites. This is the usual argument, but in the present situation of things at least, it is a cruel, selfish, unmanly, and un-Christian argument. It is the old cry in a new form "Am I my brother's keeper?" Paul answered this most effectively when he said "If meat make my brother to oftend I will eat no fless while the world standeth." There is true manliness in this, the true Christ-spirit. "I will deny myself," the Apostle might have added, "even so harmless and so important an article of food as meat if the eating of it shall cause my brother to stumble and fall into sin. It is not absolutely essential that I should eat meat to sustain my life. There are plenty of other kinds of food good and wholesome to which I may resort. I will restrict myself to these if by so doing I can save a single one of my fellow-men from a life of sin and shame." Would that the moderate drinker would apply such logic as this to drinker would apply such logic as this to himself.

A petition has been forwarded to England, signed by 227 Bombay opium drunkards. A translation of it reads as follows: "To the great and gracious ruler, the Empress Victoria—The humble petition of opium drunkards in the city of Bombay. We, the undersigned, very humbly state that we have become addicted to the opium habit, and that the strength of it has mastered us. We, in ourselves, have not the power to get free from it. Through the habit of opium we have become reduced to a state of utter poverty. The money which should have nourished our wives and children has gone to the opium shop. Our bodily strength has been wasted away. It is not good, then, to be slaves of opium. So long as the Government does not stop opium our reformation is impossible. Therefore, we very importunely beseech the Government to consider our condition; and, having mercy upon us and our wives and children, to close altogether the trade in opium. Give nobody a license to wives and offinites, to discuss a license to trade in opium. Give nobody a license to sell opium. By doing this we shall not be tempted to uss the opium. Some say that the Government wants the money. But if the Government will save our lives and stop the sale of opium, then we will forever pray for the prosperity of the Government." How can a Christian nation stop its ear to such a profound human ery as this? May the Lord have mercy on our souls if we give no heed to it.

Mr. Wm. Pagan, Liverpool, England, Harriers, writes: "I believe St. Jacobs Oil to be the best thing ever used for curing

Oak rockers \$1, plush rockers, easy chairs, parlor suites, bedroom sets, etc. Twenty per cent. off during holidays. WM. TRAFFORD, 95 and 97 King street.

world to regain its reason and dyspepties the use of their stomachs by the use of K. D. C. A practical cook book containing nearly 1,000 valuable receipts free to housekeepers by calling at STRONG'S drug store, 184 Dundas street.

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"The World Gone Mad !" Wanted-the

Teeth without plates; gold and percelain crowns; established fifteen years. J. B. Cook, L.D.S. Every mother, wife and daughter should use Strong's Eaking Powder; 25 cents per pound, guaranteed strictly pure, made fresh daily and sold only at STRONG'S Drug Store 184 Dundas street. 47-tf

K. D. C. is "worth its weight in gold," "sells like hot cakes," "is all it is recommended," "an excellent remedy" and "the best dyspepsia remedy ever offered to the public." See testimonials.

A Great Chance.—Having bought a large assortment of fancy goods samples at a large discount off wholesale prices I will offer same at and under wholesale prices. See them, compare prices and satisfy yourselves that you can get genuine bargaingin Xmas presents at E. N. Hunn's, 190 Dundas street.

St. Leon Water on draught at STRONGS' drug store, 184 Dundas street. 47tf

Our fall stock is now complete and we are offering a good assortment of new goods at cut prices; special values in ladies and gents' fine lines. R. KIRKPATRIOK, 219 Dundas street.

W. Stillns, who for the pastfour years kept the bakery on Wellington street, will now be found at 312 Dundas. Pastry and confectioner, of all kinds. Home-made pies a specialty, vy

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of Reaching the Old Fellow.

[New York Sun.]

When Police Sergeant Cooper entered his home at Woodlawn on Sunday morning his two boys greeted him warmly and asked. "Where can we find Santa Claus, pop? Christmas is nearly here, and we want to interview him." Charley, who is 8 years old, and Nerman, who is 7, had been hunting for the famous old friend of the children all morning. They had peeped up the chimney and rummaged in the cellar without discovering his where abouts. Sergt. Cooper laughed when his wife told him of the boys' hunt.

"Why, boys, it's easy enough to get at Santa Claus," he said. "When I was a boy I used to write him a letter and tell him what I wanted. He always got the letter. Boys never get a chance to see Santa Claus, you know. He'ss sly old fellow, and he knows that if any bright little chap did catch sight of him in his sleigh he would be sure to find out what he had for everybody in the neighborhood and tell the boys and girls. That would spoil all the fun, for he wants to surprise the little folks by keeping them guessing at what he'll bring on Christmas."

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"I'll write, too," Norman said, and both got pens and paper and buried their heads in their hands a long time in deep thought over their novel correspondence. Charley finished first, and he displayed this letter to his brother:

Dear Santa Claus.—Please give me a real I want it red I want some sodas and Agates and Composition Book I want some China alleys Dear Santa Claus I would like you to get me some ests that go in the air I would like you to get me some cars that go in the sir I would properly to the control of the some cars that go in the sir I would not some cars that go in the sir I want some Charley Cooper. Norman was equally explicit and affectionate. He summed up his wants as follows:

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,—Please bring me 1 boy of paints and bring me some story books and real and a horse and cart and a writing part and bring me some marbles crokers and soda and bring me some marbles crokers and soda and some glass X agates and some china alley, and a fire cart what goes by springs or a man Dec. 20. NORMAN COOPER. Both youngsters were stuck when they had finished the letters. They didn't know Santa Claus, posteffice address. Norman said that it must be down in the Tenderloin police precinct, because the stores there are checkful of good things. Charley said that if it was in the Tenderloin Captain Reilly must know Santa Claus, and so after considerable debate they produced to envelopes each with the following inscription:

DEAR MR. SANTA CLAUS, OARE CAPT, T. REILLY,
West Thirtieth street,
Personal, New York City.

They sealed them and gave them to the sergeant, who delivered them in due form to Capt. Reilly at the Thirteenth street station. The captain in turn formally turned them over again to Sergt. Cooper. "Every father is his own Santa Claus," he said. Thereupon the letters were opened in the presence of the captain and all the sergeants, who constituted themselves a sort of Santa Claus council.

"They are very good boys indeed," Capt. Reilly remarked. "They don't want the carth."

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Charley's request for cars that go in the air stumped the assembled counselors of St. Nick for a time. Then Sergt. Cooper discovered that it meant a toy elevated railroad that works by steam. The sergeant went back home in a happy frame of mind. The boys were waiting for him anxiously. "Did Santa Claus get the letters?" they seled.

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"He did," the sergeant answered, playfully, "but he says, Charley, that he doesn't know about getting that elevated railroad. You see, Mr. Gould and Cel. Hain have got all the rights to run elevated trains in the city, and Santa Claus doesn't want to interfere with them."
"Oh, pshaw, pop," cried Charley, "Mr. Gould needu't be afraid. I ain't going to carry any passengers on my road. I'll write and tell Santa Claus so. He can fix it. can't he?"

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"Well, I should smile if he couldn't," the sergeant replied. Charley then produced

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