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HAMILTON NEWS

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

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THE COLLEGIATE'S COMMENCEMENT

List of Successful Pupils—Municipal Accounts in Unusually Good Shape—General News.

Hamilton, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—The Finance Committee this evening had under consideration several important matters.

The Hamilton and Sever Pipe Company asked for concessions on the amount of the assessment to be levied on the burned down factory.

The annual commencement exercises of the Collegiate Institute were held this evening in the assembly hall.

Candidate Teetzel had a meeting in Dillon's Hall in Ward 2 tonight and had a sympathetic audience.

The directors of the Hamilton, Chedoke and Ancaster Electric Railway met today to discuss the application for a license to build a line to Brantford.

An electric light wire got across a telephone wire late tonight and caused a fire in the office of the G.W.W. Telegraph Co.

A deputation from the Board of Education will wait on Hon. G. W. Ross tomorrow and ask for an increased grant to the Normal College.

Only those who have had experience can tell the true corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off, pain at night and day; but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure.

Nagle Estate Goes to the Daughters. Ontario, Dec. 22.—Mr. E. Scott, Master-in-Chancery, has completed his report on the estate of Richard Nagle.

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The class lists show the high stand of the students at Toronto University.

The honor list is as follows: Miss M. C. Jamieson—Class I, Mathematics (6); Class II, Mathematics (4); Class III, Mathematics (3); Class IV, Mathematics (2).

When the year closes the general report of the various committees will fall due. This is a somewhat unusual state of affairs.

Edward Rowland, after traveling round the city yesterday afternoon, returned to the Police Court this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge of fighting on James-street four years ago.

A special train load of pig iron arrived in the city yesterday from Owen Sound by way of the Canadian Pacific.

Seventeen of the brewing companies of Baltimore have consolidated under the name of the Maryland Brewing Company.

Charles L. Smith, V.S. and livery keeper of Brantford, died in the city this week's illness from heart disease.

Our Christmas Box. Has proved a brilliant success. Over one hundred applications have been filed in the city within three days.

Alpha Tau Omega held its 9th annual dinner last night at Webb's. There were 100 present.

Henry A. Taylor, Draper. Fur coats—correct for dinner or the robin block, Toronto.

A HOODLUM CAR IN TORONTO

Why Motormen and Conductors do Not Like to Work on the Fatal Car No. 270.

Superstition is Not Always Among Sailors, Says a Railway Employee to The World.

"Do you know that you are on a hoodlum car?" remarked Motormen in a World reporter a day or two ago.

The Gran Antilla, a Spanish transport, has arrived at Cadiz from Havana, with troops on board.

Mayor Foster, Mr. J. A. Crosby and Councilor Nichols are candidates for the mayoralty at Etobicoke.

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THE GASPESIA IN TROUBLE

Ran Ashore at Rice Point at the Entrance to the Harbor of Charlottetown.

WAS GOING TO COMPLETE CARGO For Return Trip—Steamer Stanley Went to Meet Her and Signalled a Warning, But to no Effect.

Halifax, Dec. 22.—The steamer Gaspesia, the pioneer vessel of the new Canadian Steamship Company, which has just inaugurated an Atlantic service between Halifax, St. John's and Pasphebec, is ashore on Rice Point, St. Peter's Island, at the entrance to the harbor of Charlottetown.

The Gaspesia, which was on her way to Charlottetown, ran ashore at Rice Point, St. Peter's Island, at the entrance to the harbor of Charlottetown.

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