Peoria, Ill., Jan. 9.—Following a general order whick was issued from the headquarters in New York City last night, all the distilleries under the management of the so-called whisky trust will quote goods today at \$1 22 as a basis price for the finished product. This is the lowest price in many years, and is a drop of 1 cent from the quotations which have been given out

quotations which have been given out during the past few weeks.

The final census bulletin on the negro population shows that there are 9,204,531 negroes in the United States, including Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico. Half of this number are under 19 years of age and from 14 to 16 per cent of them have white blood in their

cent of them have white blood in their

Number of Voters Added Exceed

Those of the First Two Days

Last Fall.

Saturday was the second day of the

registration of voters for the election

to be held on Jan. 25, and 749 names

were added to the list, making a total

Saturday the registrations were

Subdivision 3

Subdivision 4

Subdivision 5

Subdivision 6

Total for the day

registered, as against 749 on Saturday.

On the first two days of the registra-

tion last fall, but 1,146 votes were reg-

istered, whereas on the two days of

Subdivision 4

subdivision were as follows:

crease of 169.

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YESTERDAY IN THE LONDON CHURCHES

Bishop of Ontario Preaches at St. James', South London -Notes.

Rev. William Lennox Mills, Lord Bishop of the Diocese of Ontario, preached to large congregations at both services at St. James' Church, South London, yesterday, having remained over Sunday as the guest of the Dean of Huron. In the morning his lordship spoke eloquently and impressively upon the problem of the divinity of day afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. rooms Christ. He emphasized the fact that at 3 o'clock. the view held by many, whether they realized it or not, that Christ was simwas the eternal God, manifested in for special missionary collections at St.

the Evangelist was occupied yesterday morning by the Rev. Principal Waller, Rev. Mr. Munro, pastor of the Ridge-town Presbyterian Church, will take the pulpit in the New St. James' Church. Next Sunday Rev. A. J. MacGillivray will held in the Ridgetown church on the same

its anniversary services next Sunday. The pulpit will be taken in the morning by Rev. W. J. Clark, the pastor, and in the evening by Rev. Dr. Ross. The occasion will be marked by a special effort to lessen the debt on the church.

—Mr. William Graham, of concession 4, London Township, who has been seriously ill, is now much im-

zations will make their reports for the Special union services will be held in the Maitland Street Baptist Church this week for all the churches of that denomination in the city.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other threat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Creso line tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists

At present fully 90 per cent of the negroes live in the Southern States and 77 per cent of them reside upon farms. imperial canal in China is the longest in the world, and connects no fewer than 41 cities in the course of its | S

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

-Have you registered yet? -Miss Maud Parkinson has been isiting at the Methodist parsonage in

-Mr. R. Evans, of Maple Creek, N T., is visiting his mother at \$60 -Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cody, Ever-

relatives in Michigan. -Mrs. J. L. Hennessy spent several P. McGuire, Cobourg.

-Dr. W. C. Fawcett, of North Da--Mr. Peter Elson, M. P., left today for Ottawa, to be present at the opening of Parliament on Wednesday next. -Miss Lizzie Blair, of Detroit, has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Cody, Evergreen Lawn. -Rev. Principal Waller will resume his usual weekly Bible class on Tues-

-Electors who registered for the ply a great and perfect man, was totally inadequate. He dwelt upon the peopsity and the value of the income. necessity and the value of the incar-nation. Christ showed himself to be provincial contest on Jan. 25. Those a perfect man, but he also showed that who were entitled to be on the lists human form, Yesterday was set apart used in the municipal elections should also satisfy themselves that they will The pulpit in the Church of St. John be able to vote on the 25th. 'Phone 781 -the Liberal Club-and satisfy your self that you are on the list.

-Mr. Charles G. Williams has returned to the School of Science, Toanniversary services to be ronto, after spending the Christmas vacation at his home in this city. -Mr. A. J. Elson, B. A., who has The First Presbyterian Church will hold been the guest of his father, Mr. Peter turned to his pastorate in Otterville. -Mr. William Graham, of conces-

on Next Wednesday evening the first of the annual meetings of all the organizations of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will be held. With the exception of the board of managers, all the organisations will make their reports for the members of Victoria Lodge No. 1. street, entertained the officers and members of Victoria Lodge, No. 1, Daughters of Rebekah. the other even ing. A very pleasant time was spent.

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********** Mr. George Campbell, the well-known representative of T. E. Esterbrooke, of Red Rose Tea fame" in this city, was present at a banquet given the of 1,315 names for the two days.

employes of the company at St. John. N. B. He replied to the toast of "Western Ontario," and his remarks elicited a hearty round of applause. Subdivision 1 Mr. Campbell is one of the most energetic of the firm's representatives. DEATH IN LONDON TOWNSHIP. The death occurred yesterday at the family residence, in London Township, of Anna Eliza Powell, a much-esteemed young lady. She had been ill for two years, and death was not unexpected. Deceased is survived by her parents and two brothers. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning from the fam-

Church, where services will be conducted. FIRE BRIGADE STATISTICS. During 1904 the local fire brigade answered 187 alarms. Of these 120 were for fires, 40 chimney blazes, 20 were false alarms and 6 were test runs. The loss sustained on buildings totaled \$28,274, and on contents \$93.769. The insurance on contents amounted to \$212,337, and on buildings \$192,353. The serious fires of the year were those of Jan. 6, at Sterling Bros., Jan. 21 at Graham Bros., April 4 at F. E. Leonard's residence, July 1 at Greene, Swift & Co.'s, July 21 at Free Press

ily residence to St. John's Episcopal

building, Aug. 9 at street car barns, Oct. 3 at Barkwell & Co.'s; Oct. 14 at Somerville & Co.'s, Oct. 18 at Battle Creek Food Company's, Dec. 3 at Darch & Hunter's, and Dec. 21 at McCormick's factory.

CHINDAY CCHOOLC

Congregationalists Hold Pleasant Meeting in Southern Church on Sunday.

A very successful reunion of the Congregational Sabbath schools of the city was held in the Southern Church yesterday afternoon. It was the regular New Year's reunion rally-an even which each year is looked forward to with the greatest pleasure by scholars and teachers. Mr. Cannom, superintendent of the Southern Congregational Sunday school, presided, and he extended a hearty welcome to all, at the same time expressing regret that Mr Alfred Anundson, the superintendent of the First school, could not be present, owing to the death of his mother. The programme was an especially worthy one, the music for the occasion being supplied in an artistic manner by the First school orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Chadwick. Dr. McDonald, president of St. An drew's Church Guild, gave a very enteresting address, and he was followed by Revs. W. H. Claris and D. S. Hamgreen Lawn, are visiting friends and ilton, who also spoke on interesting subjects. Many beautiful solos were rendered, and there were also a chorus -Mrs. J. L. Hennessy spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. P. McGuire, Cobourg.

by Miss H. Moule's class, of the First school, a quartet by Messrs. Cannom and B. Imrie and Misses Claris and Cannom, and a solo by Master Gorkota, has returned home after visiting with his parents, Elmwood avenue.

Cannon, and a social don Imrie, of the Southern school.

Revs. W. H. Claris and D. S. Ham-

FOURTH "POP" AT THE AUDITORIUM

Soloist in Dundas Street Church, Assists.

The attendance at the fourth weekly 'pop" in the Auditorium on Saturday night, was the largest since the series commenced, every seat being occupied. This looks as if the "pops" are grow-ng more and more popular. The fine programme was heartily enjoyed. One programme was heartily enjoyed. One of the features of the evening was the appearance of Miss Lillian G. Wilson, the new soloist of the Dundas Center Methodist Church. She was given a sood reception which was well deserved Her voice is a light, but true and sweet, soprano, and she will prove a great addition to London musical circles. A little about the new-comer's past history will be interesting. Miss Wilson has been a resident teacher in the Ontario Ladies' College at Whitby, and holds two gold medals from that in vocal and piano music. Miss Wilson is an honor graduate of the Toronto is an honor graduate of the Toronto has resigned her position in Whitby, to a ccept one in this city, where she will pursue her vocation as a teacher of piano and vocal music. of the features of the evening was the appearance of Miss Lillian G. Wilson, iano and vocal music.

Master Frank Clegg was also well re-eived on Saturday night, as were, in-leed, all the well-known artists. The programme was as follows: "Song of Thanksgiving" (Allitsen), Miss Wilson; recitation, "The Innocent Drummer," Miss Lent, piano solo, "Dance of Gnomes" (Liszt), Mr. Charles Percy; solo, "When the Sunset Turns the Ocean's Blue to Gold" (Stern), Master Frank Clegg; flustrated songs, Mr. W. Spence; xylophone solo, overture, "William Tell," Master Frank Clegg; solo, "I Love You, Dear, and Only You" (Luders), Mr. M. Francis; reading, Miss Lent; solo, "I Wait for Thee" (Hawley), Miss Wilson; solo, 'In the 'Pale Moonlight" (Ludwig), Master Frank Clegg. programme was as follows: "Song of

amine the list and satisfy themselves that their names are on. If they do not appear on the list they will have to register before they can vote. ELECTORS SHOULD TAKE NO RISK IN THE MATTER. If you had to register in October last, it will be necessary for you to do so again. If you are entitled to vote at the municipal election, examine the lists. If you do not, you may go

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Such, however, is not the case, as

their names do not appear on the lists

to be used this month, and in order

to exercise their franchise they will

Those who are entitled to vote in the

municipal election would do well to ex-

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MANZANILLA, bottle....

QUEENS, quart.....

In Present Registration

have to register.

to the polls, only to find that your name has been omitted. Do not take any chances. REGISTER! REGISTER! REGIS-

EVERY BRITISH SUBJECT, WHO On the second day of the registrations for the Dominion election, held on the IS 21 YEARS OF AGE, AND WHO 3rd of November last, only 583 voters HAS RESIDED IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO ONE YEAR, AND IN THE CITY OF LONDON THREE MONTHS, IS ENTITLED TO A VOTE. Call at the Liberal Club rooms, or telephone 781, and ascertain if you are the present registration, 1,315 names

on the list. were added to the voters' list, an in-Where to Register.

The city is divided into six districts On the second day of the registration last fall the voters registered in each for the purposes of registration, as fol-

subdivision were as follows:

1. All that part of Ward 1, lying north and east of the River Thames, Subdivision 2 110 at the City Hall. 98 shop, corner of Richmond and Maple

Subdivision 6 52 3. All that part of Ward No. 3 lying __ borne street. Total registered 583 4. All that part of Ward No. 4, lying

Today and temorrow the registration continues, and all who desire to vote on Jan. 25 must register unless their corner of Piccodilly and College. names appear on the voters' list used in the recent municipal election. If

5. All that part of Ward No. 3 lying your name does not appear on the east of Adelaide street, and that part municipal list, you must register by of Ward No. 4, lying east of William Tuesday night or you will have no street and south of Central avenue, at the East End Hall.

6. All that part of Ward No. 1 lying quarters that persons who registered Shaw's grocery, corner Wortley road

n October last for the Dominion elec- and Craig streets. ion will not have to do so again to The hours for registration are from enable them to vote in the Provincial 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.. from 2 to 6 p.m., and from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

NEW BISHOP OF HURON CONDUCTS FIRST CONFIRMATION Highly-Respected Lady Passes Away

Class of Thirty Presented at the itual. They penetrate and inter-pene Memorial Church—His Lordship's Address.

official act of Right Rev. David Wilits doors long before the hour of opening. Numbers of people were turned away and many stood at the rear throughout the evening. Naturally, his ion of religious things, but being filled with public opinion, or one's family opinion of religious things, but being filled with the desire to get down to the fundafirroughout the evening. Naturally, his lordship's every word and movement with the desire to get down to the fundamental principles and facts. How was used to be possessed? By knowtention by the congregation, especially when it came to the sermon. This was delivered with the same strong, eyen from the lives of the saints, could but simple eloquence, and the same we get even a tolerable idea of wha deep evangelical feeling, that characterized his lordship's predecessor, and to impress upon the minds of his hearer

Wiss Lillian G. Wilson, the New the loss that heard these first official words of the new bishop could not but be convinced that it would not have been possible to have chosen a more

church, the boys on the left side of the grand truth about salvation was that it center aisle and the girls at the other, the latter being dressed in the white attire which is usually worn on the octire which is usually worn on the oc-casion. After the service his lordship advanced to the front of the chancel, pathy

BRAIN POLISHER Grape Nuts and Cream

"THERE'S A REASON" (Ludwig), Master Frank Clegs.

trate each other. At birth you enter Christ, but a certain moral qualification is necessary in order to take possession of it. This is 'faith.' This word, like many in the New Testament, has lost The Bishop Cronyn Memorial Church much of its significance through use, was, from its very name and associations, perhaps the most suitable to be tions, perhaps the most suitable to be energetic sympathy with God, with

that "whatsoever you sow, that shall you reap." This, he said, was a common maxim, but the principle it contained, the fact that there is an indissoluble connection between cause and effect, was

worthy successor to the late Rev.Maurice S. Baldwin.

The regular order of evening prayer was first conducted by the rector, Rev. Dyson Hague, assisted by Rev. Arthur Carlisle. The lessons were read by the bishop. The candidates for confirmation were seated at the front of the church, the boys on the left side of the

exercising Judicially that he became strong. So in the spiritual life, we did not create our own salvation; but the way to gain the fullest sepiritual development was simply by submitting to the workings of the Holy Spirit.

And God had left us, said the bishop, certain means of strengthening ourselves. First was the Bible, "There is a lamentable lack of knowledge in this country with regard to the Bible," said his lordship. "Many knew who Adam, Samuel and others were, but they have failed to get any grasp of the spiritual wealth which is contained within the book's pages." He advised his young hearers never to let a day go past without reading at least a few verses of Scripture. Secondly, they should be regular attendants at public worship, as well as being constant in private praver. The third and last was the Lord's Supper. His lordship closed his sermon with a strong apparent for-a larger sitemance at the com-

CONTINUATION of

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After a lingering illness, the death the natural kingdom. The spiritual took place on Saturday afternoon of kingdom is our heritage through Jesus Mrs. Clampitt, relict of the late B. G. took place on Saturday afternoon of Clampitt, who was killed in an accident in the city a little over a year ago. Mrs. Clampitt, who was in her 72nd year, and was born in Dundas, Ont. had been confined to the house for some years with a chronic ailment, and her death was not altogether unhonored by being the scene of the first Christ. The laying on of hands, the expected. She was a lady of excellent ceremony of this evening, is the formal part of your claim, but it means all her acquaintances. She leaves a

liams, fourth bishop of Huron. The occasion was the confirmation last evening of a class of 17 boys and 12 girls, and the sacred edifice was crowded to its doors long before the hour of openof this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery from the family residence, 413 Bathurst street.



lany exposed and punished.

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ELECTS WARDEN ON 24TH

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thing to amuse them in "The Missouri-It is a drama of life in Missouri, and one of the most thrilling racing acts. A feature of this race is its historical interest, and the fact that the audience is able to see the movement of the horses throughout the contest. "The Missourians" will be at the Grand on Thursday night, 'Seats on

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port the Liberal candidate, who, it is believed, will be Mr. R. W. Jackson, of London Township, in preference to the choice of the Conservatives, Mr. R. M. Piper, of Westminster. In this event, a tie will result, and this can only be broken by the casting vote of Mr. Jackson or Mr. Clark, the repre sentatives of London Township, municipality which has the largest assessment in the county. As Londo Township's representatives were elect. ed by acclamation, they would have to draw lots to decide who could give th final vote for warden. IT HAS MANY OFFICES .- Before the German soldier starts on a long march he rubs his feet with tallow, for his first

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would throw away his tallow and pack of Independence was drafted was ex-hibited in the Virginia building at the There is nothing like it. A New York physician says: "The dreson sat when vice-president was also exhibited in this building, which beer sold in New York today is chemically the sold of the whisky, brandy and beer sold in New York today is chemically the sold of the whisky. was a reproduction of Jefferson's cally prepared and is absolutely un home.

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