

CONNOISSEURS PREFER

WHISKY

Mr. DuVerne Doesn't Gloss His Comments on Actions of Masters and Supply Men—Claims Crown Has Clear Case of Flagrant Violation.

NEW STATION FOR OTTAWA.

G.T.R. Proposes to Expand \$2,000,000 on Depot and Hotel.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—A \$2,000,000 building, comprising a railway station and a hotel will be erected in Ottawa and the government grant covers requests which have been made by officials of the Grand Trunk Railway Company.

CANADA IS SENSITIVE.

Gilbert Parker Spoke Like Bernard and Was Not Mollified.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) London, Dec. 7.—The Pall Mall Gazette, commenting on the Sarah Bernhardt incident at Quebec, and her being reported as having said Canada had advanced in agriculture but not in art and literature, says: "After all that is almost exactly what Sir Gilbert Parker has been saying ever here."

LAURIER TO BERNHARDT.

Apologies for Students and Sara Bernhardt's "Don't Count."

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—Sarah Bernhardt has received the following telegram from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who is in Quebec:

Quebec, City, Quec. Dec. 7, 1905. Madame Sarah Bernhardt, Ottawa. I regret, madame, more than I can say, the acts of violence which you and your company were the cause of in your arrival here yesterday which had taken place the night before, and express to you my universal regret caused by behavior so unworthy of the well-known character of a city so remarkably careful of its renowned hospitality and courtesy. As to what was said by the Elevation, say no attention to it. It is a newspaper which for me does not count.

MAY SEEK INJUNCTION.

End is Not Yet in Ingersoll Lighting Middle.

Woodstock, Dec. 7.—Altho ordered by Chief Justice Meredith to sign the by-law in regard to the street lighting contracts, Mayor Bole is not in the least perturbed. He has the satisfaction of realizing that he took a popular stand and did it in his power, which he expects to be the universal regret caused by behavior so unworthy of the well-known character of a city so remarkably careful of its renowned hospitality and courtesy.

CROSSES ALASKA STRAIT.

Norwegian Explorer First to Travel Northwest Passage.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 7.—Amundsen, the first man in history to travel the north northwest passage from east to west, is still at Fort Egbert, Alaska, waiting for an answer to the message he sent Monday night to Nansen in Christiania. His expedition, which has been successful, has returned to his expedition in winter quarters near the mouth of Mackenzie River, where he has made public before leaving Christiania in May, 1903, had to take back L. E. & D. R.

WALKER BROTHERS NEGOTIATING WITH PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 7.—E. G. Walker of Walkerville, Ont., former general manager of the Lake Erie & Detroit River Railway, at present under lease to the Pere Marquette Railway, says that it is quite likely that he and his brother will take back the L. E. & D. R., but at present matters are in such an unsettled condition that no definite statement can be made.

NEW YEAR IS JOYFUL.

Christiansia, Dec. 7.—All Norway today is celebrating the half anniversary of the resolution June 7 of the union with Sweden. There were banqueting services at all the churches, and King Haakon VII, Queen Maud and the ministers attended a general banquet at the Church of the Redeemer.

LONDON FIREMEN INJURED.

London, Dec. 7.—While the chemical engine was dashing to a fire the rear wheel of the truck, striking the wheel of the axle, Oscar Hanah, fireman, was crushed beneath the engine, and suffered serious injuries to his legs. The driver was also slightly injured.

BERLIN'S POPULATION.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The census returns which were issued today show that Berlin has a population of 2,032,000.

A RIGHT WAY AND A WRONG WAY.

Many people have many ways to bring about the same result. Most of them are the wrong way, but this is not known until the test of time points plainly to the error. Practically there are but two ways to accomplish anything: a right way and a wrong way. Take, for instance, a man with a bad back, there are lots of them, and of various kinds, some with aches and twinges, others with cricks and twinges; then there's the dull, heavy, continuous kind that lasts all day and doesn't sleep at night. They're all bad enough, they'll all lead you to get rid of. Some people rub the back with liniment, others cover it with plasters, either or both means often bring relief, but the pain comes back—it's the wrong way to cure the trouble.

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GRAND SENSATION.

New York, Dec. 7.—Maurice Grau, the impresario and former manager of the Metropolitan Opera Company, according to a private cable dispatch received in this city yesterday, seriously ill in his home in Paris.

CALLS PLUMBERS PIRATES WHO FRAUD THE PUBLIC.

acting side by side. Those few days between the fall out and the last agreement between the two defendants, was in fact the only break in the equanimity and tranquillity which the public was robbed.

At this juncture Justice Clute interrupted to point out that it was interrupted time. Mr. DuVerne will finish his argument to-day.

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BOY SENTENCED TO CHAIR KILLED FARMER FOR GOLD.

No Other Motive for Crime Than Cupidity Which Slight of \$80 Aroused.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Dec. 7.—Two 13-year-old boys, one convicted of murder and the other of manslaughter, were sentenced here to-day, one of them to death by electrocution and the other to seven years' imprisonment.

EVILS OF DEER SEASON.

St. Kitts Magistrate Says Accidents Are Due to Whiskey Consumption.

St. Catharines, Dec. 7.—Police Magistrate Comfort, an expert shot, suggests the prohibition of rifles in deer shooting.

HOW TOUCHY WE ARE.

Letleton's Proposals Mild, But Arrogance Suspicious Here.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) London, Dec. 7.—The above proposals of the Hon. Mr. Letleton's correspondence to the colonial conference, says the Canadian government demurs to the term "Imperial Council" and suggests "Imperial Conference," and declines to accept the proposal of a permanent commission until the matter is considered by the next conference. The Canadian reply is significant. It shows how easily the British are offended, and it shows how far they are going to maintain the imperial system. It is not a very liberal offer, but it is a very liberal offer.

LEGISLATURE IS SUPREME.

Can Overrule International Law on the Waters.

J. R. Mackenzie moved yesterday in the divisional court for the quashing of the conviction of Capt. Melikham of the Greyhound of selling intoxicating liquor while on Lake Huron.

BRITAIN'S EXPORTS (PAID).

For Eleven Months They Are Greater Than Whole of 1904.

London, Dec. 7.—The November statement of the board of trade shows an increase of \$12,280,200 in imports, and over \$2,000,000 more than for the whole of 1904. The imports for the eleven months of the present year were \$88,210,745 over the eleven months of 1904.

BALFOUR HOLDS THIS SEAT.

Conservative Elected for New Forest Division of Hampshire.

London, Dec. 7.—The result of the by-election yesterday in the New Forest division of Hampshire, caused by the succession of the Hon. Scott Montagu (Conservative) to the peerage, was that H. F. Compton managed to retain the seat for the Conservatives by the narrow majority of 100.

LOCKMASTER KILLED.

Thorold, Dec. 7.—Thomas Cowan, lock master at lock 22, Welland Canal, was yesterday killed at 2 o'clock this morning while locking a vessel thru. He was walking along the coping when he fell into the lock, his head striking its gate. He leaves a widow, one son and two daughters. He was a life-long resident of Thorold.

SETTLING SERRIES.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 7.—Special Agent Compton has been appointed to inquire into Miss Cameron's dismissal and alleged entrance examination frauds.

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ANCIENT CHRISTMAS BOXES.

How the Word Came into the English Language. Just at this season no expression is more frequently used than "Christmas-box." But it is doubtful if one person in a thousand could tell anything of its derivation and origin. An explanation, dating from the early days of Christendom, was happened upon by a member of Diamond Hall's staff this week, to whom, naturally enough, anything relating to Christmas gift-making was of interest. In the translation of a medieval book called "The Athenian Oracle," it is stated that sailors going on long voyages offered to their patrons, the monks, in which they were to put from time to time money and other valuables, in return for their prayers offered up in the churches for their safety. It was usually at Christmas time—so the story of the priests, and thus the term "Christmas-box" arose.

LETTER CARRIER IS FREED HIS OFFENSE NOT SERIOUS.

Col. Denison took the view that Amos North, the letter carrier, was justified in destroying circulars which had been sent thru the mail by money lenders offering to make loans at 40 to 50 per cent interest. The postal authorities said North's error was in not turning them over to the head office for destruction. A remanded sentence was imposed.

LENOX CLEARS THE AIR.

Architect E. J. Lenox said yesterday that he had no foundation for charges of irregularities in connection with city hall contracts. About eighty contractors were interested altogether.

Electric Smelter About Ready.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—It is understood that the preparations for the electric smelting experiment at Southey, Ontario, are nearly complete, and that the electric current will be turned on in about a fortnight.

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HAD ANOTHER'S UMBRELLA AND IS CHARGED WITH THEFT

Woman Claims She Picked It Up in Big Store, Believing It Was Her Own.

At an early hour on Sept. 13 on Colborne-street, making more noise than was suitable, he remonstrated and they assaulted him.

Mrs. Ruthford, in her own defence, swore she did have an umbrella when she that she hung it on the counter while she looked at a hat.

Control of Insurance. Bill in U. S. Congress to Give Supervision of Federal Power.

Crushed Between Cars. Ottawa, Dec. 7.—George Kildee, aged 22 years, brakeman on the Grand Trunk, was killed this morning at Adamton.

A Musical Treat. Lovers of good music are not likely to be disappointed in the English Concert Company that is to appear in Massey Hall on the 11th inst.

Union May Expel Mayor. Indianapolis, Dec. 7.—Mayor Ellet Bookwalter, who has been a member of the Typographical Union of Fort Wayne for twenty years, was informed today by members of the union that he would be expelled if Frederick E. Matson is appointed city attorney.

Estates of the Dead. Charles Alexander, who died in Montreal, left \$91,740, of which \$880, stock in the Sun Life Assurance Company in Ontario. Mrs. Robert Darling of Toronto is a beneficiary to the extent of about \$180, James Donovan left \$288, including \$100 in real estate to his widow.

TEEN AGENTS OF RAILROCK FREIGHT TRAINS LIMITED

Engineer Responsible for Collision—One of the Killed—Cars Burn to the Wheels.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 7.—Ten persons were killed and eleven train employees and eight passengers were injured in the wreck of the Overland Limited on the Union Pacific, five miles west of Rock Springs, Wyoming, to-day.

Train Jumps Track. New York, Dec. 7.—A defective switch at West Haven was the cause of a Central passenger train which left Troy for New York at about 10 o'clock to-day.

Preference with Britain. General Tariff of 15 Per Cent. Should Be Sufficient.

Two important messages were given to the members of the Empire Club at the luncheon yesterday under the presidency of Prof. Clark. One was a plea for a more moderate attitude towards England as regards the tariff.

Public Amusements. Light opera writers used to think that their principal comedian must appear as a potentate in various stages of prosperity.

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Seven Cents a Length. Galvanized iron and elbows to match. Twenty-five Cents Each.

Well Worth the Money. You'll be pleased at the satisfactory results obtained from our drum store. Gives four times the heat of an ordinary stove.

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The Salamander Stove. Used by plasterers for quickly drying out the work on new buildings.

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To Make that Christmas Cake. You should have a set of Storey Cake Tins—14 sets with fast or loose bottoms.

A Saving in Clothes Lines. 14 only, 20 foot rust-proof wire clothes lines, specially priced for quick sale.

Postoffice "Can't's". To "Dear World," I have heard several "can't's" at the head office of the first.

Knights of the Maccabees. John A. Patterson, K.C., collector for the Knights of the Maccabees of the World in Ontario, has been advised by J. Howard Hunter, registrar of probate.

Dr. Chase's Ointment. PILES. Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain cure for piles, hemorrhoids, and itching.

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A Saving in Concentrated Lye. One of our most useful household articles. As a cleanser, it is almost unequalled.

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A Very Handy Plane. 24 only, Iron Bench Screws as illustrated, regular good value at 50c, Saturday special they go at 35c.

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University of Toronto Alumni. A meeting of the alumni of the University of Toronto, held at the University of Toronto on Saturday, at half-past three o'clock.

Dr. A. W. Chase's 25c. In strict conformity with the regulations of the Board of Health, the undersigned, Dr. A. W. Chase, has prepared a medicine.

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