

THE KING IS DEAD, LONG LIVE THE KING; COPENHAGEN ACCLAIMS THE NEW SOVEREIGN

Frederick the Eighth Was This Morning Proclaimed Monarch of Denmark in the Presence of Fifty Thousand Citizens of the Danish Capital.

Copenhagen, Jan. 30.—Frederick VIII. was proclaimed King of Denmark at noon today in Mallenborg Square in front of the palace. The ceremony lasted only a few minutes. The Premier, M. Christensen, appeared on the balcony on the palace, and announced to the 50,000 persons assembled below the death of King Christian IX., and the accession of his eldest son. The Premier then called for cheers for King Frederick VIII. The new ruler of Denmark joined the Premier on the balcony, and in a short speech declared that he would rule in accordance with the example set him by his father, and he trusted that the same accord between the king and the nation would continue as heretofore. His majesty concluded with calling for cheers for the fatherland.

King Frederick received a warm-hearted greeting from the assembled crowd, whose cheers mingled enthusiastically with the National Anthem, *New King Is Popular.*

Frederick VIII., the new king of Denmark, who will ascend the throne in his 62nd year, bears the weight of his years lightly, and is almost as popular with the people of Denmark as was his father. By the wish of his parents, he was brought up with great simplicity, and his early education was obtained at the town grammar school, for not until he was 10 years old was the difficult question of his father's succession to the Danish throne finally settled. It was Frederick's curious fate to see his younger brothers, and his own son become reigning monarchs of Greece and Norway, respectively, while he himself was still an heir-apparent. The new king has been highly popular since his earliest youth. His bearing is stately, and his manner quiet. He is noted for his culture and possesses many foreign distinctions. While seldom openly identifying himself with political questions, he has taken an active part in all public movements, and is a constant attendant at all important debates in the Riksdag. He is chancellor of the Copenhagen University and head of the Freemasons of Denmark, and is well known as a promoter of all philanthropic objects. His interest in the army, of which he is inspector-general, is keen, and he has introduced several reforms which have improved the lot of the private soldiers, as the result of which he is extremely popular with the troops.

Wife Is Richest Princess.
Little can be predicted as to the new king's public policy. The new queen, Louisa, is reputed to be the tallest and richest princess in Europe. She is a handsome woman of the blonde type. The new queen inherited large fortunes both from Prince Frederick of the Netherlands and Princess Charles of Sweden. Nevertheless she and her husband have adhered to the plainness and simplicity characteristic of the Danish court, showing the nation the happy spectacle of a united couple living on terms of the closest affection and sympathy with their eight children. Though they have paid many visits to foreign courts, they are essentially a home-keeping couple when compared with other royal personages.

Frederick is credited with having a less determined character than his father, while it is whispered that the new queen possesses the stronger character of the two, and possibly this latter fact will have considerable influence on the policy of the new king. Both are deeply imbued with religious convictions.

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REDUCTION IN THE G.T.R. GANGS?

Not Enough Work to Keep All
Bridge Building and Water
Service Men Going.

A rumor was in circulation today to the effect that on the 1st of February the Grand Trunk will make a reduction in the bridge building and water services gangs whose headquarters are in London.

Officials at the depot were asked regarding the rumor, but they said they had heard nothing whatever regarding it.

It was acknowledged, however, that there may be some such move on foot. The double tracking of the road between this city and Sarnia Tunnel gave a great deal of work for the bridge building staff, and now that this work is done there will be little doing in the bridge building line until spring. Hence, it will be possible to make a temporary reduction in the force.

The double tracking west of London also made a great deal of work for the water service men, and as this has also been accomplished little more will have to be done before spring.

A big improvement has been made in the water service at Strathroy. Heretofore, engines had to run half a mile west of the station and then back to the high-east and west bound locomotives can take a supply of water at the depot, a pipe having been laid from the old tank. This will save a delay of several minutes, to trains, which invariably have to take water there.

Mr. Thomas Treleven, master car builder at the G. T. R. works, said today that as far as he is aware, no reduction is to be made in the staff there. There are about 400 men at the shops now, working 55 hours per week, and there is an abundance of work. Asked as to the class of work, Mr. Treleven said with a smile that it included the building of two big snow-plows.

180,000 IMMIGRANTS FOR ONTARIO

Toronto, Jan. 30.—The Ontario Government is preparing to receive 180,000 immigrants this year, and the department is already active with the arrangements. The old offices in the Union station will be vacated and new quarters where there is more room are to be taken up, where Col. Nelles' apartments were, near the station. At the Grand Central Hotel, where the Government immigrants stay while on their way to the west, nearly \$10,000 is to be spent to put on two new stories and an additional fifty rooms, in anticipation of the promised rush. The plans are prepared and work will be commenced in a week or two. Mr. Flanagan said last night that the Government estimate might be low, and he looks for even 20,000 more coming, from what he has heard from recent arrivals regarding the interest Canada is creating among the people of the British Isles.



THE LATE
KING CHRISTIAN OF DENMARK

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Government Man With Wide
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Recent Fatal Crash.

An inquiry into the fatal accident at the Richmond street crossing of the Grand Trunk is being made at the Tecumseh House today by Mr. Edward C. Lalonde, of Ottawa.

Mr. Lalonde is the inspector of accidents for the Canadian Railway Commission, and he is conducting the investigation for that body. In his official capacity he has the authority to examine all persons who may be able to throw any light whatever on the accident, and among those to be called are the engineer and fireman, and the front end brakeman of the freight train that struck the trolley, crossing Watchman Sweeney, a number of passengers on the street car, and several others who were eye-witnesses of the affair.

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THE TOWNSEND BILL Measure to Control Railroad Rates Now Before Congress.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—Opening what promises to be a week's discussion of the railroad rate bill, Mr. Townsend, of Michigan, addressed the House for more than an hour today, touching on and elucidating practically every phase of the railroad rate-making problem and describing in detail the terms of the Hepburn bill.

Regarding the question as one of the most important ever before Congress, Mr. Townsend advocated the bill as the correct remedy for the evil which existed, and predicted that notwithstanding the protests of the roads, greater prosperity would come to them under its provisions than otherwise.

In brief, the bill attempts, he said, to place under the supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission every form of interstate and foreign commerce, and all instrumentalities of commerce and transportation. The most serious complaints on the part of the shippers, he said, have been directed against special service, such as private cars, icing, elevator and terminal charges, and the like.

Mr. Townsend believed the bill affords a complete remedy for all of these evils, as hereafter every such charge must be just and reasonable, and in case it is not, the commission has power to make it so.

Death From Exposure.
Sarnia, Jan. 30.—Jos. Kemsley, 22 years old, was found dead in a vacant lot at Point Edward this morning. He had been drinking last night and was turned out of a Sarnia hotel. Death followed from exposure.

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KINGSTON AGAIN ELECTS LIBERAL

Mr. J. B. Pense Victor in the
Bye-Election.

HAS AN INCREASED MAJORITY

Wins Handily Although Opposed by
All Resources of the Whitney
Government.

Kingston, Jan. 29.—After one of the most remarkable political campaigns ever waged in Kingston, Edward J. B. Pense, the unseated Liberal member in the Ontario House, succeeded today in again defeating D. M. McIntyre, Conservative, and winning a bye-election against the Whitney Government. The total vote was: Pense, 2,097; McIntyre, 2,063. This a total of 4,160, or 300 less than was polled in the general election a year ago. As the registered vote was over 300 less than last time, it is an evidence that a pretty full vote was polled, notwithstanding that no vehicles were hired, and that whatever money was in evidence was of decidedly small dimensions. Most of the cabmen drove for Mr. Pense on their own account, but were in no wise connected with his workers. Likewise there were nine livery vehicles in the contest for Mr. McIntyre. The vote by wards follows:

	McIntyre, Pense.	
Sydenham	153	221
Ontario	138	136
St. Lawrence	138	109
Cataraqui	274	358
Frontenac	425	432
Rideau	544	511
Victoria	295	272
Portsmouth	89	67
Totals	2,063	2,097

Ballots Were Numbered.

Last January Mr. Pense's majority was 20, so that there is an increase of 14. As far as can be determined there were not a great many cases of bribery. None have yet been reported against the Liberals, but there are a few against Mr. McIntyre's supporters. Strange to say, the ballots were numbered, despite the declarations of Mr. Whitney's ministers that the ballot was to be haphazardly sorted. In the morning the Liberal southwicks in several booths complained of deputies putting the initials right under the number of the ballot, contrary to instructions from Returning Officer Dawson. The latter made a tour of the booths and made the foundation of a Jewish fatherland. M. Kohn, of Kitchener, thought the eventual emigration of all the Jews from Russia was inevitable. He proposed Egypt or Asia Minor as suitable for a Jewish settlement.

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Castro Preparing for War; Expects French Invasion

The Mobilizing and Impressment of the Army Has
Commenced—Asks Kaiser to Intervene.

New York, Jan. 30.—A Willemstad, Curacao, dispatch to the Herald, dated Monday, says:

"A prominent Venezuelan, who has arrived here from Caracas, says that President Castro, while supposed to be resting at Maracay, has been actively engaged in visiting the garrisons and preparing for an expected invasion by France. Governors of the states have been called to the capital for instructions, troops are mobilizing and the impressment of the army has begun. The people are apathetic, but will be forced to fight though they blame President Castro for going too far with M. Taigny. Conservative opinion is that President Castro is putting on a bold front at the last moment to save

his presidency from compliance with the expected demands from France for an apology and a salute to the flag.

"President Castro has sent an extremely violent note to France and has personally appealed to the Kaiser to intervene to save German interests in Venezuela. He made the same request to England, but was refused on the ground of British cordiality with France. Foreign representatives here believe that war is unavoidable and contend that whatever the result of the war the nations should take action, as by President Castro's declaration that diplomats lose all immunity immediately relations are severed, he refuses to send ministers abroad, reducing Venezuela to the plane of countries accorded consular officers only."

A FATHERLAND THE SOLUTION

Jewish Conference May Decide
on Egypt or Asia Minor
for Settlement.

Brussels, Jan. 30.—The general Jewish conference called to consider the state of the Jews in Russia formally opened its session here today under the presidency of David Wolffsohn, chairman of the international Zionist committee. In his opening address, President Wolffsohn urged the establishment of an international committee either in Berlin or London to watch the interests of the Russian Jews. A motion to that effect went over until a later session. M. Mandelsam, of Kieff, presented a report of the condition in Russia from which it was gathered that the Jews had no hopes of an improvement in their status resulting from a revolution or government reforms. The only solution of the problem, according to the report, would be the foundation of a Jewish fatherland. M. Kohn, of Kitchener, thought the eventual emigration of all the Jews from Russia was inevitable. He proposed Egypt or Asia Minor as suitable for a Jewish settlement.

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80 UNION CIGAR- MAKERS STOP WORK

Slight Difference Between the
Tuckett Firm and Employees
Causes Some Trouble.

All of the union cigarmakers employed by the Tuckett Company, Dundas street west, quit work this morning owing to a slight difference with the firm.

The exact nature of the trouble could not be learned. It was common street talk that the men struck because they had been given hard work to do.

Mr. Wm. Hale, the president of the local branch of the Cigarmakers' Union, was also very absent. He preferred not to discuss the cause of the difference.

About 80 men are involved. It is expected the matter will be settled.

Mr. Doolley, the manager of the factory, was asked about the strike, but he had little to say. "There is no dispute as to wages," he said, "no question about union principles—just a trifling matter that can easily be adjusted."

GIVEN AN EASY CHAIR

Presentation to Mr. Ernie Ruse by
Knights of Pythias.

At a meeting of Prospect Lodge, Knights of Pythias, last night, Mr. Ernie Ruse, G. T. R. depot ticket agent, tendered his resignation as secretary of the board of control of the lodge.

After the business was transacted, Mr. Ruse was called to the platform, and Mr. S. A. Webb read to him an address, expressing appreciation of his work in behalf of the lodge. Mr. Ruse had been secretary of the board of control for eleven years, and had been indefatigable in his efforts for the lodge. This lodge greatly regretted the necessity that forced him to resign.

Mr. Harry Farnham, on behalf of the lodge, presented Mr. Ruse with a beautiful leather-covered easy chair. Mr. Ruse was completely taken by surprise, but managed to make a suitable reply.

HOTEL WAS "TOUCHED"

Someone entered a Clarence street hotel last night, and extracted \$50 from the till. When the bartender came down stairs this morning he found the door of the bar open and a key in it.

It is understood that another hotel in the vicinity was relieved of \$7 the other night in the same manner. The police are working on the case.

SAYS PNEUMONIA DUE TO MICE; FINDS KISSING NOT THE CAUSE

New York, Jan. 30.—Pneumonia is due to mice and not to the weather, according to Dr. E. Paller, of this city. The microbe causing pneumonia, he says, is found in the mouths of nearly all healthy individuals, but does not require dangerous virulence until it passes through a susceptible animal like the house mouse. He has proved the theory, he says, by experiments.

"Let us consider," said Dr. Paller, "how mice cause pneumonia. In the months of December, January, February, and March, there usually are many mice in houses, especially where the plumbing is defective, and which are in general in poor sanitary condition.

"Mice, as is well known, work themselves under the sinks and hence are mostly abundant in houses where the plumbing is not open, where there are many nooks and corners around sinks. In trying to obtain mice for experiments I learned from many persons that they are more abundant in the house in winter and early spring. Young mice seem especially abundant in the month of March.

"Young mice particularly are susceptible to the pneumonia bacillus. Young mice come into the rooms to look for food, and they easily can get inoculated with human sputum. Then they spread the virulent bacillus which they have developed, and these virulent bacilli may cause pneumonia in man either by inhalation or inoculation through some abraded surface."

Dr. Paller tells the Medical Record he has found two young dead mice which showed many virulent pneumonia bacilli in poorly ventilated rooms. Dr. Paller says the virulent bacilli from infected mice multiply abundantly and greatly increase the danger of pneumonia to human beings in the house.

"These germs from mice," Dr. Paller says, "lose their virulence after a time. Thus a person may breathe the germs whose virulence are well-nigh exhausted, and so have a mild case of pneumonia, and vice versa."

Dr. Paller says he does not believe pneumonia is spread by kissing. Nor does he believe it is due to changes in weather. Furthermore, the disease is not due to depression. Persons apparently in good health suddenly may develop pneumonia, whereas others who are weak may not get it.

It is expected the new theory will raise the price of mice.

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Down Comes That Fence; City Issues Ultimatum

Nuisance at Corner of Richmond and Dundas To Be
Removed at Last.

The long-standing dispute over the fence around the new Bank of Commerce building promises to reach a climax this afternoon. Ald. Cooper, acting mayor, issuing an order to City Engineer Graydon to tear the fence down if it is not removed forthwith. The matter was brought to the attention of the acting mayor through Mr. F. B. Clarke, and a number of other businessmen, waiting on the city engineer and requesting him to do something to have the nuisance removed. Mr. Graydon explained that if someone in authority would give him an order he would soon end the trouble.

In Public Interest.
Ald. Cooper was acting mayor today.

THE WEATHER.
Tomorrow—About the Same.

London, Tuesday, Jan. 30.
Sun rises, 7:57 a.m. Moon rises, 12:45 p.m.
Sun sets, 5:29 p.m. Moon sets, 11:45 a.m.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Victoria, 48-49; Edmonton, 32-33; Calgary, 22-30; Medicine Hat, 28-44; Winnipeg, 18-34; Port Arthur, 14-22; Parry Sound, 4 below-36; Toronto, 16-35; Montreal, 2 below-12; Quebec, 8 below-22; St. John, 4-14; Halifax, 14-38.

FORECASTS.
Tuesday, Jan. 30.—S. & N. west winds; mostly fair and mild.

Wednesday—Stationary or a little lower temperature.

TEMPERATURES.
Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Max. Weather.

Calgary 20 18 Fair
Winnipeg 22 12 Fair
Parry Sound 26 26 Fair
Toronto 38 34 Rain
Ottawa 28 10 Rain
Montreal 23 10 Rain
Quebec 14 0 Rain
Father Point 18 0 Rain

The sign—indicates below zero.

WEATHER NOTES.
The weather has turned much milder again from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces, and much colder in Manitoba. However, the cold in the Northwest is likely to almost immediately moderate.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Monday were: Highest, 36°; lowest, 15° above.

BIG SEIZURE OF FURS

Otter and Beaver Pelts Worth
\$3,500 Confiscated at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—Fourteen thousand dollars' worth of furs belonging to the Hudson's Bay Company and en route to England were held up here Saturday night and \$3,500 worth confiscated. The seizure was made by the local game warden, Mr. Loveday. The shipment had been made from an Ontario point near Kenora, and was being sent to London, Eng. It was composed of beaver, otter and several other kinds of furs. The otter and beaver, consisting of 128 of the former and 129 of the latter, were confiscated and forwarded to the Government authorities at Toronto.

Beaver and otter are not to be killed in this Province or shipped from any point in it till 1907, and a close watch is being kept for infractions of the law. The seizure is one of the heaviest ever made in this city.

ASHORE ON ALASKAN COAST

A Valuable Cargo for Vladivostok
Lost, But Crew Escapes.

Seattle, Jan. 30.—A special from Sitka, Alaska, says that the German steamer, *Maricheen*, went ashore at False Bay, 100 miles from that point, last Thursday. The officers and part of the crew arrived in Sitka on Sunday on the steamer *Georgia*.

The *Maricheen* cleared from Seattle for Vladivostok on Jan. 19 with a cargo of general merchandise valued at \$250,000. This is a total loss but the ship may be saved. No lives were lost.

A Pioneer Land Deal.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—One of the largest land deals in the history of the Canadian West was announced today, through which London capitalists, represented by Cecil Ward, managing director of the Kamloops Irrigation Company, secured control of half a million acres in Northern Alberta. They will colonize it and propose initiating a very vigorous policy at once.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Steamer.	Reported at.	From.
Panama	New York	Trieste
Roma	New York	Marseilles
Astoria	New York	Glasgow
Winifredian	Boston	Liverpool
Devonian	Liverpool	Boston
Monmouth	Liverpool	St. John
Conople	Naples	Boston
Merion	Philadelphia	New York
Koenig Albert	Genoa	New York
Furnessia	Glasgow	New York
America	Cherbourg	New York

ROYAL MEMOIRS TO STIR COURTS

Princess Louise Is Writing a Book That May Unveil Many Scandals.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—When some time ago Princess Louise of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha consented to let her husband get a divorce from her on condition that he pay her debts and allow her alimony of 7,000 francs a month, it was said that she had solemnly promised to remain quiet concerning a number of court scandals of which she knew.

It was stated that she had turned over to her husband all dangerous letters which she had in her possession, and there was hardly a court in all Europe which did not heave a sigh of relief.

The joy, however, did not last long. From Paris, where the Princess now lives, comes the news that she is busily engaged in writing her memoirs, for which a French publishing firm has promised her a fabulous sum.

As there is no doubt that the Princess possesses any quantity of information concerning the corruption of royal courts, the memoirs are sure to be sold by the hundred thousands.

It is rather poor consolation that the authorities in Germany and Austria will forbid the sale of the book, for the time has passed when this could do any good as was shown in the case of "From a Small Garrison." When the Princess' memoirs shall appear every one who desires to have a copy will find it an easy matter to procure one.

There is absolutely no truth in the rumor that the German people are in a state of great anxiety concerning the outcome of the Algeiras conference.

To tell the truth the people consider the conference of minor importance, and the dispatches printed in the press concerning it are remarkably brief, showing that editors who always have their fingers on the pulse of the public realize that the whole affair is of little news interest.

I have repeatedly heard the opinion expressed that the Kaiser knows exactly how far he can go, and that, no matter how dangerous his policies may appear, he will know how to extricate himself and avoid a war.

All classes are so convinced that at a time when the war department is introducing a new field gun in the army instead of the inferior kind Germany now possesses, the Kaiser will not dare to incur the risk of losing all that was won in the war of 1870, and it is a surprise to the German people that the world at large, and especially the people of France, doubt the sincerity of his words a few weeks ago, when he said he would consider war a crime against the nation he rules, and which has enjoyed 35 years of unprecedented prosperity.

The Kaiser himself, indeed, does not seem worried at all, and has no other thought than the preparations for his silver wedding, which is to be celebrated on Feb. 27.

His state of health, I hear, is not absolutely satisfactory, and when he went for a drive on Sunday last it was noticed that he was rather pale and rather thinner than usual, and the fact that he has ordered his yacht, the Hohenzollern, made ready for a cruise immediately after his silver wedding has lent some color to the rumor that everything is not quite as it ought to be.

Officially, this is, of course, denied, and it is said that his intention with the Mediterranean cruise is that he desires to meet his uncle, King Edward, who will be cruising in southern waters in the beginning of March.

The United States is not the only country where the members of the government give up their positions of honor to enter into more lucrative though less pretentious occupations. I am informed on very good authority that Baron von Rheinbaben, Prussian Minister of Finance, will accept the position as head of the famous Krupp works at Essen.

Baron von Rheinbaben is one of Germany's greatest steel experts, and during his visit to the United States made himself acquainted with all the improved methods in vogue in America. Should he accept the position, as he undoubtedly will, it will be the second time that a German Secretary of State leaves the cabinet to assume control of the famous works.

Now at the Railroads.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 29.—What is considered as a blow at the railroads was taken up by the House today in the adoption of a resolution calling on the President to furnish information as to

Biliousness From the Liver.

Biliousness is caused by the failure of the liver to filter the bile and other poisonous impurities from the blood. The result is a clogging and poisoning of the whole system. Indigestion, headache, languid, melancholy feelings, irritability of temper, constipation, alternating with looseness of the bowels, pains in the muscles and bones and a pale, sallow complexion are among the symptoms.

Fortunately there is a prompt and certain cure for biliousness and torpid liver in Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They cure by thoroughly cleansing the filtering and excretory systems and awakening the action of the liver to renewed energy and activity.

When you feel out of sorts and notice any of the symptoms of torpid liver and biliousness, put Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver pills to the test and you will then understand why this great medicine is considered indispensable in the great majority of homes. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

to the existence of an alleged agreement in violation of interstate commerce law between the Pennsylvania, Baltimore and Ohio, Norfolk and Western, Chesapeake and Ohio, Northern Central and Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Companies.

Opposition to the resolution did not develop until after it had been declared adopted by the speaker. At this point, Mr. Dalzell (Pennsylvania), moved against it with a motion to reconsider, which was laid on the table with the aid of 37 Republican votes united with the Democrats, which makes it impossible to reconsider the resolution with a two-thirds vote.

THE PERILS OF GRAND BANKS

Two Newfoundland Fishermen Adrift in an Open Boat for Four Days.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 29.—The last two men of the eighteen lost by the fishing schooner Quannapowitt on the Great Banks last week were brought here today, both being in a critical condition from a terrible experience. The men were Charles Matheson, of this city, and Charles Hemeon, of Shelburne, N. S., and they were brought in by the schooner Flora S. Nickerson, which picked them up last Saturday.

They had been adrift in their dory for four days without food or drink, and had drifted 200 miles. When the Nickerson came up with the dory Hemeon was lying in the bottom of the boat apparently dead, and Matheson was so nearly in a state of unconsciousness that he could not speak. Later Matheson said that Hemeon had been overboard twice.

Matheson's story is as follows: "Wednesday morning there was a northeast gale in which one huge wave wrenched away the dory. Another sea swept Hemeon overboard, but I caught him, and pulled him back.

"On Wednesday night and all day Thursday we were driven by the gale. Thursday night Hemeon went out of his mind. No food or water made our suffering terrible. Hemeon raved and accused me of not using him right, and then he leaped over the side of the dory. I jumped after him and after a hard time got back into the dory and got him in.

"After that," said Matheson, "Hemeon was unconscious, and I had no further trouble from him."

"Thursday afternoon I sighted a steamer and two fishing schooners, but they did not see the signal I made. Friday night, when I thought a passing steamer had heard my cries, she suddenly increased her speed and went out of sight. Saturday the Nickerson found us."

CZAR STILL SUPREME

He Can Veto Bills or Dissolve the Assembly at Will.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 29.—The project for the making of alterations in the fundamental laws of the empire so as to harmonize them with the manifesto of Oct. 30, which has been under formal discussion for some time by the council of ministers, has now been printed and will be taken up immediately for formal discussion by the cabinet.

In its printed form the project is sure to precipitate a sharp controversy since it contains a number of ideas to which several members of the council have already taken exception.

It places legislative power in the hands of the Duma, the council of the empire and the Emperor, no law being valid without the assent of all three.

A bill rejected by the Duma if vetoed by the Emperor, cannot be re-introduced in the same session. The Emperor may prorogue the Duma at any time, but new elections must be held within four months and the Duma must assemble within six months after its prorogation.

The administrative acts of the executive officials theoretically are reviewable by the first department of the empire as a supreme court to determine their constitutionality, but a weak phase of the project is found in several voluminous appendices enumerating exceptions to the judicial power.

The project also provides for the limitation of the word "unlimited" from the definition of the Emperor's power, which so far has been described as "autocratic and unlimited."

BOBS WARNS AGAIN

And Declares That Great Britain is Totally Unprepared for War.

London, Jan. 29.—With the opening of the new parliamentary session Field Marshal Lord Roberts renews his campaign of warning to the country regarding the inadequacy of its defenses. Addressing the members of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce tonight he again affirmed that the nation was as absolutely unprepared for war as it was in 1859.

He urged the adoption of a million men as the military standard, half of which would be needed for the defense of India and the other half to fight at home.

Lord Roberts said he heard of the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance with enthusiasm, but he reminded his audience that national conditions and national necessities were subject to change, and that the alliance only applied to Asia, and not to Europe, where the danger was greater.

RELICS OF THE REVIVAL MEETINGS

The Collection at Massey Hall Includes Gold Watch and \$1,600 Check for Torrey

Toronto, Jan. 29.—Office Secretary A. R. Gibson and his busy clerks were bending low over card and letter and manuscript in the Torrey-Alexander mission committee rooms in Massey Hall this morning, when Rev. E. D. Silcox, a member of the executive, arrived.

Mr. Silcox took off his coat and immediately became a vendor of hymn books, tickets and information. "Look here," said he, "I am keeping a regular second-hand shop. The crowds at the meetings have been so great that many articles have been left behind."

In one corner of the room reposed about two dozen umbrellas in all states of preservation and usefulness. Zygloglasses lay on tables, a gold watch glittered from a pile of letters, ladies' apparel hung here and there, old boots and shoes made dingy the corners, combs and hairpins and gloves fairly showered in all directions.

"Seem to me," ventured a newly-arrived seeker after information, as he inspected some of the garments left behind, "seems to me that some of the people in attendance here have cast off some of their old 'habits.'"

"Yes," assented the genial Mr. Silcox. "And again he 'yesed' pleasantly, when a gentleman conducting an exploration among the old shoes and slippers, suggested that there had been a change of 'sole.'"

Found Her Umbrella.

"I have come to look for my umbrella," said a stout, rosy-cheeked woman in black attire. She found it. "Is that the one?" inquired Mr. Silcox.

"Yes, I think so," returned the woman, still pursuing investigations. "If it isn't," jokingly added he, "be sure you get the best one there."

"We have pocketbooks and all variety of articles here," said Mr. Silcox, "and not only—"

"Here is something possibly you have omitted," interposed an assistant, bearing eagerly to the reverend gentleman a huge "ink" of flowing feminine hair.

The gentleman of the cloth gasped. Here was the evidence that some strenuous woman had a half-raised escape in getting through the dense crowd at one meeting.

And still the clients of the secretary and executive officer came. Some wanted tickets, and others wanted hymn books.

A youth with fervor and a fur overcoat wanted tickets, a very pretty young lady in a modish habit of purple wanted a "him" book, a lad wanted to know if "this was Massey Hall," a gentleman with side-whiskers wanted a singing book, and a stout policeman inquiring up at the rear of the inquiring cortege arrested the progress of handling inquiries by purchasing a red hymnal also.

When the police buy hymn books Toronto may retain for ages her emblazoned cognomen for "the good."

Convert Pictures His Faith.

"I think I'll have to charge you fifty cents for this," said Mr. Silcox as he exposed to view on the flyleaf of the last big red hymnal on the desk a pencil drawing of a penitent crawling on bended knees through the doors of Massey Hall. Some convert had expressed his feelings in a drawing.

"No," reflected the vendor of hymn books, "I guess we'll keep this work of art."

Accompanied to the Union station by friends who had assisted in the recent evangelistic work in this city, Rev. Dr. Torrey took a train at 7:35 this morning for Chicago.

The many converts and good that he did he left behind, but blessings and God-speeds innumerable he took with him.

Added to the gift of a silver set, Rev. Dr. Torrey was the recipient of a check for \$1,600 from the executive committee.

Respecting the work of Dr. Torrey and his associate, Mr. Alexander, no better or truer tribute could be paid than that of Mr. A. R. Gibson, office secretary, a young man of keen discernment:

"I went into this revival with caution, lest these men antagonize some of their preachings. Now I feel like pitching right into this work. I believe they are men of God."

Respecting financial affairs, the report of the treasurer, Mr. J. N. Shenshine, issued tomorrow, will make this phase of the campaign public.

"Be it known," says Rev. Mr. Silcox, "that never open did we make a special appeal to the people for offerings." Free-will offerings were freely and speedily forthcoming to carry on the good work.

The Power of Music.

Music has been a big factor in the revival, and much needed credit has been given Messrs. Alexander and Butcher, soloists, and to Mr. Harkness, pianist.

Why the music of the choir was so inspiring is explained by Rev. Dr. Silcox, who was chairman of the music committee.

"This was the biggest choir ever in the city, and being a purely volunteer choir, the members were not all picked from the city church choirs; yet they did most excellently. I account for this by the fact that they had a most capable director in Mr. Alexander, and because they operated along the German idea of vocal music. They had harmony and fervor in their hearts before they sang. Mr. Alexander would advise them always to picture the scene in the hymn before, and while they sang."

G. T. P. Tenders.

Quebec, Jan. 29.—Hon. S. N. Parent, president of the transcontinental railway commission, arrived in Quebec on Saturday and returned to Ottawa yesterday afternoon.

While in the city, Hon. Mr. Parent gave out that the tenders for the con-

THE WIFE BEHIND THE URN.



There's a man behind the capital,
The man behind the gun,
The man behind the enterprise,
The man behind the son.
Though all-important they may be,
I quit them and return
To her who cheers my home for me—
The wife behind the urn.

What though the frenzied financiers
Do tear each other down;
I leave my struggles, cares and fears
Behind me in the town.
For splendours and the gauds of pride
I'll never, never yearn,
No other gift can rank beside
The wife behind the urn.

The wind may shake the window-pane
And boogie in the flue;
Our roof can shed the driving rain,
Our love sheds trouble, too.
With CHASE & SANBORN'S coffee, dear,
True comfort do we learn;
I pledge you in its fragrant cheer—
The wife behind the urn.

struction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, on the Government divisions, will be called for this week.

He said the tenders will call for one section, commencing from Winnipeg East, 245 miles in length, and the other 165 miles, commencing from the Quebec Bridge on the north side of the River St. Lawrence, west in the direction of La Tuque.

TWELVE CENTS A WORD

Big Sum Churchill Gets for Biography of His Father.

London, Jan. 29.—The Duke of Marlborough, who is the shyest man in politics in England, has done an unexpected thing—written a letter to a newspaper. The Duke did not like some observations in a review of Winston Churchill's biography of his father, Lord Randolph Churchill.

The reviewer stated that the book imparted the impression that Lord Randolph's "treatment of his friends was often atrocious, sometimes even not honorable, and he was very careless of truth."

The Duke of Marlborough, a nephew of Lord Randolph, demanded a withdrawal of the reviewer's remarks and an apology. He received both.

Forty thousand dollars cash was the price Winston Churchill received from his publishers for his life of his father, Lord Randolph Churchill.

In addition he will receive half the profits after the firm of Macmillan has received \$20,000 as its share of the sales.

This works out at a rate of \$125 a line, or over 12 cents a word.

Kipling is said to have received 25 cents a word for one of his short stories, but this record is eclipsed by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, who received over 60 cents a word for several of his Sherlock Holmes stories of the famous detective, Marie Corelli is believed to make \$100,000 out of each of her novels.

Beaconsfield was paid \$50,000 for his "Rudyard," but, as this was published in 1880, its publication almost ruined the publishers. Zola made \$300,000 out of his last eleven works. Macaulay was paid \$70,000 for his "History of England."

In contrast with these huge sums the \$25 paid to Milton for "Paradise Lost" seem comparatively insignificant.

Promises don't improve with age. Missionaries of the American Methodist Church speak no fewer than 37 languages. There are 5,000 of these workers and 150,000 Christians under them.

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Band tonight. Popular prices, 10c and 15c. Skates free.

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LOST-SMALL COLLIE DOG. 2 1/2 months old. Black and white. Information to this office rewarded. J. W. Little, Robinson, Little & Co., 317.

LOST-SMALL MUFF, ROUND. FRIDAY morning. Reward, this office, or 253 Dundas street.

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FOR SALE-CANADIAN LOAN COMPANY'S shares. John Wright, stock broker, London, Ont. Phone 653.

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PLAYED FINE GAME DID THE JUNIORS

London Team Gave Woodstock a Good Run on Woodstock Ice.

The Woodstock juniors made their record of going undefeated through the junior group, when they beat London at Woodstock last night in a hard, fast game by 5 to 4. Woodstock had all the best of both halves, and shot off more and more accurately than London. Pearson, between the London flags, gave an exhibition of how to tend goal as it should be tended, but despite his vigilance and activity, and the strong play of the London defense division, Woodstock found his nets 8 times. The work of the Woodstock youngsters was superior to that of the London lads, both on attack and defense. There were few men penalized, and a lot of hockey was seen that would do credit to senior teams. Woodstock expects to meet the winner of the Hamilton-Waterloo final in group 4 in the next round. The line-up: Woodstock - Goal, Child; point, Scott; cover, Thompson; rover, Sutherland; center, Lafamme; right wing, Henry; left wing, Scherhorn. London - Goal, Pearson; point, Caruthers; cover, Knott; rover, Wagner; center, Hayward; right wing, Ashman; left wing, Wilson.

MICHIGAN SOO WINS.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Jan. 29.-Pittsburg was defeated by Michigan "Soo" tonight in International League hockey, by a score of 4 to 1. The score in the first half was 1 to 1, with each team looking good. Hod Stuart played coverpoint for Pittsburg, and was easily the star of the team; while Lavolette, Pirtle, and Hamilton for the "Soo" were favorites. One of the "Soo's" scores in the second half was made by Baird, of Pittsburg, who tried to lift the puck, which struck Lavolette in the back, rebounding into the net. Neither team showed exceptional speed, team work being lacking during most of the play. Hamilton was put off twice for tripping, and Stuart once, but there was no rough play on either side. Lavolette succeeded in sending Stuart to the ice several times, by going under the big fellow. Attendance 1,000. Referee-Elliott.

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Canada in Leading-Strings.

Senator Platt has invited the United States senate to propose to Great Britain an international commission to inquire into the effect upon Niagara Falls of the subtraction of water by power companies. The proposition throws into relief one of those aspects of our imperial position which from time to time wound the pride of those of us who delight to think of Canada as a self-governing nation.—Toronto World.

Very true. Why should it be necessary for the United States to ignore Canada in approaching a question which concerns these two countries exclusively? The United States Senate is not responsible. The British embassy at Washington is the regular channel of communication. For other nations this country has no political or diplomatic existence. Senator Platt's resolution, if adopted, will be submitted in proper form to the British ambassador as Washington, and will travel to London before Ottawa has any official cognizance of it. The Imperial Government will, of course, defer to Canada, and if an international commission is appointed will allow her a majority of representatives in the British section.

This does not alter the fact that the Dominion is placed in a humiliating position, and that her status within the British Empire is misrepresented by the existing diplomatic machinery. The resolution of Senator Platt expresses the idea, which our neighbors hold, that Great Britain stands to the Dominion in the relation of an absentee landlord. The preservation of Niagara Falls is a purely domestic question, so far as Canada is concerned, and there is no reason, except precedent, why it should not be settled by direct negotiations between Canada and the United States. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had such contingencies in mind when he argued in favor of extending to Canada the treaty-making power, but his motives were swayed by the tribe of Canadian flunkies. The time cannot be far distant when this growing nation will have the attributes of a nation, and this without any strain on the imperial tie.

The Result in Kingston.

The victory of Mr. Pense in Kingston comes as a surprise because of the almost invariable rule that bye-elections go with the Government. It is the more surprising in this case, as the Government swept the Province a year ago and nearly captured Kingston, the Liberal majority being only 20. The present result is a fine tribute to Mr. Pense from his fellow-citizens, and a hard rap at the Government. Four cabinet ministers, including the Premier, came to the aid of Mr. McIntyre, while Mr. Pense had no outside support.

The contest was unique because of the compact between the two parties to spend no money for improper purposes, and to employ every effort to prevent corrupt practices. It would be interesting to know whether the decrease of 800 in the vote, as compared with a year ago, had any relation to the purity agreement. Each party claims to have strictly observed it, though there will be naturally a disposition on the part of the defeated side to accuse the other side of bad faith. The result will be attributed to various causes in various quarters, but no explanation can be so ingenious as that of our local contemporary, which ascribes it to the venality of Queen's University and its friends. If Queen's is looking for favors it must look to the Whitney Government, and if its influence was thrown against the Government, selfishness is the last charge that could be brought against it, or the people of Kingston.

Life Insurance.

The readiness with which complaints against the management of life assurance companies are noticed in some quarters has been quite apparent since the investigations commenced in New York, and therefore all the more care should be taken that no wrong is done the business of life assurance. Those who undertake to write respecting the management of life assurance have as sacred a duty to perform as those who have its management in their hands. It is an easy thing to frighten those who do not know, and if by false representations the head of a family is prevented from insuring his life, or carrying a policy he already holds, the one making such statements is guilty of a great wrong.

We have always deprecated the attempt to ascribe to Canadian companies the faults discovered in the management of American companies. The conditions are very different. The other day a good example of what we

refer to occurred at the annual meeting of the North American Life Assurance Company at Toronto. It will be remembered that this was the company founded by the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, who was its first president. It ranks among the best companies in America. The president now is Mr. John L. Blake, a man of long and extensive business experience, and character above reproach. He is one of the best types of Scotchmen. The managing director, Mr. L. Goldman, deservedly takes very high rank among expert insurance men, and they have associated with them directors of equally high standing. It was sought by a shareholder at the meeting to show that their methods were open to censure, but the answer to the objections was complete and satisfactory to those present. One of the objections was that the company held some assets in the shape of stock obtained as a bonus with some bonds purchased, and that the stock was not shown on the list of assets. As we look at it, the stock might or might not appear in the statement with perfect propriety. The bonds and stock were obtained together, the value of the bonds representing alone the cost of the two, so that the value of the stock need not be considered, and might be mentioned or not as prudence might dictate. If a profit resulted from the stock there could be no objection, and as the stock was obtained as a bonus there could be no loss.

Other points were raised that necessarily must be left to the judgment of the managers, and they appear to have exercised their judgment in the right way. The North American verifies the belief that the faults discovered in the American companies do not exist in the Canadian. It will be found that life assurance in Canada, involving many millions, annually multiplying, has been tainted by no graft or fraud, but shows careful, efficient management, on sound, well-established, conservative lines.

The Late King Christian of Denmark.

King Christian of Denmark was a venerable figure, adorned with every public and private grace. He occupied the throne of a country small in area and population, but the home of a vulture race. His unique prestige in the councils of Europe did not rest upon bloated armaments or great material power, but upon moral strength. His court was never tainted by scandal, and he was a pattern to his subjects in all the domestic virtues. There was an idyllic simplicity and beauty in his home life. He reared his family in homely, God-fearing and self-helpful ways, and his children threw fresh lustre on his throne. One is the beloved Queen of Great Britain, another the King of Greece, and another the Dowager Empress of Russia. When the Norwegians looked around for a king, they chose a stalwart son of the same house. The character of King Christian inspired the respect and confidence of the nations, and his connection by marriage with most of the courts of Europe gave him an influence which was always wielded in the interest of peace and good-will. His democratic manners endeared him to his subjects, among whom he mingled with a singular absence of ceremony. He was one of the trio of aged monarchs, the others being the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, and King Oscar of Sweden, who have done so much to exalt royalty by their personal example, and their hold on the affections of their people.

"As in a Rose-Jar."

[Appleton's Magazine.]
As in a rose jar filled with petals sweet,
Blowing long ago in some old garden
Drank deep of love and knew that love was fleet—
Or leaves once gathered from a lost retreat—
By one who never will again retrace
Her silent footsteps—one, whose gentle feet
Was fainter than the roses at her feet—
So, deep within the vase of memory,
I keep my dust of roses fresh and dear
As in the days before I knew the
Of time and death. Nor ought can take
From me
The haunting fragrance that still lingers
here—
As in a rose jar, so within my heart,

Realism in Art.

[Puck.]
Why is the cow purple in the picture?
Because the girl's parasol is red.
The cow, in fact, is purple with rage.
This is precisely what is meant by realism in art.

Clever.

Cynic (savagely).—They say the fashionable mother of today recognizes her baby only by looking at the nurse.
Fashionable Mother (unmoved).—How extraordinarily clever when one changes nurses so often. I always tell ours by the baby carriage.

Problem Solved.

[New York Tribune.]
Little Walter was told to write a composition containing the word "sedition." He puzzled hard over the problem for some time, but at last he found a solution and what he had handed up to the teacher:

"My father owned some horses, but last week he sold 'em."

Not a Fish Story.

[London Daily Mail.]
A married woman, named Hogg, was charged before the Magistrate or magistrate on Saturday with throwing a red herring at Mr. Balfour as he was leaving the Ardwick Conservative Club on Friday afternoon, addressing the electors of East Manchester.

Hogg, it was stated, was accompanied by a group of other women, all of whom carried missiles, including carrots and

turnips. Hogg, however, was the only woman who threw anything. The herring just missed the ex-premier's face. The woman was bound over in the sum of £20 to be of good behavior for twelve months.

Spring.

[New York Times.]
(With apologies to Shakespeare, Byron and Gray.)
The poet's eye in a fine frenzy rolling,
Doth glance from sky to sky and alician and back,
He sees the springlike lyre a sounding whack!

"Hall, spring, etcetera! Now art thou come,
And twittering sparrows bear thy verdant train.
Now do the leaflets romp in many a game,
T' the babbling brooklet's laughter after rain!"

"Now fades the fringed landscape on the sight,
And all the air a balmy stillness holds,
Save where the lawn mowers wheel their clattering flight,
And men with fur coats tread to uncle's fold!"

"Now is the season of advertisement
For seed and bulb, shirtwaist and watering can.
Now is the winter of our discontent
Made glorious by that frack-the-weather man!"

Heroic Treatment Needed.

[Kincardine Review.]
After all, the literal hell that Rev. Dr. Torrey preaches is the only kind to give Torontonians. Any other kind would be wasted on them.

Pointed Paragraph.

[Chicago News.]
Whisky blossoms are often on the brain.

It's rough on a girl if her beau neglects to shave.

It's a poor artist who is unable to draw an obese salary.

A waiter is a chap who has learned to labor while he waits.

It's lawful to fish for compliments in any and all seasons.

Nothing equals the arrogance of some men's so-called humble opinions. Only a very busy man is afraid to earn money because it may be tainted. There is consolation in the Bible for all—except the woman who isn't invited when her neighbor gives a party.

Use and Ornament.

[Exchange.]
"I always thought," remarked an English judge, "that a parasol and a sunshade were the same thing."

"No," replied the witness on the stand; "a sunshade is to keep the sun off; a parasol is to flirt with."

The Secret of Success.

[Washington Star.]
"What is your idea of success?"

"Success," answered the cynic, "consists in making enough stir about your achievements to cause your failures to be overlooked."

Whas't He Horrid?

[Cleveland Leader.]
"What did your wife give you on your birthday?"

"Box of cigars."

"What are you going to do with 'em?"

"Have 'em boiled with corn beef for dinner some day."

Naturally Slippery.

[Richmond Times.]
Mrs. Cassie Chadwick is to work at the wash tub during her stay in the Ohio penitentiary, having previously demonstrated her thorough knowledge of the art of soft-soaping.

A Bachelor's Reason.

[Philadelphia Record.]
"Most marriages," says the Cynical Bachelor, "are prompted by the fact that some other fellow may get the girl."

Determination.

[Philadelphia Press.]
"Come now," said the little sergeant-at-arms, "you've got to go out you know." "No," said Casey, "I'll not go out on this force, for I will, an' ye can't do that unless I'm willin'."

Doing the Decent Thing.

[Hamilton Spectator.]
In Kingston: "Let us have a decent campaign."

"It is decent."

"You're a liar!"

Cheap.

[Harper's Bazar.]
"I wish to give a present to a young lady. Can you suggest something that's cheap, but doesn't exactly appear so?"
"Take a look in the mirror, sir."

Most Loyal People in World.

[London Tid-Bits.]
The subjects of good King Edward VII. are the most loyal people in the world.

There are no fewer than 30,000,000 people belonging to the empire on which the sun never sets, and yet not a single one of them is in prison or under restraint for treason or disloyalty. There is probably not another great power in the world that can proudly boast of such a clean and healthy record. Russia has many thousands in captivity for treason and disloyalty, thousands have been exiled from France for similar reasons, and Germany numbers her disloyal subjects by the hundreds.

Britain's Overworked Parliament.

[Ottawa Journal.]
In Canada, where the function of the central parliament is largely restricted by reason of the powers specifically accorded to the Provincial Legislature, the Dominion Parliament finds it necessary to sit for at least five months in the year. There are no fewer than 30,000,000 people belonging to the empire on which the sun never sets, and yet not a single one of them is in prison or under restraint for treason or disloyalty. There is probably not another great power in the world that can proudly boast of such a clean and healthy record. Russia has many thousands in captivity for treason and disloyalty, thousands have been exiled from France for similar reasons, and Germany numbers her disloyal subjects by the hundreds.

Marriageable Girls.

[Lily's Realm.]
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SPURIOUS ANTIQUITIES.

[From the Chicago Record-Herald.]
The craze for collecting antiquities has spread all over Europe and America. Almost everybody who makes any pretensions to artistic taste and has enough money is buying odd things of one kind or another. Rich competitors for such articles sometimes bid them up to fabulous prices. Henry Labouchere tells in London Truth the remarkable history of a Louis XIV. writing table. It had been at Silverton Park, Lord Egremont's place near Exeter, for many years. Thirteen years ago the contents of the house at Silverton Park were sold at auction, and this table was knocked down for \$10. Two years later it went at auction for \$15,000. At the recent Cronier sale it brought \$23,000. At the same sale \$55,000 was paid for a Fragonard which 50 years ago was bought for \$12.

It is a perhaps inevitable consequence of such exorbitant prices that an extensive manufacture of spurious antiquities has sprung up. The rich of the United States are its chief victims. "Americans," writes M. Felix Duquesnel, a French art critic, "are swindled on a scale which they cannot imagine. Certain galleries of 'ancient masters' over the Atlantic contain few pictures over ten years old." One of the leading French manufacturers of antiquities began as a sculptor's assistant. Finding he could not make more than \$1,000 a year in his profession, he turned to his present business. He now employs four workmen, makes about \$7,500 per annum, and expects to double his income in two years.

Does not sell to private purchasers, but only to dealers. He is the assistant of certain Greek heads "attributed to Phidias." Another work of which he is proud is a Neptune basin surrounded with divinities. It is said to be in the United States. Among his specialties are "eighteenth century" and "empire" furniture. He claims that even an expert cannot tell if a piece of furniture is a forgery without pulling it to pieces. One dealer near the Madeleine in Paris has a "private collection" of old furniture in his bedroom which he shows only after much importuning. He has sold the "Louis XVI. bed at a handsome figure five or six times.

Eighteenth century engravings, including colored prints, are counterfeited wholesale. Antique jewelry is manufactured by steeping. Sulphuric acid is used on silver, aqua regia on gold. The surface of the metal is then worn with ground brick. After the stones are inserted the whole is greased with tallow and rubbed in with soot. "Greek and Roman jewels, renaissance enamels, episcopal rings, and Benvenuto Cellini plates are made in Germany." Vienna is specialized in counterfeiting sixteenth century enamels. Abbeville and Amiens make flint arrow tips and hatchets for museums of geology. Old pewters are manufactured at Rouen, Breton pottery hails from Leeds.

A safe way to checkmate the forgers would be for rich people to quit collecting bric-a-brac, and begin buying the works of living artists. That would be a good change. It would put a stop to an industry which owes its large profits solely to its fraudulent character, and would at the same time give needed encouragement to modern art. American collectors might promote the culture of the age and save themselves from much further robbery and ridicule by acting on that suggestion.

POEMS THAT LIVE**I Remember, I Remember.**

[By Thomas Hood.]
I remember, I remember,
The house where I was born,
The little window where the sun
Came peeping in at morn;
The place where the robins built,
And where my brother sat,
The laboratory on his birthday—
The tree is living yet!

I remember, I remember,
The time when I was young,
The violets, and the lily-cups,
Those flowers made of light;
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\$28.00 2 only Fur-lined Coats, one is green cloth; the other navy blue, regular \$40.00 at	\$4.85 Dark Gray Tweed Coats, 30 inches long, pleated back, also fawns and black, sizes 32 to 38, worth \$8.50 upwards, at	\$1.50 Children's Coats, fancy tweeds and plain colors, smartly made, clearing at

Furs Go Down Further in Price

3 only Jap Mink Stoles, 54 inches long, trimmed with six tails, regular price \$7.50, to clear at	1 only Empire Gray Squirrel Muff, \$10.50, for	4 only Fur Stoles, satin lined, trimmed with tails and silk cord, full length, regular price \$10.50, for
\$4.50	\$7.50	\$7.50

Carpet Sale Continues All This Week.

J. H. Chapman & Co., 126, 128, 128½ Dundas St.**ROYALTY WILL SEE ELEPHANT HUNT**

Prince and Princess of Wales to Attend Big Round Up at Mysore.

Lucknow, India, Jan. 30.—The Prince and Princess of Wales will visit Mysore during the first week in February.

Nothing done by man in any section surpasses in skill and daring the catching, taming and training of wild elephants. Though ordinarily timid and inoffensive, elephants are easily angered, and an angry elephant is a terror. Indeed, if a wild one in a "drive" should chance to see the man who was roping its feet it would tear him limb from limb or kneel and drive its tusks through his body unless the tame elephants came instantly to his rescue and let him escape through the fence.

When the Prince and Princess are taken to the keddah (place of capture) preparations will be made for their safety. They will first be placed on a screened platform, where they can see the final drive into the inclosure, and after the elephants are shut in they will go up to the fence and watch the roping to the captive monsters.

Wild elephants used to be plenty all over India, but they are becoming so scarce it has been made a crime to kill an elephant unless it is mad, and the Government has monopolized their capture. A mad elephant on a rampage has sometimes killed many people, made a road impassable and every part of a village unsafe.

When a grand catch of elephants is determined on the first thing is to locate a herd, and then to prevent it from wandering beyond certain limits while a fence and pen are being constructed some miles away. Men distribute themselves through the forest, always keeping out sight, but watching the herd of, say, 50 and directing its movements.

It is the duty of the men told off to watch the herd to avoid alarming them, and also to turn their line of travel and keep them conveniently near the place where the keddah is being prepared by a host of laborers with the utmost rapidity.

Huge Trap Is Made.
The inclosure is made a hundred yards or more in diameter. It has no pitfalls—that cruel method of capture has been abolished—but incloses many thick trees.

Two strong fences are constructed, stretching out like the sides of a V for half a mile or so from the entrance. The inclosure fence and the fences forming the V are made strong enough to withstand the most violent rush of the most powerful elephant, and are covered with leaves and branches. Hiding places for men are made everywhere.

Great tree trunks are placed ready to fall across the opening to the inclosure and imprison the elephants.

When all is ready the herd is gently steered toward the V, and daily pressed nearer to it. When within a mile of it the men form a vast circle from one limb of the V to the other, surrounding the herd, but keeping at a distance. The time is now critical, for if the herd turns about a month may be lost in getting it back.

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At night fires are lighted around the circle, too far off to alarm the elephants, but intended just to keep them together.

At length the herd is within the outer points of the V, and the circle draws nearer. The situation is most critical and excitement arises.

The elephants begin to suspect, and may stand for a whole day thinking. It is one of their ways to be puzzled by a little thing. The men must be patient and remain in hiding till they have made up their minds.

At length the beasts begin to move towards the inclosure, eating a little as they go. The V grows narrower and they do not like the look of things; they also suspect that all is not right behind them. They stop again to think.

The moment for action has come; the elephants must be driven on. So the men shout themselves as an aid, a terrific shout, making a complete line four or five deep from fence to fence.

Bombs and Crackers.
Bang! bang! go their bombs and crackers, while sky-rending yells drown the din of the cans and drums.

For if the 50 elephants charge back the army of men will go down like a fringe of reeds.

But they do not charge. The terrified beasts rush hither and thither, waving trunks and trumpeting frantically.

There is not a half a second to lose. The men get more frenzied. Then the foremost elephants pass the entrance. Others follow. They are relieved to find more space. The whole herd goes through and the bars fall. Then there is instant reaction. The men jump and laugh and shout "Wah! wah! shahbashi!" (Bravo! Well done!)

They spread out on the ground to rest and smoke, and then go to the camp to eat.

Meanwhile, with the imprisoned elephants, terror has given place to rage, and they charge madly but vainly at the fence.

Next day they are quieter, and several tame elephants are let in among them, which eat with them, and stroke and pat them, and talk to them, and bid them be patient.

Then some men creep in with ropes and keep out of view behind the tame beasts.

These beasts are as cunning as monkeys or foxes. They know well that their new friends are to be tied up—as, alas! they themselves were not many years before! They also know that their friends must be prevented from seeing the men. So they stand alongside them and push them this way and that way, and as the wild ones turn they turn, too, letting on nothing, but

ever keeping one of their huge limbs as a screen in front of the man who is swiftly roping one foot after another, while an assistant makes each rope fast around a tree.

It is risky work for the men, but very shortly every elephant is fast tied and the men retire.

Then the captives get furious once more, struggling against the ropes desperately and shrieking their loudest. Some are so violent there is danger of their tearing a foot off. But the trained elephants subdue them by butting them with their heads and thrashing them with their trunks.

The chief show in India, nowadays for the benefit of sporting tourists, is an elephant fight. Two monsters are picked for the combat. They are not allowed to do each other serious harm, as they did in the old days when a king kept several hundred elephants but they drive and push at each other with tremendous energy and activity till one is all but knocked over, and, losing heart, turns tail and refuses to continue the combat.

The smallest inhabited island in the world is that on which the Edystone lighthouse stands, for at low water it is only 30 feet in diameter. At high

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SAYS WITTE IS A BOYCOTTED PREMIER

The Strong Men of Russia Refuse to Serve on His Ministry.

New York, Jan. 29.—The European edition of the Herald has the following from St. Petersburg:

Count Witte's second self-exonerating, self-whitewashing interview, republished in the morning papers, has been received with mingled sentiments of ridicule and surprise. The Novoe Vremya says:

"Here is another sermon from Count Witte, but not one word about saving Russia, nor any indication that the Premier knows how to save the country. The only encouraging sentence is that in which Count Witte says he will willingly retire."

The Slovo declares the interview is simply a repetition of his reproaches against society and the political parties.

The Molvo states that Count Witte again shows how little he understands Russia.

Count Witte's whilom friend, Peter Struve, says: "The present miserable condition of Russia is the issue from an idiotic government and idiotic revolutionaries."

I have the opinion of one of the most intelligent and patriotic Russian politicians upon Count Witte's plan that he is unsupported.

He says there are plenty of able and willing men of the highest qualities of statesmanship ready, but not one will condescend to serve under a man like Count Witte, who, he says, is the impersonation of absolutism and positivism and lacking utterly in the support of any single political party, being suspected and mistrusted by all.

Count Witte today, he declared, occupies a position as of a boycotted premier, living upon his past reputation, and that when he asked men of high standing such as Guchkoff, Schipoff and Troubetzkoy to join the Government they scornfully refused.

Count Witte then, he said, appointed nonentities in his cabinet. The only strong man is Durnovo, who is acting independently of the Premier and has saved the country from the revolutionary movement. He was the special nominee of the Emperor.

Count Witte, playing the role of the ill-used minister, may serve abroad, and his informant, but here this role is condemned as pure hypocrisy. He is not a hypocrite.

Count Witte's unsympathetic personality, his evasive methods, his too evident opportunism and his complete lack of decision are more than sufficient to account for the lack of support which he bewails.

While Count Witte talks glibly about the elastic finances of the country, the Imperial Bank return shows not only that the gold drain is not checked, but that \$10,500,000 more left the country last week.

Simultaneously the German banker, Mendelssohn, who had great difficulties in collecting the recent sums due his combination, adds further financial terror to the situation by announcing that he does not propose making the expected advance of 400,000,000 roubles, upon which expectations were raised here.

GOT IT FROM CHOQUETTE

But Now Editor Caron Apologizes for Item to Mr. Parent

Quebec, Jan. 30.—Hon. S. N. Parent received an apology from Alphonse Caron, owner-editor of the Courrier de Montmagny, and one of four persons sued for \$25,000 in connection with accusations by Senator Legris and Choquette.

The apology sets forth that the article complained of was submitted for publication by Senator Choquette.

"Following the publication of said article," reads the apology, "and when the present suit was instituted, I requested Senator Choquette to defend me, which he undertook to do, saying that he would substantiate and prove the accusation contained in said article, and he produced the plea in the case. Subsequently the senator declared to me that he was unable to prove the allegation, and when the case was inscribed for a hearing he refused to act as my lawyer, and withdrew from the case. I now have no doubt whatever that the accusations alleged against Hon. S. N. Parent, the plaintiff in the case, are false and calumnious in toto, and I withdraw the charges."

VACCINATION FOR CANCER

The Results of Dr. Jacobs' Research Announced at Brussels.

Brussels, Jan. 30.—At a public assembly of the Academy of Medicine the result of the work of Dr. Jacobs in cancer research was announced by Prof. Van Ermenghem, who declared that cancer had now been proved conclusively to be of bacterial origin. Dr. Jacobs concludes that the treatment must be vaccination. He declares that the treatment of the disease has ceased to be blind experiment and has entered the scientific domain and is becoming positive.

He asserts that by a long series of experiments on the composition of blood he found the laws governing the administration of cancer serum, which is derived from the cancer microbe itself. The serum must never be applied except by the most expert hands.

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CATTLE LIFTER CAUGHT AT GALT

Alleged Head of a Notorious Gang in the Toils at Last.

Galt, Jan. 29.—Alex Hammer, alias "Jones," alias any number of other cognomens, is locked up in Galt police cells tonight. In him the police believe they have the leader of a notorious cattle and sheep stealing gang.

The credit of the capture, which means a great deal to the peace of mind and to the pockets of the farmers of the Province, belongs to Chief Gorman, who has been shadowing the man for weeks past, under the suspicion that he was following some pursuit that would be worth investigating from a police viewpoint.

The prisoner is a young man, 26 years of age, tall, well-made and fashionably dressed. He has a swarthy face, features fine cut and eyes dark and piercing. His address is good. He would be about the last man to be picked out from a crowd as a cattle thief.

But that such he is, there is abundant testimony to establish, say the police. And no common casual operator of this class, either, but a skilled, persistent and "lifter," who has been going on for a long time, who has gathered together a fat bank account, and who is wanted all over this Province on charges of stealing cattle, sheep, turkeys, geese and other property of farmers.

The Hamilton police have had warrants out for this man. At Dundas Chief Twiss has been on the lookout for him for months. The county are after him also. In fact, so general have been his operations that the provincial detective department was communicated with and Officer Joe Rogers put on the trail of the thief. There is no doubt as to his identity, as he was caught with a load of stolen sheep, but he abandoned the rig and fled. His capture was the result of his coming back to Galt to get his thousands out of the bank.

When arrested he offered \$1,000 to the officer and another \$1,000 to Alderman Buchanan, the livery man, if they would let him go. He declared a trial meant fourteen years to him, and when Chief Gorman and Alderman Buchanan appeared against him on a minor charge in order to hold him for the police of Wentworth, where the last depredation was committed, he swore he would shoot both when he got out.

ESTATE OF LATE HON. PREFONTAINE

Late Minister of Marine Is Not Regarded as Being Wealthy.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—A personal friend of the late Raymond Prefontaine says that it will be months before the minister's affairs can be straightened out, so as to allow of a close estimate of his wealth. Contrary to general opinion, Mr. Prefontaine was not wealthy, as wealth goes nowadays. "When the estate is which is mainly made up of real estate, it will be found that \$150,000 will more than cover all, which is mainly made up of real estate. Contrary also to the general impression, the late minister had little or no money tied up in stocks, and, while a keen politician, and a man of undoubted capacity, he was not what might be called a good businessman as far as his own personal affairs were concerned. In other words, considering his opportunities, he accumulated very little money, and again it must be remembered that no money could have been more free with what he did have. Mr. Prefontaine's hands were constantly in his pocket for the benefit of all who came to him in distress. He had made a marriage contract, and the widow and his children will benefit by his entire estate. His life insurance, which amounted to a good many thousands, is sufficient to supply all the ready money required, so that there will be no necessity for making sacrifices in an immediate adjustment of his personal effects.

STRANGE STORY FROM AYLMER

A Real Wild Man of the Woods Captured and Put to Work.

Aylmer, Jan. 29.—Constables Peters and Pierce brought into town on Saturday afternoon a most peculiar prisoner. The man who is apparently either a Russian or Austrian, is unable to speak a word of English. Farmers living east of here claim that he has been living in Haney's woods for the past month and a half.

When captured he was hatless and without an overcoat, wearing only an old ragged suit. He made no resistance and seemed to be glad to get into the jail, after sleeping for 40 or 50 nights between logs in the woods.

Magistrate Bradley attempted to question him, but found it an impossible task. One citizen who understands a little German was able to bring out the information that the man was George Beaudette, and that he had served in both the Russian and German armies.

He was set to work this morning in a livery stable here and it was easily seen he was accustomed to horses. His hair is long, black and curly, and he presents quite a wild appearance.

It is claimed that he roamed about the woods armed with a pitchfork, but as far as known has never done any damage.

It is reported that people living near the woods used to leave food for him at the edge of the woods.

"GYPSY" LASHES BRITISH

Says English Character Is Rooted in Hypocrisy.

London, Jan. 30.—The following amusingly frank criticism of English manners by Gyp, the famous French novelist, has just been published in a London paper:

"English character is rooted in hypocrisy. To hear them talk, to read their books and to see their pose, you would think them the purest nation in the world. Look below the surface and what do you find? Making allowance for difference of temperament, caused by racial and climatic influences, the English are exactly the same morally as any other nation. In what other country is religion so often used as a cloak for every kind of breach of confidence?"

Gyp is equally unsparring of English men and women in society. He says: "It serves England right that she possesses so many caricatures of femininity. It is such a pity, too, for the women of England are very beautiful—much more so than French women. Even considering the way they dress in London they have a chic all their own. The aristocratic Englishman is superb, and no other man dresses so well. He is chivalrous and his manners are absolutely correct, and he would be perfect if he never talked. Directly he opens his mouth I hate him."

On the boasted beauty of English

CULTIVATING THE GOOD ROADS BILL

Kent County Council Moving to Improve All the Thoroughfares.

Chatham, Jan. 29.—Goodness is contagious.

A few years ago this city had some of the worst streets ever. It still has many of them that are far from good, but what the least used side streets are now, the main streets were until in 1900 the city laid a pavement on King street.

Since then several miles of pavement have been put down, and there are indications now that the desire for good streets so prevalent in Chatham has spread to the country, and that results will be brought forth, during the coming year.

At their final session on Saturday, the county council arranged to have a special meeting of the board to act in concert with Good Roads Inspector Campbell, of the provincial good roads department, and the indications are that the council will meet the course of treatment advocated by Mr. Campbell half-way.

This will undoubtedly mean that the roads of Kent County, that in many neighborhoods for the past century have been improved only relatively, will be properly looked after in future, provided that it doesn't cost too much.

At the present time, some of the townships have a pretty good system of grading and supplementary ditching, while on the highway traversed by the electric road and in the part of the county profiting thereby, it is held in certain quarters that any assessment for the purpose of better roads will not be looked on with a welcome eye.

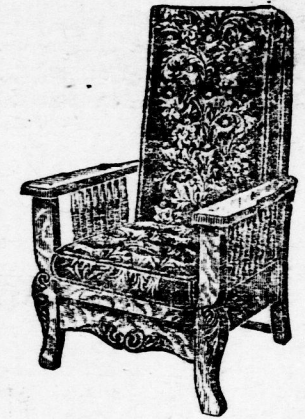
There are many who think that any measures the council may adopt for the purpose of cultivating the good roads idea will meet with the hearty approval of the majority of the county ratepayers.

At the same session of the council a motion by Messrs. Venter and Haggarth, recommending that the various municipalities, in view of recent irregularities, have a special audit of their books, was overruled.

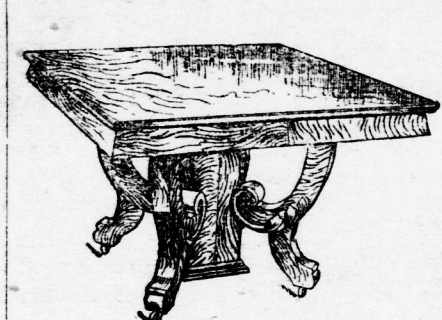
Some say the motion was quite out of place, as evincing a disposition to criticize the treasurers and other officials, while others hold that, not only was it in order, but "that the future, etc., etc."

Expansion Furniture Sale

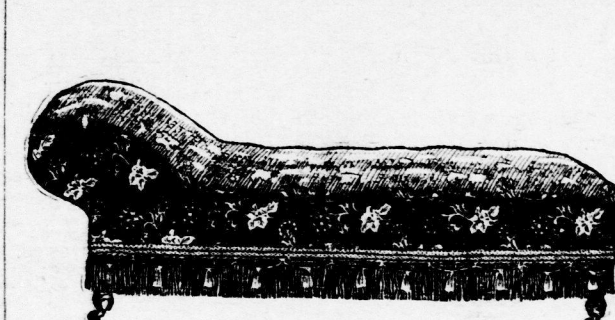
We are about to double the size of our warerooms. All the middle and back portion of our building will be torn down and a new and larger building added. Our present upper floors will also be enlarged and remodeled, and freight and passenger elevators put in. This means that the carpenters and masons will overrun the store and our splendid stock of furniture must be cleared out regardless of cost. We must give the store over to the builders in two weeks, so we will do some great price-cutting in the next two weeks. Everything must go. Never before was such a furniture sale in London. This is the chance of a lifetime to buy furniture at less than wholesale prices.



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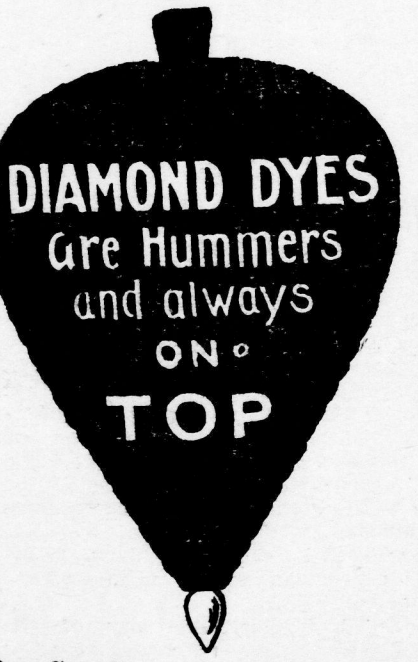
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home life Gyp says: "In a climate like theirs they are obliged to sit indoors by the fire and expend all their energies on the interior. If it is a question of the beauty of family life there is more beauty in limiting the family so that you can do justice to two or three children and give each its full chance in life than in producing a dozen to fight for themselves."

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MANN VERY ANGRY

Says Roosevelt and Collie's Are Trying to Kill Town Topics.

New York, Jan. 29.—In a statement given out to the newspapers tonight concerning his arrest on Saturday on the charge of perjury, Col. William D. Mann, of Town Topics, makes a most virulent attack on the President of the United States.

President Roosevelt, or in Col. Mann's language, "The White House," is enlisted with the "Collier Rough Riders" in an attempt to destroy an "honorable," "honest," "clean" newspaper—to wit, Town Topics.

The colonel's wrath over his arrest and the disclosures of Town Topics scandals leads him to declare that Mr. Collie and President Roosevelt co-operated to "besmirch" his paper. He even goes to the point of declaring that the President insulted him

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EAST WILLIAMS.

The East Williams council met on Jan. 22. On motion of Councilors Massey and Stewart, D. Striton was appointed clerk pro tem. The agreement between Mr. Stewart and Councilor Carson that Mr. Stewart receive 6 cents for all the gravel taken from his pit was ratified by this council up to date.

It was voted that Alex. McIntosh receive \$3 for a new axle, broken at the hand's bridge. David Waters was paid \$10 for maple poles carried off by high water under Waters' bridge.

The application of Ed. Singular regarding maple trees on the road was referred to and left with Mr. Johnston, with power. On motion of Messrs. Phillips and Massey, it was voted that C. S. Fraser be collector for 1906 at previous salary.

The following were appointed fence viewers: James McLean, lot 6, con. 9; Daniel Davids, H. D. Ross, Geo. Fraser and Neil McDougall. The clerk is to notify these men, and see that they make declaration of office. D. C. McIntyre is to be inspector of noxious weeds.

Adjourned to meet on Monday, Feb. 5, at 1 p.m. D. Striton, clerk pro tem.

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[From The London Advertiser of Jan. 30, 1871.]

The city bakers advanced the price of bread today. Flour has experienced a considerable rise in price during the past two weeks.

Late on Saturday night the sheds on the south side of the exhibition grounds were discovered on fire, and but for the timely discovery of the danger, and the promptness of Mr. Crawford in applying the proper remedy, a large loss of property would have resulted.

On Friday evening last the R. W. G. M. of Ontario of the I. O. O. F., W. N. of St. Marys, instituted a new lodge of that order in the village of Exeter, with the name of Exeter Lodge, No. 67.

The Globe wants to know why the resolution to prohibit liquor selling in the Ontario Parliament buildings is not carried out.

The Conservative journals, following their self-elected leader, the Telegraph, still keep harping on the string that Mr. Blake is a failure. Outsiders not specially interested in Canadian affairs, will have rather a poor opinion of our country when they find that such a complete failure as Mr. Blake has exercised such an influence in our Legislature. If a man who has only been in public life a few years, and while in Opposition at that, can leave the impression on his mind on almost every Government measure, but is yet a "failure," what name shall be given to the industry of Sandfield Macdonald?

The long-expected news of the capitulation of Paris has at last arrived. The almost frantic efforts of the Republican leaders have been in vain, and the capital of France is in the hands of the German Emperor.

According to cablegrams, the terms are, for modern times, of unparalleled severity. It was generally supposed that Alsace, Lorraine and Metz would be demanded. But in addition to these provinces, Bismarck asks for a French colony, for 40 warships and for 100,000,000 francs, as some indemnity for the expenses of the war, as well as a measure of punishment for the conquered nation. Dreadfully humiliating is this for the valiant and proud people of France; yet it cannot be considered undeserved.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. E. Guy Arlington and Mr. Reo St. Elmo of Detroit, are visiting friends in this city.

—The Alvinston Old Boys' Association of this city will meet tomorrow evening at the Grand Pacific Hotel.

—Mr. F. J. Mowatt, of Peterboro, has arrived in London and will take up his residence there, having entered into business.

—Mrs. Andrew Dods (nee Geary) has returned to her home in Toronto, after a two weeks' visit with her parents at 237 Hill street.

—The Clover Bachelors' Club hop in the city hall last night proved a splendid success, the attendance being very large and all present spending a most enjoyable time. Fourteen numbers were rendered by Tony Vito's orchestra, and the leader was compelled to respond to numerous encores.

—The funeral of the late William Wonnacott took place yesterday from the home of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Griffiths, con. 1, Westminster. The deceased was stricken with paralysis while walking in the yard on Friday, and died a few hours later. He was unmarried, was the eldest son of the late John Wonnacott, of London Township, and is survived by one sister, Mrs. J. H. Griffiths, and four brothers: George, of Calgary; John, of Port Huron; Thomas, of London Township; and Robert, of this city. Interment took place at Silom Cemetery. The bearers were nephews of deceased.

CONCERT FOR THE AGED.

The young people of the Church of St. John the Evangelist visited the Aged People's Hall last evening and distributed delicacies amongst the inmates, accompanied by a splendid vocal and instrumental programme, which brightened the evening.

PANSIES IN MIDWINTER.

Mrs. J. Ballantyne, of Byron, sends The Advertiser a fully developed pansy-blossom that was picked in Springbank Park on Saturday, the 27th of January. And still the unlighted outside speaks of this Canada of ours as if it were an annex of the north pole.

DEATH OF AN OLD SETTLER.

Mr. George McQuarrie, of the Howard-Orford town line, Kent, died on Sunday, the 14th, after a week's illness from paralysis. Mr. McQuarrie, who was 75 years of age, and had been married 55 years, enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. Besides his widow he leaves two sons and four daughters: Rev. John McQuarrie, of Edmonton, Alta.; Duncan McQuarrie, at home; Mrs. H. Pierce and Miss Catharine McQuarrie, of this city; Mrs. David Wood, of Detroit; Mrs. James McCracken, of Elmhurst. The funeral on Wednesday was largely attended. Service was conducted at the house, interment taking place at Julian's cemetery, North Howard.

PERJURY CHARGE FILED.

Walden Delaney, the Muncey Indian, appeared in the police court at St. Thomas yesterday in answer to a charge of perjury rising out of the Weldon store robbery at Lawrence station. Magistrate Glenn listened to evidence all last week, but reserved his judgment until yesterday. He dismissed the charge and Delaney was taken back to jail to await trial on the Lawrence Station hotel robbery. If this charge fails Delaney will be brought to London to be tried for the Middleton store robbery.

HUNDREDS TURNED AWAY FROM FAY

Could Not Gain Admission to Auditorium, so Great was the Crush.

Anna Eva Fay was again greeted by a packed house at her performance at the Auditorium last night. Fully four hundred people were turned away, so great was the anxiety to hear Miss Fay. At a quarter to 8 seat-holders had to fight their way into the Auditorium.

The programme proved as interesting and mystifying as ever. No matter what explanation for the phenomena is given, there arises always some feature of the experiment that makes the explanation very unsatisfactory. The cabinet work was last night very cleverly done, and completely baffled those on the platform.

Miss Fay's mind-reading was as successful as ever. She answered questions ranging in locality from Northern Sweden, to California. She located missing articles of jewelry and other personal effects. She answered personal questions, and in a majority of cases her answers were highly satisfactory. One man was very anxious about a man named Watson, who was supposed to have gone down with the Valencia. Miss Fay said that Watson had not come down from the Klondike, but was still there, and consequently he had not been drowned. He would come south when the ice broke up in the spring.

Inquiries after missing friends were numerous. One lady asked for a man whom she had not seen in seven years. She was told that she would not love him now as she did then—he was married and had a family. Many other questions were submitted and the questioners appeared satisfied with the answers given.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

Children of St. Andrew's Hold Their Annual—Lecture at Chalmers.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sabbath School held a most successful entertainment last evening. The school room was filled with an audience composed of the parents and friends of the pupils.

The school orchestra gave several selections which were much appreciated. The younger members of the school rendered vocal solos, readings, and instrumental selections.

Mr. R. A. Little presided and made a brief address, in which he mentioned the increasing and satisfactory prosperity of the school.

Mr. Alexander Fraser presented several of the younger members of the school with prizes for efficient work done during the year.

Dr. H. A. Stevenson entertained the scholars with his picture machine.

The evening was much enjoyed by all.

Lecture at Chalmers.

Rev. J. J. Ross, of Talbot Street Church, gave a lecture last night in Chalmers Presbyterian Church on his trip to Switzerland and Italy. A large and appreciative audience listened to the lecture, and at the conclusion, Mr. Ross was rendered a hearty vote of thanks.

During the course of the evening, Mr. Brown and Miss Taylor rendered solos which were much appreciated.

The proceeds are to be applied on the erection of a new church.

QUEBEC, SUMMER PORT

Mr. Fitzpatrick Confirms Report of C. P. R. Terminus.

Quebec, Jan. 20.—Quebecers are enthusiastic over the improved shipping outlook of the port. In this belief they are strengthened by the utterances of the minister of justice, Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick, who is here today. He asserts that it is a positive fact that the C. P. R. have not only decided upon utilizing Quebec as a Canadian summer port of their Atlantic steamship line, but that they are to take over and complete the work of wharf extension. They will then fill in a large tract of wharfage beyond the new pier and run trains down alongside the ships. On the heels of this official statement comes the word of the minister, however, he positively confirmed, that the Atlantic line are also to use this port for their fast new boats after Aug. 1, 1907.

A MAGIC PILL.—Dyspepsia is a foe with which many are constantly grappling, but cannot exterminate. Subdued, and at appearance vanquished in one it makes its appearance again. In many the digestive apparatus is as delicate as the mechanism of a watch, or scientific instrument, in which even a breath of air will make a variation. With such persons disorders of the stomach ensue from the most trivial causes, and the Vegetable Pills are recommended as mild and sure.

The Nelson centennial has called attention to the age of Nelson's captains at Trafalgar. It averaged not quite 40. Nelson's flag captain was 35. One of the commanders was only 20. The commander of one of the finest battleships was 21.

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ONE LONG LAUGH AT VAUDEVILLE

Fine Bill Provided for Bennett's Theater Patrons all This Week.

One long laugh, with a scientific smattering of 20 minute's duration, is this week's bill at Bennett's Vaudeville. Of the acts on the bill, four or five are full of mirth and music, while the liquid air demonstration is intensely interesting to those of a scientific turn of mind, and entertaining and mystifying to the ordinary theater-goer.

Unfortunately the liquid air act did not reach London in time for the matinee yesterday afternoon, but it was put on last night before a crowded house and the audience pronounced it one of the finest features they have as yet been privileged to see in vaudeville.

A splendid act is that of the Delmore Sisters, who sing, dance and play the violin and guitar in an artistic manner. The turn is probably the finest of its kind ever seen at Bennett's. The young lady exhibits some very beautiful costumes.

Mitchell and Cain put on an uproariously funny act. It is known as "The Frenchman and the Other Fellow," and is one continuous round of laughter.

The musical act of Frede and Dare is good.

The sketch, "Caught," which is put on by Miller, Browning, Fey & Co., is one of intense interest. It is the story of a young fellow who went into burglary because he had a grievance against his employer. He tried to rob the employer's house, is discovered by his sweethearts, who work in the house, and finally falls into the hands of his brother, Thm. O'Brien, the policeman on the beat. Only the ingenious prevarication of his sweet-heart saves him from arrest. The cast is a very capable one.

The remainder of the bill is made up of the comedy singing act of Marcus and Adell, the illustrated songs sung by George Steer, and the moving pictures, the latter being illustrative of the poem, "Twas the Night Before Christmas." This film is worth the price of admission alone to see.

Matinee every day and performance every night.

A TALKATIVE GHOST

Puts Two Drivers Out of Business and Scars Horses.

Winsted, Conn., Jan. 20.—It only remains for "Chick" Merriman to give up the job as stage driver on the Litchfield-Torrington route, and the community will be convinced that the ghost of Toll-Gate Hill is a terror.

No question remains in the minds of those acquainted with the facts in the case that a formidable ghost has taken up his abode at the foot of Toll-Gate Hill, but it hangs in the balance whether the ghost will win out in the fight in which two stage-drivers have been put to rout already.

"Billy" Harris was the first confronted by the apparition on Thanksgiving Eve. He was dozing on the stage-coach seat, when the horses reared and bolted. Harris was about to seize the reins, when the blood froze in his veins. A ghastly figure danced lightly at the heads of the horses, which were running at breakneck speed. It placed two gaunt hands on the horses' heads and murmured: "There are no holes here." Then it was gone. Harris was in a state of collapse when he reached Litchfield, and threw up his arms.

Harris was unmercifully grieved by "Tim" Meagher, who gladly accepted the drivership. All went well until a week ago, when Meagher drove back to Litchfield, threw down the reins and said he wouldn't pass the toll-gate again at night for love or money. He said the ghost, eight feet in height, and luminously pale, had raced with his terrified team, whispering in their ears, "There are no holes here," and disappeared.

"Chick" Merriman is Meagher's successor. He came in last night shaking with fear. The ghost had beset him at the toll-gate and he had struck out with his whip, but it mocked him as it followed the runaway team. Merriman says he will try and stick to the stage, but his friends say his heart is gone and they expect he will withdraw soon. No candidates have presented themselves to undertake the ghost-guarded road.

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SOME PERSONS are more susceptible to colds than others, contracting derangements of the pulmonary organs from the slightest causes. These should always have at hand a bottle of Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the present day sovereign remedy for coughs, catarrh and inflammation of the lungs. It will effect a cure, no matter how severe the cold may be. You cannot afford to be without a remedy like Bickel's, for it is the best.

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