THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Monday, Dec. 6. The disagreeable weather of this mornag, and the almost impassable condition of the roads, prevented the usual marketing of staple lines of farm produce.

Three loads of hay sold at \$8.50 to \$9.

per ton. One load of poor oats sold at 85c per A carload of live hogs sold at \$5 65 for

For Pop Corn, Pease Meal and Poultry Supplies,

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PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, Ont., Dec. 9.-Wheat-The

narket is dull and prices are lower his week as a result of the local dealers dropping their prices a cent at country buying points. No. 2 red and white are now quoted at 68c east and at 67c to 67½c west. Goose is dull at 65c for No. 2 east. Spring is steady at 66c for No. 2 east. Manitoba wheat is steady at 85%c for No. 1 hard and 83%c for No. 1 northern, grinding in transit, and 2c less all rail.

Flour is easier. Cars of Ontario, 90 per cent. patents, in buyers' bags, are quoted at \$2 70 east and west, and for choice brands holders ask 15c to 20c

Millfeed is in fair demand and steady. Cars of shorts are quoted at \$16 and bran at \$14 bulk east or west. Barley-There is very little No. 3 extra offering, and higher grades are also scarce. There is a good demand, and the market it firm. No. 3 extra is quoted at 45c and No. 3 at 42c east and

Buckwheat is steady at 51c for No. 2 east and 50c west.
Rye is firm at 491/2c for No. 2 east

Corn-There is a fair demand and the market is steady. Canada yellow is quoted at 45c for new and 58c for old west. American No. 3 new yellow is quoted at 53c, and old No. 3 yellow at 63c for cars on the track, Toronto. Oats are in moderate demand and casier than a week ago; No. 2 white are quoted at 31c east, or low freights to New York, prompt shipment, at 30c, high freights west, and 301/2c middle

Oatmeal is steady at \$4 10 for cars of bdgs and \$4 25 for cars of barrels on the track, Toronto, and 25c more for

Peas are steady at 75c for No. 2 east Eggs—The colder weather is likely to curtail the supply, there is a good de-mand and the market is steady; strict- \$1.75. Prime alsike, \$8.25. ly fresh-gathered are quoted at 19c to 20c, splits at 12c to 14c, seconds at 14c to 15c and limed at 18c.

Butter-There is a scarcity of choice fresh-made dairy rolls and the market to 24c. Cheese-Quiet, 114c to 124c. for that class of goods is very firm. Creameries are in good demand owing to the scarcity of supplies of choice table dairies and prints and boxes and tubs are firmly held at an advance of \$1 48; certificates, no sales. 2c over a week ago; creamery prints, 23c to 24c; do solids, new, 22c to 23c; do, olds, 20c to 21c; dairy tubs and pails, choice, 16c to 18c; do medium, 14c to 16c; do common, 12c to 121/2c; do pound rolls, 17c to 19c; do large

Dressed hogs-The offerings have been fair the past week, but buyers and setlers have been part. Now that the weather is colder and the position of holders improved, it is likely the market will develop increased strength. Cars on the track here are quoted at \$7 30 bid and \$7 40 asked. Farmers' lots on the local street market are quoted at \$7 50 to \$8 per cwt.

AMERIC RKETS

CHICAGO.
Chicago, Dec. 6.—The grain and prosion markets were dull today, and wheat, after ruling firm most of the day, weakened, the close on May being 1/8c lower; May corn closed unchanged, while oats were 1/8c higher; January provisions closed from 10c to 121/2c and 15c lower. Primary receipts of wheat were 949,300 bu, against 929,800 bu a year ago. Minnespolis and Duluth reported receipts of apolis and Duluth reported receipts of apolis and Duluth reported receipts of 828 cars, which, with local receipts of 57 cars, 2 of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points 885 cars, against 1,107 last week and 764 a year against 1,107 Estimated receipts for Monday: . 55 cars; corn, 125 cars; oats, 205 cars; hogs, 46,000 head 61e. Barley-Cash, 36c to 60c. Timothy-Jan., \$4 15. Clover-Dec., \$16 85. Cash quotations: Flour steady; winter atents, \$3.40 to \$3.50; straights, \$3.10 to \$3.70; spring patents. \$3.40 to \$3.70; \$3 30; spring patents. \$3 40 to \$3 70; straights, \$2 90 to \$3 20; bakers, \$2 25 to \$2.75. No. 2 spring wheat, 74½c to 75½c; No. 3, 70½c; No. 2 red, 74c, No. 2 corn, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 55½c. No. 2 oats, 30½c to 31c; No. 3 white, 32c to 35c. No. 2 rye, 10c. to 50c. Cook facilize health. 49c to 50c. Good feeding barley, 86c to 39c; fair to choice malting, 46c to 58c, No. 1 flaxseed, \$114; No. 1 northwestern, \$120. 1 flaxseed, \$1 14; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 20. Prime timothy seed, \$3 65. Mess pork, \$16 75; lard, \$10 75; short ribs sides, \$8 50 to \$9; dry salted shoulders, \$8 87½ to \$9; short clear sides, \$8 75 to \$9. Clover, contract grade, \$10 85. Eggs steady; loss off, see returned, 24c.

Receipts—Flour, 15,300 bbls; wheat, 68,500 bu; corn, 124,200 bu; oats, 277,000 bu; rye, 12,600 bu; barley, \$1,000 bus; wheat, 66,600 bu; corn, 218,200 bu; oats, 453,900 bu; rye, 7,000 bu; barley, 16,300 bu.

TOLEDO. TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., Dec. 6.—Wheat—Dull and unchanged; cash, 76½c; Dec., 76½c; May, 79½c. Corn—Dull but steady; Dec., 44%c;

Scrofula

It is commonly inherited.

Few are entirely free from it. Pale, weak, puny children aro

afficted with it in nine cases out of ten, and many adults suffer from it. Common indications are bunches in

the neck, abscesses, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, rickets, catarrh, wasting, and general

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Eradicate it, positively and absolutely, This statement is based on the thousands of permanent cures these medicines have wrought.

"The face of my little girl from the time she was three months old, broke out and The construction of the tunnel cost was covered with scabs. We gave her Hood's Sarsaparilla and it cured her." T. M. CARLING, Clinton, Ontario.

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Christmas Umbrellas and MORE FIGURES Parasols Now Ready.

We made a big purchase of Umbrellas and Parasols for our Christmas trade, knowing that such articles are largely in demand for gifts for ladies and gentlemen. The manufacturers have sent us on the first shipment, and they turn out exceptionally fine. with handsome handles. You never saw such good values sold at \$1 00 to \$5 00. See them by all means, and give a serviceable, useful and appropriate gift to your friend.

Regular \$1 25 French Kid Gloves, Only 89c.

DON'T PUT OFF BUYING—COME AWAY TODAY.

You'll have more than you can attend to later on. Full line of Children's Kid Gloves, at lowest prices. We're headquarters for Kid Gloves.

CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS

No mistaking such values. People who appreciate a good bargain are hot after them. A line of Blonde Lace 'Kerchiefs that are cheap at 25c each, selling now at two for 25c

Big Assortment of Dainty Albatross Waist Cloths All wool, in all shades and well worth 50c yard, the whole of this lot to clear at, per yard, only

Values in Ladies' and Children's Underwear.

These are special reductions. The original prices were low enough, but they have to go now though we lose money. Regular 35c Ladies' Vests for 25c Regular \$2 50 Underwear, selling

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns from 75c to \$150. This is a snap, too. Beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery.

In Staple Department we show so many bargains that space prevents enumeration. Prices are just as low and values just as good as if we listed them here.

May, 43½c; July, 42¾c. Oats—Dull and unchanged; Dec., 32½c; May, 33½c. Rye—No. 2, 51½c. Clover seed—Dull but higher; Jan., \$6 72½c; March, \$6 87. Prime timothy, DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Dec. 6.—Butter—Quiet and steady; creameries, 18c to 29c; dairies, 17c OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY. Oil City, Pa., Dec. 6.-Credit balances, PITTSBURG.

Pa., Dec. 6.-The oil market LONDON.

London, Dec. 6.—Petroleum, American refined, 513-16d; spirits, 61/4.1. SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Dec. 6.—Sugar-Raw firm; fair refining, 27-16c to 3½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 315-16c to 4c; molasses sugar, 33-16c to 3½c; refined firm. Molasses—

LONDON. London, Dec. 6.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 8s 3d; centrifugal, 9s; beet sugar, Dec., 8s 3%d.

BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Dec. 7.—Nothing was doing in the bean market yesterday, and prices declined 2c. Quotations: Cash and Dec., \$2 23 asked; Jan., \$2 27; May, \$2 38 HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, Dec. 8 .- Baled Hay-There is a moderate demand and the market steady at \$9 to \$9 50 for cars of No. 1 timothy on the track here. Farmers' loads on the hav market here are quoted at \$13 to \$13 50 for timothy and \$6 to \$9 for mixed or clover. Bales straw is steady; cars on street here are quoted at \$5 to \$5 50;

nominal; good to prime steers, \$5.80 to \$7.25; poor to medium, \$3 to \$5.70; stockers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.75; cows, \$1.40 to \$4 60; heifers, \$2 to \$5; canners, \$1 40 to \$2 40; culls, \$2 to \$4 75; calves, \$3 50 to \$6 75; Texas-fed steers, \$3 to \$4 75. Hogs—Receipts, 35.000; left over, 7.284; market 10c lower; mixed and butchers, \$5.90 to \$6.35; good to choice heavy, \$6.35 to \$6.62½; rough heavy, \$5.90 to \$6.25; light, \$5.75 to \$6.10; bulk of sales, \$6.15 to \$6.95 Sheep-Receipts, 1,500; sheep steady, lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$3.75 to \$4.25; fair to choice mixed, \$2.50 to \$3 75; native lambs, \$3 50 to \$5 50.

NEW YORK. New York, Dec. 6.-Beeves-Receipts only 5; no sales reported; dressed beef steady; city dressed native sides, 7½c to 11½c; Texas beef, 6c to 7½c. Exports today, 1,403 beeves, 2.521 sheep, 6,700 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 110; no trade of much importance; 2 cars of western calves unsold; city dressed veals, lc to 14c per lb. Sheep—Receipts, 2.595; sheep firm, with

sheep—Receipts, 2.59s; sheep firm, with a good export demand; lambs steady; about 3 cars of stock unsold; sheep sold at \$2.50 to \$4 per 100 lbs; about a car for export at \$4.12½; lambs at \$5 to \$5.75; a few head for export at \$6; dressed mutton, 5½c to 7c per lb; dressed lambs, 7½c to 10c. 7½c to 10c. Hogs-Receipts, 2,858; steady; a few Pennsylvania hogs sold at \$6.70 per 100 lbs.

FIVE MILES UNDER THE LAKE The Completion of Cleveland's Great Waterworks Tunnel-Cost 50 Lives.

Cleveland, Dec. 8.-The last spadeful of earth that separated the workmen engaged in digging the two sections the big waterworks tunnel under ake Erie was removed Saturday, and fter six years of continuous labor the tunnel is practically completed. Its purpose is to supply the city with pure water from an in-take crib five miles out in Lake Erie. ork began 50 lives have been lost rom explosions and other accidents. The tunnel is 100 feet below the bottom of the lake. It is nine feet in liameter and 26,000 feet in length. When fully equipped its capacity will be 200,000,000 gallons of water a day

For uttering a strong expression of symptoms, and made me a well man." disapproval while quarreling with a constable at Vienna a nobleman has been fined 16s 8d for insulting the po- dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co.. To-

Actor Johnstone Dead.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 8.-Harry Johnstone, the actor, who last Monday night shot and killed Kate Hassett, of Keith's Stock Company, and then shot himself, died yesterday at the Hahnemann Hospital.

Bicyclist's Victim.

Belleville, Ont., Dec. 8.-James Maitland, 94 years of age, died Friday night in the hospital here. A short time ago he was knocked down by a lady bicyclist, and never recovered from the One of his sons, Hon. Alex. Maitland, was recently elected Lieutenant-Governor of Michigan. ceased was highly respected and well known all over Hastings county.

Killed by Live Wire. Binghamton, N. Y., Dec. 8.-Edward Bierber, aged 25, and unmarried, of Newark, N. J., a lineman, was killed here Saturday. He had just climbed a pole when his hand touched a live wire. He fell forward and balanced on a cross arm. He was not dead when lowered to the ground, but died soon afterwards.

Journalistic Changes.

Toronto, Dec. 8. -- Arthur H. U. Coiquhoun has resigned his position on the editorial staff of the Mail and Empire, to become associate editor of the Flavelle-Willison paper, and will join the new venture today (Monday). Mr. Colquhoun commenced his newspaper career with the Montreal Star in 1881, and in 1883 became editor of the Week-ly Star. In 1886 he was appointed editir of the Ottawa Journal, and a year later became associated with the To-ronto Empire. When the latter was absorbed by the Mail, Mr. Colquhoun was appointed on the editorial staff. He has been a life-long friend of J. P. Whitney, leader of the Opposition

Colds Settle On the Kidneys

Hence the Backaches, Rheumatic Pains and Lumbago.

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS Prompt to Relieve and of Last-

ing Benefit. It is not only the lungs that suffer during the cold, damp seasons. The kidneys are almost equally susceptible to sudden changes of temperature, and many a serious case of kidney disease has its beginning with a cold, which settles on the kidneys. Persons working out of doors are

most likely to be victims of such trouble and suffer from backaches, lumbago, rheumatism and crippled, aching limbs, but anyone is liable to sit in a draught or expose his back to a current of cold air.

Cold settling on the kidneys causes congestion, a clogging of these filtering organs and consequent derangement of the whole digestive and excretory sys-The liver fails to work, the bowels become constipated and the stomach gets upset.

Because of their direct and combined action on these organs, Dr. Chase's

Kidney-Liver Pills are of most prompt and most lasting benefit for such derangements. They are positive in their effects and are backed by the experience and integrity of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author. Mr. William Boyne, of 19 McGee street, Toronto, says: "I was afflicted severely with kidney disease, stone in the bladder, incontinence, deposits in the urine, severe paints in the back, and strains over the loins. I was so bad that I had to get up two or three times in the night and could then only make water with great pain. "Though long a sufferer and unable

to work, I was confined to my bed for three weeks, and during that time thought I could not possibly enduré greater misery. It was then that I began to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver It is with gratitude that I say that they have freed me of all these

OF REFERENDUM

Some Official Returns Have Its Administration Was Unduly Been Received.

TOTAL MAJORITY OVER 65,000 REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION

East Middlesex, With Two Polls to Hear From, Gives !,527 Majority for the Act.

Toronto, Dec. 7.-The latest returns from the various ridings, while still incomplete in a number of cases, show a con- rice is thorough-going and far-reachsiderable increase in the majority for the ing. The commissioners in substance liquor act, but the total vote polled by the prohibition party still falls so far short of the number required to make the act effective as to destroy the hopes of the most sanguine. The vote now stands as follows: For 150,576 Against 85,427

65,149 voting on Thursday last is discussed, the more apparent it becomes that wholesale personation was indulged in in Lower Town. Some men are said to have voted five times. All the absentee shantymen votes were polled. The two wards affected gave some 1,600 majority against prohibition ADDITIONAL RETURNS.

polls to hear from.

Durham West-For, 1,571; against, 249.

Two polls to hear from.

Elgin East-Complete returns; for, 2,059; gainst, 519—majority for, 1,540, Frontenac—For, 1,400; against, 492. Twen-y out of 35 polls heard from. Glengarry-For, 739; against 672. Only polls heard from. Halton-Complete; for, 2,018; against, 27-majority for, 1,691. for, 2,018; against, Huron South-Official; for, 2,360; against, 196-majority for, 1,364.
Lambton East-For, 2,383; against, 362. ren polls to hear from. On the list at the general election of 198 there were 5,391 votes polled, so that there were 335 votes ewer than necessary to carry the pro-portion for this riding. Lanark South—For, 1.647; against, 881. ne poll to hear from oln-For, 2,350; against, 2,023. One oll to hear from.

Manitoulin—The returns of the vote on the referendum are as yet incomplete. Three polls in Manitoulin Island and offenses were political, and it would the referendum are as yet incomplete. Three polls in Mantfoulin Island and nine polls on the north shore are yet to be heard from. The returns from the Islands of Mantfoulin Cockburn and Pacific, give 884 for and 176 against. Middleax East—For 2,221; against, 694.

Morfolk North—Official returns: For, 1,704.
Norfolk South—Official: For, 1,294; against, 513—majority for, 771.
Perth North—Official count: For, 2,602; against, 1,914—majority for, 1,175.
Perince Edward—Complete: For, 2,203; against, 1,294—majority for, 1,704.

Alex. Lieu—Dend well
Simce East—For, 7,63; against, 1,220.
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Simce East—For, 2,763; against, 1,220.
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Simce East—For, 2,763; against, 1,220.
Toronto East—The official figures for Toronto East—The official figures for the referendum are: For 2,582; against, 1,055; majority against, 473.

York—East—For, 1,541; against, 936—

The Lord Chief Justice could not take into account, as the cabinet York—East—For, 1,541; against, 936—majority for, 605;
York West—Full returns: For, 2,299; against, 1,129—majority for, 1,170.
Waterloo North—Complete: For, 1,114; against, 2,885—majority against, 1,771.
Wentworth South—Complete: For, 1,012; against, 295—majority for, 707.
Welland—Official: For, 1,836; against, 1,837—majority against, 1. The majority against prohibition in the election of 1898 1,837—majority against, i. The majority against prohibition in the election of 1898

Seaman Killed.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 8 .- W. Cockings, seaman, of H. M. S. Egeria, was killed Saturday as a result of an accident at the naval yards. He fell from a staging and a truck fell on him, killing him instantly. This is the second fatality at the naval station in a week seaman of H. M. S. Amphion having been drowned on Monday.

Miller's Marvelous Escape.

Erin, Ont., Dec. 8. - George Bell, of the firm of Bell Bros., flour millers. of Erin and Cataract, had a marvelous escape from death Saturday, when his coat got caught in a shaft, making 212 revolutions per minute, and he was whirled around and around. He was found in a wheat bin near by denuded of everything but his Loots and collar. When he recovered consciousness examination showed that he had escaped with a few bruises and scratches, but with no bones broken. Mr. Bell suffered greatly from shock, but is progressing favorably.

Why Sniffle and Sneeze?

Don't suffer any more with a cold in the head; just carry a Catarrhozone In-haler in your vest pocket, use it now and hard, racking coughs in half an hour. Inhale the pleasant Catarrhozone vapor five
minutes four times daily, and it will cure
bronchitis, lung trouble, deafness, asthma and catarrh in any part of the system. Catarrhozone is the most direct,
modern and scientific method, and is
guaranteed to give satisfaction. Complete two months' treatment costs \$1;
trial size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polard, racking coughs in half an hour trial size, 25c. Druggists or N. C. Pol-son & Co., Kingston, Ont. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

Charles Shelton and a man named Johnson, employed in the construction of the West Shore tunnel at Fort Montgomery, N. Y., were instantly killed Saturday by a premature blast. Fully restored to his normal health, out still a trifle weak from his illness, John Dillon, the Irish leader, left Chicago for New York Saturday evening. MUCH DISTRESS and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Extinguisher gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial

and be convinced. The Thames has excellent tides, which rise fully 20 feet in the spring and about 17 feet at the neaps, and it is always an easy river for tidal naviga-

GOOD HEALTH IS IMPOSSIBLE without regular action of the bowels Laxa-Liver Pills regulate the bowels, cure constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness and sick headache. Posted on Dec. 31, 1896, to an address at Gibraltar, a letter has only just been returned to the sender in England through the dead letter office. The Women's Butchers' Union at the Chicago stockyards has 600 members. St. Louis has a similar union.

WHY WILL YOU ALLOW a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs, and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided. This Syrup is recent to the faste. and unsurpassed leasant to the taste, and unsurpassed relieving, healing and curing all after of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., etc.

MARTIAL LAW

Severe and Impressive.

i norough-Going and Far-Keacning General Mitigation of Sentences Advised.

London, Dec. 7 .- The royal commission upon martial law in South Afrecommend that sentences of penal servitude, even penal servitude for life, shall be either wholly remitted or reduced to short terms of imprisonment.

Most of the cases, more than several hundred, occurred in Cape Colony, and were charges of treason. usual sentence of the court-martial was death, but Lord Kitchener gen-An Ottawa dispatch says: The more the erally substituted penal servitude for life. Many eminent lawyers hold that these sentences when passed civilians were invalid, but the indemnity act or the Cape Parliament has removed that question from the sphere of practical politics.

The first reflection which this port suggests is the reckless and indiscriminate severity of martial law, which the Duke of Wellington declared to be no law at all. There is Carelton-For, 1,295; against, 534. Four no reason to suppose that the officers olls to hear from. Dundas—For, 2,094; against, 487. Four who composed these tribunals in Cape Colony during the war were incompetent or unjust. They were, doubtless, honorable and intelligent, but the penalty of treason is death. They were there to have traitors shot. One Afrikander in Natal was let off with six years' penal servitude, which is now reduced to three. His offense was described with charming simplicity as "high treason, possessing two soft-nosed bullets."

The commissioners appear to have done their work in a careful and efficient manner. Two of them were judges of the high court, one the Lord Chief Justice of England, while the third. Sir Ardagh, is a soldier, formerly chief of the intelligence department of the war office. It would, however, have been more statesmanlike to proclaim a general amnesty at

take into account, as the cabinet might, the desirability of pacifying classes and races at the Cape. could only compare the crime with the certainly a triumph for those who denounced martial law while it was being administered. Inasmuch, however, as more than a hundred prisoners have already been released by the recommendation of the commissioners, and as the sentences reduced to two years will soon expire, the influence of the commission is likely to be pacific. It has at least relieved the Government from the responsibility which they

were strangely unwilling to face. OPERATIONS OF THE BOND. With reference to the recent changes in the Afrikander Bond, a Johannesburg correspondent says they should deceive none but those who wish to be deceived. The agents of the bond have for some time been working in the Transvaal, and it is believed that they have reported to the leaders of the organization that certain nominal changes would make possible a footing in what has hitherto been regarded as the enemy's stronghold. agents have seen an undercurrent of disloyality, not against the crown, but against constituted authority which might be utilized to their own ends. Certain members of a prominent coterie have been making overtures resembling the course adopted in Cape Town. The movement is very small, but the mach-

not be ignored. The Germ Theory of Cancer.

inations are of a kind which should

For many years the medical profession ridiculed the theory of the germ origin of cancer. Eminent German and French bateriologists have demonstrated recently, however, that cancers are caused by certain germs or micobes, and there are very few physicians now who do not believe that this is their true origin. A brochure on this subject, published

STOTT & JURY, BOWMAN-VILLE, ONT. which will be sent to anyone interested, on receipts of two stamps, tells all about the germ theory of cancer, and the most successful method of treating this dangerous disease, without the need of resorting to knife or

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Ladies—ask your druggist for Cook's
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dangerous. No. 1 and No. 2 are sold and
recommended by all druggists in the Dominion of Canada. Malled to any address
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Windsor, Ont. medicine known. No. 1 and N. 2 sold in London by C. McCallum & Co., and Anderson & Nelles, druggista.



We Have Determined to Sell a Lot of Jackets This Weel

Ladies and Mothers on the lookout for Jackets for themselves and children will accept this invitation gladly and avail themselves of this special chance to secure extra value in Stylish, Well-Made Coats at very low prices. It is not wisdom on your part to hold off buying longer, as the biting cold weather is already here, and it would not be wisdom on our part to hold the balance of our Coats until after Christmas. You need the coats now, and we need your money now. Hence these low prices.

Select Your Coat Today.

Ladies' % Box Coats, black velvet collar, slash pocket, Mercerized lin velvet collar, fly front, bell sleeve with cuff, Mercerized lining. .\$12 00 style pocket, lined through. Our very low price this week only. \$1000 Ladies' Oxford Gray Heavy Cheviot Monte Carlo Coats, lined through. Ladies' Monte Carlo Coats of Oxford Gray, double cape, trimmed .813 50 sleeve, with inter-sleeve for warmth, fly front, lined throug Only....
Ladies' % Semi-Fitted Coat of Black Rough Cloth, trimmed with straps of plain cloth, Mercerized lining, double breasted. All we have go a each\$8 00

SKIRT Ladies' 7-gore Skirts of Oxford Gray, trimmed with Appliques of Plain Black Cloth, will clear \$4.25 SPECIAL the balance of stock at each only.

York" Twice on Saturday.

The Bijou Comedy Company on Saturday night concluded their week's engagement at the London Opera House by presenting "Lost in the Sierras." punishment, and say how much of the The large audience present apprecilatter was excessive. The result is ated the offering and gave the players liberal applause. Messrs. Rowland and Young, the proprietors of the company, desire to express to the patrons of the theater their regret for the error which occurred in connection with the drawing for the valuable furniture prize of fered by the company. Instead of waiting for the drawing, which always takes place immediately after the conclusion of the performance, the orchestra began the playing of the National Anthem, and the audience thinking ther was to be no drawing, left the building. As no plan could be devised for allowing the patrons of the house to win the prize, Messrs. Rowland and Young decided to turn the prize over to a deserving society. They accord ingly selected the Children's Aid So city, and two officers of the society will select furniture suitable for the Children's Home, to the value of \$25. Messrs. Rowland and Young hope that this disposal of the prize will meet the approbation of those who might otherwise feel aggrieved over what was an unforeseen and greatly regretted misunderstanding.

> "A ROYAL SLAVE." "A Royal Slave," which is one of the est melodramas before the public this season, will be seen at the Grand on Wednesday evening, and no doubt the usual big audience will witness this powerful scenic production. It is said to be a succession of thrilling incidents and hairbreadth escapes.

THE HOCKEY CLUB CONCERT. Miss Teresa Flanigan and Miss Martha La Dell, the two clever Canadian artists, who have been secured for the Hockey Club concert on Thursday, Dec. 11, should be greeted by a big audience, as they are both looked upon as leaders in their respective lines. Miss Flanigan is creating a most favorable impression wherever she appears. She has for several years been leading soprano of St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, and she has been pronounced by competent judges "Canada's sweetest soprano." Miss Marietta La Dell has been heard in London several times already, and has always pleased those who were fortunate enough to hear her. Arthur L. Garthwaite, London's leading basso, will contribute a couple of his choicest selections. The box office at the Grand will be open tomorrow morning for the exchange of tickets for reserve seats.

FISK JUBILEE SINGERS. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church has been placed at the disposal of the Fisk Jubilee Singers for this evening,

when this organization will give one of the unique programmes of Southern plantation melodies for which they are famous. The offering at the door will be in aid of the work of Fisk Uni-

Baby Clark "Kidnapped in New versity, which the singers represent. "CASTE" AT THE GRAND. Great interest is being taken in tomorrow night's production of Tom Robertson's great comedy, which will be given by a well-rehearsed amateur company under the able direction of Lieut.-Col. Septimus Deni-

son, C. M. G. The proceeds are to be

applied to an exceptionally worthy object, as they go to the Irish Benevolent Society, which society will furnish rooms in both St. Joseph's Hospital and Victoria Hospital. The advance sale den, and the striking novelty of the has been gratifyingly large, and those wishing to attend will do well to secure their seats as early as possible. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their

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