

diate steps to frustrate the attempt. proached by Canada or Great Britain Early Saturday morning he went alone in the matter.

Early Saturday morning he went alone on foot to the barracks in Caracas, where a mutinous regiment under the command of President Castro's brother age he entered the building and placed the brother of the president under ar-rest. The cool nerve of Gomez made it possible for him to carry out this cancerous manoetures successfully. dangerous manoeuvre successfully. H > then went to the "yellow house,"

boon of low cable rates to Europe. Up to Old Companies. If the cable companies would make the reductions that would satisfy the the executive mansion, where he had a interview with Torres-Cardenas. The chief of the conspirators main-tained a defiant attitude and denied then there would be no new cable laid the existence of any plot. Gomez would not be deceived by such assurances. He seized Torres-Cardenas by the shoulders and, shaking him roughby said: "I have discovered your plot to assassinate me. You are my pri-tween Europe and America was not tween Europe and America was not Torres-Cardenas tried to use his re-

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec 22 -A flachdistant. light photograph of a member of the He believed a state-owned cable olver on the acting president, but come nacessary to lay one, undoubted-ly would be as successful and satis-will be one of the strongest features of It is in getting these low grades and Gomez was too quick for him. He pinioned the man's arms- and called the guard. Torres-Cardenas was seized and disarmed and hurried away to jail. These two arrests, made single from Canada to Australia. "That project first was serious y hended by Gomez's friends came forward quickly to his support. Orders were at once issued and carried out rapidly for the arrest of Garbiras Guarman Loopold Baratt, minister of the interior in the cabinet that was forced to resign Dec. 17; Senor Bermudez, direction of the noise as successful and the clearant set. State reduction of about 50 per cent, this picture? Interior in the cabinet that was forced to resign Dec. 17; Senor Bermudez, direction of the old rate of \$2.25 a word to rector of the national telegraph system is to easy, \$1.15, and there the state to consciling functional er Angulo and other adherents of Casine erasticat and its cheap rates I am confident the old rate of \$2.25 a word of the state of camples tent to subce and its cheap rates I am confident the old rate of \$2.25 a word of the state of the stat oned the man's arms-and called the

As soon as the news of the sensa-tho it has been described as losing cases. This man is replied to have tional occurrences became known thru-money yields not only sufficient to pay tional occurrences became known thru-out the city, an immense crowd gather-ed in the Plaza Bolivar and gave un-sued for its construction, but also a and to have become very intimate with surplus for the eventual extinction of the councilman. With other detectives the capital obligations." the capital obligations." No Arbitray Rate.

Mr. Lemieux said the demand on the duced to tell of the negotiations to Atlantic cable companies, which was expected to come to a conclusion this name the other members who were the

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ing Company.

Arather considerable companies, which was from the passage of the registriction to the expected to come to a conclusion this expected to come to a conclusion the brief of the logistriction to expect the passage of the logistriction to expect to an arbitrary rate of two pence, namely, four cents a members were tired of promises and word, as he said was erroneously supposed in many quarters. It had been proposed in the self of a correspondents at Berlin and Paris canceling the unlimited lefter of credit ly, but in any event the rate to be shilling on 25 cent rate. Mr. Hendiker shilling or 25 cent rate. Mr. Hendiker is said, broke down and wept, and when the active part in the movement for power cable rates, wanted an even lower charge, namely a penny or two has take an even lower charge, namely a penny or two has take a motor cents a word, he said. If a state-own or the books of the German National Baner H. A. K. Klearche ditter of the provide and the president W. W. Ram- sey and Cashier A. A. Klearche ditter of the provide and the president with the theorement of the provide and the president with the books of the German National Baner H. A. Klearche ditter of the provide and the president with the books of the German National Baner H. A. Klearche ditter of the provide and the president with the books of the German National Baner H. A. Klearche ditter of the provide and the president with the provide and the president with the president wither the provide and the president with

With Fractured Skull. CORNWALL, Dec. 22.-(Special.)-Win. Hargrave of Brockwille, a fire-Win. Hargrave of Brockwille, a fireection of the bank as a city depository. freight train, fell off his, locomotive on WINDSOR TEACHER STRICKEN The directors repudiated the action of

Scholars Gathered for Christmas Clos-ing, Told of Death. ported that some of the money was paid in cheques, and that the cheques and Cornwall General Hospital. How Hargrave fell off is a mystery Christmas cheer and juvenile enjoy- practically admitted that a number of WINDSOR, Dec. 22.-(Special.)decoy contractors and promoters were introduced to trap councilmen and that He reported his the announcement was made to the section men sent pupils, who had gathered there for the many temptations have been offered

veral miles. He reported his arance, and section men sent in Lancaster with a hand car Hargrave on the bridge, which e scene of a similar accident a of years ago. Attorney John S. Hersher, attorney for the Hebron Street Railway Comwhile she was preparing her break-All the school decorations were torn pany, whose ordinance is mentioned in the charges against councilmen, to-

night denied receiving a letter from a councilanan, saying: "Your ordinance is ready to pass. Come on and bring \$5000 with You." been invited to review the Twenty-Third Regiment at New York. The mas with her brother 'n Mer'in. Albert ed against the accused man. review is to be held on Jan. 16. Sir Rumball, recently appointed deputy No additional arrests were made to-Henry Pellatt said to The World last sheriff, is another brother, the family day, and it is said that none are likely

night that the invitation will probably being quite prominent in Essex and to be made until after the heating to-be accepted.

ton Highlands has started for Wisconsin, taking a baby from the Florence Crittenden Home as a Christmas present to a friend, who is childless. G. T. P. Can Put 2000 Tons Into Prince Rupert Behind a Single Engine, Gains of Only 6298 MONTREAL, Dec. 22.-(Special.)-

Jury, Investigating Death of Two

FIRE IN NEW YORK THEATRE.

Suicides in Cell.

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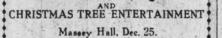
the theatre.

General Manager Hays of the Grand Trunk, who returned from London today, says he called particular attention while abroad to the fact that the grades of the Grand Trunk Pacific lines are exceptionally low.

Over 2000 tons can be put into Prince 30 last was only 6298. Rupert behind a single engine, while According to Secretary Strauss 724 .- jail awaiting trial on a charge of atthe nearest to this that can be done by any transcontinental line in North Am- States in the year between Oct. 1, 1907, hand in the robbery. council in the act 3? accepting morey erica is 572 tons, which is accomplished and Sept. 30, last, but during the same own countries. Some of these, however, were natur-

will be one of the strangest features of It is in getting these low grades and

THE BAIRNS' BANQUET



All Creeds. All Colors. All Nationalities. Poverty and Hunger, the Only Conditions.

In addition to the children, 100 Bired mothers will be entertained.

Donations of clothing thankfully received. People! There are but three days left to send in your donations. A dozen boys were at my door vesterday asking for a pair of pants. A lady distribu-tor of invitations said she got nto a house where there were

five children, every one of them without a shoe or stocking. The mother would like to send her children to the diffier, but they would have to come barefoot-

We could give away 5000 in-vitations if we had them. It you intend to contribute.

DO IT NOW. Send your donations to The

World, or to 288 Yonge-street. J. M. WILKINSON,

"Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year." days Wilkins, Simcoe Officer Shot by Malone, Says He Stole Furs Worth \$200. and the state states a first

SIMCDE: Dec: '22:-(Special.)-Con-In Alien Population stable Wilkins, who is lying in the local sanitarium with four revolver bullets in his body, has confessed to

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 .- The in- having stolen between \$200 and \$300 crease in the allen population of the worth of furs from the store of S. M. United States in the year ending Sept. Sovereen, and he says that Chief Malone, who is locked up in the county 112 foreigners came to the United tempting to murder him, also had a

This admission, if true, may go far

When he was owning up to the fur robbery, Wilkins said he was willing to go ahead and explain a whole lot of depredations that have occurred in this town within the past year, but DUE TO INFERIOR POWDER those to whom he was talking would not permit him to speak further, ad-vising that he keep his information until Malone's hearing comes off.

Hains' Lawyers Fear Essential Part of Mrs. Annis' Story. FLUSHING, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Lawyers for Thornton Jenkins Hains assert to-day that every effort will be put forth to shatter that part of Mrs. Helene E. Annis' testimony that the defendant beckoned his brother and the two men went to the floet where Capt. Hains shot and killed William E. Annis as he was making a landing with his boat. This evidence Hains' counsel declare

theory was that only instance, and had exploded in the first instance, and a quantity of powder remained in the bottom. This exploded when the men were cleaning out the hole with the drill. He claimed that the powder was thefts and fires occurred frequently and almost regularly, all of which stopped suddenly when the police force to the should ever be changed, a public commission is the only form of new control which will be satisfactory to the maritime pro-

In an attempt to arrest ex-Policeman NEW YORK, Dec. 22 .- Fire broke O. H. Latremouille for disorderly conout in the Herald Square Theatre at duct on Queen-street, opposite Teran-Broadway and Thirty-fifth-street just after the audience left the theatre to-26 received a rather source locities the people of the maritime prolay-street, P. C. mompson of division tects the people in arges by corpora-26, received a rather severe beating vinces from overcharges by corpora-tion roads. "We also want running rights over the I.C.R. for the C.P.R." The fire was under control within from Latremouille and another man named Jas. Robertson of 109 Hogarth- say Nova Scotia business men almost a half hour, comparatively little dam-age having been done to the building. named Jas. Robertson of 109 hegarent avenue. Thompson received a gash on the check and a broken nose, laving been kicked in the face. Latremouilie also received a large gash in the head Some time after the fire was prac-ically out, the theatre gallery fell and a moment later 35 feet of the roof on the Broadway enty of the building came down. The loss is estimated at son was taken to St. Michael's Hospi-tal later to have his wounds dressed. between \$50,000 and \$50,000? Lee Shubert and Lew Fills are the lessees of

NORTH BAY, Dec. 22 .- (Special) .-Hetesphore Bolleau, aged twenty-five, with a wife and two children in Mathe-son, committed suicide in the pilice station to-night by hanging, tearing badly crippled or tale. son, committed suitche in the parties badly crippled or tidle. a blanket into strips for the purpose. Boileau had been drinking for several were reported to the police. The police is broke out to-night, when should do justice to all parties, which might not be the case if it were pri-were reported to the police.

road, under lease or otherwise, is an road, under lease or otherwise, is an-other question, but it may especially be taken for granted that the people of this part of Canada are not prepared to consent to any lease or right in the LC.R. without there being reserved to the people, thru the government or thru the railway commission, an effi-dent control over both the public ser-vice to be rendered by the railway and the rates to be charged. With the present management and

the rates to be charged. With the present management and operation of the road nobody is satis-fied. It is generally considered waste-ful and not publicly useful. Welcome More Railways. The people of this city and province would welcome more railways into Hals-ifax, and would be willing to see the LC P indefinate willing to see the I.C.R. judiciously utilized for the ac-complishment of that purpose. They would especially welcome the C.P.R., which, with its vast connections west and its ships on the Atlantic, is already equipped for the solution of transpor-Some of these, however, were natur-alized Americans going abroad to live, but the exact number of these was not obtained. Some of these, however, were natur-alized Americans going abroad to live, but the exact number of these was not obtained. Some of these, however, were natur-alized Americans going abroad to live, but the exact number of these was not obtained. Some of these, however, were natur-alized Americans going abroad to live, but the exact number of these was not obtained. Some of these, however, stable's explanation of a motive for the attempt made upon his life, name-ly, that Malone wanted to get rid of him because he "knew term to get rid of station problems. In no case, however, would they be ready to consent to be placed at the mercy of any company as to the service and rates; but would in-

take the Intercolonial out of politics will meet with much public approval. On March 26, 1908, when the provising, that he keep his information until Malone's hearing comes off. Wilkins' confession was made to S. M. Sovereen, drygoods merchant. Halfax Board of Trade deemed this

Frank Lavallee, and Elle Lalonde in-iured, Brennan fatally.
This evidence Hains' counsel declare
was suggested to Mrs. Annis in order
that her testimony might bring the de-fendant within the meaning of the sta-tute that there must be some overt act his brother to commit the crime.
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Malone still protests his innocence of the attempt upon his colleague's life, and declares his acquittal is certain.
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G.T.P., C.P.R., C.N.R. and all other theory was that only part of the hole had exploded in the first instance, and a quantity of powder remained in the bottom. This exploded when the men

The jury brought in a verdict attri-buting the accident to negligence of the company in using inferior powder and employing inexperienced miners. Mine Inspector Corkill was present at the Policeman and Ex-Officer Badly Bat-tered in Mix-Up. politics and run on strictly business lines by an expert commission, as in the case of state railways of other

countrys, such as Australia

prominent business men of Halifax: W. A. Black of Pickford and Black, son was taken to St. Michael's Hospi-tal later to have his wounds dressed. lapge steamship owners, chairman of Latremouille refused to go to the hos-pital for treatment. Forty-Five Stables Crippled. Strike leaders would be all right if it were run or Forty-Five Stables Crippled. NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Strike leaders to-day ordered out 1000 men still at work in 15 stables. This means that of the government it regulates the rates between corporation roads and

LUCKY TWENTY-THIRD. Queen's Own Officers to Review Crack down, the exercises postponed and schools thrubut the city closed as soon as Miss Rumball's death became

mistakable evidence of its satisfaction

The fall of President Castro leaves

no obstacle in the way of settling the

various international questions con-

Wm. Hargrave of Brockville, a fire- word. /

fast.

man on an eastbound Grand Trunk

the Black River bridge, west of Lan-caster, last night, and was picked up

with a fractured skull and a broken leg. He died this morning in the

with the turn of affairs.

fronting the republic.

treet last Wedave been given scores of others g supported by

that will never be solved. His com- ment gave way to-day to sorrow and rade, the engineer; did not miss him gloom at Dougall-avenue School, when for several miles. disappearance, and section men sent out from Lancaster with a hand car out from Lancaster with a hand car commencement exercises, that Miss found Hargrave on the bridge, which Mary Rumball, member of the teachwas the

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