TWENTIETH YEAR

ENGLAND WILL SEND OUT 10,000 VIUUNTED INFANTRY.

Force Will Be Called the "Imperial Yeomanry," to be Recruited From the Yeomanry, Volunteers and Civilians.

All News From General Buller's Camp is Severely Censored—No Full List of Casualties as Yet-Kitchener to Hurry to the Cape on the Cruiser Isis-

The Dominion Cabinet sat till 7 o'clock second contingent for South Africa. Dr. Borden, iMnister of Militia, declined to make a statement, as the full arrangements had not yet been completed. He said, however, that these marks said, however, that there would be no difficulty in raising the contingent, which ought to be ready to sail within three weeks. The general belief is that the composition of the contingent will be three field batteries and the balance nounted infantry, making in all about will be N. W. M. P. and ex-members

Col. MacLean of St. John, N.B., yesterday

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THE NECESSARY DETAILS

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The Government of New South Wales will also send a field hospital and a battery of antillery to South Africa, in addition to the mounted contingent.

Her Majesty has sent a letter to Lord Roberts, warnily sympathizing with him on the death of his gallant son, Lieut, Roberts, in an endeavor to save British guns at Tugela River, and thanking him for the great patriotism he has displayed in putting asid his terrible private grief in order to devote himself to the affairs of the nation.

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A Large Number of the Local Corps VOLUNTEERS IN HAMILTON.

An Accurate Idea of the Battle of Tugela River Has Not Yet

Been Received.

London, Dec. 20.—Special reports regarding the fighting at the Tugela River are still filtering through, but all the newspapers complain that these are severely censored, and it is still impossible to get an accurate idea of the battle. From the latest accounts, however, it appears that General Buller was in personal command.

A Boer Excuse.

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The volunteer cavalry, from which a battalion of mounted infantry, 500 strong; will be chosen for the second contingent, is made up of the G.G.B.G., 226 strong; the Scoond Dragoons of St. Catharines, 236 strong; the First Hussars of London, 226 strong; the First Dragoons of Peterloor. 226 strong; the Form Whom to Select 500 Mounted Infantry

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Three Field Batteries.

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Want to Go as Scouts.

Captain Hudson of Chicago, fortherly a scout in the Northwest rebellion, offers his services, as also does Joseph Brant, a descendant of Chief Brant, from Brantford, Indeed, from all over Canada come offers will be not the indeed of services with the next force.

Batteryman here are talking over the

Rev. J. E. Starr Wants to Go. Stanstead, Que., Dec. 19.—Rev. J. E. Starr of Stanstead, formerly of Toronto, has offered his services to the Minister of Militate, ogo as chaplain of the second Canadian contingent to South Africa.

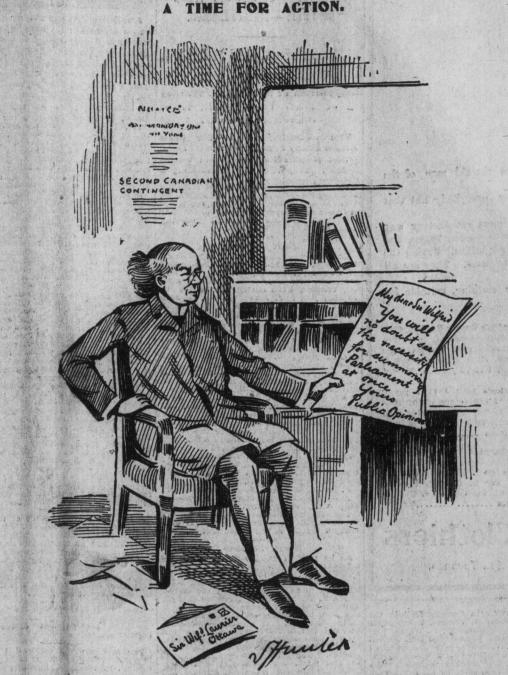
Can Get Plenty of Men.

Miss Greenwood Wants to Go.

A Canadian nurse from Ontario County, holding an important position in a large hospital in the United States, has forwarded her application to Dr. Borden for a position on the hospital staff of the second contingent. She is Miss Greenwood, daughter of Barrister Greenwood of Whitby. She is a graduate of Ontario Ladies' College and of Loretto Abbey, Toronto, and has heen a graduate nurse from Johns Hopkins Hospital for eight years, She is now superintendent of the Jewish Hospital. new superintendent of the Jewish Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Col. Ruttan's Offer. Col. Ruttan's Offer.

Winnipeg, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Lieut.-Col. Ruttan, commander of the 90th Battalion, has made an offer to the Militia Department at Ottawa to furnish a regiment of 500 infantry, specially picked for active service in South Africa. The colonel could soon have his regiment formed of the very best class of men, eminently adapted for the work that would be required of them. He would go personally in command if his offer is accepted.



SIR WILFRID: Public Opinion will certainly support me in summoning Parliament and showing to the where we stand in relation to the Empire.

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Montreal is Now an Actual Millions of dollars in money were forthworld where we stand in relation to the Empire.

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MOUNTED POLICE ANXIOUS

CANADA CAN PRODUCE A WHOLE ARMY OF SCOUTS.

Premier Haultain Says That Within Twenty-four Hours Alberta Could Form a Corps of Mounted Men, 1000 Strong, All Good Marksmen, Just Such as Are Needed.

Winnipeg, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—F. W. G. least 7000 men, all equally adapted for the tory, was seen by a reporter to-day, and in conversation about the second Transvaal contingent said: "It is apparently the intention of the Government to send none tention of the Government to send none tention of the Government to send none tention of the grand hear fatigue and heardship of British forces are most in need of irregular cavalry such as Canada can well furn-

At Home on the Veldt, "I believe that the majority of these troops should be drawn from Western Canada, as men who are accustomed to prairie life would be perfectly at home on the veldt of South Africa. I am making safe estimate when I say that within 24 hours of call for troops Alebrta alone would have more than enough volunteers to form a corps 1000 strong. There are several thousand men in the territories, scattered around ranches, who would jump at the hance offered, and furnish their own horses and saddles.

All Good Marksmen. "All Good Marksmen.

"All of them are good horsemen and capital marksmen, and are accustomed to finding their way over country without guides so that they would be doubly serviceable as scouts and rangers. The great trouble is a getting the news spread to the outlying renches, and remote districts, where many of these men are, but I believe that if the Government would take pains to spread the call to arms, the only further difficulty would be in making choice between "at short notice.

The reverses recently suffered there have but intensified this feeling. Our men are eminently fitted this feeling. Our men are eminentl

GIMLI IS CONSERVATIVE.

tion From Woodlands.

Baldwinson Gets the Seat With a Majority of Eight-No Declara-

Christmas Ideals at Dineens'.

Winnipeg, Dec. 19 .- (Special.) - Baldwinon's (Conservative) majority in Gimli was finally settled to-day. It is 8, No declaration has yet been made in Woodlands, where Roblin headed the poll at every sub-division. One of the deputies The first of the season. To the front again. As usual the Temple Cafe always leads. The first lamb of the season is on exhibition in their lunch counter window. Mr. T. G. Davey secured the prize from G. H. Waller, St. Lawrence Market. It is seven weeks old and weighs sixty-nine pounds. If you want the delicacies of the season you must visit the Temple Cafe. acted without authority from the returning officer, hence the trouble.

Pember's Turkish Baths. Excellent leeping accommodation. 129 Yonge.

French Conspiracy Trials. Paris, Dec. 19.—M. Marcel-Habert, member of the Chamber of Deputies for Ramboullet, who is one of the defendants in the conspiracy trial now in progress before the Senate sitting as the high court, made his first appearance before the tribunal today. He was placed under arrest and imprisoned

Christmas Ideals at Dineens'.

Thousands of dollars will be spent this Christmas on pretty things that, will inspire pleasure as gifts. But where a combination of style, beauty and utility, at moderate cost, is the object desired, the choice of an acceptable present will in many cases be given to furs. There are precious few really sensible things offered that will compare, for this purpose, with a fur musif, scarf, boa, collaret, a pair of fur gauntlets, or a fur cap, and Dineens' Christmas fur displays abound with the assortments of styles and qualities, at different prices, to make the selection of a beautiful and inexpensive fur gift a matter of ease and pleasure. During the holiday sale Dineens' remains open evenings. Campho-Quinine Tablets will cure cold in 24 hours. Fetherstonhaugh & Co., Patent itors and experts, Bank of Commerce ing, Toronto.

To-Day's Program, West Toronto Reformers, 757 West King-treet, 8 p.m.

Ward 6 Conservatives, corner Queen-street

complished Fact, Montreal, Dec. 19 .- (Special.)-The Conners elevator syndicate is an accomplished

day, and Mr. Conners left this evening for Buffalo,

Regina, N.W.T., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—
Ready willingness has been expressed from the beginning of the war by members of the Northwest Mounted Police to enlist for service in South Africa. The reverses king-street west, and 445 Yonge-street.

Ornamental Plants.

No gift would be more acceptable than a pretty decorative paim. Every woman appreciates them; it is a good thing, and tarried too long with the refreshments in the adjoining chamber. The charge, however, is a serious one and must be answered by the member for East Toronto.

recently suffered there have but intensified this feeling. Our men are eminently fitted for scouting duties that are plainly lacking in the campaign. They are good riders, accustomed to hardships in the mountain and plain. Commissioner Herchmer has communicated with Ottawa, volunteering his own service and offering to raise For Christmas shoppers. Dinner, 11,30 to 2,30. Tea, 5 to 8. Nice bill of fare. Coffee House Restaurants, 13 Richmondstreet west; 78 King-street east.

Her Husband's Choice.

"If he is a customer of mine I can tell the exact brand of cigars which he favors," said G. W. Muller to one lady who enquired for a box of Havanas, which she wished to present her husband. And he was, Mr. Muller advised her to take a box of La Espanolas, for that was the cigar her husband always chose when he came in for an after-luncheon smoke.

Intending insurers will find it to their advantage to communicate with the Confederation Life Association or one of its agents before the close of the year. The Association issues a policy which is absolated an advantage and sure and the confederation of the case and full information will be sent on application to the Confederation Life Association, Toronto, or to any of the Association's agents.

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Cok's Turkish Baths-204 King W.

The Bears Had a Hard Time in Securing Stocks to Cov-Short Contracts.

HAD TO BID UP PRICES.

Millions of Dollars Forthcoming for Credit Extensions and the Money Rate Lowered.

SOME SENSATIONAL RECOVERIES

Quieter Conditions Developed, But Discrimination Was Shown Against Many Industrials.

New York, Dcc. 19.-There was a complete revolution in sentiment in Wall-street to-day and the latter part of the session like a panic among the bears, who were making frantic efforts to secure stocks to cover short contracts, and bidding prices up on themselves. The professional traders took the long side of the market and bid up prices to take the market away from the

Many Buying Again. Many operators who had ruthlessly sacrificed their holdings in the pandemonium of yesterday were also eager buyers, in the burgain hunters, made up of the people

Millions of dollars in money were for in-coming for the extension of credits to buy-ers of securities. The clearing house banks

Continued on Page 9, The Jesuits Have Got John Ross

The Investigator for December, edited by John T. White, an ardent member of the only to the All-Seeing Eye, the Jesuits have hypnotized the man who was elected in

Could not of those tho spend dide, shoot a wife presents her husband does not stand when the gift is chosen at Muller's. G. W. Muller imports only the best for ordinary ordinary ordinary ar."

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goons has a cager to meet the cager to and Mr. Muller will undertake to make a satisfactory selection.

East Toronto. Brother Clares.

Ladies Can Choose Good Cigars.

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It is greatly deplored by all who know the brilliant talents, the generous disposition, and the force of character position, and the force of character position, and the Great Architect of the Universe has blessed him for good or ill have been prostituted to serve the machinations of an order whose aim is selfish and whose very existence depends upon pandering to and fostering the lowest passions of mankind, blind bigotry and prejudice.

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For Christmas shoppers. Dinner, 11.80 to 2.80. Tea. 5 to 8. Nice bill of fare Coffee House Restaurants, 13 Richmondstreet west; 78 King street east.

A perfume of excellence, Taylor's Wild

ing over Newfoundland. An extensive area of low pressure, accompanied by higher

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
sale prices. Before buying don't fail to see their immense stock, the finest in Canada.

Campho-Quinine Tablets cures colds in 24 hours.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Victoria, 36-44; Kamloops, 4 below-38; Calgary, 26-50; Prince Andert, 4 below-28; Qu'Appelle, 8-30; Winnipeg, 4 below-29; Port Arthur, 4 below-20; Parry Sound, 36-38; Toronto, 38-38; Ottawa, 30-40; Montreal, 32-42; Quebec, 30-38; Halifax, 32-50. Minimum and maximum temperatures :

A nice cigar or cigarette case is an acceptable present for a smoker. Messrs. A. Clubb & Sons have a very fine assortment in fancy leathers, aluminum and gun metal, etc., suitable for presentation, and are selling them at very close prices. Two stores, 49 and 97 King west.

Cure your cold with Campho-Quinine Tablets. 25 cents.

Smoke Manhattan cigar, 10c. Trv it One is often at a loss to know what little present can be given to a man to whom one feels indebted for a kindness, a service or merely for good feeling. A case of "Mackenzie Scotch" can never be taken amiss. Telephone 8078.

Calcium Valley. Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Fair and moderately cold to-day; a little higher temperature to-mornow. Guif—Decreasing west to north winds; fair; lower temperature. Lake Superior—Strong south to west winds; fair; higher temperature. Manitoba—Strong winds or gales from south to west; fair and comparatively mild.

Simpson open to-night.

Everybody is talking clothing for Christmas. The Oak Hall prices are selling lots.

Everybody is talking clothing for Christmas. The Oak Hall prices are selling lots of it, both for men and boys. Take a look at our hollday windows, 115 King-street east and 111 Yonge-street.

A deconservatives, corner questions, and club's first dinner of the season, p.m. onal Club's first dinner of the season beat first class of good dressers who desire a first-class article of wearing about the first dinner of the season beat first class of good dressers who desire a first-class article of wearing about the season beat first class of good dressers who desire a first-class article of wearing about the first dinner of the season beat of the husband. 20 Prince Arthuravenue. Elen, the beloved life of Lieut-Col. W. Reers, late H. M. 26th Cameronians, at blenk age of 60 years.
Funeral to leave the house on Thursday of Southanner of the husband. Antwerp Noordinad Antwerp Bulgaria Hamburg New York
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Taylor's Valley Violet pleases cultured pecple.

Association Hall was well filled last nigh

piano and song recital. The program was

an extremely interesting and attractive one and was carried through most successfully by both performers. Mr. Weisman has



The boy has a grip on St. Nicholas equal to the old man of the sea in Sinbad the Sailor. Well, one can only be a boy once, and not everybody has that

House of Industry.

The regular monthly meeting of the board

of the House of Industry was held yester-

day afternoon. President Samuel Alcorn

day afternoon. President Samuel Alcorn presided. During the past month 164 males and females were admitted. Of the 182 casual poor looked after, 95 were from Toronto. The Outdoor Committee's report stated that 455 families were given assistance, including 580 children.
The balance overdrawn was \$7657.41. The Consumers' Gas Company has contributed 1000 bushels of coke to the home.

Fur Gifts for Men.

After Grimsby Village Council.

J. W. Van Dyke of Grimsby has brought suit against the village council, to compel it to take over the water works system operated by him, and \$2000 damages for neglecting to do so. In June, 1898, the villagers voted in favor of a bylaw to purchase the system from the plaintiff, and the necessary bylaw was passed. So far, however, the council has failed to carry out the terms of the bylaw, hence the suit.

Hamilton Lodge, C. O. O. F.

The annual banquet of Hamilton Lodge,

dian Amateur Athletic Association last night, Ed Bayley, who was unjustly professionalized by a former committee, was recommended for reinstatement, though no personal application had been made by Mr. Bayley, the decision clearly showing the C.A.A.A.'s ability to cheerfully swallow itself. The question of boxing championships was taken up on account of the M.A.A.A. being obliged to resign, owing to the civic bylaws. Applications were received from the Ottawa A.C., the Argonauts and the Athenaeums of Toronto. This matter was referred to a full committee of the Executive, Those present were: W O H Dodds, president, in the chair; Major Macaulay, F H Wilson, E Herbert Brown. Hamilton Lodge, C. O. O. F.
The annual banquet of Hamilton Lodge, C.O.O.F., was held in the St. Nicholas Hotel to-night, and a jolly time was spent by about 100 members and friends, James Dickson, N.G., presided, and R. H. McKay was in the vice-chair. Among those who responded to the toasts were: W. F. Montague, L. Lee, W. M. McClement, Mayor Teetzel, Ald. Board and G. M. Clark.

Meeting in Ward 3.

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Fur Gifts for Men.

Some of the handsomest, most costly and most acceptable gifts that will be presented to men at Xmas will be of furs picked from the splendid stocks of J. W. T. Fairweather & Co., 84 Yonge-street (successors to J. & J. Lugsdin), for during the past few days many purchases have been made and set aside to be delivered on the fest! e morning—things appropriate to men include fur-lined coats from \$50 to \$200—next in order come fur coats, notably those comfortable "coons," at \$65—then there are caps, collars, cuffs and the always welcome gauntlets, which we are showing in all the most serviceable furs, well made, trimmed and sined, an excellent range, with prices starting at \$10.

Dufferin Old Boys.

President Frank Ford delivered his inaugural address at the meeting of the Dufferin Old Boys, association last night in the stuck to his work regularly, and we now have a happy home. After he was completely cured I told him of the deception I had practised on him, when he acknowledged that it had been his saving, as he had not the resolution to break off of his own accord. I heartily advise all women afflicted as I was to give your remedy a trial."

A pamphlet in plain, sealed envelope, sent free, giving testimonials and full intentions.

A pamphlet in plain, sealed envelope, A pamphlet in plain, sealed envelope, Bent free, giving testimonials and full information, with directions how to take or administer Samaria Prescription. Correspondence considered sacredly confidential. Address The Samaria Remedy Co., 23 Jordan-street, Toronto, Ont.

Also for sale at Bingham's Drug Store, 100 Younge-street Toronto.

Annual Meeting of East Toronto Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen Held-Officers Elected.

VAUGHAN LIBERALS MET YESTERDAY.

Resignation of Miss Liddle, Teacher of Little York School, is of Littl

Toronto Junction, Dec. 19.—The Union Mission Sunday School have prepared an excellent program for their annual concert to-night. They also purpose rendering a cantata.

LX-Councillor Powell has issued cards announcing his candidature for the Mayofalty.

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Weston.

Richmond Hill.

Vaughan Reformers.

Mrs. J. E. Rogers Buried.

The funeral of Mrs. James E. Rogers, who was killed by being struck by a car at the corner of Wellesley and Church-streets, took place yesterday morning from her mother's residence, 47 Wellesley-street, to St. James' Cemetery. It was private.

She Did Not Steal,

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith of Manning-avenue was charged in the Criminal Sessions yesterday with stealing some articles from the T. Eaton Company on Dec. 1. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty. T. C. Robinette appeared for the defence and W. E. Raney for the Crown.

The plasing regide the Metropolitars and a rather unusual state of affairs exists. Canon Bland has not directly resigned has charge, but has left his course in the hands of Bishop Durich and the receipt of the city, went to Galt by train Moule and the receipt of the city, went to Galt by train ton; and, if nothing definite is arrived at at that meeting, one vestry will had received the construction; and, if nothing definite is arrived at at that meeting, one vestry will had receipt the construction. There was a small fire in the Y.W.C.A. building this evening.

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The annual meeting of the Toronto Gardeners and Florists' Association was held last night in St. George's Hall. Mr. George Vair, the retiring president, occupied the chair. The treasurer's statement showed the receipts to be \$1337, and the disbursements \$1232, leaving a balance on hand of \$105. According to the secretary's report, the association is on a splendid basis, having a membership of 85. The following are the officers for 1900: President, W. Jay; first vice-president, E. Grainger; second vice-president, C. Pragnall; secretary, W. Jay, Jr.; associate secretary, E. Collins; treasurer, G. H.—Milis; Executive Committee, Messrs, Thomas Manton, W. Muston, G. W. Goodler, Alonzo Watkins, F. Brown, John Chambers, W. Woods.

Mr. F. C. Miller of Bracondale was presented with a silver cup, and the association's certificate of merit for the best seeding chrysanthemum exhibited at the recent show in the Pavillon. Emery Public School will give their annual entertainment on Wednesday night. Weston Public School children give theirs on Thursday evening.

On Friday evening the young people of the town will hold a social in Oddfellows' Hall. On the same evening the Methodist Church purposes holding a pound social.

"Better Be Wise Than Rich."

A meeting of the Board of Education was held on Monday evening and 53 applications were opened for the position of assistant mistress at the Public school. The appointment went to Miss Doble of Niagara Falls at a salary of \$275. Wise people are also rich when they know a perfect remedy for all annoying dis-Vallore, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The Vaughan Township Reform Association held their annual meeting this afternoon in the Town Haff here. Addresses were given by W. J. Hill, M.L.A., the representative of the constituency, and Mr. A. B. Rice. Officers elected for the year were as follows: President, Roger Harvey, Purpleville; first vice-president, R. M. Hadwin, Teston; second vice-president, William Dunn, Edgiey; treasurer, John McKinnon, Vellore; secretary, William McDonald, Purpleville; chairmen of divisions, (1) W. H. Clubine, (2) J. S. McNair, (3) William Dunn, (4) William Thomas, (5) J. A. Stephens, (6) J. McGillivray, (7) William Woods, Jr., (8) W. Thomas. eases of the blood, kidneys, liver and bowels. It is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is perfect in its action. It so regulates the entire system as to bring vigorous health. It never disappoints.

If you want the very best, ask for Sinade Street or Oream Baking Powder and you will have a powder that never fails to please.

Rev. A. J. Broughall conducted the services at the funeral yesterday afternoon of the late Edmund Morris, inspector of the Ontario Bank. The funeral took place from the family residence, 598 Spadina avenue, to St. James' Cemetery, and was attended by a large number of friends and many officials of the Ontario Bank. The pall-bearers were: James, Robert S. and Harold Morris, sons; Dr. Sprague, George Harman and Dr. Jones, brothers-in-law of deceased. On the casket was placed a handsome wreath from the head office of the Ontario Bank.

Mrs. J. E. P.

Rheumatism—"Pains in my limbs finally settled in my back. I was obliged to stop work. My blood was poor and I did not have any appetite. I could not sleep nights. I tried Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills and these medicines made me a well man. Others of my family have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla after the grip with good results." G. R. RAFUS, South Waterville, N. S.

Stomach Trouble—"I was greatly troubled with my stomach, and even the sight of food made me sick. Was tired and languid when I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Several bottles made me feel like myself again, and since then I have used the medicine every spring and feel it has been of great benefit to me and others in my family." James McV. Stomach Trouble—"I was greatly troubled with my stomach, and even the sight of food made me sick. Was tired and languid when I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Several bottles made me feel like myself again, and since then I have used the medicine every spring and feel it has been of great benefit to me and others in my family." JAMES MCKENZIE, 350 Gladstone Ave., Toronto, Ont.

Out of Sorts—"Had no appetite, could not sleep, was out of sorts. Had trouble with my kidneys. Since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla have good appetite, sleep soundly and enjoy better health." MRS. MARGARET BIRD, 582 Bethune Street, Peterboro, Ont.

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Sixth race, 1 1.16 miles, handicap—Osculation, 93 (Walsh), 2 to 1, 1: Faunette, 103 (Vittitoe), 4 to 1, 2: Ping, 107 (Stuart), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.49. P. A. Finnegan, Judge Wofford, Stutigart and Miss Soak also ran.

Entries: First race, selling, 6 furlongs—Sunthmerical fired Laurier, Jim Hogg, J. A. Grey, L. T. Caton, Rushfields 121, Judge Quigley, Langdon 124. San Durango 127.

Second race, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Satan, Jodee 97, Statifar 99, Deponen, Phallas 100, Adair II. 102, Rangee 103, Indian, Russell R. 107.

Third race, handicap, steeplechase, short course—Clifton 128, Marble, Vanorunt, Thereas H., Cheesemite 138, Brakeman 141, 50, Thures 35, Andes 98, Village Pride 102, Swamp Angel 93, Monk Wayman 108.

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Hugh Jennings will coach the Cornell aseball team next spring. Third-baseman Dirty Burke has been notified by Manager Mack that he will have to play with Milwaukee next season. Good for Mack!

A number of prominent owners and breeders of collie dogs of St. Louis have formed a collie club, and will hold a show of their favorite breed of dogs on Jan. 1.

F. J. Robson, champion amateur skater of Toronto, will accept the open challenge of Charles Griner of Hamilton to skate a matched race in Toronto or Hamilton at any date arranged.

There is a four-footed curiosity at Avon, Ill. It is the foat of a small jenny by a Shetland sire, standing 36 inches high. The foat is a male weighing 21 pounds and standing 20 inches high.

Plattsburg, N.Y., must be a pretty good boxing town. The general admission to the Champiain A. C.'s show there to-morrow is \$2, with Fred Wyatt of Ottawa and Lon Beatin of Troy as the principals in a 20-round bout.

War is being waged in Scotland against heavily nailed boots on the golf links. They make sad havor with the wet putting green, and it is claimed they are unsuitable for the sport altogether. None better, few so good. Al-

There will be a meeting to day for the purpose of forming a West End Pedro League. All clubs wishing to enter should send representatives to the Night Owl Club, 757 West King-street.

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Then look through the immense holiday displays at Wilson's of Athletic Attractions that enrich a boy's blood and brawn. Wilson's new illustrated catalogue and price list of requisites for all modern sports and pasttimes, abounds with suggestions galore for the right kind of gifts for boys-for old boys as well as young. The book will be found extremely helpful to out-of-town patrons in making selections to be ordered by mail.

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Continued from Page 1,

Chicago, accompanied by his sister, has arrived in London from Johannesburg, whence they had to flee with other refugees, despite their Boer sympathies. Mr. Kirkland was manager of an important business house, and was compelled to leave so hurriedly that he had to abandon his horses and carriage, as well as other belongings which the Boers promptly appropriated.

THIS IS SIMPLY ROT. There Will Be No Quarter for Kruger or His Boers After

All This. London, Dec. 20.-Statements are publish ed from Boer sources in Brussels and Berlin that President Kruger is willing to conclude peace on the basis of the status quo, but that otherwise he will call upon the Boers in Cape Colony to join in proclaiming the independence of the Cape territories of Great Britain.

WHY NOT SEIZE DELAGOA BAY?

The Standard Hints That England Will Be Heard From if Con-ditions Continue.

London, Dec. 20 .- The Standard hints editorially this morning that if Portugal coninues to allow supplies of war material and foreign volunteers to reach the Transvaal through Delagoa Bay England will have something to say in the matter.

OUR BOYS IN SOUTH AFRICA. Private Cablegram Indicates That

the Canadians Have Had a Brush With the Boers. St. John, N.B., Dec. 19,-Col. Maclean, commanding the 62nd Fusiliers, this afterroon received a cablegram from his son, Lieut. Weldon Maclean of the Canadian cutingent. The message was dated Belmont, Dec. 19, and contains the words: "All well".

As read from a code arranged between father and son before the regiment sailed, the cablegram indicates that the Canadian regiment have had a brush with the Boers and that none of the New Brunswickers have been injured.

ANOTHER STORY OF BULLER'S FIGHT.

It is a Belated Despatch From Chieveley Showing How the Boers Retaliated.

Chieveley Camp, Natal, Friday, Dec. 15 .-The relief column continued its advance from Chieveley to-day, intending to assail the from Chieveley to-day, intending to assail the Boers' positions, which were known to be very strong to the westward and northeastward, and north of Colenso. During the two preceding days the Boers had allowed themselves to be bombarded without condescending to reply with a single shot. They further gave haif an hour's opening this morning without an exchange, when suddenly they beliehed out a stream of fire from all their entrenchments, besides opening a fearful cannonade with all their quick-ire guns, field and slege gans, which were posted from end to end of their positions.

At this time the arthery strain-ien. Hart's division was busy among trenchments on the hills on the Brit-t, under cover of which the Irish y brigade marched out in extended to cross the river and attack. Un-dly aiming at this battery, the sent several shells near the ambu-rain, which was forced to change its lery on the right were busy shelling the ridges of the Boer left flank, their excellent practice attracting the attentions of the Boers, who retailated with a scathing fire, aimost demolishing all the guns and stampeding the gun carriage horses.

THE QUEEN TO GEN. ROBERTS.

Her Majesty Sympathizes With Him on the Death of His Gallant Son.

London, Dec. 19 .- The Queen has sent a letter to General Lord Roberts, the newly r appointed commander-in-chief of the Britappointed commander-metter of the spatial is forces in South Africa, warmly sympathizing with him on the death of his gallant son, and thanking him for the great patriotism he has displayed in putting aside his terrible private grief in order to devote himself to the affairs of the nation.

GOV. M'CALLUM WANTED TO GO.

Offered to Resign the Governorship of Newfoundland to Undertake His Duty. St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 19.-Governor Mc-

Callum of Newfoundland, who is a colonel in the Royal Engineer corps, telegraphed in the Royal Engineer corps, telegraphed the British War Office after Gen. Buller's reverse at the Tugela River, and offered to resign his post and undertake any duty assigned him in South Africa. As he has been actively engaged, however, in promoting the naval reserve movement in Newfoundland, he will probably be retained in the Governorship, especially in view of possible contingencies that might require the colony to be defended. Capt. Timmis, of the Liverpool regiment, Governor McCallum's private secretary, has been recalled to England to rejoin his regiment, and will leave by the first steamer.

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long as England retains command of the sea. disasters in South Africa will be hused in the sea. disasters in South Africa will be hused in the sea. disasters in South Africa will be hused in the sea. disasters in South Africa will be hused in the sea. disasters in South Africa will be hused in the sea. disasters in South Africa will be sea. disasters in South Africa will be sea. disasters in South Africa will be search in the unit of the State South Hollis in Pretoria.

Washington, Dec. 19.—United States Consul Hollis has sent a cable despatch to the state Department, announcing his arrival state Department, announcing his arrival as Consul there until the arrival of Adelibert Hay. Mr. Macrum, whom he relieved at Pretoria, was to sail yesterday from Lorenzo Marquez. Where England Always Rules.

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In Memory of Soldiers Killed.

London, Dec. 19.—A most impressive memorial service was held in St. Paul's Cathedral to-day in memory of the soldiers killed in South Africa. The Lord Mayor, Mr. A. J. Newton, and the city officials attended in their robes of office. The cathedral was thronged, those present including the Duke of Cambridge and the Marquis of Lansdowne, the Secretary of State for War.

N. S. W. Spares No Expense.

Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 19.—The Government of this colony has decided to send a field hospital corps and a battery of artiliery to South Africa in addition to the mounted contingent.

All Ready to Defend Britain. London, Dec. 19.—Ninety per cent. of the members of the Honorable Artillery Company of London have volunteered for service in South Africa. Two-thirds of the luns of Court of Volunteers, composed of barristers and solicitors, have likewise tendered their services.

A Little Too Warm for Them. London, Dec. 19.—The Daily Mall publishes the following despatch from Antwerp:
"The British and American Ministers at
The Hague have asked permission to retire
to Antwerp with a view of avoiding personal unpleasantness during the anti-English attitude of the Dutch. There is no
foundation for the reports on the continent
that the diplomatic relations between Great
Britain and the Netherlands are strained."

The Queen's Christmas Tree. The Queen's Christmas Tree.

London, Dec. 20.—The Queen has announced her intention of entertaining at Windsor Castle on Dec. 26 the wives and children of soldiers serving in South Africa who reside in the neighborhood. Tea will be served, Her Majesty probably presiding in person, and a Christmas tree 25 feet high will hang with gifts.

New Issue of British Consols. New Issue of British Consols.

Icondon, Dec. 20.—The Daily Chronicle, in Its financial article this morning, says; The fear of a large new issue of consols undoubtedly overhangs the market. Already the prices at which the Government could place them is being discussed. On Monday some leading financiers thought the issue might be made at 95. Yesterday (Tuesday) 90 seemed more likely the figure at which £10,000,000 could be sold, but the Government could not put out a larger amount just now at any figure.

Emperor William Interested. Emperor William Interested.

Berlin, Dec. 19.—Emperor William is said to exhibit the keenest personal concern regarding the war in South Africa, especially the fate of the British troops. Each day he receives despatches showing the latest losses, and these he communicates to the German Princes, who, like himself, have blood ties with England.

The Isis Carries Lord Kitchener. London, Dec. 20.—The British second-class cruiser Isis, will convey Lord Kitchener from Egypt to the Cape. She has been ordered to steam at 16 knots.

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A SENSIBLE SUGGESTION.

That Militia Should Garrison Halifax and Let the Regulars Go to South Africa.

Around the Armouries last night several officers of the various corps were watching the indoor baseball match between the Queen's Own Sergeants and Officers. They knew nothing further of arrangements for the second Canadian contingent, but were expecting that some definite plan of mobilization would soon be forwarded from Ottawa. It was suggested by Major Henderson of the Highlanders that the Canadian Government, in addition to sending a contingent of artillery and mounted infantry, should offer Canadian soldiers to garrison. Halitax and Bermuda, and thus make it possible for the regular soldiers at these points to be sent on to the front by the imperial Government. This, he pointed out, would give the Canadians the benefit of experience in garrison duty and would provide the Imperial Government with a couple more good regiments of regulars. Queen's Own Sergeants and Officers. They

BOARD OF TRADE IS LOYAL. Council Passes a Resolution Endorsing the Sending Out of a Second Contingent,

The sending of a second contingent to South Africa was one of the principal topics for discussion at the meeting yester-day afternoon of the Council of the Board of Trade. Several patrictic speeches were made, after which the following resolution

made, after which the following resolution was unanimously adopted:
"That this Board desires to record its continued devotion and loyalty to the British Crown, and views with much favor the determination of the Dominion Government to promptly despatch to the seat of war in South Africa a second contingent, numbering upwards of 1000 men. "Further resolved, that in the opinion of this Board it is the duty and obliga-

tion of the Government of Canada to strengthen the hands of Her Majesty's Imperial Government and the bonds which hold the Empire together, and that a special session of l'arliament should be called without delay to provide the necessary moneys for the mobilization and equipment in Canada of a still larger force of volunteers to do garrison duty in the place of British regular troops, or perform such other service as may be found most useful during the present crisis, thereby giving expression to Canada's resolution to do her share in maintaining the national position."

The above resolution will be read before a general meeting of the Board of Trade, to be held on Friday at 3.30 p.m.

DRAGOONS ALL WANT TO GO.

Capt. Pearce Took a Census Yesterday and Found 74 Out of 76 Ready, Aye Ready.

Stanley Barracks received that another contingent would be raised was through of regulars.

The consensus of opinion among officers spoken to was that mounted men and artillery should compose the whole of Canadian contingent No. 2.

contingent would be raised was an extension of the papers. As soon as he became aware of the fact, Captain C. St. A. Pearce, who is at present in command of "A" squadron adian contingent No. 2. Royal Canadian Dragoons, immediately ordered a general parade of the men for the purpose of finding out how many would be willing to volunteer for active service. When the men were questioned it' was learned that 74 out of a total of 76 at the barracks were willing, nay anxious, to go.

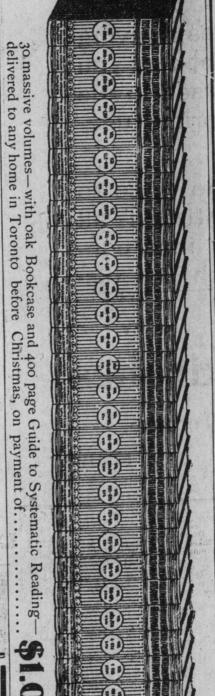
Nothing was talked about all day but this
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among the men as to who will be chosen
from their ranks.

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The News Coupon. *************

Office open every evening this week until 10 o'clock.

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NO NOTICE TO RECRUIT,

But the D. O. C. and the P. M. O.

Are Ready to Act in a Second.

While these manifestations of loyalty and expressions of willingness to serve the Smpire at this, the hour of its trouble, are coming in on all sides, the principal official notification from the Government, and are consequently in the dark. Heut.-Col. Holmes, D.O.C. of Military Uistricts 1 and 2, who would be the first to receive word here, is at present at London, and Dr. Nattress, principal medical officer, who examined the volunteers for the first contingent, has so far received no officer, who examined the volunteers for the first contingent, has so far received no officer, who examine applicants. They all, however, express the opinion that they will receive instructions in due season, and when they do it won't take long to raise the necessary number of men from their ranks.

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Unless you've followed Toronto's best taste and paid a visit to our second floor there are things to be seen for Christmas that you've not yet seen.

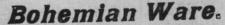
And this is largely the charm of the Christmas display we are making. You want to break the monotony. You are tired seeing the same thing and you come here with delight, finding something decidedly new-and in such taste for holiday gifts. Just a suggestion or two:

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-Majolica Candlesticks in three sizes and different colors. Some white ground with blue and green; others dark blue ground with gold and light blue figuring. Candlesticks range in sizes at \$1.50, \$3.25 and \$4.00.

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History of The New Testament,

Sweet Stories of God, In the Language of Childhood and the Beautiful Delineations of Sacred 750.

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Solitaire Diamond Ring, worth \$15,00, only \$9.50; Twin Diamond Ring, worth \$25.00, only \$16.00; Three-Stone Ring, 2 Diamonds and Sapphire, worth \$30.00, only \$18.00; Three-Stone Ring, 2 Diamonds and Opal, worth \$40.00, only \$28.00. Snaps in Xmas jewelry.

A. ROSENTHAL, 125 King St. West.

Changes in Available Supply.

New York. Dec. 19.—Special cable and te egraphic despatches to Bradstreet's indicate the following changes in available supplies last week:

Wheat in United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 1,065,000 bushels.

Onts in United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease 147,000 bushels.

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Here's a Sample of Anti-British Sentiment of Liberals in the Campaign of 1895.

"WHY FIGHT FOR ENGLAND?"

What Do the Loyal People of Canada Think of Election Circulars Such as This ?

Montreal, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The Courrier du Canada has placed its hands upon a copy of a Liberal electoral pamphlet which was issued in the district of Quebec during the last federal campaign in 1896, and quotes several extracts from it. It refers, in the same connection, to the speeches delivered in the House of Commons by Messrs, Sayard, Legris, Brodeur, Bruneau and other Liberal members in the session of 1896 against the vote asked by the Con-servative Government for new gans for the Canadian troops.

as England is always at war with some-body, we will have to continually tax ourselves to find the money and to draw lots to furnish the men. In re-turn England will create these droil baronets, knights of this and command-ers of that, but the people will remain food for the cannon. Why all these armaments if we were not to have war?

Why Fight for England? why Fight for England?

"And why fight for England? The electors should remember that these great big chiefs who are so anxious to show themselves more patriotic and more loyal than others, and ready to throw us into war for the benefit of others, will not be the ones to support the burden of it. It is the electors who will have to use these carbines and these cannon. We are considered quite good enough to furnish food for cannon. The Tuppers, the Angers, the Taillons will be in their ministerial offices when they will send us to the posts. With joy in their hearts and a glass of champagne in their hands they will send our chidren to Africa or to Asia, whence they will never return.

"If you vote for the bleu candidates you approve all these preparations for war. Vote for Laurier and his caudidates if you wish to see your country enjoy tranquility and not to expose yourselves to have to leave one of these fine mornings for distant shores, leaving behind your wives, your children and all that is dear to you."

She has Lips of Cherry and Cheeks of Rose

Then she was either born healthy or sh has taken Capsuloids. You may be sure she has perfect health each month is never depresse well and enjoy what she eats. He BLOOD children will be rosy as she. If

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WILL OF CHARLES POTTER. The Late Optician of East King-Street Left \$58,000 - Widow Gets But \$600 a Year.

The Toronto General Trusts Company of the late Charles Potter, optician, who died Nov. 3, leaving an estate worth \$58. 277.94. The items are: Cash in bank, \$914; beck debts. \$1500; stock in trade, \$15,000; leasehold, 29 and 31 East King-street, \$11,000; 120 shares in Map and School Supply Company; real estate, \$10,850; money scened by mortgages, \$10,600. Under the will Miss S. A. Harper is given a temporary interest in the business and \$1000 when it is closed up. A daughter, Lizzle C. V. Black, is left the household effects and \$000 per annum; Mrs. Potter, \$600 per annum; Annie Potter, a niece, \$150 per annum; Mary Potter and Mary Goulding, \$100 per annum each. The surplus income is willed to the children of Mrs. L. C. V. Black and Mr. E. J. Potter. of the late Charles Potter, optician, who

BOAKD OF TRADE COUNCIL. Reports of Various Committee

Presented Yesterday Afternoon-Recommendations Offered. The council of the Board of Trade

yesterday afternoon. The report of the committee re custom

of 1896 against the vote asked by the Conservative Government for new guns for the Canadian troops.

Do You Wish for War?

The election brochure discovered by The Courrier, is entitled "Do You Wish for War," and has for sub-title "Three million dollars for guns, cannon and bayonets, an imminent dauger for you, cultivateurs," The first lines of the pamphlet are as follows: "One of the blunders of old Tupper is Imperial Federation, which signifies a more intimate alliance between England and her-colonies in general, and Canada in particular."

This is the gem from the brochure in question:

"One of the conditions of this alliance will be that in times of war Canada will be called upon to pay its share of the cost in money and in men. Thus, as England is always at war with somebody, we will have to continually tax ourselves to find the money and to draw lots to furnish the men. In return England will create these droil baronets, knights of this and commanders of that, but the people will remain

WANT DUTY REMOVED. Ontario Gas Men Met Yesterday and Discussed the Price of Gas-

Making Materials. Various Ontario gas companies were represented yesterday at a meeting at the Walker House. The high price of mater-Walker House. The high price of materials for making gas was discussed. Within the past two years gas oil has gone up 50 per cent. in price, and the duty of 2½ per cent. is said to be prohibitive. A deputation will shortly wait upon the Dominion Government in this connection. As it is now the gas men declare it is hard to make both ends meet. The abolition of the 2½ per cent. duty would help them.

WEIRS FOR THE NIAGARA.

That is the Suggestion of the Deep Waterways Commission to Keep Water in Lake Erie,

Detroit, Dec. 19.-The United States Board of Engineers, designated by the President to make surveys and examinations of deep waterways and routes thereof between the Great Lakes and Atlantic tide. How the Liberals Got Power.

The Courrier remarks that it was by such means as this that the Liberals obtained power in 1896, and it remarks that, in the light of recent events, there is a bitter long in the words: "Why fight for England? They will send your children to Africa. Vote for Laurier and his candidates if you would be spared the evils of war."

The discovery of this brochure has created a great deal of indignation among all right thinking people, The Liberal circular or shochure referred to appears to have been based upon the vote passed in the House of Commons for the rearmament of the Canadian militia apropos of the Anglo-American-Venezuelan trouble.

Victoria, B.C., Dec, 19.—Marvelous quartinds reported from Pawson assay as high as submitted a preliminary report, which recommends the regulation of the waters, has submitted a preliminary report, which recommends the regulation of the lake general discharge through the Niagara River by a system of fixed weirs, so as to control the discharge of the lake, and reduce the variation of its level to a small amount.

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One of the greatest blessings to parents is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. It effectually dispels worms and gives health in marvelous manner to the little ones.

Inland Revenue Promotions.

Several promotions have been made in the Toronto Inland Revenue office, due to the superannuation of John Morrow, district inspector and inspector of bonded factories for the Dominion. W. C. Stratton succeeds Mr. Morrow. The former's position, collector for Toronto, is filled by H. R. Frankland, first deputy collector, and Burritt Her thus becomes first deputy collector.

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John Hamilton of the Village of Parham, in Frontenac County, is moving to-day before Chancellor Boyd at Osgoode Hall to have a bylaw passed by the Township of Hinchinbrook quashed. This bylaw was passed to authorize the sale of a burial ground. Damages Again Refused.

Damages Again Refused.

The Divisional Court, composed of Chief Justice Armour and Judges Falconbridge and Street, handed out their judgment yesterday in the action of Harper v. Toronto Type Foundry.

The plaintiff's appeal is dismissed, thus upholding Judge Robertson's decision refusing damages for an alleged wrongful seizure of plaintiff's printing plant.

TO CONSUMPTIVES. If written to I will tell you how to be benefited and cured. James R. Winter, 165 Lincoln-avenue, Detroit, Mich. 136 tail Druggists.

LIBERAL RALLY AT GUELPH. master-General Mulock Kept Away by a Railroad Accident at Rockwood.

Guelph, Ont., Dec. 19 .- The Liberal rally neld in the city this evening in the interests of Hugh Guthrie, the Reform candidate, was most successful. The Royal Opera House was filled to the doors with a representative and enthusiastic audience. John Mitchell, president of the Reform Associated with him on the platform were anumber of the leading Liberals in the riding. The meeting was addressed by John Mitchell, Major John Mutrie, member of the Ontario Legislature; Dr. Landerkin, M. P., of South Grey; Dr. Macdonald, M.P., of Huron; James McMullen, M.P., of North Wellington; Hugh Guthrie, the Reform candidate, and others. Owing to a railway accident near Rockwood, Mr. Mulock, the Postmaster-General, who was down for an acdress, was unable to be present.

MEANS BUSINESS FOR OSHAWA

Town to Loan \$50,000 to the Mc Laughlin Carriage Company Without Interest.

Oshawa, Ont., Dec. 19.-(Special.)-A com mittee appointed for the purpose met yesterday applied for probate of the will Mayor Robert McLaughlin, president of the Mayor Robert McLaughlin, president of the McLaughlin Carriage Company, and the latter decided to accept the offer of the cormittee on behalf of the town of a loan of \$50,000 without interest, repayable yearly in twenty years. A bylaw will be submited to the people on Jan. 13, and Mayor McLaughlin will resign his seat at a special meeting to be held to-morrow night. The company agrees to creet a three-storey brick building, 700x50 feet. They will probably rebuild upon the six acres immediately east of the old site. There is scarcely a doubt as to the bylaw carrying, and Oshawa to-night rejoices in the prospect of the re-establishment of this most important industry.

GENERAL LAWTON KILLED. Was Standing in Front of His Troops at San Mateo in the

Philippines. Manila Dec. 19 -Major-General Henry W. Lawton has been shot and killed. General Lawton was killed at San Mateo. He was standing in front of his troops, when he was shot in the breast, and died immediately. The general started from Manlla last night, with cavalry under Capt. Locket and battallons of the 29th and 27th Infantry, under Lleut.-Col. Sargent, for the purpose of capturing San Mateo, where Geronomo was said to have 300 insurgents.

SLOCAN FIGHT IS OVER.

Payne Miners Accept the Offer of \$3,75 Per Day of Eight Hours.

Montreal, Dec. 19 .- Special.)-There was good news to-day from the Slocan. It is announced that the miners have accepted the Payne's offer of \$3.75 per day of eight hours, and that work will be resumed im-mediately. Republic also took a jump in sympathy.

Shooting Tournament.

The weather was rather unfavorable for the opening day of the Toronto Sporting Goods Company's shoot at the Woodbine yesterday. There was a high wind and the birds were an exceptionally strong lot, and, although 21 competed in the leading event, there are as yet no straight scores made. This match, which is at 12 pigeons, for \$100 in cash prizes, remains open until 2 p.m. to-day. There are eight events still on the program, including a sparrow and two bluerock shoots for cash prizes. The scores of events Nos. 2 and 3:

Fifteen bluerocks—W. Dick 15, C. Crew 14, Dr. McDowell 13, T. N. Lewis 13, S. Brockes 12: T. Lucas 14, B. Stott 11, C. Chapman 10, T. Colt 9.

Twenty-five bluerocks—Dick 23, Lucas 22, Stott 20, Brookes 20, Lewis 20, McDowell 19.

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Big Timber Sale To-Day. At 1 o'clock, at the Parliament Buildings, to-day the sale of extensive and valuable timber limits in the Rainy River and Rat Portage districts will take place. The in-terest that is being taken by lumbermen generally in this sale is shown by the presence in the city of many prominent It mber dealers.

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There's a great deal to interest you—and there's lots

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Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum upon the capital stock of the company has been declared for the half-year ending 31st December, 1899, payable on and after the 2nd day of January, 1900, at the office of the company, corner of Victoria and Adelaidestreets, Toronto.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 31st of December, both days inclusive. days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

S. C. WOOD,

Managing Director

Toronto, December 4th, 1899.

The LONDON & CANADIAN LOAN & AGENCY CO'Y., Limited.

DIVIDEND NO. 59. Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and one-half per cent. on the paid-up capital stock of this company for the three months ending 31st December, 1899 (being six per cent. for the year), has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable on the 15th January next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 1st to the 14th of January, 1900, both days inclusive. Ist to the 14th of sandary, 2009, inclusive.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders will be held at the company's offices, 103 Bay-street, Toronto, on Wednesday, 21st February, 1900, chair to be taken at noon.

V. B. WADSWORTH, Manager.

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afternoon. We are making it as easy and comfortable as possible for shoppers here. Broad aisles, easy stairways and quick elevators facilitate greatly in handling the crowds, but those who come early in the morning experience the greatest comfort and get the best of Ontario, and Mr. J. P. Whitney, Leader and brightest attention. Shop early. Before noon if you can.

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Buttercups, best nut paste centre, 20c lb. Buttercups, good nut centre, 12½c lb. Pearis, highly flavored with lemon, rose, musk, wintergreen, clove, ginger, etc., Candy Truis, at 15c a lb.
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AT \$10.25-Ladies' Fancy Writing Desk,

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THE TORONTO WORLD.

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ONE CENT MORNING PAPER. No. 83 YONGE-STREET, Toronto.

EQUAL RIGHTS IN THE FRANCHISE The World takes this opportunity of calling the attention of Hon. Mr. Ross, Premie of the Opposition, to a grave defect in the Franchise Law of this province, which is best voiced by the following resolution:

vote. It is not, therefore, fair that the man who happens to live in the city or town, sponsibility of denying this right to the rural portions of Ontario.

The original act was passed in 1894, and it applied this principle of registration to applied to county towns as well as cities. The World now insists that the act shall he applied to all municipalities alike, whether they be cities or villages, towns or wood frame, with fancy corners, complete at the coming session in Toronto to improve the Franchise Act of the Province of plicity. The clauses that are of most in-torest to the public are the following:

1. This Act may be cited as The City Manhood Suffrage Registration Act, 1894, and shall apply to all cities in the

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4. (1) Every male person of the full age of 21 years, a subject of Her Majesty by birth or naturalization, and not disqualified under The Ontario Election Act, 1894, and not otherwise by law prohibited from voting, shall be entitled to be entered on the list of manhood suffrage voters for the polling sub-division in which he resides, to be prepared as is hereinafter directed, provided that such person has resided within the province for the twelve months next preceding the day on which the first slitting of the registrars of manhood suffrage voters was held for the preparation of the lists of voters under The Manhood Suffrage Act; and provided that such person was in good faith, on the said last mentioned day, and for the, three calendar months next preceding the same, a resident of and domiciled in the city on the list of which he is to be entered: and was in good faith on the same day and for the next preceding thirty days, a resident of and domiciled within the territory comprising the electoral district on the list of which he is to be entered; and provided also that such person's name is not on Part I. of the revised list of voters for the electoral district, as settled under The Ontario Voters' Lists Act, 1889.

An Act to Amend The City Manhood Suffrage Registration Act, 1894.

Assented to April 16, 1895.

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Among other amendments which the Legway Act is one compelling each company, whether operating in the city or country, room Clocks, tinted to make a monthly return to the Governenamel, gilt decora- ment of all accidents that take place on its tions, very handsome system. The steam railways are compelled to make such a report. It is just as much in the public interest that the electric rail-Fancy Ormolu and Gold Plated Clocks, very handsome designs, richly decorated, line, by fielded designs, richly decorated, line, line public interest that the electric rail-way and street car companies should do the same thing. A list of all the serious and fatal accidents that the electric rail-way and street car companies should do the same thing. A list of all the serious and the same things are considered as a line of the same things.

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Look carefully at this little picture. There's a great deal to it. There's a lamp, that makes the heat. Right over it is a saucer that holds the Vapo-Cresolene. This Vapo-Cresolene is a wonderful medi-

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duced would be appulling. The only way to minimize these fatalities is to study thereby ascertain where the trouble lies. In the absence of published statistics as to ner who is investigating the tragedy that occurred on Saturday will request the Toronto Railway officials to produce a list of all the trolley accidents that have occurre

A MODERN GIANT.

How He Was Conquered by Tiny But Vicious Enemy.

of Ontario, and Mr. J. P. Whitney, Leader of the Opposition, to a grave defect in the Franchise Law of this province, which is best voiced by the following resolution:

That the Conservatives of Markham Township, in their annual meeting protest aginst partisan assessors and partisan amount protection of voters for Parliamentary overs' lists, and against a one-sided law which permits the registration of voters for Parliamentary purposes in cities and towns, and denies the same to townships, villages and other rural municipalities.

What Mr. Ross or Mr. Whitney must do at the forthcoming session of the Legislature is to apply the law of registration to the whole province, and not limit it to cities and county towns, as at present. Were a system of registration universal in Ontario, all the trouble that arises from partisan assessments and partisan serim mages over the lists before the county judge would be avoided. Any man in the province, when he found that his name was not on the list, could have it put on amonth before any parliamentary election takes place. In the Township of Markham it seems that in the revision of 1898 quite a number of young men were put on before the Court of Revision, and when the assessment was made the next year the assessor, for some reason best known to himself, left these young men off again, and they now find themselves without votes in the coming Federal election.

The World believes in absolute equality in regard to the franchise. We believe in the principle of "one man, one vote," and equal facilities for every man to record his vote. It is not, therefore, fair that the man who happens to Mye in the city or town, and whose name is not on the assessment was month of the coming federal election.

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him what the doctors and all other medicines in Canada fasted to do-gave him the power to walk, gave him freedom from pain, gave him strength, health and energy. Though he is nearing the full measure of the three score and ten years allotted as a man's life, he is infinitely more sprightly, more quick and sure on his feet than many a man in the full flush of manhood.

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Taking these facts into consideration, his complete recovery is the more marvelous. Just reflect that the most skifful doctors in Toronto and vicinity were unable to do more than give him temporary relief; that different physicians pronounced his case utterly incurable, that the staff of a city hospital failed to find any means of aid for the sufferert, and then remember that a few boxes of Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills made a new man of him—practically renewed his lease of life—and say whether Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills are not deserving of a place in every household. Remember also, that Mr. Hall had given nearly every "patent medicine" on the market a patient, fair and faithful trial before beginning to use Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills, and that not one of them did him the slightest noticeable good.

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CANADIAN BREVITIES.

The disabled steamer Arthur Orr has ar-ived at Depot Harbor in tow of two wreck-

Archie Vanblaricum formerly of Peter-boro', Ont., has been killed by a falling tree at Duncan City, B.C.

The Archbishop of Ontario administers the diocese from his temporary resting place at Wollaston, Mass. His health is improving.

Improving.

The Marquis of Queensberry, who was found insensible in his bed at the Raleigh Club, London, on Monday, is now in a very critical condition.

Sol Smith Russell collapsed on the stage in the Grand Opera House, Chicago, last night, from mental exhaustion, and the curtain was rung down.

E. F. and C. S. Karaly two Chicago electricians, sons of Dr. S. Karaly of Albany, N.Y., have inherited an estate in Hungary valued at \$4,320,000.

The London & Northern Bank of London, Limited, has closed its doors. The directors, claim that the bank falled owing to libellous assertions about it in the newspapers.

A man named N. S. Peverill is advertising in the Rochester, N.Y. papers for "single

Wines and Spirits

WHITE ROCK

Ozonate Lithia Water; as a blender or mender its equal is unknown.

California and Native Wines, a thorough assortment; but if you want the best cheap wine in Canada buy Old Hermitage, \$2 per gallon, \$5 per dozen.

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Corner Queen and John-streets.

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YOU.

For the holiday season I am offering some very attractive and inexpensive goods, all new and up-to-

Two Specials Worthy of particular mention are Plated Nut Crackers and Picks that sell regularly for \$1.50 for...... Very Handsome Cut Glass Perfume Bottles for..... 25

We are also showing a splendid assortment of dolls, leather china, cut glass and silver goods, together with a large variety of Oriental goods. Our prices are certain to please you. GEO. A. LOWE, 61 King-street

GIFT UMBRELLAS In Great Profusion.

For sire or son, mother or daugh ter, Umbrellas are alike both appropriate and acanticipated a big

A trade in this line and have manufactured accord ingly. Worthful quality, rare, unique and orithoroughly dependably constructed, is what

we offer you in any Umbrella. Prices like these dictate where to

seech one has cover and tassel, \$1.50 special.

Men's Union Taffeta Silk Umbrelias, steel rod, paragon frame, natural wood, sliver trimmed, horn and polished han-\$2.00 dles, an umbrelia of quality.

An assortment of Ladles' Umbrelias, made of union taffeta silk, on best paragon frame, steel rod, handles of natural wood, soild Dresden, natural wood, with gold and silver knobs, sterling silver crooks, fancy shell and silver mountings and silver trimmed horn, grand value \$3.00 for...

Silk Umbrelias, as good as \$5, \$10 and \$15, with rare and exclusive art handles, some which would cost you \$3 to \$5 more at other places.

Leather Goods. Card Cases (seal, calf, morocco), 25c.
Car Ticket Cases (seal, calf, morocco),
plain, 10c; silver-mounted, 25c.
Clgar Cases (seal, alligator, morocco, calf),
\$1.25, \$2 and \$3.25.
Extension Drinking Cup, in leather case,

Extension Dimensions 60c.

Music Rolls and Cases, 50c, 75c, \$1.
Leather Shopping Bags, \$1.
Chatelaine Rigs, black seal, \$1.10.
Give a gift that will be valued. Give something that your friends will feel proud of, and that will be kept in sight and shown to others. Such are the

Pocket Books we sell and never tire of telling about. We are showing a magnificent line of these and other useful gifts in S1.00 POCKET BOOKS, IN VARIous styles of leather, shades
and shapes, silver trimmed and plain corners, splendid values.

Make him comfortable, happy and appredictive. Nothing in the wide world will give
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\$1.25 GENUINE SEAL COMBINA-tion Pocket Books, seal faced and beautifully made, leather lined. \$1.50 BEAUTIFUL LINES OF COMbination Pocket Books, assorted colors and all kinds of leather, sterling sliver mountings.

\$2.00' GENUINE SEAL POCKET Books, seal and calf faced, leather lined throughout, coin and card pockets. \$3.00 GENUINE PIGSKIN, ALLIgator and Seal Pocket Books, with sterling silver corners, calf and seal, leather lined all thorugh.

EAST & CO., Corner Yonge and Agnes Streets

KNOX IN GALA ATTIRE.

Last Night's Annual At Home Was Largely Attended and Thoroughly Enjoyed by All. Old Knox was all in gala attire last night,

Archie Vanblaricum, Tormerly Or. A cable of the Canadian Colored Cotton Goods Company's two mills at Cornwall, Ont., have been notified of a 10 per cent. increase in wages, beginning on Jan. 1, 1900.

A cablegram has been received at Queber from Boulanger, a fireman on board the missing steamship Merrimac. The vessel foundered, but the crew are safe on board a sailing vessel bound to India.

Lydia Pierson, a young woman who hails from St. Mary's, attempted to commit suificed at St. Thomas by taking chloroform in the International Hotel, where she was a waitress. A physician saved her life. The girl has been despondent.

Mr. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, to again seriously indisposed, and is not able to leave his house.

Ottawa has been finally selected as the apostolic delegate from the See of Rome at Canada.

The Archbishop of Ontario administers of Energy in the strategy of the affair were in swok up at an early hour this morning.

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Bank of Germany Rate Raised.

Berlin, Dec. 19.—The rate of discount of the Imperial Bank of Germany has been raised from 6 to 7 per cent.

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British in South Africa.'' The advertise ment is claimed to be in contravention of the United States statutes.

The first regular meeting of the newly organized Chartered Accountants' Students' Association was held last night at 82 East.

King-street. Mr. George Edwards, F.C.A., ment is claimed to be in contravention of the United States statutes.

Useful Christmas Presents.

for the holidays, and have manufactured according British beveled plate glass.... \$4.50

A Nickel-plated Gas Radiator, 4 steel tubes, 8 burners \$4.00 ginal handles, and horoughly de - Nidget Gas Heater, will heat room 10x12 feet..... \$2.00

Positively Unmedicated in any respect.

The Magi Caledonia Mineral Waters,

Prizewinners at Chicago Fair, 1893, stand ahead of all others. Sold by best dealers everywhere.



Velvet and Plush Slippers, at 60c, 75c, 5c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Buy him a leather Slipper.
Chocolate Alligator Slippers, 85c.
Dongola Slippers, \$1.00.
Our Tanned and Black Dongola Slippers, at \$1.25 and \$1.50, are made with hands turned soles, and are light and flexible.



Our Men's Chocolate and Black Vici Kid-Slippers are white kid lined, and are made with hand-turned, oak-tanned soles. We have them in Everett, Brighton, Harvard, Columbia and Romeo styles. You'll like them when you see them.

186 Yonge Street,

As You Like It. "Just the thing, old chap; where was it

OPEN EVENINGS.

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"Why, the same place for the last twelve years, the Standard. They are always abreast of the times. You should see their new building, the most handsome laundry in the city, and equipment to match. 'Phone 2444."

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Ladies' Comfort

and security from colds by wearing one of our Real Shetland or Orenburg Hand Knit Wool Shawls or Spencers—inex-pensive yet indispensible—at present in endless variety.

Dress or Suit Lengths

Stylish Black and Colored Weaves, correct weights, an immense stock of slect and handsome goods, colored fairles, in large checks and overplaid digns, even checks and faint line plaid homespuns, tweeds, friezes and camel hair effects.

A grand special display of several hudred full dress lengths in black an colored, stylish fabrics; laid out for Christmas purchasers, from \$1.50 to \$1.50

Silks at 75c

A special table show of 3 to 10-yard lengths, in plain colors, shot effects, stripes, fancy plaids and checks. Make handsome presents for shirt waists, skirts or gowns, at 75c per yard, regular \$1.00 and \$1.25. Rich and elegant gifts can also be made from an immense range of Frencu Printed Foulards, at 70c. Black Morres, Plain Siks and Brocades, of warrantable make and suitable lengths.

Men's Handkerchiefs

A most exceptional offering in Men's Fine Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, a two-hundred-dozen lot, offered during this week at \$1.25 doz.

A "Kelvin" Cape

Is a particularly useful and elegant present. In all the leading clan and family tartans, also in plain colors, fancy plaids and reversible combinations of plaids with plain colors. Our full length design ("The Strathcena" Wrap), also made in these allwool reversible cloakings, is a select sift

Home Cifts

One made from our famous stock of Linen Damasks would be appropriate and acceptable. We show the celebrated "Shamrock" dew-bleach brand table cloths, all sizes, from 2 to 6 yards long, with table napkins to match, plain and hemstitched. Hemstitched and embroidered tray and tea cloths, centres, pillow shams and cases, hand-embroidered, hem-stitched linen milts. cases, nand-embronered, nem-stitched linen quilits. In Plain and Hemstitched Towels our stock contains complete lines of the "Old Bleach." a most renowned make. Lace Curtains, Blankets, Marsellies Quilts, Cushions, Pillows.

Eiderdown Quilts

Reversible Coverings of the handsomest French printed sateen, in appearance equal to slik. Also slik coverings of exquisite design in reversible combina-tions of light with dark patterns.

Lace and Gauze Gowns

Scottish Clan and Family lartans

Presents in these include: Costume and Kilting Cloths, Rugs, Shawis, Shoulder Plaids, Cushlons, Handkerthiefs, Scarfs, Ties, Traveling Rugs, Capes and Wraps—the "Kelvin," the "Melgund," the "Strathcona."

Mantles, Capes, Suits

Many extra values in Ladles' and Misses' Jackets, which can be selected now and laid aside if necessary. A good Beaver Cloth Jacket at \$5, Cloth Jackets, satin lined, \$9.
Ladles' Suits, of cloth or serge, jacket satin lined, \$14.
Black Cloth Cape, silk lined, \$12.
Evening and Opera Wraps and Cloaks, fur lined Capes, Separate Dress Skirts, Silk, Moreen and Moretta Underskirts, White and Black Shetland and Orenburg Knit Wool Shawis and Spencers, Silk, Cloth and Flannel Blouses, Wool Wrap Shawis and Traveling Rugs, an immense display in the Scottish Clan and Family Tartans.

Cift Summary

Handsome presents are suggested in Ladies' Black and White Silk Hose (plain, embroidered and lace work), Fancy Plaids and Stripes, in fine cashmere, with vertical silk lines; Millincry: Lace-trimmed, Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs; Box of haif-a-dozen Ladies' Linen Hemstitched, Initialed, for \$1.75; Ladies' Kild Gloves, Hair Bows, Silk Umbrellas (initials engraved free of charge). Net Tles, Lace and Embroidered Ends, Four-in-Hand, String and Bow Ties, Chiffon Bows, Collarettes, Jabots, Stocks, and a multitude of other smart forms of neckwear.

Mail Orders

Filled promptly and accurately.

JOHN CATTO & SON

King Street-Opposite the Postoffice.

CAUGHT IN A REVOLVING BELT.

Arthur Andrews, a Press Feeder at Chatham, Had His Jaw Broken in Two Places.

Chatham, Ont., Dec. 19 .- Arthur Andrews. a press feeder on The Daily Planet, was injured to-day while attempting to remove a revolving belt from the shaft. He got cought between the belt and was badly crushed. His jaw was broken in two places and he was otherwise seriously injured. He is at the General Hospital in a serious condition.

Mr. Gilbert Johnston, mechanical super-lutendent of the Richelieu & Ontario Navi-gation line, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Cook of 287 Clinton-street, Totonto, says: "For eight years I suffered as no one ever did with rheumatism. For two years I lay on my bed and could not so much as feed myself—I was so helpless. The torture was indescribable. I doctored and tried every remedy I could hear of, but received no lasting benefit. I am grateful for the day when a lady friend recommended South American Rheumatic Cure. After three doses I was able to sit up in bed. I continued its use, and to day—look at me—I im as strong and active as ever in my ife."

Crabbed a Fur Garment.

Two men grabbed a fur-lined garment from a dunmy in front of J.W.T. Fairweathers afternoon, and ran up an adjoining lane. A young man who noticed the theft told P.C. Sawden, and the constable gave chase. The thieves were just getting over a fence when the policeman caught sight of them. They dropped the coat and continued on the run until one of them was captured. The prisoner gave his name as theory of Fair, with no particular place of abode.

"If It's From Mickie's It's Good."

CHRISTMAS WINES

If you are going to have wines or liquors of any kind for Christmas and must study economy, save on the quantity, not

Make your choice from one of these lists-The first are "good"-the second are "better"-the third are "best."

(1) Low Priced-

ST. JULIEN CLARET, a French wine, imported by us direct, and bottled immediately on arrival

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Michie & Co.,

Wine Merchants,

5 I-2 King-st. West. - - Phone 409.
Cellars under 5 and 7 King-street west and 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 Melinda-street

Car Fender Not the Best, Car Speed Dangerous and Railway Management Responsible.

SLEIGH-DRIVER WAS NEGLIGENT.

Reversible Coverings of the handsomest French printed sateen, in appearance equal to slik. Also slik coverings of exquisite design in reversible combinations of light with dark patterns.

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Gown lengths and overdresses, in shaped and patterns.

Death Saturday.

Gown lengths and overdresses, in net and gauze, shaped and patterns and friend and chemile, the enquiry into the death of Mrs. James to shaped and honiton braids.

Drapery Nets and Evening Tissues, in lengths suitable for girls.

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Death Saturday.

The enquiry into the death of Mrs. James the enquiry returned their verdict at 1 o'clock this morning. The most important witness examined was the excellent Massey and M. J. McDougali of Britania and them, "The Maple Leaf," were sung. The friend-ship between America and Great Britain was the keynote of every toast, and always evoked enthusiasm.

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Frank Berkinshaw of 221 Shaw-street. He said he saw the accident. He noticed the team of horses when they emerged from Wellesley-street. The car was some distance up the street, coming down at moderate rate. Witness knew an accident was inevitable.

Driver Didn't Move.

The sleigh driver sat motionless till the horses feat were on the devil strip. Then he looked towards the car and urged the horses on with his whip. Berkinshaw added that it would have been easier to stop the horses than the car.

To Mr. Jones, counsel for Arthur Kinsella, witness said the sleigh driver was responsible for the fatality.

Car Would Not Stop for Her.

Mrs. Walker, 164 East Bloor-streets, but fed that she signalled the fatal car at the corner of Sherbourne and Bloor-streets, but said he saw the accident. He noticed the total car at the corner of Sherbourne and motioners.

President Kranz, in the course of his speech, said: "We sit to-night under a cloud overhanging Canada and the Empire, and which casts a gloom over our American skies and causes some anxlety, we may believe, wherever freedom, equal rights, justice and higher and advancing civilization are valued. We must hope and trust that the cloud will break in mercy and refresh the plants of progress and freedom wherever on earth they may be, and whether prospering already or struggling for life and strength, and that the net gain for civilization will at least be in proportion to its cost in blood and treasure, that it will coment still closer the bonds which hold together English-speaking peoples, and that it will offeration."

Sir Roderick Cameron.

Car Would Not Stop for Her.

Mrs. Walker, 164 East Bloor-street, testified that she signalled the fatal car at the corner of Sherbourne and Bloor-streets, ut went past without stopping to let her on. She thought the car was going at a good rate.

Going About 15 Miles an Hour,

W. H. Lee, druggist at Wellesley and Church-streets, deposed that he heard the fatal car coming down Church-street and, from the rumbling noise, judged it was going about 15 miles an hour. The witness said a "respectable" rate for a Church-street car was 7 or 8 miles per hour, but they sometimes go about 15 or 20 miles per hour.

Average Rate 8 Miles an Hour.

William Nix, roadmaster of the Toronto, William Nix, roadmaster of the Toronto william Nix, roadmaster of the Toronto and the seaten and had never been known to admit defeat. A little blood-letting now and then is not such a bad this cafter all.

Average Rate 8 Miles an Hour.

William Nix, roadmaster of the Toronto Railway Company, said the average rate, including stops, was 8 miles per hour. When asked if there was any regulation governing the speed of cars, he said there was correspondence between the City Engineer and the company. On Yonge-street, between Queen and Front-streets, and on King-street, from Sherbourne to Simcoestreet, the rate was fixed at 6 miles per hour. He denied that he knew how much the fenders cost the company.

Roadmaster Edward Whitaker testified that he was acquainted with the sleigh driver. He said Kinsella narrowity escaped a collision with a car at Carlton and Jarvis
Kingels Rate 8 Miles an Hour.

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NAGEL'S RECORD SCORE.

Liederkranz Roller SO6 Against the Body Guards—The League last night resulted in victories for the Grenadlers. Liederkranz and Q.O.R. In the Liederkranz-Body Guard game Nagel made the highest score of the year, 806. The scores:

Liederkranz.

Body Guards.

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streets a few minutes before the fatal accident.

Unimportant testimony was also given by H. A. Van Uun, 16 Duke-street; Conductor G. W. Tomlinson, 32 Buchana-street, and Sherwood Crawford, 539 Church-street.

Company Responsible.

Below is a copy of the verdict:

That Hattle Alice Rogers met her death on Saturday, Dec. 16, at the corner of Church and Wellesley-streets, while driving across Church-street, by leing run down and killed by car No. 528 of the Toronto Railway Company on the Church-street route about 9.30 p.m. We find that the fender in use was not the best available; that the speed of the car was so great as to be inconsistent with safety to life, and we find the responsibility for these conditions rests with the General Board of Management of the Toronto Railway Company. We find that the motorman did his duty, but there was contributory negligence on the part of the driver of the sleigh.

The Officers Won.

The Officers Won.

The Q.O.R. officers and sergeants played their weekly indoor baseball match last night, the officers winning by 9 runs. Score: Officers 44, Sergeants 35.

Officers: Royce 2b, Compilin p, Findlay ss, Storey p. Boddy 3b, Warren ss, Gunn b. Maguire if, Cooper rf.

Sergeants: Matthews 3b, Cowan p. Holmes if, Marriot 2b, Angus ss, Howard cf. Jones c, Jennings ss, Carr 1b, Umpire —O'Heron.

TROLLEY COMPANY BLAMED. Was Well Shown at the Annual ANGLO-AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP

table, and toasts to the President and the Queen were drunk standingand with cheers. HATS AND FURS-YONGE AND RICH-

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 Grenadiers.
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Grenadiers.

Q. O. R.

Liederkranz	6	1	702	
Grenadlers	5	2	727	
Athenaeum	8	4	3	588
Q. O. R.	4	3	619	
Body Guards	1	6	583	
Merchants	1	6	623	

Down an Elevator Shaft.

Edward Murphy of 105 West Adelaide-street fell three storeys down an elevator shaft yesterday morning, and badly hurt his spine. He is in the hospital.

Useful Christmas Presents in Ladies' Hosiery.

DIRECTORS:
H. H. FUDGER,
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Don't Leave Everything

Till the Last Day

COMPANY.

December 20th

§More 8 o'Clock§ Specials

Not for us to choose your hour for shopping—well the won't sneer at all times to our best service. Pardon the emphasis we are putting on the value of the early of the family. morning hours this week.

Q Look! \$8.95 will buy Women's \$16.50 and \$20.00 Jackets Thursday.

Men's Smoking Jackets or House Coats, in fancy checked tweed, fawn and grey, with red mixture, handsomely trimmed, with worsted cord to match, and finished in the latest style, sizes 35 to 42, 5.00 DRESSING GOWNS—\$2 less in price for They're \$1.75. 120 pairs Men's Chocolate Color 72 pairs only at this price. They're

Big Handkerchief Sale on Thursday.

Ladies' Dressing Tables, in quarter cut oak, golden and mahogany fine polish top, sizes 18x34 inches, oval shape, bevel plate mirror, gracefully shaped legs and top, with drawer, American sample piece \$25 and \$27; our special Xmas price, \$16.75.

Famous Black Dress Goods.

We've included these "Gold | Medal" black materials among our Xmas specials. That means a rich chance for Thursday. "Gold Medal" Black Poplins, rich, lustrous finish, all pure wool, 44 inches in width,

"Gold Medal" Black Broche, satin fin'sh ground, with pretty floral designs, all wool, 44 inches in width,

"Gold Medal" Black Solelis, satin finish, raised cord, all wool, 44 inches in width, "Gold Medal" Henriettas, beautiful slik finish, all pure wool, 44 "Gold Medal" Black Serge, bright

finish, medium wale, all pur wool, 44 inches in width, Your choice on Thursday at 50c per yard.

At Home To Customers and Visitors each evening

The whole store puts on its best holiday dress for

from 6 o'Clock till 10.

Total3716 Total3531 Fine Cut Glassware.

—Standing of the Clubs.

Doulton Vases and Ornaments. Sevres China in gold mountings.
Sterling Silver Novelties. Majolica Ornaments.

Haviland China. Xmas Bon-Bons and Confectionery. MAIN FLOOR-Rich Lace Handkerchiefs. Evening Robes and Gowns.

Watches and Jewelry.

A complete book store. UPPER FLOORS-

Art Furniture. Persian Rugs. Fine Curtains. French Silk Draperies. Fancy Goods.

FIRST FLOOR-Fine Furs. Berlin Pattern Garments. The Toy Store and Decorations,

Splendid Inducements

Suggestions From Our Fancy Work Counters

Hard To Choose for a Man?

pretty things as these waiting to be picked out for him. either in of the family who knows his needs) feels choose something very useful.

\$20.00 Jackets Thursday.

Only 37 of them, all high class stylish garments. 8 o'clock we'll be ready, Thursday.

8.95

Two Chances in Men's Boots and Slippers.

MEN'S \$2.50 HOCKEY BOOTS AT \$1.75. 120 pairs Men's Chocolate Color Boots, regulation style, front seam, self tip, strap over 'instep, double sole, sure grip edge, well made throughout, all sizes 6 to 10, sultable for hockey or clamp skates, regular \$2.50 val. 4 7E.

Men's Sold Men's Imported Neckwear, made of extra fine slik and satit tie material, in the newest colorings of checks, stripes and all-over patterns, light and dark colors, in pulfs, imperials, flowing ends and graduated Derbys, best silk linings, special.

Men's Oxford Mufflers, in plain, fancy stripes and checks, extra well finished, special, each, a 75c, \$1, \$1.25 1.50 and.

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Was Well Shown at the Annual Dinner of the Canadian Society in New York.

New York, Dec. 10.—Intense enthusiasm for Angio-American friendship and interest in Great Britain's cause in South Africa was shown to-night at the annual dinner of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors were draped together above the guest table, and toasts to the President and the south of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors were draped together above the guest table, and toasts to the President and the south of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors were draped together above the guest table, and toasts to the President and the south of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors were draped together above the guest table, and toasts to the President and the south of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors were draped together above the guest table, and toasts to the President and the south of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors were draped together above the guest table, and toasts to the President and the south of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors were draped together above the guest table, and toasts to the President and the south of the Canadian Society at the Hotel St. Andrew. The American and British colors are found for the first floor, Yonge St. front.

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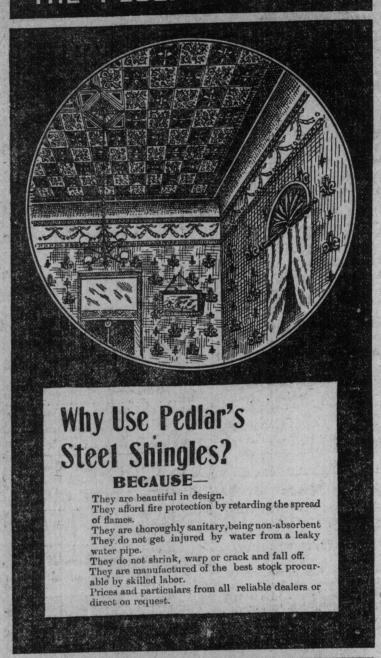
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An Explanation From Ald, Hanlan.

Editor World: Regarding my supposed opposition to the recent motion of Ald. Spence in the interests of the "nine-hour movement," I desire to say I am not in any way antagonistic to the welfare of the workingmen, and that my record in the City Council has been one of consistent support—of any measure tending towards their benefit. I will continue that support, and I may say that I am in favor of all workingmen, whether employed by the city or on contract labor, receiving not less than \$1.50 per day. I was opposed to the reduction in the hours of labor because I did not think the men could afford to lose the 15 cents per day under the conditions which exist in this city. During my career in the City Council I have endeavored to provide employment on the Island during the winter months by having useful and necessary improvements made for beautifying the Island Park and putting the lagoons in a sanitary condition. I wish it to be distinctly understood that in speaking against the motion of Ald. Spence I did so under misapprehension, not understanding its purpose. When the matter was thoroughly explained to me I recorded my vote in favor of the resolution.

Edward Hanlan.

Ward No. 6. of the resolution. Edw. Ward No. 6.

Mr. Thomas W, Mallon is running for alderman in Ward No. 6. Mr. Mallon is a young and energetic citizen—just the kind of stuff out of which good aldermen are made. His character has hitherto been above reproach, and should the electors of No. 6 see fit to elect him, they may be sure that his aldermanic career will be plain and above board. He is an honest, upright man, and that is what is wanted on the Council board just now.

In Ward 4.

Stephen W. Burns, ex-chairman of the

Stephen W. Burns, ex-chairman of the Public School Board, is a candidate for adderman in Ward No. 4. His record on the School Board as an aggressive worker is well known. He was born in No. 4 Ward, and has a grasp of public questions, which would be of service to his constituents and the city in the Council.

In Ward 2.

Mr. Charles Caidwell, well and favorably

Mr. Charles Caldwell, well and favorably known in the East End, is seeking the sup-port of Ward 2 electors as one of their aldermen for 1900.

Ward 5. Ald. John Dunn, the well-known cattle exporter, who has been an alderman for the past six years, is again in the field for Ward 5. He has been a member of the Executive Compittee and chairman of the Property Committee for three years. Mr. Dunn belongs to the better class of aldermen, and he generally expresses his views freely.

CORPORATION INSURANCE.

Committee Met With Tyled Doors to Discuss the Matter of Re-

newals Yesterday. meeting of the sub-committee of the Preperty Committee was called yesterday name every year. In fact, it is a settled happens every year. In fact, it is a settled habit with our civic administrators, One of its results is to delay the financial statement until coming on the middle of the year. And then, of course, no one has the disposition to scrutinize the figures.

Mr. Mutrie of South Wellington has a bill on the stocks to change the date of ending the financial year of municipalities from Dec. 3t to Nov. 30, or one mouth earlier. Mr. Mutrie sent his draft bill to Toronto Council, asking for the co-operation of this city towards gaining the object in view. What effect it had upon the officials and aldermen appeared at yesterday's meeting of the Committee on Legislation. The committee reported against it.

POULTRY AND PETS SHOW.

fore Than 2000 Entries From All Over the Continent Now on Exhibition,

The Toronto Poultry Association Exhibiion opened yesterday at 56 West Kingstreet, and continues till Friday night. From the fact that there are 2000 entries from all over the continent, the size of the from all over the continent, the size of the show can be imagined. If one wants to hear the shrill clarion of innumerable cockerels, the cackle of hens, the quack of ducks, the cooing of pigeons, the squeak of guinea pigs, the song of canaries, and the sight of cats worth \$1000 each, one should attend this show. In the window there is a fine collection of pheasants, while just inside the door is a cage full of those birds whose fellows brought relief to British hearts many times by the "All well!" from Ladysmith.

hearts many times by the "All Well." From Ladysmith.

The collection of pigeons and canaries is a very valuable one, while in the cat department there are two valued at \$1000 each, and two others at \$500. To-morrow two broods of little chickens, after 21 days in the incubators, will decide to make a move, and the incubator that brings the most out receives the prize.

Most of the judging took place yesterday. To-day the Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, Minorcas and games will be judged. Addresses were delivered last night by E. F. Clarke, M.P., and Mr. Charles Mick. To-day is school children's day, and to-morrow the annual meeting of the American White Plymouth Club will be held in the building.

RAILWAYS GRIND THE CONSUMER.

Proposed Increase in Rates to be Heard by the Inter-State Commerce Commission.

New York, Dec. 19 .- As a result of the protests of shippers, the Inter-State Comerce Commission has set a date, December 21, for a hearing on the proposed ad vance in rallway rates.

The Merchants' Association of the city to

The Merchants' Association of the city to-day appointed a committee to represent them at the hearing. The merchants most affected are those who deal in dry goods, and kindred products, including coffee, sugar, soap and hardware. New York merchants claim that the proposed advance is so radical as to create a very serious disturbance in trade relations, restricting the area of distribution of output in factor-les here and in foreign countries, and re-sulting in an increase of cost to the con-sumers.

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Elegant Satin and



We've got ready for this week's trade two lines of Trimmed Hats. Hats like cut, trimmed in a natty manner with birds, quills, silk, buckles, velvet, etc., the regular alue would be \$2.90 to \$4.00, but we want a rush upstairs for the next few days and make the price \$1.98.

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THE COLOMBIAN REVOLUTION

Is Not Yet Absolutely Crushed, But Prospects Are for an Ami-

cable Compromise. Kingston, Ja., Dec. 19.-Late Colombia: advices just received here say that while the revolution in that republic is not abthe revolution in that republic is not absolutely crushed, good prospects are entertained of an amicable compromise. In the meanwhile, hostilities are practically suspended. The U.S.S. Scorpion, with the canal survey party on board, is reported as meeting with difficulties in the hostile attitude of the Indians, which caused the laborers with the expedition to strike.

MAKE THE ROADS HUSTLE

And Equip Their Rolling Stock With Improved Couplers and

Washington, Dec. 19.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission has decided to grant the request of the railroads for the extension of time in which to equip its rolling stock with approved couplers and other safety equipment. The commission will announce its decision probably to-morrow, and it is understood the time limit will be extended six months from Jan. 1 next, the date now set.

Mining Exchange.

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Toronto Mining Exchange.

Morning sales: Deer Trall, 5000 at 10½;
Northern Belle, 500 at 13½; B.C. Gold
Fields, 500 at 3¼. Total sales 6000.

Afternoon sales: Republic, 500 at 93; St.
Paul, 500, 590 at 1; White Bear, 500 at
3¼; Deer Trall, 3000, 1500 at 10½; Republic,
500 at 96, 500 at 97, 500 at 98. Total sales,
8000.

Standard Mining Exchange. Morning sales: Northern Bel'e, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 at 13/4: Crow's Nest Coal, 10 at \$35; Deer Trall No. 2, 2000 at 11/4. 5000, Afternoon rales: Northern Belle, 5000, 5000 at 13/4; Gold Hills, 1000 at 43/4.

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Montreal Mining Exchange.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—Sales on the Montreal
Mining Exchange to-day were:

Morning Board: Virtue, 500, 500 at 50,
1000 at 50%, 500 at 51; California, 500, 500
at 11½; Republic, 500 at 04½, 500, 500 at 95;
Montreal-Loudon, 500 at 37.

Afternoon Board: Deer Trail No. 2, 1000,
500 at 11½; 5000, 500 at 11, 2000 at 12½;
California, 2000 at 11½; Virtue, 1000 at
51; Slocan Sov., 500 at 33½; Payne, 350
at 93½, 350 at 94½, 500 at 99; Can. Gold
Fields, 500 at 7; Montreal-London, 1000, 500,
100, 500 at 35, 1000 at 34½; Golden Star,
500 at 30; Republic, 500 at 102½, 500 at 102.

Ward 6 Conservatives. Ward 6 Conservatives.

The regular monthly meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association for Ward 6 will be held to-night in Shaw's Hall, corner Queen-street and Dunn-avenue, Parkdale, at 8 o'clock. Delegates to the annual West York convention will be selected and the meeting will be addressed by several members of Parliament. A large attendance is requested.







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vestors. We strongly advise you to buy this for quick profits. RAMBLER-CARIBOO-From most reliable information, this is going to be one of the leading mines of the Slocan. It is paying monthly dividends of one cent per

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Ducks, per pair
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DEFRAUDED HIS CREDITORS.

H. M. Winter, a Berlin Storekeeper. Found Guilty and Sent to the

Central Prison. Berlin, Ont., Dec. 19.-H. M. Winter, who r Man's Store in this town for a few nad been man's Store in this town for a few months, made an assignment to Mr. J. R. Eden last month, after being only a few months in business. His creditors, not being satisfied with the statement of affairs, which showed a liability of over \$6000, with assets less than \$2000. Winter was placed under arrest. His trial, which lasted two days last week, resulted he a finding of gullty of trying to defraud. Sentence was deferred until to-day, when, on three charges, Judge Chisholm sentenced him to imprisonment for 11 months and 20 days in the Central Prison. Toronto, on each charge, sentences to run concurrently. In addition to this a fine of \$800 was imposed. If it is not paid within the term of imprisonment another year will be added to his sentence,

GERMANY'S NEW POSSESSION.

The Samoan Troubles Break Out Again Over the Election of a King.

Apia, Samoa, Dec. 13, via Auckland, N.Z., Dec. 19.—The German flag was holsted over the court house to-day as an official notihe court house to-day as an official notication of the annexation of the islands, y agreement, to Germany. The German onsul was interviewed by the Samoan hiefs. He replied that the Samoans could ave their own king and chiefs. They then formed the consul that Mataafa would e selected. Having declared their government established, the Mataafans are riving the Malletoans out of the villages. Trouble appears imminent.

HUGH JOHN A COMING MAN.

How The Pall Mall Gazette Speaks of the Premier-Elect of Manitoba.

London, Dec. 19.-In an article headed "The Coming Man in Canada," The Pall Mall Gazette says the career of Hugh John Macdonald is of undoubted interest to Great Britain, because one of the main objects of his life will be to bring Canada and the Mother Country closer together.

THE NEW SUGAR TRUST.

It is Called the Colonial Sugar Reaning Co. and is Incorporated. Denver, Col., Dec. 10.—The Colonial Sugar Refining Company, the alleged rival of the the rerican Sugar Refining Company, was independed here to-day with a capital of the Electine Corporated here to-day with a capital of the Electine Holo,000, with the privilege of increasing it standing almost the colonial standing almost a standing a s100,000, with the privilege of including to \$100,000,000. The company is chartered to engage in the production of sugar in Cuba, Hawaii and Porto Rico. The refining is to be done by special process on the plantations.

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Harbord Literary Society. hold their annual at-home next Thursday evening. An unusually large number of expupils have signified their intention to attend, and a most enjoyable evening is to the expected. The patronesses are: Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Burwash, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Parkin, Mrs. Mallon, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Spotton.

Man Murdered-Murderer Killed. superintendent of construction of the W. J. Rainey Coke Company, was shot and killed to-day by David Pierce, a colored employe. Pierce then fled to the mountains, followed by an angry mob. He was discovered in hiding and riddled with bullets. Death was instantaneous.

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and the Other in Tenth-Avenue Tenement.

New York, Dec. 19 .- Seven lives were lost in two big tenement houses which were de-stroyed by fire in this city early to-day. Five charred bodies were found on the upper floors of a burned tenement at 102nd floors of a burned tenement at 102ndtet and Third-avenue, known as the
ther and five women and a little girl
badly burned, were carried alive from
blazing house to near-by hospitals.
re was thought to be slight chance of
of the six surviving. Several other
sons only escaped from the flames and
se smoke with cuts and brulses.
dolph Schneider, one of the tenants of
Harlem tenement, reported to the poafter the fire, that his wife and
ghter were missing.
few hours earlier a deadly fire attacked
five-storey tenement, No. 496 Tenthnue, near 38th-street, burning to death

The Casualties.

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EASES. Read What Two Belleville Ladies

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(Signed) Mrs. Emily Dalton, Belleville, Dec. 8, 1899.

Auburn, N.Y., Dec. 19.—Dan Noble, one of the most university has ever known, was released from Auburn Prison to-day, his sentence having expired. He left the city at once for Owego, the scene of the crime which resulted in his imprisonment here.

Grand Tour of Mexico.

On Feb. 14, 1900, the Wabash Railroad Co. will run a personally conducted and select party of 50 people for a 30-day tour through old Mexico. This will be by far the grandest and most comprehensive tour ever run by any railroad in America. This will be a chance of your life to visit this ancient land of the Montezumas. Every point of interest will be visited. The train will be the finest ever seen in this country, consisting of dining car, sleepers, overvation and baggage cars, built especially for this trip. The route will be over ten different roads, covering seven thousand miles of travel. Full particulars of this wonderful trip from J. A. Richardson, District Passenger Agent, northeast corner King and Yonge-streets, Toronto.

Believille, Dec. 8, 1899.

Mrs. Francis Smith of Belleville says:

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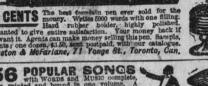


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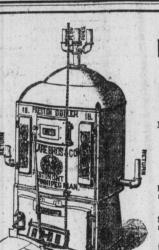
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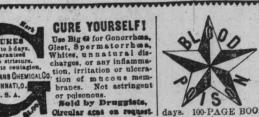
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