

den Brush Company 5 heter in the statute, has with-drawn from that position. Threats on the part of the Retail Merchants' As-sociation of Canada that prosecutions would follow evidently caused a re-consideration. Anyway, the manager, James A. Wilder, is sending out the ol-lowing letters to merchants who had agreed to his proposed evasion: "Montreal Dec. 19, 1905. Dear Sir,-We find it is going to be impossible to continue business profit-the so and prosecutions of the board of Mr. Brown's in the data of the board of Mr. Brown's in the board of Mr. Brow

is to your customers inless rstood that you are to re-We are sorry matters have this way, but the stand the

u have done, we remain raders' Advertising Co." Diamond Hall's

Half-hoop Rings. ¶As low as \$25 Diamond Hall is showing exquisite Halfhoop Rings-five diamonds, or three diamonds with two

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liamonds bought this season are absolutely certain to be considerably more valuable by next Christmas.

See references in this paper to Diamond. —also Gift Hints. Ryrie Bros LIMITED 134-138 Yonge St.

C.M.A. COMMITTEES.

Date for Next Year's Convention to Be Settled To-Day.

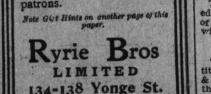
The reception and membership com mittee of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association met yesterday and selected Association met yesterday and selected date for annual convention to be held in Winnipeg next year, which will be approved of at a meeting of the Do-minion Council this afternoon. The committee's report shows the monthly branch dinners are becoming popular. To-night the Toronto branch will hold its branch dinner at McConkey's, to be addressed by City Engineer Rust on the trunk sewer question. Among the guests will be the board of control and Dr. Sheard.

Dr. Sheard. The report of the transportation de-partment, to be presented to-day, com-plains of discrimination by the rail-ways with regard to cars, the North-west getting the best of it, to the de-triment of eastern industries. Those affected are asked to report to the rail-way commission.

Champion Tree Chopper.

Champion Tree Chopper. From the Schttle Post-intelligencer. alling 260 trees, comprising a total of ,800 feet of inuber, was the remarkable t accomplished by three Shohomish log-s in eight days' time. Henry Wiley William Forduer and Max inson, the three "fallers," who chopped i trees, were given a rush order recently the Penpelton Lumber Company to fail i timber in a certain tract along the Sno-nish River. The men were given ten is in which to cut the trees, but failshed

As fast as the country is cleared of troops and Germans the Letts are set-ting up local administrations. Prepar-



the York County Loan and Savings Co. had an interesting session yesterday with Referee Nell McLean, the man ted by the court to find out the

"Twelve years ago." "The company was re-organized

sel?" "Yes, I believe so, and two year fee I became president, before that was manager of agents." "Would you be able to give us th tames of the directors at that date not the successive boards of director fown to the liquidation?" "I could not tell you positively jus ow."

now." "You could inform yourself?" "O yes, certainly." In the Beginning. "When you became president it was much smaller concern than at pre-ient," asked Mr. Scott. "Tes," replied Mr. Phillips. "What were the assets at that date?". "I could not tell you from memory;

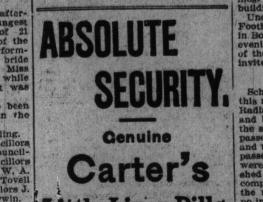
ht \$3000 each. A number of dw are being erected in town, t ers taking advantage of the pr Vorkmen are engaged filling in t vorkmen are engaged filling in t roaches to the Weston road brids he L.O.L. No. 900 officers elected ht were: Master, J. G. Wright; ymaster, F. Sheppard; recordi retary, Dr. Hopkins; treasurer, Fullerton; chaplain, J. Asnew, d

—Weddings at the Junction.
Toronto Junction, Dec. 20.—Miss Margaret Bell was this afternoon married to William P. Smith of Swansea et the residence of her father. William Bell
Clander

East Toronto, Dec. 20.-Mr. and Mrs.

John Evans of the white Hous will celebrate their silver wedding on Thurs-day, Dec. 28. Farmers' traffic to the city this week is especially heavy. Notwithstanding the fact that east-bound traffic on the G.T.R. is more than ordinarily heavy, the local yards are well cleared up. With the beginning of the new year, the Y.M.C.A. Hospital will be practi-celly completed and in a position to en-

the Y.M.C.A. Hoepital will be practi-cally completed and in a position to en-ter upon active work. The building, as completed, contains some fifteen large, bright, airy rooms, and is well adapted for the purposes intended—an



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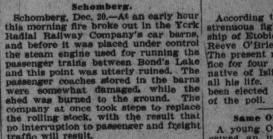
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for G.T.R. em G.T.R. employes. The erection of a modern, up-to-wn hall and fire station is rega-likely to be undertaken in the a

Nomination proceedings will take lace in the town hall at 10 o'clock ou riday morning. Shortly after 9. o'clock to-night fire roke out in a double house occupied y Andrew McMillan and Mr. Stortz.

BOURS-9 to 6.

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the rolling stock, with the result that no interruption to passenger and freight traffic will result. Woodbridge. Woodbridge. Woodbridge Dec. 20.—A pretty wed-ding was solemnized in Christ Church this afternoon when Miss Lulu Reid, oldest daughter of W. W. Reid, was married to Ernest Willis of Wood-bridge. The bride was siven away by her father and was attended by Miss Edna Hallett White, Capt. L. G. Wai-lace was best man. The bride was tastefully attired in a gown of cream rashmere and wore a very pretty hat of white plush. Weston. At the last meeting of the method for the last meeting of the method for the series of the series o



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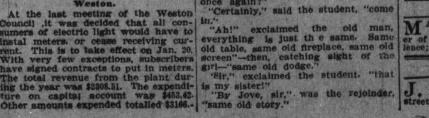
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Reilly and Woods' Big Show. "Silly Simple and Simon Silly" is the title of the opening burletta of Reilly & Woods' Big Show, which comes to the Star Theatre next week. It is a refreshing. fantastical isatire and abounds with funny and exciting situa-title of the opening burletta of Reilly M. M. Wilson reports the follow transfers of property: James Bond 1 bought Samuel Woonersiey's house 172 Humberside-avenue and Mr. Dir roth has bought Gordon Marr's ho on South Keele-street. The ho

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