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MORE THAN A MILLION AHEAD.

But Customs Receipts Were a Hundred Thousand Short.

There is a bit of a shock in the statement issued Cashier John B. Fleming at the Customs House last night, as it shows a decrease in revenue of $101,497, but it isn't as bad as it looks. Fine weather has caused a little bit of a let-up on imports, but officials say the decrease might be made up in a couple of days, now that the seasonable weather has arrived. The total duty collected at the Port of Toronto for Nov., 1905, was $684,550, against $786,047 for the same month last year. For the 11 months the duty collected is over a million dollars ahead of that of last year.

Canada's customs revenue is still soaring. For five months ending Nov. 30 there is an increase of $1,262,267 over the same period of last year, while for the month of November the gain is $432,204.

The monthly bank clearings at the Toronto Clearing House are the largest on record, nearly $100,000,000 for the month of November. For the 11 months this year they total $951,000,000, nearly $200,000,000 greater than for the same time last year. It is an evidence of the commercial business increase thruout Canada.

A Bird Show.

The Canary and Cage Bird Society have been granted the use of Brockton Hall for Dec. 16.

Our booklet, "A Gentleman's Wardrobe," free.

Get your order in for that winter overcoat this week.

The fabrics are here in great variety and your individual taste has the ear of our designers.

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EFFECT OF COMMERCIALISM IN INSURANCE BUSINESS

E. P. Heaton Says It Has Contributed to the Unnecessary Increasing of Expenses.

"Commercialism in Fire Insurance," was the subject of an interesting address, given by Ernest P. Heaton, manager of the insurance department of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, to the members of the Empire Club yesterday.

He meant, by "Commercialism in Fire Insurance," the underlying principle of the interest of the stockholder, an interest that was held up as supreme and paramount; whoever might be the victim of circumstances the rights of capital must be respected and dividends secured, even if the insurance premiums imposed upon the people constituted an intolerable burden.

Mr. Heaton pointed out that fire insurance was the offspring of the great fire of London, England, in 1666. It was in that year that Dr. Barbon, sometimes called Barton, set up his office for insuring houses and buildings. Then Mr. Heaton went thru the history of insurance down to the present times. It seemed quite clear that it was in the eighteenth century the prime function of fire insurance in the main was one of benevolence, with little or no thought beyond the sympathetic feeling for a fellow man in distress. It was equally clear that it was not until the 19th century that the great movement to substitute joint stock for mutual insurance became so pronounced and extensive in its operations as to entitle it to claim any degree of pre-eminence. Despite this change, however, and up to the present moment the one principle remained in unquestioned supremacy, viz., a certain element of mutuality exists even in joint stock fire insurance companies.

"What effect has commercialism, in its remainder, had upon joint stock fire insurance companies?" asked Mr. Heaton. While it had, of course, given to the world undoubted security in respect to the payment of the obligations undertaken, Mr. Heaton contended (1) that commercialism has demanded and has received much too large a profit on the business and responsibilities undertaken, and (2) that commercialism has contributed to an unduly heavy fire waste by its avowed and clearly defined policy. The spirit of gain embodied in the policy of the joint stock fire insurance company had been evidenced by a marked indifference to the extent of the fire waste and unblushingly proclaimed: "It is not ours to suggest ways and means to save losses; it is ours to take your risks as we find them, rate them accordingly, and you must pay us for collecting, distributing and guaranteeing claims." Commercialism has led to a spirit of emulation after large figures and large profits which had resulted in a continuously increasing ratio of expense, which the companies had it in their power to regulate."

THREE JOBS LOST AND FOUND ALL IN LICENSE BRANCH

Clerk Mahood in the Parliament Buildings Dismissed on Charges of Partisanship.

Three more dismissals in the two outside inspectors and a clerk in the central department at the parliament buildings are the latest casualties in the license department.

George House of Stephensonville will succeed F. D. Noble, dismissed, as license inspector of Welland.

John Stanton of Whitby is appointed license inspector of South Ontario, vice R. J. Machie, dismissed.

One of the first heads to go at the parliament buildings during the new regime is Robert Mahood, clerk in the license department, against whom charges of partisanship were made. His successor has not been selected yet.

The dismissed clerk denied the charges.

The official statement regarding the dismissal is that Mr. Mahood was in the civil service as guard at the Central Prison from April 1, 1898, up till March or April, 1902.

On July 15 of the same year he accepted a position as clerk in the license branch, where he remained up to the present. Certificates from respectable and worthy men state that Mr. Mahood took an active part in the elections of 1898 and 1902, and in the Dominion elections of 1904. In the last campaign he did active work for the Liberal party in West Peterboro.

Of the old inspectors there remain seventeen still safe. Among them are those in Hon. Dr. Reaume's and Hon. W. J. Hanna's ridings.

Inspector Hastings and his aides yesterday received the official notifications of their dismissal, to take effect today.

WIRELESS IN TORONTO.

Promise That It Will Operate by New Year's Day.

The Aerogram men are in the city. M. H. Crego, F. H. Clum and C. E. Hartsen of Rochester were registered at the Arlington yesterday. They are pushing the interests of the Dominion de Forest Wireless Telegraph Co., and are an interesting trio of experts. By January 1, 1906, wireless telegraphy will be in operation in Toronto. The company are putting up a station at Toronto Junction to co-operate with stations at Quebec, Ottawa and Montreal. New stations will be erected at Hamilton and other points. It is a great game, and the gentlemen have proofs of its efficiency. They have 75 customers in Montreal now. In the United States there are 140 stations, of which 125 are working. In Alaska, at Nome and St. Michael's it cost $15,000 to establish stations, and the receipts for the year were $780,000.

FRACTURES SKULL IN CELL.

Crazed From Liquor, Falls Against Wall.

Quebec, Nov. 30.—Falling against the walls of his prison cell in the Quebec jail, a well-known French-Canadian carter fractured his spinal column at the base of the skull about 3 o'clock this morning, and died shortly afterwards. He was about 35 years of age and unmarried. He had been drinking heavily of late, and yesterday was sent to jail for 15 days to sober up. In the cell last night the effects of the liquor worked on his body and brain to such an extent that he moved about in a furious manner, which finally resulted as above.

Price List Withdrawn.

Canadian Cotton Mills have withdrawn price lists owing to the strong condition and upward tendency in the raw cotton markets.

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SOCIALISTS ARE OPTIMISTIC BELIEVE TROOPS WITH THEM

Only Division of Guards Uncertain as to Revolutionary Tendency—Situation Very Dark.

Berlin, Nov. 30.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Vossische Zeitung, who talked for five hours with representative leaders of all political and social classes outside the court circles, cables by way of Stockholm under yesterday evening's date, as follows:

"The result of these interviews is the conclusion that the action of the zemstvo congress in recognizing the Socialist organization as the strongest has driven many waverings elements to join the Socialists, altho these openly proclaim that the capitalists will be abolished as soon as the government is displaced. A rich merchant informed me that he paid $10 weekly to the strike leaders, who give him a permanent guard of workmen.

"Confidence in Premier Witte's cabinet is disappearing in political commercial circles since it is growing daily more evident that Witte is without the necessary powers from the emperor. These circles believe that Count Ignatieff's influence is growing. Partisans of the reactionary interior minister, Durnovo, confirmed to me the statement that Prince Scherbatoff is organizing a loyal militia and added that Durnovo and Scherbatoff are trying to force matters to such an extreme that at a given moment they can fall upon the Liberals with this temporary militia. These classes designate Durnovo as Witte's successor. In a very few days a crisis must decide whether the autocracy will be resurrected."

Socialists Hopeful.

The Vossische Zeitung's St. Petersburg correspondent says: The autocracy will be resurrected. The Socialists are optimistic. They hope soon to spread a general strike all over Russia, except Poland. They regard all the technical troops as pledged to them. Of the other troops they do not yet trust the division of guards.

"The Socialists say the activity of the reactionists comes opportunely for them, since it drives the Liberals to the Socialists, which facilitates their fight against the capitalists. They assert that they have no doubt that the proletariat will be supreme in St. Petersburg within a short time, altho only part of the lower officials of the post and telegraph department hitherto have joined the strike. The railway operatives will also strike soon because Durnovo arrested their representatives contrary to the government's promise. In some quarters there is a demand that the emperor come to St. Petersburg and issue a manifesto, to the peaceable elements. It seems to me that the moment for this has passed. The emperor's entrance into the city could only lead to a catastrophe which may be postponed, or perhaps be avoided by his remaining at Tsarskoe-Selo.

Grows Worse Hourly.

"According to my personal conviction, the situation grows hourly worse. Events cannot be stayed and new bloodshed is unavoidable since the reactionists and Socialists alike wish it. The imperial house and the bourgeoisie will be the losers."

Murad Cigarettes.

Murad "plain tips" Turkish Cigarettes are the latest and best achievement of Allan Ramsay, for sixteen years government expert of Turkey. During that period Mr. Ramsay's cigarettes—his alone—were the accepted brands of the dignitaries of the Turkish court—15c per package.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS VISIT TO GENERAL HOSPITAL

County Councillors Make a Visit—East Gwillimbury Wants a Bridge.

A feature of Thursday's sitting of the York County Council was the practical interest and sympathy manifested by the members toward the building and endowment fund of the proposed new General Hospital. On the invitation of the trustee board the members of the council visited the General Hospital where they were met by Dr. J. N. E. Brown, superintendent, M. J. Haney, F. C. Lapham and Cawthra Mulock, and escorted thru the building. After the visit thru the several wards, an informal discussion took place when Mr. Haney briefly outlined the proposed plans for the new hospital. Out of a total of $1,000,000 required to build and equip the hospital, $500,000 had already been provided for. The County of York would, it was hoped, donate the sum of $25,000 toward the project. In answer to Mr. Lunney, Mr. Haney stated that the plans for the new hospital would not be prepared for probably a year, the interval would be employed in studying the conditions which prevail in the large American cities and on the continent. Approximately the new hospital would contain 400 beds, while the site selected would be a central one. On behalf of the council Warden Baird expressed pleasure for the information imparted by the visit. Carriages were in waiting and the members were driven to the home of Cawthra Mulock, where luncheon was served. At the council during the morning session a deputation from East Gwillimbury petitioned the council to erect a bridge over the Holland River, near the village of Queensville. A bridge over the river at the point indicated would give the residents of the village access to Simcoe. Bradford residents have promised $500, while East Gwillimbury residents will build the approaches, which in itself is quite an undertaking, as at this point a bog is encountered. A committee composed of Councillors Boag, Lundy, Quantz, Evans and Rogers will report as to the feasibility of the work at the February session of the council. At 10 o'clock this morning the report of the Industrial Home commission will be considered. The members of the Markham Village Council will to-day submit a proposition for the assumption of the road, and the building of a bridge leading into Markham from the south. A committee on bylaws was appointed, whose duty it will be to approach the legislature with a view to securing legislation empowering rural municipalities to prohibit the carrying of firearms. The object sought is to prevent city boys from engaging in indiscriminate shooting in suburban localities. The automobile bylaw passed last session, giving $25 to informants regarding infractions of the act, is not satisfactory. Magistrates only impose a fine of $5 and costs and the result is a dead loss on the county exchequer. The report of the county commissioners was adopted. During the summer the Upper Rowntree bridge, at Thistletown, was built, at a cost of $3091.75, likewise the Bolton bridge, at a cost of $2028.35. On the Daville bridge, at Aurora, $318.79, and on the Udora bridge, over the Black River, $625 were expended.

East Toronto.

East Toronto, Nov. 30.—A largely attended meeting of the Aberdeen Curling Club was held in the rink to-night. Workmen to-day began the erection of a fence around the hockey and curling section of the athletic grounds, some 150 feet square.

The fifth anniversary of Hope Methodist Church will be held on Sunday and Monday, Dec. 3 and 4, at 11 a.m. On Sunday Rev. T. W. Neal will officiate and at 7 p.m. Rev. J. D. Fitzpatrick. On Monday evening Rev. J. L. Starr will lecture on "Individuality."

James Taylor, for some time at Dentonia Park Farm, has returned from Philadelphia, and will remain here during the winter.

Chester.

The pupils of Chester public school held their annual sports on Monday afternoon. The winners were:

Girls, five years (running), Hattie Wright; six, Hazel Baldwin, Dorothy Vernon; seven, Hazel Sheppard; Clara Bolderston; eight, Louie Webster, Gertie Byers; nine, Gladys Brown, Louie Bolderston; ten, Irene Collins, May Prince, Marjory Sleeth; eleven, Florence Winterbottom, May Watson; twelve, Gertie Athersich, May Armstrong; thirteen, Pearl Brown, Mary Ingham.

Boys, five years, Hugh Maine, Percy Bowman; six, Donald Sutherland, Roy Brown; seven, Mellville Muir, Ernest Nutter; eight, Jim Sheppard, Arthur Marchington; nine, Clarence Burges, Archie Miller; ten, Harold West, John Stokell; eleven, Ernest Strongtharm, Fred Marchington; twelve, Joshua Ingham, Alex Miller; thirteen, Chris. Poole, Willie Burgess; fourteen, Horace Saunders, Willie Moore.

One-quarter mile race—Chris Poole, Horace Saunders.

Sack race—Fred Baldwin, Horace Saunders.

Three-legged race—Horace Saunders and Chris Poole, Bert Baldwin and Lloyd Bennett.

Jockey race—Horace Saunders and Chris Poole, Everett Mountain and George Collins.

Wheelbarrow race—Horace Saunders and James Maynard, Willie Burgess and Harry Macdonald.

Markham.

Wm. Fahey and W. H. Fahey are bringing action as well against the James Bay Railway Company for a declaration that the execution of the contract for the sale of lot 32 in the first concession of Markham Township was obtained by fraud on the part of the defendants, that the said contract be set aside and be declared void, and that damages be granted.

Vegetable Growers Association.

The annual meeting of the Vegetable Growers' Association will be held at the Albion Hotel on Saturday, Dec. 2, at 3 p.m. sharp.

Toronto Junction.

Toronto Junction, Nov. 30.—The executive committee of the town council met to-night with Councillor Armstrong presiding. The Francis Frost Company asked for exemption from taxes for a factory which they intended to build at the corner of Whitney and St. Clair-avenues. They intend employing ten men ten months of the year, and to manufacture paints, colors and varnishes, and erect a building to cost $3000. On a vote of six to two, it was decided not to grant any exemption. Fifty dollars was granted to the Stock Yards Company, to be expended in prizes at the annual Fat Cattle Show on Dec. 11. The intermediate Shamrock Lacrosse Club was granted $25, with which to finish paying the debts of the year. The Bell Telephone Company asked that an inch water pipe be put into their building on Keele-street, to be used for fire purposes. The request was granted, providing the company pay expenses. The mayor and solicitor were appointed a committee to attend the meeting at the parliament buildings on Dec. 5 of the electric railway committee. The treasurer was instructed to collect all outstanding accounts owing for sewer connections and street improvements. Chas. Schmidt was granted permission to build an oven under the sidewalk at 71 West Dundas-street, the plans subject to the approval of Councillor Ellis. W. A. Baird asked permission of the committee to use the town park as a skating rink, and also permission to erect suitable building. He was given assurance that the request be granted by council, and was told to go ahead with the work. A communication from Engineer Gibson stated that altho Elizabeth-street would be graded it would not improve the position, for if there was not an outlet at Annette-street the school property of the township, on Elizabeth-street, would still be flooded. The council will deal with the matter on Monday night.

Charles Dickens and some of his characters afforded much interest to a large audience at the College of Music to-night. Mayor Smith presided.

James Lamberton, an employe at the Canada Foundry, had his hand so badly crushed yesterday that Dr. Perfect found it necessary to amputate three fingers.

A number of pupils stayed away from the schools to-day, on account of the vaccination scare, but as it is now generally known the rumor was only a joke, the attendance will be as usual to-morrow.

The wedding took place last night, at the residence of her father, 107 Willoughby-avenue, of Miss Margaret Croney to George Kelsey of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Hazelwood, in the presence of about fifty guests. The bridesmaid was Miss Lizzie Young of Toronto, while the groom was supported by his brother, Ed Kelsey, also of Toronto. The wedding march was played by Miss Henry. After partaking of supper, the young couple left for Montreal on a short honeymoon, after which they will reside in Toronto.

The Ladies' Aid of Victoria Church will hold a Christmas bazaar in the baseent of the church on Dec. 8 and 9.

Mrs. Josephine Gibson, wife of Robt Gibson of Hespeler, died yesterday at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Hughes, 103 Quebec-avenue. She was on a visit to her mother and had been ill for about ten days. Deceased, who was 26 years of age, leaves a husband and one child. The remains were shipped to Hespeler to-day and will be interred to-morrow.

The proprietors of the King Edward Rink, Toronto, have leased the town park, to be used as a skating rink this winter, and had a gang of men working to-day putting up buildings, etc., in preparation.

The wife of P. Brown of Carlton died to-day in Grace Hospital. The funeral will take place to Prospect Cemetery.

The Toronto Junction Gun Club held its monthly meeting to-night with President F. Ellis in the chair. It was decided to hold a one-day tournament at the Lambton grounds on Christmas Day, commencing at 1 o'clock. The shoot will be open to all members of gun clubs in Ontario. A handicap committee was appointed as follows: Geo. W. McGill, D. J. Taylor and W. Wakefield.

A burglary was committed at the residence of J. H. Parkin, 615 Weston-road, this afternoon between 2 and 6 o'clock. Twenty dollars and a pair of gloves were missed. The person or persons entered thru a cellar window.

The Annette-street rink was being flooded to-night.

Weston.

Weston, Nov. 30.—The regular winter meetings of the West York Farmers' Institute will be held at Orange Hall, Woodbridge, to-morrow, and at Dufferin Hall, Weston, on Saturday. The speakers at the afternoon and evening meetings will be Henry Glendenning, Manilla, and W. F. Kydd, Simcoe. A judging class in dairy cattle will be held at the Russell House, Weston, at 10 a.m., and at the fair grounds, Woodbridge, at 1 o'clock. It will be conducted by A. Leech, of Victoria Industrial School.

Mrs. VandeVord and Miss E. P. VandeVord intend leaving in a day or so for an extended trip to Florida.

The sale of the Holley estate has taken place. The farm on which James McMillan is located was purchased by D. Rowntree, J.P., for $83 per acre. The homestead was bought by G. W. Coulter, V.S., and a number of other lots were sold.

The old postoffice has been rented by the Suburban Railway Company, and it will be used as a waiting-room this winter.

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To-day we want to call your attention to the letter quoted below, because it so well describes the symptoms of kidney disease and the experience which many people have in their search for a cure.

Mrs. W. Francis, 204 Colborne-street, Kingston, Ont., states: "I was in a very bad state with kidney disease in its worst form. I felt miserable most of the time, suffered from pains in the back and legs, and as I saw that I was gradually failing in health and becoming thinner and weaker, I worried a great deal about the future. I had tried a great many kidney medicines, but did not obtain much benefit. A friend of mine asked me why I did not try Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I did so, and can truly say that they have entirely cured me. I would not think of being without this remedy in the house now, as we consider it a splendid family medicine."

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FANCY VESTS Worth $2.50, $3, $3.25, $3.50, for 1.98

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Look this list over as carefully as it deserves—not too carefully, for you can't.

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Men's Fine Overcoats, consisting of fine black and Oxford grey cheviots, beavers and meltons, also some fancy tweeds in neat, quiet patterns, brown and black grounds, with light and shadow stripe patterns, cut in 3-4 length Chesterfields, also the long 50 inch Chesterfield and some single-breasted tourist style, all are well tailored and perfect fitting, sizes 35 to 44, ranging from $10 up to $14, to clear, Saturday, at **6.95**

Men's Heavy Weight Imported Scotch Tweed Winter Overcoats, a handsome light grey mixture, with light colored overplaid and flake effect, full 50 inches long, single-breasted, with self-collar and belt at back, fine trimmings, sizes 35—44, Saturday **15.50**

Fine Imported Black English Melton Winter Overcoats, cut from the latest American fashion plate, made and finished by first-class tailors, broad chest effect, and the new lapel, double-stitched raw edges, seams sewn with silk, fine quality serge lining; we fit you perfectly before we sell you, your tailor sells you first and fits you afterwards—sometimes? Saturday **16.00**

High-grade Imported English Cheviot Winter Overcoats, extra fine quality, in dark grey shade, made up in the latest single-breasted Chesterfield style, all hand-tailored, broad concave shoulders, neat silk velvet collar, fine linings and interlinings, perfect fitting and tailored equal to high-class custom work, Saturday **25.00**

Boys' and Youths' Fine English Cheviot Dress Overcoats, dark Oxford grey, in a smooth, rich finish, made up in the long, full, single-breasted Chesterfield style, with half belt at back, good linings and trimmings, and splendid fitting, Saturday:

Sizes 29—30 ..... $6.50
Sizes 31—33 ..... 7.50
Sizes 34—35 ..... 8.00

Boys' and Youths' Fine Black Melton Overcoats, the full box back Chesterfield style, fine farmers' satin linings, with neat velvet collar, splendidly tailored and perfect fitting, Saturday:

Sizes 29 30, **$8.00**
Sizes 31-33 **$9.00**
Sizes 34-35 **$10.00**

The Fancy Vests

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Furnishings

Men's Wool Underwear, broken lines from our regular stock, in the lot are imported Scotch wool, merino, elastic ribbed wool, sateen trimmed, lined seats, sizes 34 to 44, regular price $1 and $1.25 per garment, Saturday ..... **.69**

Men's English Cardigan Jackets, black, three pockets, buttoned cuffs, nicely finished, sizes small, medium and large, regular prices $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, Saturday ..... **.98**

Men's Furs

Men's Fur Caps, in wedge shapes, fine quality nutria beaver, astrachan, electric seal, German otter, etc., in assorted lot balances of lines, Saturday, special **2.95**

Men's Fur-Lined Coats, black shell, marmot lined, German otter collars, special **33.00**

Men's Muskrat Lined Coats, extra fine cloth shells, otter and Persian lamb collars, best finish, special prices, $47.50, $50, $65 and **85.00**

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Men's Derby or Soft Hats, extra fine quality English and American fur felt, made by the most reliable makers in men's headwear, all the new and nobby fall shapes, special prices, Saturday, $2.00 and **2.50**

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Men's Boots for Saturday (Balcony, Men's Store.)

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MULHALL'S SHADOW BETRAYS HIM

His Attempt to Escape From Jail is Frustrated.

Belleville, Nov. 30.—A prisoner named John Mulhall, who is in the county jail here, awaiting trial for alleged horse stealing, made a daring attempt to escape.

He tore up his blanket and secreted the rope thus made about his person. The prisoners were allowed out in the jail yard in the afternoon, and Mulhall climbed up and secreted himself on the roof, no doubt thinking he would not be missed when the prisoners returned. The turnkey missed him and Mulhall's shadow on a wall gave him away. He was ordered down and placed in a cell.

Mulhall is from Deseronto, and was arrested in Toronto a short time ago.

New School is Opened.

Over 600 excited pupils inspected the new Queen Alexandra School, to their delight and satisfaction yesterday. Seats were selected, books and supplies deposited, and everything put in readiness for commencing work in earnest to-day.

It is a remarkable co-incidence that, without being premeditated, the first day's work will begin on her majesty's birthday, in commemoration of which flags will be hoisted on all schools today.

The teachers registered to begin Queen Alexandra's regime are senior fourth grade, Mr. Wallace, principal, and Miss N. L. Shepherd, assistant principal; junior fourth, W. W. Hilts; senior third, Miss E. M. Moulton; junior third, E. M. Wiley and Jessie Edmunds; senior second, Grace G. Finch; junior second, Gertrude Almer and Jessie Watson; senior first, M. B. Shepherd; junior first, A. T. Roberts and Bessie Bowling; director of kindergarten, Amy A. Craig; assistants, Gertrude Jenkinson and Louise Nudel.

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