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DOMINION MARINE MEN OPPOSE INSURANCE BILL

Not Sufficient Companies in Can-
ada to Handle All the Busi-
ness, They Say.

The Dominion Marine Association is
opposed to the legislation which aims
to impose a fine in any case where an
insurance company not licensed to do
business in Canada, or having a de-
posit of \$20,000 with the Dominion gov-
ernment writes a policy in Canada.
The executive of the association, at
a meeting in the King Edward yester-
day, declared its belief that there are
not sufficient Canadian insurance
companies to handle all the business in
this country, and decided to write up
the committee before which the
amendment passed by parliament is to
come and to lodge a protest.

That the international waterway thru
the St. Lawrence would be interfered
with if charters were granted to the
Cedar Rapids, and Long Saint power
companies, and the belief of the execu-
tive. The members claimed that the
companies promised to supply plans to
the association before applying for
charters, which has not been done.
They will be asked to do so.

Discrimination by the port of Mont-
real in exacting pilotage dues from ves-
sels entering that port from Ontario
ports was alleged, and a request that
all vessels be treated alike was passed.

The bill of E. W. Lewis, M.P., to
compel vessels exceeding 1200 tons
gross tonnage to have wireless tele-
graphy equipment was opposed, the
executive thinking such apparatus not
a necessity for lake vessels.
Mr. Lewis' bill to compel the marking
of flood-lines and deck-lines on vessels
and barges was declared to be faulty,
and the principle of load-lines was
not objected to.

LIBERTIES OF PARLIAMENT
Will Not Be Interfered With by
Special Committee's Rulings.

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Sir
Wilfrid Laurier to-day moved that a
special committee of nine members be
appointed to examine the rules of the
house and to report on what amend-
ments might be adopted with the view of
simplifying and accelerating business.
The following are the committee: Sir
Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. L. P. Brodeur,
Hon. W. Pugsley, D. D. Mackenzie, R.
L. Borden, W. S. Carvell, Hon. John
Haggart, S. Barker and C. J. Doherty.
W. F. Macleod hoped that this com-
mittee would not interfere with the
members of parliament. The house of
representatives of the United States,
which should be of assistance to any
loss of the liberties of parliament.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the
government had no intention of using
its authority to curtail freedom and
privileges of parliament. What they
wanted was a free discussion on mat-
ters, but there ought to be a definite
ruling.

Martin Burrell mentioned the ex-
pulsion of a student, G. S. Scott of Toronto,
from Saxony, as well worthy the at-
tention of the house of commons.
The premier told Glen Campbell that
he had not been asked to resign
either one of his two seats.

HEAVY CHRISTMAS MAIL

Postoffice Staff Largely Increased for
the Holiday.

The post office staff has been largely
augmented in anticipation of an un-
precedented Christmas business. For
the rush season there are 35 additional
clerks, and 40 more letter carriers, and
on the morning of the holiday the post-
master will have 38 express wagons
for the delivery of letters and pack-
ages. For the Monday following the
holiday it is expected that 46 express
wagons will do the work.
On Christmas eve the whole staff of
240 letter carriers will work all night
and start on their rounds at 8 a.m.
The regular office staff, with the ex-
tras, will work overtime during the
busy season.
The last Christmas mail for England
will go forward on Thursday, and will,
it is expected, be larger than the one
that went out last Thursday, and which
numbered 4500 parcels, as well as let-
ters. This year is the first that four
ocean packages go as letters.

RIVERDALE'S STRONG RALLY

Well Attended Meeting Held in Sup-
port of Controller Hocken.

A strong rally of volunteer workers
for Controller Hocken's campaign was
held in R.C.B.C. Hall, Broad-
view-av., last night. An encouraging
feature was the fact that both political
parties were largely represented.
Among those who undertook to do ac-
tive work in his behalf were T. F.
Monypenny, Chas. Caldwell, A. E.
Nurse, R. H. Reinhold, J. Regan and
James Baird.
Controller Hocken gave an explana-
tion of the underground railway sys-
tem, which was received with very
cordial favor.

DEBATE ON LOCAL OPTION.

SHELBURNE, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—
There was a big audience to-night in
the town hall when Hon. Seaborn
Wright of Georgia, U.S.A., prohibition-
ist, and James Haveron, K.C., of Tor-
onto, on behalf of the licenseholders,
debated on the local option issue.
Shelburne will vote on a local option
bylaw in January. Three licenses are
involved.

Contribution From the Archbishop.
Among the contributions received
this week in the interests of the Mus-
koka Free Hospital for Consumptives,
was a generous cheque from his grace
the archbishop, sent from the official
residence, 510 Sherbourne-street.

Made-in-Canada Sale.
Celebrating the annexation of the
district to the city, a Made-in-Canada
Sale was held in Chester Presbyterian
Church last night, under the auspices
of the Ladies' Aid Society. The sale
was a success, a considerable sum be-
ing realized for the church funds.



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No matter how unac-
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from our widely assorted
stock of goods, bought spe-
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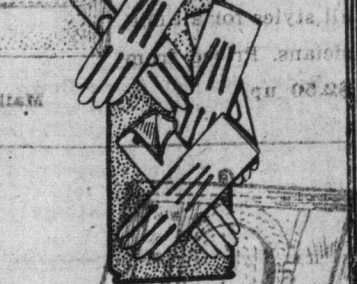


Whether the gift be for
young man or older, we
have the right shapes, and
exceptional appearance is
assured by the names of
such makers as
Knox, Youmans,
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\$5 to \$8

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SHOT HOSE—We have the
best stock procurable in
cashmere, with shot effects
in blue, red, white, purple
and green. Excellent value
50c; \$5.50 dozen.

BENGALINE MUFFLERS—
Made from silk and wool in
all shades, very rich ap-
pearance, don't crease, \$2.50
each.



FUR-LINED GLOVES—
Men's tan and grey buck-
skin, squirrel-lined, done or
roller, and strap, great
wearers and warm, \$5.00.

Useful Novelties

Leather-Collar Borne, \$1.50.
Set-Braces and Tie, 50c match,
\$2.50.

Pair Braces in fancy boxes,
\$1.00 and \$1.50.

Tie and Socks to match, \$1.50
and \$2.00.

SHIRTS—Imported Coat-style
Shirts, pleated in the most
gentlemanly stripes; blue
and white and black and
white, \$2.50.

Among many
choices of smart
Umbrellas—
suitable for gifts
are the

New American Umbrellas for Ladies

They have long, straight
handles, neatly shaped,
plain or mounted; close-
rolling silks.

\$5 and \$15

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IN SOCIETY.

Mrs. N. L. Martin is receiving to-day
for the first time in her new home, 247
Russell Hill Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Peters and Miss
Peters returned from a short visit to
New York and Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. M. Gordon and
Miss C. Merritt will spend Christmas
at Roblin Hall, St. Catherine's, the
guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton Mer-
ritt.

Mr. Walter Stikeman has returned
from a three months' visit in England.
Mrs. Stikeman has remained in Boston
for a few days and is returning before
Christmas.

Owing to a sudden bereavement in
the family the tea to be given by Mrs.
W. J. Davis, 88 Roxboro-st., on Fri-
day, the 17th, is indefinitely postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Shore of Port-
land, Ore., as in town, the guests of
Mrs. Henry Hollimake, 306 St. George-
street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. George have
moved to 71 Highland-avenue, North
Rosedale.

The Medical College will hold their
annual at home in the university gym-
nasium this evening. The patronesses
are: Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Macmillan, Mrs.
Falconer, Mrs. J. M. E. Brown, Mrs.
Clark, Mrs. Thistle, Mrs. Reeve, Mrs.
Fleming, Mrs. Goldwin Howland, Mrs.
Ramsay Wright, Mrs. A. Wright, Mrs.
J. F. W. Ross and Mrs. Allan Baines.

Mrs. Walter Taylor, Thessalon, is
the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Smith, 223 Huron-street, till after
Christmas.

Mrs. Roy S. Gee of 70 Simpson-ave-
nue is holding an exhibition of hand-
painted china on Thursday and Friday
of this week.

Mrs. N. L. Martin is receiving to-day
for the first time in her new home, 247
Russell Hill Drive. Her cousin, Miss
Minnie Hooper of Vancouver, B.C., is
receiving with her.

Mrs. E. Y. Eaton has postponed her
telephone dance from Dec. 29 to Jan.
1, on account of a dance at government
house on the former date.

Invitations are out for a dance at
government house on Dec. 29.

SHAKSPERE'S "HAMLET"

The One Elizabethan Play That Anti-
cipates Modern Phase.

Hamlet was the drama in which
Shakespeare's interpretation of life cen-
tered, was the opening thought in Ed-
ward Howard Griggs' lecture last
night. The modern world was intro-
spective in contrast with the objective
point of view of the ancients. Hamlet
was the one Elizabethan play that an-
ticipated the modern phase. The
speeches and soliloquies of Hamlet,
taken out of the play and strung to-
gether, would make a poem quite in
the style of Robert Browning.

How did it happen that a play dealing
with the inner life was so success-
ful for stage purposes? Mr. Griggs
believed the answer would be found
in the manifold portrayal of human
character. There were four tragedies
in the drama; that of thought; that of
guilt in the king, Hamlet's uncle; of
weakness, in the queen; and of fate,
in Ophelia. Any one of these was big
enough to be the centre of a great
work of art. Hamlet, the man of
thought, was a contrast for Horatio,
the man of action. Horatio turns nat-
urally to Hamlet as the man who
would understand it when he saw the
ghost. The two men were moral com-
plements, each possessing the strength
lacking in the other. Hamlet was more
keenly sensitive morally than any of
the people about him. In the initial
soliloquy he was not troubled with
personal, but universal problems. He
converted whatever stimulated him
into action as with most people, but
to reflection. He was an intensely in-
tellectual character from the begin-
ning.

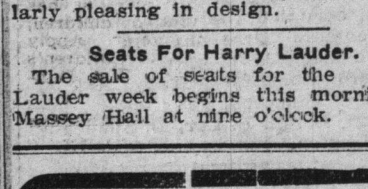
A Mission Style Piano.

It is the correct thing nowadays to
have a room completely furnished in
mission style furniture. It has hereto-
fore been impossible to get a piano of
the style to match the rest of the
room. Heintzman & Co., 115-117 King-
street west, are now making a mission
piano. Though severely plain in its
lines, it is, at the same time, particu-
larly pleasing in design.

Seats For Harry Lauder.

The sale of seats for the Harry
Lauder week begins this morning at
Massey Hall at nine o'clock.

Different from the Ordinary



There are many good player-
pianos, but the piano that leads
them all is the

Heintzman & Co. Player - piano

Its many good, exclusive
features place it away above the or-
dinary run of player-pianos.

One of the latest improvements
is the Selector, or excluding but-
ton, and the Pianissimo, or whis-
pering button; these can only be
appreciated when seen.

While you are in our show-
rooms, ask about these points. Do
not, however, ask about our pro-
position regarding exchanging
your old piano for a new player-
piano.

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Come to think of it, what will please your wife better, Mr. Man,
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than buying some "gewgaw" of only momentary value. Our design-
ers have been at work, and the net result of their study is the produc-
tion of some of the most exquisite winter turbans we've ever laid eyes
on. Here are two of the most important numbers.

Fur Turbans at \$6.50

Of course you know that tur-
bans are the latest craze among
the fashionably dressed people
of New York and Paris. Those
we have on sale are in the Rus-
sian, Arabian and other novel
and becoming styles. The trims
are of real mink and lynx, with
draped crowns of finest silk vel-
vet and moire silk. Trimmings
of the coarse silk nets, silk
and velvet flowers and mounts. As
distinctive a group of hats as
has ever been shown at double
our figure and more. Secure one
at once at this remarkably low
price each

\$6.50

Black Silk Velvet Turbans \$5.00

There is a pleasant surprise awaiting the ladies who come to see these.
They are beautifully made, some of all black silk velvet, some mixed
with chaille braids and jet fancy bandeaus; trimmings of smart
mounts, wings, etc. Very, very classy. Each

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overcoat and heavy
suits. Are they in
good enough condition to last out the
Winter? Does your overcoat require
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look like new.

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30 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.
Phone Main 6900.

DEPUTATION TURNED DOWN

Sir James Whitney Tells Ladies No
Servants' Bureau Will Be Created.

Cold comfort was served out to the
deputation of over 200 ladies, who wait-
ed on Hon. James Duff at the parlour
buildings yesterday morning, to ask
for the establishment of a bureau in
London, Eng., to deal with the ques-
tion of securing a proper supply of
domestic help to Ontario homes.

Sir James Whitney frankly told the
ladies that the government did not
intend to add to the multiplicity of
bureaus. They were doing all they
could to help in solving the question
but they preferred to act thru organi-
zations already formed for the pur-
pose of assisting immigration. They
were dealing at present with the Sal-
vation Army, with a Scottish society in
Aberdeen, and with some other organi-
zations.

The appointment of women agents to
tour Great Britain was also frowned
on, tho the premier intimated that he
had no objection to having a woman
associated with the colonization bu-
reau. Their efforts should not be con-
fined to Great Britain; Danes and
Swedes made exceptionally good ser-
vants.

The deputation, which was headed by
Mrs. Samuel Nordheimer and Lady
Edgar, was introduced by T. R. Dono-
van, M.L.A., and T. R. Whiteside, M.
L.A. J. Castell Hopkins also added
his advocacy to the cause of the ladies.
Miss St. John Wileman, Mrs. Bontibee,
Mrs. Monk and Mrs. Broughall pre-
sented the case for the bureau.

In addition to the premier and Hon.
James Duff, Hon. J. J. Poy, Hon. Dr.
Reaume, Hon. Col. Matheson, Hon.
Dr. Pyne, Hon. Col. Hendrie, C. C.
James, deputy minister of agriculture,
and Donald Sutherland, chief of the
colonization bureau, were present at
the interview.

Coreans' Tribute to Ito.

SEOUL, Dec. 14.—A statue in life
size of the late Prince Ito is to be
erected in Seoul by the voluntary sub-
scriptions of Coreans. A very large
sum of money has been subscribed and
poor people all over the country are
subscribing small amounts.

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