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C. E. Ussher, General Passenger Agent of Eastern There would be no excuse in the fu
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came worse when the future Baroness was in town. Dunn spent hours in pacing up and down in front of in pacing up and down Lines, is Appointed Assistant General Passenger

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There would be no excuse in the future for any shortage in Saskatoon this winter, as they were prepared to ship coal from Edmonton on short notice. Special arrangements have been made with this end in view and be no excuse in the future for any shortage in Saskatoon turn form of the residence, Stratton Street, and turn form the future, and at one period De Raylan though he performed all sorts of belongings and savings will go to outrageous actions, such as throw her American-born husband, who is belonging that she would be good and true, and while most of her performed all sorts of outrageous actions, such as throw her American-born husband, who is belonging and savings will go to outrageous actions, such as throw her American-born husband, who is her american-born husband, who is belonging and savings will go to outrageous actions, such as throw her american-born husband, who is her american-born husband, w

dian Pacific Railway company today announced two important changes from headquarters. C. E. Ussher from headquarters. C. E. Ussher, with the passenger department in the in the taking over of the line beginneral passenger agent of the east-city of Montreal. After holding this tween Regina and Prince Albert by ern lines, is appointed to a new position for a number of years, he the Canadian Northern Railway, and position, assistant general passenger was promoted to the position of astraffic manager, with headquarters at Winnipeg. William Stitt, formerly agent of the Canadian Steamship company at Sydney, becomes general eral passenger agent. On promotion passenger agent of the eastern lines of Mr. McNicoll, Mr. Ussher was made with headquarters in Montreal.

Ussher's Past.

Approaching Curling Tournament Promises to Be Big Success.

SASKATOON, Dec. 29-The second annual bonspiel of the Saskatoon

general passenger agent, remaining in his position until his promotion to the position of assistant passenger traffic manager with headquarters in WINNIPEG, Dec. 28.—Ussher has this city.

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SASKATOON RAILWAY SITUATION IMPROVES

R. Officials Hope To Have Matters Running Smoothly In Few Days.

SASKATOON, Dec. 30 .- The railway situation is very materially improved. The Canadian Northern officials have not been tardy in responding to the criticisms which rained upon them last week and have now begun to see daylight from amongst the thick accumulated arrears. They deserve considerable credit for the efforts made to have the season's goods delivered on time. In an interview with the assistant superintendent of the division, Mr. J. Abbot, today, The Phoenix representative elicited the information that of the cars at Regina the railway had carefully selected all those containing Christmas goods and had left no stone unturned to have them delivered to points all along the line in time for the Christmas trade. He admitted they had been badly hampered in the start, but the under-taking being now pretty well in hand they hoped within a week or two to establish a service in every way equal if not superior to that which the city had previously from the Canadian Pacific.

Mr. Abbot claimed a little indulg-ence for the experiences of the first few days for not only did their men not know the road, but the stormy weather which had hampered the op-erations of well established roads had been all against them putting their full force on, right at the start He further stated that a yard engine had now been installed at Saska toon, as also an efficient yard crew in charge of an experienced man and in future they would be able to keep well ahead in the general yard work

Making It Pleasant.

assistant superintendent said, to run right up to Warman and bring any. freight down to Saskatoon that might come in there. In this way there would be no delay. "We are here in Saskatoon, which is our headquarters, and as we are to be living here, we want to make everything as pleasant as possible," said Mr Abbot. In a few days' time he hopes to

have the freight end of the business running as smoothly and efficiently as the passenger service and it was quite obvious that he was satisfied that no kick was coming to the company in that respect. No fewer than three freight trains have pulled out ed, which in itself bears out their desire to get things working on a

in the taking over of the line be- 94. respondingly benefitted by a substan tial reduction in the freight rate The following table will show the reductions in coal rates from Edmon ton which have been made by the Canadian Northern Railway:

Old Rate New Rate Per 100 lbs. 'Per 100 lbs. Prince Albert 22c Duck Lake 21c Rosthern 20c Saskatoon 20c Dundurn 21c 17c 17c Davidson

17c Chamberlain 22 ½ c Lumsden 23 ½ c Regina. 23½c 18c

From the foregoing it will be seen that the reduction runs from 80 cents to \$1.30 per ton and corresponding reductions have been made to all points between Regina and Prince Albert not mentioned above.

BLOCKED CHIMNEY

Mystery Surrounding Asphyxiation of the Harris Family Solved by Examination of House.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Dec. 30 .-

The mystery surrounding the case of iated Tuesday afternoon was solved struct the jury to bring in a verdict when the coroner's jury in examin- of acquittal in this case and dismiss ing the house found the chimney en- the defendant from further attendtirely blocked by soot and fallen de- anse in this court; I see," and he bris. Not a bit of air could be forced through the mass of moist material. The jury viewed the four bodies at and the other maple. Next case," the morgae before visiting the house That of Harris is very badly blistered all down the one side. This caused some comment, but when the he was found the cause seemed clear Myrtle, who alone of the family sur-

wery III from the fumes innated. She made a second trip into the house and tried to drag her aunt out, but could not. Mrs. Harris had \$500 insurance in the Chosen Friends in favor of her children. The inquest stands adjourned for a week.

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Systematic Examination Shows That the Stories of in her connection with revolutionary Starvation and Destitution Being Prevalent in Southern Part of the District Were Unfounded | South Haisted Street, De Raylan's

BATTLEFORD, Dec. 30-In view

frost bites, but no hardship. of the number of stories which have Mr. Clouston brought back an albeen circulated re the starvation and most similar story. Rumors from in Russia. The woman, De Raylan, destitution in the southern part of Tramping Lake of trouble in the this district. Homestead Inspectors German settlements were rife, but he could find nothing of it. Mounted southern part. The 11-year-old boy, Ridington and Clouston were in- Police detachments sent out brought structed from Ottawa to make a back the same word. The chief thorough investigation. Mr. Riding- trouble so far has been lack of fuel. ton worked south of Lloydminster The discovery of several coal veins has stated, her own child. The boy is from range 23 west and found all the has corrected this. The stories are the son of Joseph Armstrong, 1133 settlers in good health and with proved to have been the creation of Milwaukee avenue, her former husplenty of fuel. The snow is deep a perverted imagination.

The Saskatoon yard engine would also be available at any time, the

Baroness Burdett-Coutts Passes Away in Her 93rd Year-Was Intimate Friend of Late Queen Victoria and a Benefactress of the Poor

LONDON, Dec. 30—Baroness Bur- gentleman named Dunn began most extraordinary amatory persecution of the unfortunate peeress. ess was one of the foremost English Whenever possible he put up at the of Regina this morning, he announc- women philanthropists and an inti- same hotels. He followed her to church, and wrote her a love letter mate friend of the late Queen Victoria. In recent years she has satisfactory basis.

With regard to the fuel problem withdrawn almost entirely from so-

a new table of rates arranged which forty years her junior, and upon ing notes in the carriage whenever will reduce the freight on coal be- whom she settled an annuity of she went out driving, kissing his tween Edmonton and Saskatoon to \$3 \$250,000 per annum on the wedding hand to her in public places, and so day, the bulk of her fortune will go on, he only once did something Special Coal Rates.

to her nephew, the only son of her arrested and then his punishment beir market considerably extended died a few hards. Money Courts, who their market considerably extended died a few years ago at the age of

Amatory Persecution

Within a short time of her succesion to her immense fortune an Irish of his victim utterly uncomfortable.

A Calgary Solomon.

Wilhelm's Magazine: An incident is related of Judge Sifton, of Calgary, Alberta, which illustrates the depth and wisdom of the jurist and the way zealous and hasty prosecutors can sometimes be mistaken in the men they believe guilty of crime. A case of an atrocious housebreaking and robbery and wicked attack upon an old man was before the court. The case was stubbornly prosecutor and upon the part of the defendant's attorneys. There seemed

Throughout two entire days the trial once arrested here for appearing or dragged. The methods employed the streets with her. were enough to exasperate the most placid mind. At the beginning of the third day the court stopped proceedings in about the following THREE PERSONS ME

the Harris family who were asphyx- "Gentlemen, I am compelled to in-

Myrtle, who had a serious condition vives, is still in a serious condition. She is not conscious, but calls for her mother and for fruit. It is thought she was not in the house when the others were overcome, but when the others were overcome, but went in later and was struck down as decreased from 15,000 to about 7,000 within the last week. The dead are: John Frese, Living the first breath, thus she did not at the first breath, thus she did not at the first breath, thus she did not breathe the suffocting gas so long breathe the suffocting gas so long breathe the suffocting gas so long the first breath. She cannot tall the story yet.

A Myrtle, has been been formed in Kuala Lumpur, and the specific is distributed free. The dispensaries established for its free distribution are hard pushed to keep are George B. Brucket, Lap, Mont.; Austin the demand, the applicants in scale month at Mayonette and the Francis Mohawk is closed.

Pone Leo's Monument.

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A Myrtle, who an anti-option society has hove nort cgriffith, Sykes-ton, Mont.; Robert Griffith, Sykes-ton, Mont.; Robert Lo-the, Mont. The seriously injured are George B. Brucket, Lap, Mont.; John Brucket, Lap, Mont.; John Brucket, Lap, Mont.; John Brucket, Lap, Mont.; Austin The auti-opponents calm to have cured, in the few short weeks since cured in the few short weeks short weeks since cured in the s

ing a monument to Pope Leo XIII Inside the Church of St. John Lateran is proceeding rapidly. A larg statue flanking the monument an representing religions has alre Form \$1,000,000 Company to Mine the end of January. Nothing, however, has been decided ST. PAUL. Minn., Dec. 30.—The Garnet Mining and Manufacturing Co. with a capital of one million has been incorporated. All the members casket bearing his body was almost in the concern are women.

To the dispensaries from all directions, each carrying a couple of empty beer or whisky bottles, to obtain the day's supply of the specific. The day's supply of the specific. The croft today C. 'A. Zemlin, former premier, was unanimously nominated average time required for a cure is from a fortnight to three weeks.

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In some ways the persecution be-

several other instances of a like nature were brought to her attention. One was the discovery that Chevalier de Lembault, connected with the German consulate in New York, was a woman, and the other was the revelanprisonment. Dunn continued his tion of the sex of a supposed woman named Leon connected with the inwelcome attentions for fourteen French consulate in London. The years, and during that period he real training, however, came in the certainly managed to make the life

an aide to Adolf Devrschnitz, for years acting Russian charge d'affaires After the death of Devrschnitz it was discovered that "he" was a woman NEGRESS \$10,000 lived as a woman, but upon leaving for New York assumed the dress and lived as a woman, but upon leaving role of a man. In New York, feeling sure of he

volutionary party is seen in her presence at meetings of the West Side "bund" and the secret conferences with fellow countrymen and the num rous dispatches sent to Russia.

GREAT MOVEMENT AGAINST OPIUM Discovery of a Cure for the Habit Leads to a Mighty Crusade in

SINGAPORE, Dec. 30-The anti

opium movement in Malaya can only has it spread and so popular has i Welsh revival than a movement indertaken by the stolid Chinese. A few weeks ago a well-to-do Chinaman in Kuala Lumpur, the capital of Selangor, received from China specimens of a plant which was said be a cure for the opium habit. A short search revealed the fact that the plant grew freely in Selangor in a wild state and in a very short time

a quantity was obtained and active The leaves of the plant, which apears to be shrub somewhat akin to

alone. She receipts of the opium

have fallen off by two-thirds, while several shops have had to close for lack of custom.

People coming from Kuala Lum 0.-At that as the distributing hour approaches coolies can be seen flocking

IOMAN WHO WOOED

clerk to Baron Schlippenbach, Russian consul in Chicago, was a woman,

in Phoenix, Ariz., has been solved

The motive for De Raylan's mas-

uerade, which has been kept up for

fifteen years, is mixed. Part of it

dates back to her early affair with a

girl in Southern Russia, at the first

period of her assuming "manhood,"

and part of the explanation is found

bunds" in this country and Russia.

'mystery."

vitch.

Mrs. Eugenie Bruchulis, 3112

band, and the register of the birth is

in the city hall. Armstrong appeared

and claimed the fatherhood. The

reported "kidnapping" of the boy is

love of a young girl, Jenya Vassilo-

as a man, the romance clung to her.

laylan girl lost the love of "Jenya,

referred to as "my angel girl,

fiction, according to Mrs. De Ray-

whom she lived as "husband."

D. LOW, M.D., C.M., McGill University AND WON WOMEN De Raylan, the Russian Woman Who Posed as a Man, Had Many

W A. THOMSON, M.D., C.M., Fellow Trinity College. Office and residence next door to City Hall, Scarth Street. CHICAGO, Dec. 30 .- The three-day wonder growing out of the discovery that Nicolia de Raylan, for nine years

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home in Elizavetgrad when 18 years old. She went to the town of Kamen-JOHN C. SECORD yets, and there, as a man, won the BARRISTER, ADVOCATE, SOLICITOR, NOTARY, ETC. MONEY TO LOAN Throughout all her life in America

There was a diary, which Mrs. Bruch-Wherever Miss Angela Coutts went ulis revealed, telling all the details of this sad romance. It told how the De E. D. WOOD M. McCAUSLAND through an affair with a girl in St.

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MONTREAL, Dec. 28.—The Cana- been in the service of Canadian Pa-

other to be Blown Today.

contains six events, in addition to tions during the week, starting or the Grand Aggregate. Among the furnace. Another will be blown in events are the Grand Challenge, the on Monday and others as fast as a Citizens' Cup, Porte Cup and Cal- permanent supply of coke is assured gary Brewing Co. Cup. Considerable The LeRoi mines will increase their interest is being taken in the bon- output as fast as the company is spiel and everything at present indi- able to handle the ore, meanwhile

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New Orleans. to be no avenue of escape for the ac- Soo line wreck at Enderlin, N. D. cusd. He was guilty from all points last Sunday, with a coal black of the evidence that could be negress has been revealed. Beresford brought to bear upon the case. The had lived with a woman named Flora axe with which the deed was com- Wolff on a big ranch at Chihuahue mitted was broken and had been left upon the premises of the crime.

A piece of axe handle fitting completely the piece found was discovrelationship is made, although she is ered upon the premises of the ac-left ten thousand dollars. cused, and he could not account for negress is said to have saved the life the absence of the lost end—the end of Beresford during a yellow fever with the head of the axe upon it. epidemic in New Orleans. He was

DEATH IN WREK

Winnipeg Pusher Crashed Into Rear End of Stock Train at Hawley, Minnesota.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 30-Fol- and two slightly injured in a train lowing a strike called on Friday by crash at Hawley, Minn., this mornvives, is still in a serious condition. the miners of this section are leaving in trainloads. Many business men her mother and for fruit. It is have discharged most of their emthe Industrial Workers of the World, ing when the Winnipeg pusher crash-

C. NOMINATIO

KAMLOOPS, B. C., Dec.

BERESFORD LEFT. She Had Nursed Him Through An

Attack of Yellow Fever at EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 30 .- The relations of Delval Beresford, brother of Lord Charles Beresford of the British navy, who was killed in the

KARGO, N. D., Dec. 30. - Three

Attorney General Fulton and Former