THURSDAY MORNING

ESTABLISHED 1884.	THE WEATHER
re-Inventory Chances	The weather has been quite mind toda in al districts from the great lakes the maritime provinces, and light ra- is failing tonight in many parts of O tario. In the west it has been for the most part fair and c 1d. Probabilities. Lakes and .Georgian .Bay-Win mostly southwest and west; a few light scattered showers; but mostly fair an mild.
	THE BAROMETER.

Linen Specials NAPKINS—Pure Irish Linen Double Damask Table Napkins (Dinner size Scrolls, Wreaths, Flowers, Leaves, Spriss, Roses, Orchids, Marguerites, St. etc. Regularly up to \$9. Friday, \$6,50 dozen.

TABLE CLOTHS-21/2x31/2, 4, 5, and 6 yards beaubiful ornate designs, Pure Linen Double Damask, slightly imperfect by inconsequent bleach damage. Regular \$9, \$10, \$11, \$12. Friday, \$6.50 cach.

25 1-2 Montague place, where the

fourth-storey window of Clemes' warchouse, along the cornice, one foot

in width, to the edge of the McBride

building. The cornice that the two girls were on was about five feet be-low the one on the Clemes building. Mrs. Noble was just about to jump

By taking desperate chances the two

young men were able to pull the girls

up to their narrow place of safety and

in thru the window. As they did so a prolonged cheer went up from the

The firemen had the fire under con-trol at 5.40.

The top storey of the building is badly gutted, and the other floors are dumaged by fire, smoke and water. A

rough estimate of the loss to the Am-erican Hat Company is \$7,000, and \$500 to McBride Brothers, with a dam-age of \$2,000 to the building.

BACK ON "CITY HALL."

James Simpson Rejoins The Star Staff on Monday Next.

.The many friends that "Jimmy"

Simpson made around the city hall when he was municipal reporter for The Toronto Star a few years ago, will be pleased to learn that he will rejoin the staff 'of The Star next

The two men crawled out of the

girls were.

week:

when they shouted.

Presbyterian Church Meetings Congregations in All Parts of Toronto Held Annual Meetings Last Night, When Excellent Progress in All Branches of Work Was Shown - Congregational and Baptist Churches Also Are Prosperous.

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...Jan. 15......At......From.... Kaiser W. II....New YorkBremen Finland......New YorkBremen America......PhiladelphiaNaples Canada.....PortlandNaples Canada......PortlandLiverpool Sicilian......GlasgowBoston Oceanic.......SouthamptonNew York

not hold their meetings until next week, among them Knox, which deeld-ed to postpone its meeting on account of the death of the pastor emeritus. Rev. Dr. Parsons. The reports follow: Old, St. Andrew's. Old St. Andrew's. So good worth of debentures. bearing interest at 4 1-2 per cent. This, as was explained to the meeting, was to be ready for the "rainy day." Some large expenditures were made last year, the heaviest being that of a new carpet for the Sunday School at a cost of \$877.67. The general receipts were \$15,398.75, and a balance of \$670 re-mains. Gratifying reports were re-ceived from the various societies of the church as follows: Young Women's \$536.97; Women's Home Mission Auxi-liary \$775.63, all expended; Young Wo-men's Mission Band \$343.97, expended \$86.28; Crusaders' Missionary Band \$66.21, expended \$45.57; Women's Foreign Mission Society, \$673; Young People's Society \$201.96, expended \$186.46. Membership, increase, 28. En-rolment, 742. Home and Foreign Mis-sion, \$8682.95 contributed.

Roncesvalles Baptist. Rev. L. H. Thomas was given \$300 a year increase at the annual meet-ing of Roncesvalles Avenue Baptist Church last night. The total mem-bership for the year was 215, an in-crease of 55. The funds given to missions amounted to \$1056. There was an increase of \$500 received from regular offerings for general expenses. A special appeal at the meeting brought \$380. The following officers were elected: Deacons, W. Brown, E. J. Howes and T. J. Lecras; clerk, Carl M. Farrington; treasurer, J. A. Yorston.

St. Paul's Presbyterian.

ville avenue where these are taken care of, and in the past year were 94 cases which passed thru their hands.

Roncesvalles Baptist.

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against the establishment of the par-cel post and were soon to send a big deputation to Ottawa to emphatically voice their protests. The Toronte Board of Trade had recommended the parcel post, but its president, Mr. Somers, when in Ottawa at the via-duct hearing on Monday last, had in-terviewed the postmaster-general and had agreed with the latter that the return must not be approached, ex-cept from a business standpoint, and in a business way. "I want to say right here," said Mr. Pelletier, "that we are not going to establish a parcel post just for the fun of the thing, nor are we soing to establish it for the purpose of com-peting with the express companies or reducing express rates." "No "Big Stick" Polley. **CELS POST DEMAND**

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Continuing, he said that the true Continuing, he said that the true function of a postoffice department was that of communication. It should control not only the transmission of email but cables, telegraphs, tele-phones and express. In Canada we had lagged far behind and were now uni-que in having no parcel nost or at

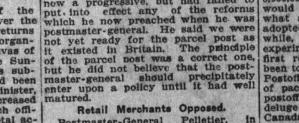
No "Big Stick" Polley.

que in having no parcel post or at best a parcel post which could only be described as the "skeleton of a skeleton." No "Big Stick" Polley. A prominent newspaper, said the minister, had called his attention to the fact that the introduction of the parcel post in the United States had peen immediately followed by a sweep-ing reduction in express rates. That fact, in his opinion, was quite irrele-vant. It was not the business of the postoffice department to reduce ex-press rates. If shippers found the ex-press rates too high they should com-plain to the railway commission. The same paper, he went on to say, urged him to establish a flat rate, yet it eulogized the United States parcel post which was based on the zone system.

West Presbyterian. Splendid reports were presented of increase in membership and support of the various funds at the first annual meeting of West Presbyterian Church last night in their new building, corner of College street and Montrose ave. James Webster presided. The treasurer reported that the cost of the building and furnishing totaled \$62,000, of which all but \$5000 had been provided, so that it would not be necessary to have a mortgage. Under the continued pastorate of Rev. J. A. Turnbull, D.D., the membership had increased by 110 during the past three months. The congregation numbers over 900.

THE TORONTO WORLD

Receipts for other than benevolent and missionary purposes amounted to \$7560 last year; \$3500 was received for the building fund and for missionary and benevolent purposes \$1700 was collected.
The officers elected for 1913 follow; the board of trustees, Dr. A. H. Abbott; auditors, A. T. Laidlaw, Duncan Roy; representative to the Lord's Day Alliance, T. S. Kennedy; treasurer of building fund, T. H. Litser; board of managers, G. B. Ball, Dr. Williams, C. A. Longbolton.
St. Andrew's, King Street.
Increased membership, increased activities and increased givings characterized the year's work at New St. Andrew's Church, King street.
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Carise Le Brun. Members of the Knights of Columbus will meet at the above address this evening at 8 o'clock. 40 Coolmine road, on Jan. 15, 1913, Rebecca Keffer, widow of the late John McDougall, aged 73 years. Service Friday evening at the above address at \$ o'clock. Inter-ment at Maple, Ont., on arrival of G.T.R. morning train on Saturday G.T.R. morning train on Saturday from North Parkdale. M'AVOY — At Lot 8, Con. 7, Pickering, WAVOY — At Lot 8, Con. 7, Pickering, 1915 Mark 1918 Mark

on Wednesday, Jan. 15, 1913, Mary D. Pexton, beloved wife of T. C. Mc-Avoy, aged 68 years 11 months and discusion, the question was deferred 2 days.

her late residence, Lot 8, Con. 7, agers: Messrs. Arnold, Wilson, Still Pickering, to Union Cemetery, Clare- and Nelson. The treasurer's statement for mont. Service at the house at 1 o'clock. WEST-On Sunday, Jan. 12, 1913, at his general account, \$1,143.66 in the build-

res'dence, 117 Broadway, North Toronto, William West, in his 75th

year. Yuneral will be held on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. H. C. Boulter, 167 Rox-34 Bloor Street Presbyterian. Highly gratifying were the reports presented at the 25th annual meeting of Bloor street Presbyterian Church last evening. The session reported a borough street east. 34 THISTEL-At her daughter's residence, (Mrs. L. Colyer), 258 Carlton street, Annie Maria Pye, widow of the late

"Jimmy" announced last night that he will start again on Monday. He hopes to gain a wider knowledge of YUILLE-Suddenly on Tuesday, Jan. civic administration in this way so that when he runs as controller next

year there will be no question of his Funeral Friday, Jan. 17, at 3 p.m., the past few months he has been

devoting his time to The Industrial Banner, a new labor paper, and has not charged the labor men for his ser-

to some future time, to consider it

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ing account, and for schemes \$722.77, making a total of \$4,142.20. Bloor Street Presbyterian. year.

membership of 1,229, a gain of 54 in the year. The combined financial re-

celpts showed high-water mark in a total of over \$40,000. Of this sum the Ars. In Maria Pye, widow of the marked second provided for the church and the presented the presented the presult of moral and social reform of the To-

Use Gibbons' Toothache Gum-Sold by all druggints. Price 10 Cents, 246 Robert S, Wilson were re-elected as home has been established on York-

Avenue Road Church. The report presented at the annual meeting of the Avenue Broad Presbyterian Church last night showed healthy growth in all branches of the work of the church, and a satisfactory reduction in the floating debt of \$3260 for the past year. The total sum collected for all objects during 1912 was \$13,291.27, made up as follows: Gen-

\$13,291.27, made up as follows: Gen-eral receipts \$6378.22; general mission \$1101; floating debt \$3260; building fund \$898.68; willing workers \$600; women's foreign missionary society \$168.68; women's home mission so-clety \$235.32; mission band \$21.88; young ladies' guild \$107.53; men's Bible

class \$240.18; Sabbath school \$250.98; young people's social guid \$28.80. The total sum collected for mission pur-poses of all kinds was \$1839.66.

For the 11 vacancies on the board of managers the following were elected: R. K. McIntosh, William Clark, W. D. Steele, John Tait, L. H. Gibbons, D. B. Jacques, Joseph Loose, D. J. Mac-Donald, John Rae, R. B. Smith, C. W.

in open collections, and \$3389 as an anniversary collection. Messrs. Thos-of the latter society's work for the res-

Every contestant who followed the contest closely was duly informed, from time to time, through the announcements that appeared in the Daily and Sunday World, re the privilege to use five answers to each and every Proverb if they so desired.

Liberal allowance was also made in allowing contestants to incorporate the slightly different wordings of Proverbs of the same meaning upon one and the same coupon, and where the correct wording is included in contestants' sets of answers they are being given full credit.

Because contestants did not take advantage of these privileges, or because they failed to follow the instructions closely, is no fault of the Contest Department, and contestants should blame no one but themselves. The examining and checking of

the answers is progressing rapidly, and it is hoped that The World will be able to publish the list of winners very soon.

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Twenty-five to Thirty-two

25. Fine feathers make fine birds. -Pg. 58. 26. Two heads are better than one. -Pg. 37 27. Reading makes a full man. -Pg. 29 28. Everything is good in its season. -Pg. 58 29. Enough is as good as a feast. -Pg. 57 30. Satan promises the best and pays the worst. -Pg. 30. 31. While awaiting the tragedy enjoy the farce. -Pg. 33 82. Craft must have clothes, but truth must go -Pg. 15 naked.

The ninth instalment of correct answers will appear in tomorrow's World, and contestants who desire to compare the correct answers with their duplicate lists must

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penses reached \$20,000, covering \$12,571 from duplex envelopes, \$3980