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CARRY THE POWER BYLAW--THAT IS THE DUTY WHICH RESTS WITH TORONTO NOW

250 MINERS ARE DEAD FIERCE FIRE FOLLOWING A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

Pittsburg Coal Co.'s Mine Scene (f) the Fourth Frightful Calamity WHY THE FARMER

SMOKE AND FLAMES PREVENT RESCUE WORK

AWFUL DEATH TOLL OF COAL MINES FOR DECEMBER.

Monongah, W. Va., Dec. 6..... 450 Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 16..... 60 Jacobs' Creek, Pa., Dec. 19..... 250 In the last seventeen years 22,840 men have given up their lives in the mines in the United States. The number of fatalities each year is now double that of the year 1895. In 1906 6861 men were killed or injured in the mines, the dead numbering 2061 and the injured 4800.

JACOBS CREEK, Pa., Dec. 19.-An explosion of gas in the Darr mine of the Pittsburg Coal Company, located here, to-day entombed between 200 and 250 miners and there is scarcely a ray be taken from the mine alive.

Partially wrecked buildings in the vicinity of the mine and the condition of the few bodies found early in the possible that anyone could have survived it. All of the 13 bodies taken intend that that truck shall carry out up to this time are terribly muti- its load and haul wagons after

This is the third mine disaster since the first of the month in the veins of pould do. I shall also be capbituminous coal underlying western able of doing my heavy farm Pennsylvania and Wect Virginia, for | work of plowing and cultivating. the Naomi mine near Fayette City and the two mines at Monongahela, W.Va., in which the earlier explosions hap-pened are in the same belt as the local workings. To-day's catastrophe swells the number of victims of deadly mine gas for the nineteen days to between

Church Devotion Saved Many. That to-day's disaster does not equal or surpass in loss of life and attendant horrors the one in West Virginia is dua to the devotion to church duties of a considerable number of the miners. In observance of the church festival many of the 400 or more men regularly employed at the mine did not go to work this morning. Those who escaped thru this reason are members of the Greek Catholic Church

and they suspended work to celebrate St. Nicholas Day. Followed Brief Shut Down. As was the case at Monongahela, he explosion followed a brief shutdown, the Darr mine having been closed Tuesday and Wednesday. was just 11.30 o'clock when the tenth of loaded cars had been brought out to the tipple and there came an awful rumbling sound, followed im-mediately by a loud report and a concussion that shook nearby buildings and was felt within a radius of sev-

era! miles. At the same time there came out of the mouth of the mine an immense cloud of smoke and dust that floated across the Youghiogheny Pitiful Scene at Pit's Mouth. Within a few minutes after the ex-plesion the mouth of the pit was surcounded by relatives and friends of the entombed men. The scenes were mest pitiful. The smoke and flames issuing from the slope made it im

possible to enter and the wives and hildren were frantic. Every effort is being made to sub-due the fire, but it was burning so fiercely that no headway could be Lone Survivor's Story.

ventilating fans were kept in operation almost without interruption, however, the plower plant having withstoo dthe force o fthe explosion, and up to this time the rescuers have the house. found no fire in the mouth.

As far as known only one man when went to work this morning escaped. Joseph Mapleton, a pumper, emerged from one o fthe side entries shortly after the explosion. He had leff the men were working and was on his

way to the engine room for oil.
"I was near entry No. 21," said he, I heard an awful rumbling. I little time I did not know anything Then I got to the side entry and work-

ed my way out." Mapleton was somewhat cut and bruised, but after going home and having his injuries dressed, he returned in the mines and joined the rescu-

ing parties. Inspired by Faint Hope.

William Kelvington, superintendent f the mine, was ont in it when the explosion occurred, and he quickly or ganized rescuing parties, with reliefs at short intervals, in the main entry, and at a side entry. It is hoped reach the greater part of the victims thru the latter. So far little trouble has been encountered on account of gas or lack of air by the rescuers. While the officials and the rescuers have only the faintest hope that any of the men may be living, all work as being carried on on the theory that some may have found places of safety. be explored at the earliest possible mo-

NEEDS CHEAP

J. A. Webster, writing from Sparta, Ont., to Hon. Adam Beck, illustrates the interest of the up-to-date farmer in electric power. He says:

"The Southwestern Traction Company will likely secure their power from Niagara, and, as they will serve our section, I trust you will see that farmers may obtain electric power, light, heat, etc., from them at fair rates. I am at present considering the purchase of an automobile truck of about 5-ton capacity, to do my general farm teaming, and have catalogues different makers of gasoline and electric trucks. I

lated and three of them are headless. it, as any steam traction engine seeding and cropping.

> "Here is where the coming farmers may use electric power, as well as for stationary work, such as threshing, grinding grist and sawing wood.

> "At present, I shall have to purchase gas power, but, in the future, I may want electric pow-

"Street railways and traction companies, serving the public, should be required to supply the public with power at fair rates, under government supervision. This rule should also apply to anyone obtaining Niagara power, and in a position to serve the public."

A FIST FIGHT IN CONGRESS MISSOURIAN DRAWS BLOOD

J. Sharp Williams, the Mississippi Firebrand, Gets Worst of Personal Encounter.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. - Immediately after the house adjourned to-day, Representative John Sharp Williams of mond of Missouri became engaged in not ashamed of it. The meeting did not encourage him nor his allies—Fraleigh, Logan, Little and others.

The men closed in and dealt each other several blows. Friends rushed to separate the two men. Mr. Williams' face was streaming with blood.

So startled and so astounded were part of the mines where most of the the members of the house and the officials that for a moment no one offered company itself, which had tied itority and the member from Missouri started towards the entry, but the lunged back and forth between the the corporation on liberal terms if the next moment I was blinded and for a desks, both swaying wildly, and each in apparent danger of going down.

Blood was flowing freely from a gash in Mr. Williams' cheek when Assistant Sergant-at-Arms Sinnett sprang between them, grasped Dr. D'Armond and held him back while representatives and attendants, following suit, effected a

Deaths in Previous Disasters

Mine accident at Courrieres, France, March 10, 1906...... 1,060 General Slocum wreck and fire... San Francisco disaster, estimated Iroquois Theatre fire, Chicago Died in battle in war with Spain. Mine accident, Hartley, England Mine accident, Schofield, Utah. Railroad accident at Mexico City, February, 1905 Charity Bazar, fire, Paris, 1897... disaster at Fairmount.

Quebec bridge disaster

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West Virginia

C.M.A. MEMBERS

oron'o Members Pass Strong Resolution — Third Public Meet-Ing a Great Success.

Whereas, Toronto is essentially an industrial city with 700 manufacturing establishments, utilizing 53,362 horse-power, with 75 million dollars capital invested, 70,000 citizens employed earning 29 million dollars a year in wages, and producing goods to the value of 85 million dollars a year, equal to that of the northwest wheat crop, drawing trade from all parts of the Dominion to add to the growth and prosperity of our city commercially and perity of our city commercially and

perity of our city commercially and financially;
And, whereas, it is essential, if Toronto is to retain her premier position as an industrial centre and continue to give employment in increasing numbers to the vast army of her citizens in her industries that she have the important factors in cheap production of cheap light and power, and be in a position to compete with other Canadian towns and cities, which are offering light and power at attractive fering light and power at attractive rates much lower than those now pre-valing in Toronto; And, whereas, the city corporation may use a large amount of electric

may use a large amount of electric light and power for municipal purposes, thus saving annually a considerable sum of money;

And, whereas, the Ontario Government is prepared to deliver electric energy at our borders at very attractive figures to take advantage of which will greatly help to insure the industrial future of our city;

And, whereas, it has been decided to submit a bylaw to provide \$2,750,000 for a distributing plant suited to the needs of our city; be it.

Resolved, That the Toronto branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association urge upon all the interests of our city to unite in carrying this bylaw.

meeting of the Toronto branch of the cussion was a lengthy one, but the vote was overwhelmingly in favor of the resolution, sixty in favor and eleven against. W. K. McNaught, M.L.A., a member of the hydro-electric commission. was present during part of the

The discussion related chiefly to the question of comparative cost, and what direct opposition there was to the resolution was voiced by George W. Watts, manager of the Canada Foundry. The resolution was presented to the meeting by J. O. Thorne of the Metallic Roofing Company, and seconded by Thomas Roden of Roden Bros. E. J. Freyseng, chairman of the Toronto branch of the association, presided. Others taking a prominent part in the discussion were: P. W. Ellis, D. T. McIntosh, Walter Beardmore and J. A.

Interrupters Spotted.

There is no doubt about the interest taken by citizens in the power bylaw. Ayers' Hall was crowded again last Toronto Electric Light Company there journment was made till 8.15 p.m. on were no opponents. The same half doztions to the figures of the hydro-elec-tric commission?" a young man asked. "Your name is Mr. Pack, is it not?"

"I'll find you during the day at the Electric Light Company's office?" (Laughter.) "And Mr. Boren is here to help you?"
oursued Dr. Seccombe. Mr. Pack stated he was the cashier but did not find his way there. Mississippi, and Representative D'Ar- of the Electric Light Company and was

> W. K. McNaught, M.L.A., was introduced by Chairman W. L. Purvis as a member of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission. Mr. McNaught was willing to deal liberally with the Electric Light Company and would not have the reproach of doing them out of a single dollar. The difficulty want the widow and orphan to be in-

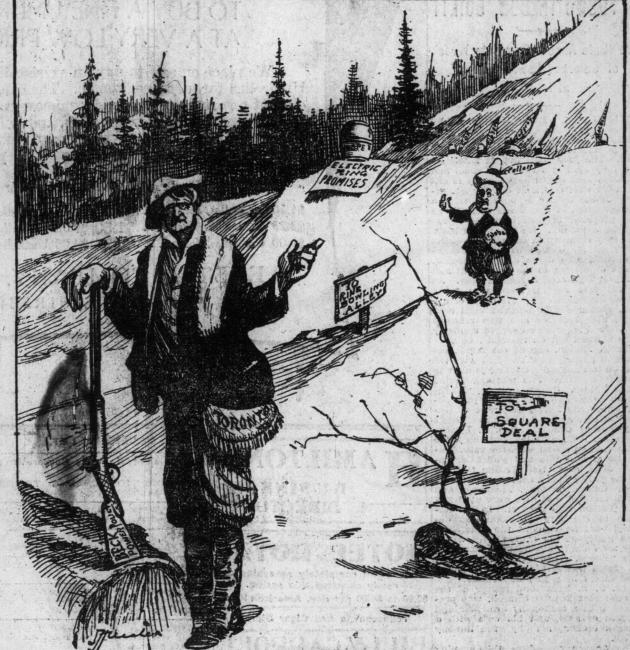
His personal attitude was against turning down the Toronto Efectric Light Company if they were willing to supply the city and its manufacturers and consumers generally at the rates quoted by the power commission.

Real Praise This.

best things citizens could do to adlike Gravenhurst, where he paid \$12.50, Alderman Church reminded the audi-

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RIP VAN WINKLE WIDE AWAKE.



Toronto: I go me back to play bowls mit dose leetle fellers no more. Dey put me to sleep vonce

at McConkey's last night, called especially for the discussion of the power SKULL FRACTURED, DIES EXPLOSION IN PALERMO HIS FIGHT ALL IN VAIN ASSAILANT IS ARRESTED KILLS 25, INJURES 100 GOT IN WRONG COMMITTEE

Fight

grant, 32 years of age, living at 797 der magazine containing a large supwith manslaughter in having caused causing a terrible conflagration.

noon, he being in a drunken condition followed by a rush to the scene of the sing from injuries to his head, and ex- disaster by troops and firemen. amination at the Western Hospital showed that his skull ha dbeen fracnight at the third civic meeting for the tured. He died yesterday morning and been killed and 100 injured. discussion of the cheap power policy, an inquest was opened yesterday at and except for a few employes of the the hospital by Coroner Crawford. Ad-

en catechists who had appeared at the other meetings rose to ask the same irrelevant questions, and Dr. Wallace Seccombe identified them. He had been leavily and that the latter, in seeking BERLIN, Dec. 19.—In the Harden giving some figures showing the large to get back \$10 McConnell had obtainprefits made by the company.

"Will you apply the same calculations to the figures of the hydro-elections to Johnson, 126 Peter-street, and Charles subtleties in Die Sukunft articles and Roe, 798 West King-street, claim to the epithet used by the prisoner. The man called for a vote. Everybody present showed a disposition to support have witnessed the assault.

After the encounter McConnell went president referred to Harden's state
Mr. Harris, save only Ald. McBride. into the office of Dr. A. Eadle, 899 ment that he mocked the friends of West Queen-street. The doctor was Bp Fulenburg. intoxicated, was directed to Dr. Hurd, McConnell admits having

MISSIONARIES FOR CHINA. Important Work Which Methodists Are Asked to Assume.

Taylor, but denies having had any of

The more advanced policy which has alty." been mapped out by the Methodist misto interfere, and the leader of the min-self up with contracts. He did not next autumn. This portion of China, which has been assigned by the other teem; I criticized." the corporation on liberal terms if the which again to show signs of the corporation on liberal terms if the sale, has a population of some 10,000,000 extreme weariness, and the president declared that in consideration of the sale which again to show signs of the corporation on liberal terms if the and the church is being urged to send out fifteen men yearly for a term of at least five years, involving an increase penditure, or in all to \$200,000. The married men in this field receive salaries of \$800. They are also provided with houses, built in western fashion, and receive an allowance of \$300 for mov-Dr. Bryan said he was not a supporter of the government and had tried to keep Mr. McNaught out of the Altogether, the individual exhome. Altogether, the individual exhome. Altogether, the individual exhome. legislature, but he wished to express his appreciation of the splendid success they had met with in their power renting or providing them with resipolicy. The citizens had a golden op-portunity to avail themselves of. dences must be taken into considera-tion. An extra allowance is also made portunity to avail themselves of. tion. An extra allowance is also made of the Dr. Beattle Nesbitt declared the very for children. During the last couple best things citizens could do to advance the interests of the city was to vote for the by-law. For outlying districts in the city they could erect poles and supply power just as cheaply as was done in the outside towns tike Gravenhurst, where he paid \$12.50, out next fall

This whole subject will be discussed eral board of missions early in Febru-

sion, was present during part of the evening, and answered a number of questions in regard to the details of Injuries in Drunken sued—A Seaport City In Talked Awhile. Then Hurried sued - A Seaport City In Sicily.

John McConnell, an English immi- PALERMO, Sicily, Dec. 19.-A pow-

the death of Noble Taylor.

The latter, who is also an Englishman, was arrested on King-street, near

A number of houses collapsed amidst frightful detonations, and the whole It is estimated that 25 persons have

MOCKERY A FAIR WEAPON.

BERLIN, Dec. 19 .- In the Harden

a fair weapon, else where would the world's greatest satirists. be?" In the course of his explanations Harden said that he had no desire to witnesses to prove that Von Moltke was abrnomal "I have a definite conviction," the

prisoner said, "I have said nothing. libellous. The articles are there and if the court assumes that they are defamatory I am here to bear my pen-Dr. Isenbeil asked if Harden had

Harden retorted, "of expressing esdeclared that in consideration health of the accused he would ad-Journ court until to-morrow.

HACKMAN CHARGED \$20.

According to the story told by W. J. Urquhart, 57 Isabella street, Sid Sayward, a hackman employed by Pat. received no rebate. Sayward was arrested last night.

CENTRE YORK.

R. L. Borden will speak in the itnerest of Captain Tom Wallace in Woodbride night (Friday) and W. H. Bennett, M.P., in Victoria Hall, Unionville. The meetings will start at .8 o'clock sharp, and . ladies are especially invited. walks,

Talked Awhile, Then Hurried

There were no less than four commit-West Queen-street, was arrested last ply of dynamite exploded here to-day, business in readiness for the final meettee meetings at the city hall yesterday, ing of council next month. As most of A number of houses collapsed amidst the aldermen were members of at least man, was arrested on King-street, near Strachan-avenue, on Wednesday afterinnocently stumbled.

The alderman dropped in at a meeting of the property committee during a discussion on the plans for the new forry shed at the foot of Bay-street. The chair was occupied by Ald. Chishelm,, and Ald. Adams, another comrade of the Island committee, was pre-

Property Commissioner Harris, in recommending that the work be done by day labor, asserted that in every case where civic structures were erected by ontract there were heart-breaking de-

"I object to this competing against contractors," broke in Ald. McBride, warming up in debate. The controversy

"I want you to record my vote against he announced. "Yes," replied Harden, "mockery is "I've been letting you go on," returned the chairman, suavely, "tut as a be placed in Oak Grove Sanitarium in matter of fact you can't vote. This is Flint the property committee."
"I thought this was the island com-

mittee," explained the crestfallen ald-erman as he skiddooed.

THE TORONTO CLUB.

nurpese of reporting to the club upon defalcations of the late secretary sionaries in Western China will not be meant to express esteem or contempt finally approved until some time of Von Moltke. "I have no occasion," and of deciding upon the club with the defalcations of the late secretary, and of deciding upon the club with the deliberation of the late secretary. to be followed by the club with refererce thereto, and also for the purpose of obtaining the opinion of the members regarding a suggestion for the purchase lease of a more desirable site for

DID NOT ENDORSE HUGHES. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.-By an almost

unanimous vote the Republican com-mittee of New York Courty to-night refused to adopt a resolution endorsing Governor Hughes for the Republican presidential nomination Wants \$5000 Back.

Thomas W. Morwood, a bank clerk. as brought action against the Church ill Manufacturing Company for the re turn of \$5000 invested in it. He wants the company wound up.

Saved Son From Flames J. R. Morrison, 480 Parliament-street had his hands badly burned in rescuing a young son from a burning room yes terday afternoon. The loss by fire was

Several citizens were fined vesterday

CURATOR OF ZOO

Civic Enquiry Resumed -How a House Was Built-60 Defence Witnesses to

Come.

Judge Winchester resumed his investigation into the affairs of the parks department vesterday afternoon. E. H. guisites of his position were. Before gun. Mr. Robinette. Park Commissioner Chambers' counsel, asked for permission to examine the books and papers which had been put in as exhibits. This was granted. Mr. Robinette poena about 60 witnesses. This will be arranged for. Mr. Robinette next asked that the charges made against Mr. Chambers should be formulated. His honor replied that any charges made against Mr. Chambers would come out in the evidence.

W. Carleill Hall cross-examined Wm worked for Carter and was paid by the city. He remembered that he was avenue the day of the late Queen Victoria's funeral. Another date he was able to remember was February, 1902, On both occasions he had been paid by the city.
"Were there other occasions?"

"There might be," was as definite an answer as the witness would make. and a camel, Anderson admitted that and that the camel, which was killed,

The Building of a House. George Swires during the prelimin-ary examination had been unwilling to answer any questions and yesterday Mr. Raney referred to that reticence. Swires said that he had so acted upon the advice of one Barrett, who had told him that he need not answer any questions until he came into court. Swires remembered having worked on Bar-rett's house for about three weeks. The first week he worked part of the time at the park and part of the time at

received his regular pay envelope from Continued on Page 6. STUCK TO HIS POST

IN DEATH'SSHADOW CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 19.-Engineer Frank Krsg, 50 years old, of Buffalo, N.Y., tho ill and faint, stayed at his throttle till he brought his fast wood yards this afternoon. Then he stepped from his cab and in a few minutes was dead.

G. T. R. Condemned.

That the Grand Trunk Railway was of protecting its workmen was the verdict of the jury which under Coroner J. M. Collin last night investigated the death of William Taffage. Taffage was killed while repairing a car which which collapsed when the frost went

Millionaire Insane.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 19.—(Special)
-Henry Clay Ward, mil ionaire lumberman of Pontiac, Mich., who erected a tobacco factory in Leamington, Ont. several years ago, is insane and will

MEN'S HATS FOR THE HOLIDAYS. Shipment of the Latest Shapes Arrives at Dineen's.

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SOUTH AFRICAN MEMORIAL.

At a meeting of the finance com of the South African Memorial Association held in the city hall yesterday it was reported that \$20,000 had been raised by private subscription, leaving \$15,000 still to be contributed. No appeal has as yet been made to the public at large.
It was announced that in addition

to the figure of Canada in heroic size, which is to surmount the monument, the statue of a typical Canadian soldier, to be placed at the base, is also



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Hamilton Happenings

Fire Made Almost Complete Wreck of Cataract Power Station at Irondale.

HAMILTON, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—James Yaldon was this afternoon found guilty of perjury on a charge arising out of a raid on an alleged gambling joint. The jury went out at 12.30. At 2.30 they filed into the court room and reported that they disagreed. It is understood that two held out for acquittal. Judge Snider refused to take a disagreement at that stage and said he disagreement at that stage and said he was prepared to wait until the morning for a verdict. He sent them back, and they returned at 5.10 with a verdict of "guilty." George S. Lynch-Staunton, K.C., who defended the prisoner, raised objections to the indictment and the judge granted a reserve case. As t will take several months to get a stated case decided by the court of apeal, sentence was deferred until next June, and Yaldon's bail was renewed at \$1000. Five others charged similarly were allowed out on the same bail.

James Yaldon, one of the sextet accused of perjury in connection with the raid on an alleged gambling joint, was placed on trial this morning before Judge Snider. Crown Attorney Wash-Judge Snider. Crown Attorney Washington announced that he was proceeding under the Lord's Day Act of Upper Canada, and not under the Lord's Day Act of Ontario. Geo. S. Lynch-Staunton, K.C., objected, but the judge decided to go ahead with the case. Police Clerk McHaffie and Police Magistrate Jelfs swore that Yaldon testified at the police court that no dies were trate Jelfs swore that Yaldon testified at the police court that no dice were used. Constables May, Thompson and Smith testified that dice were used and that Yaldon was present. In his address to the jury Mr. Staunton declared that he thought the constables were guilty of the offence with which they were charging the prisoners, that they "cooked" their evidence and that he crown was afraid to have the case ried except by a jury of farmers.

Rev. J. S. Sycamore, pastor of the James-street Baptist Church, was presented with a mahogany armchair and a purse of gold, and his wife with a Tobacconists and Cigar Stores. oges dinner set by the Sunday

The finance committee this evening ecided to apply to the Ontario Legislature for an amendment to the Municipal Act giving Hamilton the right to have an elective board of control. City Clerk Kent was given authority to engage an extra clerk for three months. A grant of \$1000 was made to the Queen Victoria Memorial Statue Committee.

Victoria Memorial Statue Committee.
Miss Jeannette Lewis, who has undertaken to build a hospital for sick children, asked the aldermen if the city vould maintain it and rovide a site. They said they would consult the hospital governors and let her know. Appreciation of her work was expressed.

A baby was left on a doorstep at 103 West Stuart-street to-night. It was taken to the Infants' Home.

Fire made almost a complete wreck of the Cataract Power Co.'s sub-station at Irondale to-night, and the loss will be quite heavy. The trouble started about 9 o'clock and the whole system, ncluding street cars, street and private lights and power, was tied up for near an hour. The merchants who had their stores open for the holiday trade were put to great inconvenience.

Haydn's "Creation" was given in the Over \$15,000 Worth of vere put to great inconvenience.

drill hall this evening by the Hamilton Oratorio Society, under the direction of George R. Robinson. The proceeds will go to the Consumption Sanitarium. The attendance was about 1000. There was a chorus of about 150 voices and an orchestra of 30 pieces. The soloists were: Misses H. Adeline Smith and Sa-

Society, James Williamson and Ald. Gutten, Kennedy and A. J. Wright. An expert from Toronto has examined the stareet railway for the city, to see how the company had carried out the order of the Ontario Railway and

has the contract of furnishing 300 natural gas boulevard lamps, are at log-gerheads, and the Pipe Line Co. threat-The Brantford & Hamilton Rallway will be opened for traffic as far as Ancaster to-morrow. Hugh S. Brennan has sold a timber Arcanum membership in

Sheriff Middleton has been notified Mulkin; Secretary, R. J. Butler; Colthat it is unlikely that Hangman Rad-lector, J. R. Code; Treasurer, R. J

orses; license sure; immediate posession. Apply above address. C. M. Commercial Travellers' Certificates for 1908 can be obtained from Fred Johnson, Room 505, Bank of

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Maple Leaf Council, R.A. On Thursday evening at Maple Leaf Council of the Royal Arcanum the annual election of officers resulted in the election of Bro. Robert McClelland to the Regent's chair and Bro. J. H Williamson to the office of Vice-Reg ent. The meeting was also the occa-



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A mass meeting was held to-night in the Ferguson-avenue Baptist Church in the interests of the aldermanic candidates of the North End Improvement Society, James Williamson and Ald. Gutten Kennedy and A. I. Wright.

On Monday Afternoon, Dec 23rd. At 2.80 and every following afternoon the entire stock is sold, at

Municipal Board to make improvements to the system. He has reported that the company has not a decent car and that the cars should be scraped.

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ed a membership of 406, the highes tract of three square files in Algoma district to McCreary & Graham, Renfrew, for \$38,000.

Election of officers resulted as follows: Regent, R. McClelland; Vice Regent, J. H. Williamson; Orator, J. C. Mcclive will be available in case Jake
Sunfield is hanged.

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Lee, Dr. R. H. Robinson, Bert Smith.

Harry Gamble of 167 St. Patrick-street was arrested last night by Detective Mackie, charged with having, on Dec. 4, stolen an express parcel containing \$50 worth of mechanics' tools, which he had disposed of for \$2. The property was recovered.

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Hon. Sybil Frederick and Viscount and Lady Middleton are sailing on the Tunisian to visit Earl Grey. C. A. Jelly of the C. P. R. despatcher's office has accepted a position on the Puerto Rico Railway.

Rev. Dr. Gilray, pastor of College-street Presbyterian Church, will go to Preston Springs to convalesce after his long illness.

The marriage of Miss Anna Hazel Southworth, only daughter of Thomas Southworth, director of colonization, and Mrs. Southworth, to Frank Herbert Wood, B.A., of Toronto Technical High School, was performed yesterday afternoon in the Trinity Methodist Church in Bloor-street, by the Rev. W. F. Wilson, assisted by the Rev. Wesley Carson. During the signing of the register Mr. Sanderson sang the bridal hymn, "O Perfect Love." The bride, who was brought in and given away by her father, was attired in a gown of soft white crepe de chene and Irish lace embroidered with pearls made semi-empire, over which was draped an exquisite veil of old point lace worn by her mother on a similar draped an exquisite veit of old point lace worn by her mother on a similar occasion. It was crowned with a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower of lilies and roses. Miss Grace Milliken and Miss Bertha Lloyd attended as bridesmalds. Geo. Callard of Hamilton was best man, and the ushers, Mr. Yeates of Hamiland the ushers, Mr. Yeates of Hamilton; Rex Taylor, cousin; Hubert Southworth, brother of the bride, and Arthur Begg. A reception was afterwards held at the family residence in Brunswick-avenue. The bride's going away costume was a purple and green striped tailor-made gown, purple and green hat and mink furs. The groom's gift to the bride was an amethyst bracelet, to the bridesmaids true lover knot pins with pearl centres, to the knot pins with pearl centres, to the ushers gold monogram lockets, and to the best man a silver eigaret case with

HUNDREDS VIEW BODY.

Press of Montreal Pays Editorial Tribute to the Late Mr. Tarte.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—(Special.)— Dressed in the Windsor uniform the remains of the late Hon. J. Israel Tarte are being viewed to-day by hundreds of people at the residence of L. J. Tarte, the ex-minister's son. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and several of his colleagues will attend the funeral. To-day messages of condolence to the family were received from Earl Grey, the prime minister and most of those who had been in the government with Mr. Tarte, as well as from the Quebec premier, and all the leading newspaper men of the land men of the land. The death of Hon. Mr. Tarte will not

interfere with the position of La Patrie, as his sons have been conducting that paper for some time past.

In the course of an editorial The
Witness says: "His breach with his
leader marked a culminating point in his career. He could not help outrunning his colleagues, and they naturally did not like it. The end of that sort of thing was inevitable, but his energy did not flag because he was no longer in office. He took up the pen with the same vigor that he had shown when he could dip it into the inkpot of the minister of public works. His success ought to be an inspiration to men whose chief asset is their energy and who find themselves pitted against cor-

rupt forces who have all the advantages of position and prestige."

Le Canada says: "Mr. Tarte was a personality in our country in the parliamentary arena and on the popular rostrum. He had his hour of notoriety, and in the press for a period of the parliamentary arena and on the popular rostrum. and in the press for a period of 25 years he played an important role. Mr. Tarte was above all a journalist. His vivacious temperament carried him into all sorts of fights and into two camps. The time has not yet come for an appreciation of his work and his career. Nevertheless, we may well say that, as minister of public works, he evidenced a praiseworthy spirit of initiative and labored energetically in the carrying out of undertakings tending to the aggrandizement and pro-

The Star says: "Canada has lost one of her most striking and most attractive personalities. What is chiefly to be said of Mr. Tarte is that he was governed by his sympathies, which broadened as his horizon grew larger, until there was nothing too large and great for his prophetic visions of his country's future. His brilliant mind was, at the beginning, at the service of the most narrow Ultramontanism and Blue Conservatism, and on whatever side he was a determined fighter. Conservation of the most narrow under the most na side he was a determined fighter. Con fidence in himself enabled him to undertake whatever task offered, and he proved before long a successful party organizer. As he became intimate with politics he saw much that seemed to him wrong, and in time he broke with the party that had nursed him to expose the rottenness of its deals. It was admitted in 1896 that the sweep of Quebec made by the Liberals in tha year, which placed their party in power, was largely due to the co-operation of Mr. Tarte with Sir Wilfrid Laurier.'

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The Toronto Garrison Sergeants' As sociation have decided to hold a military theatre party at the Royal Alexandra Theatre on the evening of Jan-INSTITUTE
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mittee, of some 10d members, which has charge of the movement to collect \$125,000 for missions among the Presbyterian congregations of this city, has decided to call a general neeting of the committee on Jan. 7.

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Surely the fighters are modesty personified compared to the boosters of the West End Y.M.C.A. amateur in this campaign of forcing a match race with the renowned Indian long-distance runner, Tom Longboat, the whole thing being contrary to the idea of the C.A. A.U., that has recently gone on record against just this very form of contest. On the other hand, the Onondagan's dignified treatment of the multifarious challenges hurled at his provess would indicate that he had already squandered the city council's \$500 grant in procuring a liberal education, a considerable proportion of which was a course in deportment. As suggested, he should continue in refusing all offers for such a competition, to continue in the even tenor of his way, shrewdly guided by Tom Fianagan, his astute manager, and

A man's size is no criterion as to his batting qualifications. Take Wee Willie Keeler. Where could you find a smaller mite of humanity in any of the major sports? On the other hand looms up one Dan Brouthers, who led the National League for three years and averaged .345 in ten years' service. You all remember big Dan with his 6 feet 2 inches towering above his fellows in Detroit and Boston. They certainly were the two extremes.

It is now conceded in both the east and west that there are indications of trouble for organized baseball. An out-law organization, to be known as the law organization, to be known as the Union League, has been launched with so far an exclusively eastern circuit, while James Callahan, the well-known professional, has practically agreed to handle the new American Association Club in Chicago, which will be placed there in direct opposition to the wishes of the two big major leagues. A lot of scheming and plotting has been going on for some time with the idea of forming a big circuit that in the course of time may be able to make a bid for the patronage, or, at least, a part of it, enjoyed by the American patronage, or, at least, a part of it, enjoyed by the American and the National leagues in the leading cities.

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Baseball men who are conservative say that these outlaw movements can never be successful on a large scale for the reason that it will require a lot of money to secure high class playing talent. But it is also admitted that if the new organizations stick to the semi-professional phase of the game by keeping salaries down and charging low rates of admission to grounds it may be possible to live for a season or two, with the ultimate result—collapse.

Al Lawson, a baseball promoter, has been elected president of the Union League. Lawson has already announced the names of men who will put clubs into Baltimore, Newark, Philadelphia, Brooklyn and Reading. He also states that backing for a club in Washington has been promised, and that Paterson may be asked to take a franchise. The Miladelphia, The Willing that way is asked to see the comorow night.

The records of Wagner and LaJoie, given yesterday, call to mind Pop Anson's batting. He made a phenomenal record in 16 scasons, from 1876 to 1892, averaging 344 playing in 1582 games and variang in 15 in 16 seasons, from 1876 to 1892, averaging 344, playing in 1582 games, and making 252 hits. Anson's whole career on the major league diamond covers 23 years, from 1875 to 1897, leading the league hitters in 1879, 1881 and 1888. Other famous players with notable records are Mike Kelley, who in 12 years averaged 321 in 1855 games; Dan Brouthers, who in ten years averaged 321 in 1971 games. Anson began his professional career as a third baseman with the Rockford team in 1871, and the ext year played the same position for the the Rockford team in 1871, and the next year played the same position for the Athletics in Philadelphia. He was shifted to short stop by the Athletics the next year, and to first base in 1874 and 1875. In 1876 he went to Chicago, where he re-mained until the end of his baseball career. His batting and fielding records in the 23 years that his averages were computed follow: computed follow:

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NOTE AND COMMENT Northern City Hockey League Senior and Intermediate Games

Schedules Arranged By Executive Morrison and Bruce Ridpath, forwards Their line-up will be practically complete when Herb Fyfe, Hughie Lamba and Jack Carmichael make their appearance in uniform Mutual Street.

intermediate and junior, instead of senior, junior and juvenile, respectively. The junior schedule will be drawn up on Dec. 30. Following are the senior and intermediate games, as arranged last night:

—Senior—

Jan. 8—Simcoe at Aura Lee, 8—9. Jan. 11—N. Toronto at C.B.C.; Saturday

afternoon.
Feb. 7-C.B.C. at N. Toronto, 8.30.
Feb. 3 (week)—Aura Lee at Simcoe.
Feb. 12—N. Toronto at Aura Lee, 8-9.
Feb. 15—Simcoe at C.B.C., Saturday af-

Jan. 6-St. Pauls at Aura Lee, 8-9.
Jan. 13-C.B.C. at N. Toronto, 8.30 p.m.
Jan. 16-N. Toronto at St. Pauls, 9-10.
Jan. 20-C.B.C. at Aura Lee, 8-9.
Jan. 23-St. Pauls at C.B.C., on St.
Paul's ice, 9-10.
Jan. 24-Aura Lee at N. Toronto, 8.30

afternoon.

Feb. 10-N. Toronto at Aura Lee, 8-9.

Feb. 13-C.B.C. at St. Pauls, 9-10.

Feb. 22-Aura Lee at C.B.C., Saturday

Practice in Mutual Street Rink.

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ance in uniform.

Parkdale seniors in line were Birmingham, Winchester and Cochrane, while prospective seniors included a number of last year's junior team, and Lapp and Patterson of Uxbridge

Eureka Hockey Club.

The Eureka Hockey Club have secured the following hours at Old Orchard Rink: The junior O.H.A. and senior city teams start practice Friday night, 6.30-7.30, and will continue to practise as follows: Mondays, 8.30-8.30; Wednesdays, 9.30-10.30; Fridays, 6.30-7.30. Manager Armstrong of the senior team would like to see the following senior men out to-night: Beatty, Brockbank, Cheetham, Fletcher, Gray, Gee, Patterson, Canfield, Schoales, Riley, Mitchell, Curtis, Tait, Ball, Elirick, Junior and juvenile teams' hours are as follows: Tuesdays, 6.30-7.30; Thursdays and Saturdays, 7.30-8.30.

Worked another mile together, finishing heads apart in 2.30, the last haif in 1.10½.

Sir Robert and Joe Allen worked together in 2.40, the latter finishing three lengths to the good.

The alderman's horse, King Bryson, worked four miles, the best one put in was 2.30.

William C. and Planet worked together, and both seemed in great form. The roan horse has all his speed again, as he showed in one of his miles, stepping the last eighth in 18 seconds.

Maple Leafs Win.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 13.—The test game this evening between the Maple Leafs and Winnipeg hockey teams for admission to the Manitoba Hockey Beague, resulted in a victory for the Maple Leafs by a score of 7 to 4. On account of the Winnipegs leaving the ice shortly after half time, thru roughness on the part of the Maple Leaf players, which disgusted the large audience, and if continued will kill hockey in the west. The game was fast and exciting while it lasted, but was marred by numerous delays, due to roughness of play. Several men were carried from the ice.

ATHLETES IN OTTAWA.

Rugby Players May Not Meet With Expulsion—Relative Positions.

A.C. and, by joining that club, strengthen its position. Should this carry, only Ottawa College and the Civil Service will be the C.A.A.U. organizations in Ottawa, outside the Y.M.C.A.

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The annual meeting of the shareholders of St. Matthew's Lawn Bowling Club was held on Wednesday evening in Odd-Considerable discussion arose ever the

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DOMINIONS WIN TWO

rotters and Pacers Getting Ready Lead Toronto League by a One for Ice Races-Secretary Game Margin on First Series Goscher Here.

James Smith, the owner of Stroud, worked his new purchase, Billy Carlyle, and he showed nice work. He is a pacer and goes without hobbles. He will make his first start Saturday at the matinee. Frank Rogers worked Maj. W. along with Bourbon Boy, with the Major a little the best after a close finish.

Nat Ray worked Jim Reford for his owner, and he looks like a good pacer with a little schooling.

William Robinson gave his new pacing mare a little stiff work to his speeder and she acts like a real shifty one and should make good for R. J.

Los Angeles Favorites Win.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Favorites had decidedly the best of it at Santa Anita Park to-day, four out of six winning.

FIRST RACE, 6 furlongs:
1. Old Timer, 30 (Buxton), 5 to 1.
2. Bryan, 108 (Wascher), 10 to 1.
3. Waterbury, 115 (G. Burns), 1 to 2.
Time, 1.13 1-5.
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SECOND RACE, mile:

1. Glen Echo, 102 (Musgrave), 9 to 5.

2. Ed Ball, 107 (C. Ross), 3 to 2.

3. Baron Esher, 107 (G. Burns), 9 to 1. Time, 1.40.

Also ran: Josie's Jewel, Henry O. THIRD RACE, 5 furlongs:

1. Maclas, 110 (Boland), 3 to 1.

2. Rey Hindoo, 110 (Horner), 8 to 5.

3. Jane Swift, 107 (G. Burns), 5 to 2.

Time, 1.00 2-5.

Also ran: Dr. Matthews, Smirker, Smirker, Spohn, Aromatise, Abraham G. FOURTH RACE, 7 furlongs:

1. Critic, 109 (Harty), 2 to 5.

2. Jocund, 112 (McBride), 5 to 1.

3. Warning, 112 (Lycurgus), 13 to 1.

Time, 1.25 4-5.

FIFTH RACE, 1 1-16 miles:

1. Harry Scott, 103 (Lycurgus), even. . Harry Scott, 103 (Lycurgus), even. Mary Candlemas, 102 (C. Shilling), 11 3. Joyner, 109 (C. Ross), 8 to 1. Time, .154 4-5.

Time, .154 4-5. Also ran: Avontellus, Elie, Taby Tosa, Baker. SIXTH RACE, 6 furlongs: 1. Creston, 110 (Buxton), 11 to 10.
2. Lackfoot, 110 (G. Burns), 9 to 5.
3. Balreid, 100 (Preston), 20 to 1.
Time, 1.13 4-5.
Also ran: Pai, Altar Boy, Otwell.

ASK FOUR MILLIONS. Telephone Company Places Price on Manitoba System.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 19 .- (Special.)-Negotiations between Mr. Sise of the Bell Telephone Co. and the Manitoba Considerable discussion arose ever the recommendation of the directors to increase the fee for bowling privileges, and it was finally decided that the fee shall be \$7, and also that all members must be shareholders. The shares in the club are \$10 each. The following directors were elected: The price suggested by the company is at least \$4,000,000 for the system and what would go with the transfer.

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-League Results.

City League.

Centrals won two from Sunshines and Victorias respectively last night in the City Tenpin League. Patterson 575, Mc-Millan 572, Martinson 549 and Slean 527 were high. Scores:

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—The O.A.A.C. meeting called for to-night to decide whether the club would expel certain players at the request of the C.A.A.U. under pain of suspension, did not materialize. It will be held later on.

However, a petition is being circulated among the members asking whether they are willing to stand by the Rugby men paffected, and thereby defy the C.A.A.U., nee or whether they will bow to the union or whether they will bow to the union of tirs likely the members will refuse to do this, and it is promised, in the event of their refusal, that several bodies now in the federation will stand by the O.A. acc. and, by joining that club, strengthsam of the part of the pastern Ontario Racing Association. Mrs. Goscher originally comes from this side, but transferred his allegiance to the United States

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World and Globe Win. In the morning section of the Printers' League yesterday afternoon the World and Globe won two from the Specials and Mail respectively. Shorty Woods of the World, with 554, and high single, 254, was

Evening Section.

In the Printers' League, evening section, the Grocer team heat the Book

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Oddfellows' Tournament. Oddfellows' Tournament.

I.O.O.F. class B handicap tournament takes place to-day and Saturday. Following are the entries and handicaps:
Evis scratch, J. Cassis 4 pins, L. Chapman 18, A. Chapman 31, T. Cook 40, G. Easton 40, S. McBride 45, M. Sinclair 49, E. Sutherland 63, G. Petheck 67, F. Pepher 81, G. Wallace 81, W. Whitehead 90, J. Cameron 90, C. H. Dodery 90, E. Hamm 99, George Robinson 99, F. Pethick 108, G. McPhail 121.

There was a large crowd out to see the horses get their work, as the afternoon was ideal for the clockers.

British Columbia Lacrosse Six Clubs in League Next Year

Vancouver to Have Three Teams, show up very well against the present senior teams, but with the players divided up among the various clubs it would give the various of the company of the various clubs it would give very player an opportunity to play in

Victoria One—Cups for Competition.

Vancouver, Dec. 18.—The following is the circuit of the British Columbia Lacrosse League for 1908. At least it will look like this if the plans of the executive of the association mature:

Vancouver Athletic Club.

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Victoria.

Fairview, Vancouver.

Mount Pleasant, Vancouver.

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Floral v. Riverdale, and Prospect v. Queen City are the games to-night in the Oddfellows' League.

Big Five v. Royals B. and Orr Bros. v. Marathons are the games to-night in the Marathons are the game.

City League,
Royals A. and Wellesleys meet to-night
in the Central League.

Captain of Dominions Presented With Traveling Bag. Jimmy Jenkins, the popular captain of the Dominions, in the Toronto League was last night banqueted at McConkey's, after the game with the Maple Leafs, by his teammates and admirers.

Jimmy is going to Winnipeg after the holidays, and his friends took this occasion of showing their appreciation of his valuable services to the Dominions, presenting him with a handsome traveling bag.

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Sidelights.

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Oddfellows League.

Riverdale— 1 2 3 T'l.

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Angus Kerr gave his stallion, Brian Boru, four stiff miles, going the last quarter in each one good and strong.

Arthur J. Walker, a teacher on the temporary staff, has been assigned to the Queen Alexandra School, and T. J. Wallist has been transferred from the Queen Alexandra to the Winchester-street School

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FIRST RACE, 5½ furlongs, selling:

1. Bitter Sir, 105 (Powers), 15 to 1.

2. Sylvia G., 104 (Mountain), 12 to 1.

3. Caucus, 95 (Flynn), 50 to 1.

Time, 1.11 3-5.

Also ran: Taskmaster, Silver Cup, Brimmer, Sundart, Honeta, George White, Florida Girl, Ben Rose, C. H. Shilling, Auspicious, Wild Irish and Carasco.

SECOND RACE, 5½ furlongs, selling:

1. Financier, 108 (Mountain), 9 to 5.

2. Sabado, 112 (Powers), 15 to 1.

3. Pedigree, 100 (Sumter), 30 to 1.

Time, 1.12.

Also ran: Cuernavaca, Divorcee, Padrone, Sainsaw, Tea Leaf, Kitty Smith, Ora Sudduth, Saitram, Dr. Stovall, Osmunda and Mammaroneck.

THIRD RACE, 7 furlongs:

1. Dainty Belle, 105 (Mountain), 6 to 5.

2. Gambrinus, 106 (Heidel), 7 to 1.

3. Debar, 106 (McDaniel), 4 to 1.

Time, 1.30 3-5.

Also ran: Asteroid, Meadowbreeze, Timital Lock Delan Hancock Snowball

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Also ran: Asteroid, Meadowbreeze, Tivolini, Jack Dolan, Hancock, Snowball and Jake Weber.

FOURTH RACE, mile:

1. Miss Mazzoni, 102 (Powers), 11 to 5.

2. St Elario, 104½ (Mountain), 11 to 5.

3. La Jeunesse, 105 (McDaniel), 1 to 2.

Time, 1.44 4-5.

Also ran: Blue Lee, Brakespeare an Miss Isabella.

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FIFTH RACE, 6 furlongs, selling:
1. Hawkama, 106 (Mountain), 3 to 2.
2. Eldorado, 105 (McCahey), 40 to 1.
3. Denigre, 98 (Baker), 40 to 1.
Time, 1.17 4-5.
Also ran: Lucy Young, Clara Huron, Royal Onyx, Glen Echo, Denart, Anna Scott, Tres Joli, Black Mantilla.
SIXTH RACE, mile and a furlong:
1. Anna Day, 104 (Mountain), 4 to 5.
2. King of the Valley, 98 (Flynn), 20 to 1.
3. Fonsoluca, 100 (Pickens), 13 to 1.
Time, 2.00.
Also ran: Bellview, Etta M., J. D. Dunn, Also ran: Bellview, Etta M., J. D. Dunn, Knight Blaze, Trenola, Peter Nathaniel, John McBride, Lady Charade, Odd Ella, Gold Spink and Gauze.

Prince Brutus Won Again. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.
FIRST RACE, 7 furlongs:
1. Huerfano, 107 (W. Miller), 5 to 2.
2. Nappa, 110 (Moreland), 6 to 1.
3. Hale, 112 (Carroll), 2 to 1.

Bogohama.
SIXTH RACE, 7 furlongs:
1. Prejucio, 112 (W. Miller), 13 to 10.
2. Dollie Dollars, 104 (Kirschbaum,

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FOURTH RACE—Fantastic, Jack Atkins, Sally Preston.
FIFTH RACE—Pride of Woodstock, Telescope, Miss Strome.
SIXTH RACE—Warner Griswell, Rio Grande, Oberon.

Bowdish, Daniel C.
FOURTH RACE—St Avon, Marian Cases Comments FIFTH RACE—Silver Wedding, Benvolio, Tancred. SIXTH RACE-Massa, Woolma, Fred

| đ | To-Day's Entries. |
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| | Fair Grounds Card. |
| l- 11 | NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19.—First race, 5½ furlongs, selling: *Senator Painting, 90 *Kane 98 *Melagne 95 *Ansonia 95 Sussex 95 *Truro 99 Inauguration 100 Lexington Lady 101 *Ag. Doerrothea 103 Mason 103 *Rustle 104 *Stone Street 104 *Lute Foster 109 Brown Thistle 106 *Firmament 106 106 107 |
| đ | Second race, 6 furlongs, selling: *Kiamesha II100 *No Trump100 *Miss Affable100 *Investor100 |

Third race, mile and 70 yards, p Light Note......106 Donna Javanese......108 Jack Dolan Alma Dufour.....111

.105 Oraculum . .114 Jack Atkin

Santa Anita Park. LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.-First Second race, 7 furlongs: ..103 Golden Wave ...100

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.-First race,

| Second race, 11-10 of a line. | Wagrane | 119 Hersain | 119 Shady Lad | 119 E. M. Brattain | 119 Mischief | 119 Mill Song | 119 Col. Warwick | 117 *Roscoe | 117 Curriculum | 114 Larose | 114 Duke of Orleans | 114 *Belle Kinmey | 114 *Tawasentha | 114 | 114 | 114 | 114 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115

Fourth race, 11-16 of a mile:
 Comp. Interest.
 107
 Rustler
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 Mrs. Neugent.
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 Ed B.
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 Fifth race, 1 mile, selling:
 112
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 Benvolio.
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 Tancred.
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 Silver Wedding.
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 The Reprobate.
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 Cholk Hedrick.
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 Boloman.
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 Harmakis.
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 Queen.
 Alamo.
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 Red Wood II.
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 Rotou.
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 *Funnyside.
 104
 *Santa.
 Ray.
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 Sixth race, 7½ furliongs:
 A. Muskody.
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 Graphite.
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 Fred Bent.
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 Massa.
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 Judge Nelson.
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 Woolma.
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VICTORIA SQUARE.

Close of Contest Adds Zest to the

and Richard Blain, M.P., Peel, mountfound it, if possible, doubly intensified. Filled to overflowing, the building was

entrance at all. Thomas Frisby presided, and the only interruptions were those engendered by the overflowing enthusiasm of Capt.

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John Maughan & Sons, insurance nue and Elm-street. agents, and a partner in the now insolvent Novelty Advertising Co., 291 West King-street, has left the city, resulting in the failure of the latter

oncern, E. R. C. Clarkson, the liquithe record of the Conservative government in Ontario, the delight of his hearers knew no bounds, and he was cheerde again and again.

Richard Blain, M.P., was very effective and ably reviewed the fiscal and general policy of the government.

The gathering to-night was conceded to have been the best held in this district in years, and cannot fail to exercise a great influence in favor of the Conservative candidate.

concern, E. R. C. Clarkson, the liquidator, is preparing a statement. The net liabilities are placed at \$9000.

Mr. Maughan left the city a week ago. He was still a sick man from the effects of an electric shock which he suffered while operating the limelight machine at Massey Hall during the Janapese Honeymoon production.

The shortage was discovered in the account of Dale & Co., insurance brokers of Montreal, due to enquiries being made with regard to express orders

and collected many premiums, but fail. ed to make returns and the accounts are still owing on the books.

It is thought the money must nave been sunk in the Advertising Novelty business. He was also interested in the Jewish Theatre, University-ave-

DISABLED SHIP REPORTED.

6.30 this evening signalled that she had been in communication with the Can-adian Pacific liner Empress of Britain from St. John, N.B., for Liverpool, which reported that she had spoken with the British steamer Cambrian bound from London for Philadelphia in latitude 50, longitude 30, with shaft

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J. Elliott, J. McFarren, J. W. Paisley, I. Bates, Dr. Noble, Ald. McBride and C. Ray were amongst the onlookers present.

3. Hale, 112 (Carroll), 2 to 1.
Time, 1.29.
Also ran: Sibari, Big Store, Alta Spa, Surety, St. Albans, Seven Bells.
SECOND RACE, mile:
1. Bill Pullman, 105 (Sandy), 6 to 1.
2. Warden Yell, 108 (Hayes), 20 to 1.
3. Buto, 105 (Lynch), 5 to 1.
Time, 1.45 3-5.
Also ran: High Gun, Altair, Bardonia, J. K. Neal, Vronsky, Sangil.
Banlord threw his rider.
THIRD RACE, 5 furlongs:
1. Burleigh, 104 (W. Miller), 4 to 5.
2. Native Son, 99 (Lynch), 18 to 5.
3. St. Francis, 107 (Gargan), 9 to 1.
Time, 1.01 1-5.
Also ran: Deutschland, Billy Mayhem, Down Patrick.
FOURTH RACE, 1 1-16 miles:
1. Blanche C., 99 (Heatherton), 5 to 2.
2. Edith James 107 (Rorel), 15 to 1. 2. Edith James, 107 (Borel), 5 to 2. 3. Lasell, 107 (Davis), 5 to 1. Time, 1.49 1-5.

games. Score:, 1 2 3 T'l. 48 167 160 475-122 165 132-419 172 189 152-463 135 105 95-3:5 65 162 159-486 Time, 1.49 1-5.
Also ran: Beechwood, Fury, Lone
Wolf, Warte Nicht, Daniel C., Netting.
FIFTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
1. Prince Brutus, 109 (Davis), 5 to 1.
2. Castile, 88 (Gilbert), 50 to 1.
3. Agnola, 104 (Walsh), 13 to 1.
Time, 1.15 1-5.
Also ran: Senator Warner, Meada, Heather Scot, Celeres, Margaret Handolph,
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3. St. Elmwood, 107 (Davis), 9 to 5. Time, 1.29 1-5. Also ran: Red Ball.

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SECOND RACE—Alsono, Martius, Miss

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19.—The feature event at the Fair Grounds was the fourth race at one mile, in which a field of seven went to the post. Miss Mazzoni, at 11 to 5, coupled in the betting with St. Ilario, was the winner, beating La Jeunesse, the 9 to 20 favorite. St. Ilaro ran second with the favorite third. Summary:

FIRST RACE—Bscamado, La Londe, Sir Russell.

SECOND RACE—Progress, Adoration, Nihlock.

THIRD RACE—Silbersewanz, Laudable, Tom Shaw.

FOURTH RACE—Gorgalette, J. N. Donohue, Prince Nap.

FIFTH RACE—Magazine, Stanley Fay, All Alone.

SIXTH RACE—Gromobol, Arragan, Nadzu.

FIRST RACE — Ethel Abbott, Lovey,
Mary, Red Era.
SECOND RACE—Tawasentha, Shady,
Lad, Belle Kinney.
THIRD RACE—King of Mist, Miss May

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Third race, 1 mile and a furlong, sell-

Fight-A Fine Meeting. VICTORIA SQUARE, Dec. 19.-Enthusiasm ran high to-night when Capt. Tom Wallace, R. R. Gamey, M.L.A., ed the platform in Temperance Hall here, at a gathering held in the interest of the Conservative candidate, but the close of the meeting

all too small to accommodate the crowd, and numbers were unable to obtain an

Tom's supporters.

The candidate spoke briefly, and, as at all the other meetings, created a splen-R. R. Gamey was in magnificent florm and as he scored point after point against the Laurier administration and emphasized their disregord of pre-elec-tion pledges, contrasting them with

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on the property voters' lists. Of course but 20,000 and 80,000 may be near enough for practical consideration.

The 800 Electric Light people want to dragoon the 20,000 property owners, and thru them boss the general army of 80,000 citizen voters into boosting the Electric Light Company dividends at the public expense. Of course, this is an excellent business policy from the Electric Light Company's point of view. They are spending thousands of dollars to convince the people that charity begins with Electric Light Com. pany dividends. They would not spend these thousands of dollars if it was not good business to get the people to forget their own interests.

Of course, it is to the people's intercompany to carry the power distribution bylaw, or the company would not oppose it. As Stuart Lyon of The the city bought the company out, water and all, there would be a saving of Sarah Emily Sheepway has taken \$85,000 on interest alone to the action against her husband, Frederick and all, there would be a saving of saved to the general taxpayers on to the taxpayers every year. This is a very modest estimate. If the Electric defendants in an action brought to re-Light Company was issuing a prospectus on this basis they would easily show on the capitalization of \$5,000,000, which now carries \$368,000 interest charges, \$200,000 a year interest saved have now taken proceedings to recover on four per cent. city bonds. . But, taking Mr. Lyon's less favorable figure, which includes the cost of power, \$175.000 represents about \$4,500,000 capitalization. The Electric Light Company naturally want to have that weight of capital on their side rather

than the city's. But this is not the only advantage to the city. The power policy not only dismissed without costs. makes for lower taxation, but it makes for more money in the pockets of the taxpayers to meet their bills with.

also cheaper gas by reason of the com- killed thru the alleged violent shuntpetition. Cheaper light and power means greater wage-paying capacity on the part of the employer and great- Cartwright for an order directing parer wage-earning capacity on the part

The working men of the city are being loaded up with Electric Light Company arguments that it is of no advantage to them to have cheap power and light in the city. The only advantage will be to the manufacturer, say the electric people. If this were so, which it is not, the Electric Light Company might be consistent and inform the workingman that it is of no advantage to him to vote for the Toronto Electric Light Company either. The company might even go further and point out to the workingman, who believes in the greatest good for the greatest number, that it would be wiser to vote for the manufacturers, of whom there are thousands, than for the Electric Light Company's shareholders, of whom there are only 800. Every workingman in Toronto has a natural ambition to rise in the world, probably to become a manufacturer in a small way himself some day, when cheap power arrives and the small manufacturer, against whom the Electric Light Company now discriminates, gets a chance to do business. Every workingman also desires to have a comfortable home, and cheap light is one of the first con-

siderations in making one. The passage of the bylaw depends on the influence which the 800 electric light people are able to exert over the 20,000 property voters. It is pretty certain that the 20,000 property voters will consider their own interests, vote for the bylaw and increase the value of Toronto as a residence and busi-

ness centre. The 80,000 general electors, including the workingmen, will take care that if they cannot vote for the bylaw they will vote for those who will vote for it, and will elect a mayor, controllers and aldermen who are absolutely pledged to forward the interests of the city in general, even if the 500 Electric Light Company shareholders have to seize the present favorable opportunity for reinvesting their cash in other securities.

WHY IT IS WALLACE.

Big-hearted Tom Wallace, full of destre to serve his fellow countrymen, and to put into practice the heritage of ideals handed down to him by his father, N. Clarke Wallace, is the sort of man to represent Centre York in

parliament. He is a typical young Canadian. Canada is yet a young country; that she may make progress toward her destiny as a nation requires the enthusiasm, the optimism, the physical, mental and moral strength of virile youth. If we were to hunt over the province we could pick no one possessing these qualities

not what sort of PARTY MAN is he? It is to an enlightened Centre York

If Capt. Wallace is sent to parliament nspiration imparted to him by his ather's great career, and his own policical tendencies, mark him out as an deal representative of his fellow-coun-rymen. He is the sort of man Centre

AT OSGOODE HALL

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Master's Chambers Cartwright master at 11 a.m. Judges' Chambers. The Hon. Chief Justice Meredith, at

Divisional Court. This court has completed its sittings

January.
Toronto Non-Jury Sittings. There is no list for to-day. Nurse and Companion.

Ellen Smith of Toronto has begun proceedings against Achille Gossi, Harley Smith, John O'Connor and W. E. MacKay, as exeutors of the will of Angelina Maria Canessa, deceased, to recover \$265 for services alleged Globe demonstrated at St. George's have been rendered by her as nurse and companion of deceased during a period of four years.

Alimony Action.

She is asking \$15 per week interim ali-Overdue Note.

The Churchill Manufacturing Co., Claude Armstrong and C. A. Craw-ford, all of Toronto, have been made cover \$5071.10 on an overdue promissory

Lawyers Are Plaintiffs. For professional services amounting to \$302.57. Denton, Dunn & Boultbee that amount from Andrew Boyd o

A Balance Due. Joseph G. Dixon of Rosseau has be Orillia, claiming \$727.50, being the bal-

contract. The action brought by Esther Klein and Samuel Klein against the City of Toronto has, on consent, now

Three Horses Died. A. J. Limin of Hamilton, in March.

1906, shipped 16 horses by C. P. R. to
Lang, Sask. Before the horses arrived ing of the car in which the animals were being carried. The company iculars of the places where, along the the violent shunting occur-His lordship directed that Limin

must give the best particulars he can. Arlo Wells, a lineman on the tele-

BARGAIN NO. 16

Bell Piano Warerooms 146 Yonge Street.

phone line of Fort William, was riding home on a street car in April last, and knowing the conductor, the two got into a friendly scuffle on the rear of the car. The conductor made a feint of kicking at Wells as he was about to alight, and Wells, in an attempt to dedge the supposed kicking at women terming to dedge the supposed kicking at women. tempt to dodge the supposed kick, slipped off the car and was seriously injured. Wells sued the company for damages. Judge Clute has now given judgment in favor of Wells, allowing him \$2000 damages and costs of action. who are property owners.
City Can't Compel

not compel them to lay their wires un-James Broome, who has been climb-ing the back fence to get in and out of his rooms at 702 Dundas-street, because Landlord Mallon had nailed up or locked the front doors, yesterday argued his case before Chief Justice Meredith, and was successful in securing an agreement by which he will have peaceful possession until April 17. last Friday but one in December each year, and that the polls be kept open from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., but as the committee was indifferent he withdrey

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

KINGSTON-Douglas Watts, C.E., a bright young Canadian of Toronto, and medal graduate of the Royal Military College of Kingston, will go to Mexico and practise his profession.

by a yard engine when about to board destroyed last summer. The ferry com-another train, which was being made pany to pay \$3600 a year rental.

As the Municipal Act gives Toronto

MONTREAL-The Papal Ablegate in Canada will be asked to consider the complaint of a section of St. Patrick's parish over the removal of Father Marparish, and at the close of last night's meeting of parishioners it was decided to send a delegation to Ottawa to call

taking to improve the properties since they were taken over last May. PORT HURON-George Gregory. A vote of thanks to the retiring chairman, Ald. Keeler, was moved by well-known driller of Petrolea, Ont., was held up and robbed of \$40. Ald. Church, and the usual kind things



FURRIERS

Queen Alexandra

AND

H. R. H. **Prince of Wales**

Suggestions for Men's Gifts.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS who find it difficult to decide on their gift purchases will be interested in this list of suggestions selected from our men's department.

While the price range is very extensive, even the most inexpensive article mentioned is certain to be appreciated by any man, because of its practical utility.

Leather Hat Boxes, square or bucket style, to hold one, two or three hats, are priced from \$6.50 to \$18.00.

Dents' and Fownes' Gloves. unlined. \$1.00 to \$2.00. Wool lined, \$2.25 to \$3.00. Fur lined, \$3.00 to \$8.00.

Men's Umbrellas, with boxwood, gun metal or buck-horn handles, \$2.50 to \$7.00. A Silk or Opera Hat might be very appropriate. Silk

Hats are \$6.50 to \$8.00. Opera Hats, \$5.00 to \$6.50. Suitable for the "very young man" are snowshoes. \$1.50 to \$3.50. Moccasins, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Toboggans, \$2.00 to \$4.00. Hockey \$2.00 to \$4.00. Hockey Deques and Caps, 50c and \$1.00.

Men's Fur Caps, in wedge, driver, Prince and Klondike shape, Persian lamb, \$9.00 to \$15.00; sealskin, \$14.00 to \$30.00; otter, \$25.00 to \$50.00; mink, \$18.00 to \$60.00.

Buy him Fur Gauntlets. We make all our gauntlets with leather lined cuffs, and fur lined palms and fingers, be-sides putting a wind break of fur around the wrist. Per-sian lamb, \$14.00 to \$25.00; otter, \$18.00 to \$35.00; seal-skin, \$15.00 to \$30.00.

The gift of gifts for a man would be a Fur-lined Coat. Of course, if the one you selected did not fit, we would exchange it for one that did. Lined with muskrat, with an otter or Persian lamb collar, prices are \$65.00, \$75.00, \$35.00 and \$90.00. Mink lined, from \$175.00 to \$425.00.

Holt, Renfrew & Co.

5 King Street East.

egislature Will Be Asked to

Sanction the Idea-Plan for

New Ferry Sheds.

Ald. Bengough's idea of local option

y wards cucceeded in winning its way thru the legislation and reception

mmittee yesterday, with Ald. Chis-

mornings.

and \$5.00.

\$2.65 and \$3.50.

and best for your money.

ties of them. These are from new

shipment of Winslow's high grade

Hockey Skates, pair, 45c, 75c, \$1.25,

\$1.45, \$1.65, \$1.75, \$2.25,

Roller Skates-We're selling quanti- | Hockey Sticks,

roller skates, priced at, pair, \$3.75 Mic - Mac Hockey

Acme Skates, pair.

Celebrated Starr

pair, \$4.50.

and \$1.15.

Ankle Supports,

75c, 95c, \$1

15c, 20c, 25c,

30c and 35c

Skate Straps, pair,

good price reasons for buying.

tainly never lower prices.

olm and Ald. Church in opposition Those who voted in favor of applying

for the permissivee legislation wer Ald. J. J. Graham, Keeler, Bengough

and the mayor.

Ald. Bengough, explained that all that was desired was that the legisla-

ture should give power to the separate wards of the city to decide whether or not they desired local option within their boundaries.

Ald. Keeler sympathized with any movement to do away with hotels in the east and west ends of the city, they being residential, and hotels there being not designed for public accommodation.

Ald. J. J. Graham considered that as Toronto Junetion and Weston had local option, there was no reason why the Sixth Ward should not be included

the chain.

Ald Church declared that the "hiving

The city solicitor reported that as the telephone and telegraph companies had Dominion charters, the city could

New Ferry Sheds.

The property committee approved plans for the new ferry shed. It will

be a wooden structure, theathed in galvanized iron, with a frontage of 70

Fire and Light Committee.

Of even greater brevity were the

Queen, College, Jarvis and Bathurst-

ward to the Don, at an estimated cost of \$200,000.

PARK ENQUIRY

Continued From Page 1.

the city. The second week he had

perintendent of the park for 15 years. He had begun at a salary of \$10.50 a

week, but now got \$16. Since 1902 he had a house in the park, but up to that time had paid his own rent. His

that time had paid his own rent. His house in the park was heated by the

city's coal and lighted with the cfty's coal oil. When he was living in his

of keeping a cow by a resolution of the city council. He had kept chick-

would not buy them. He at present

Knitted Coats

85 King St. West

to hatch pheasant eggs. He had

of the house. Carter on the Stand.

ness box.

The retiring chairman, Ald, McRride

you're looking for a bargain offer for to-day is as follows:

RAVEN & BACON SQUARE

We have a couple of dozen other bargains in planes and organs that we offer at very empting prices. If you cannot call, write or phone us. We will be glad to send you

Open Evgs. Till Christmas.

feet on Lake-street, a depth of 133 feet on the west side and 150 feet on the east side. The ferry shed will be so constructed as to permit of passengers embarking and setting off the upper decks of boats. The cost will be \$15,000 of which there is no head \$12,000 pairer, 24 years of age, and a married man, was killed here about midnight by a yard engine when about to board destroyed last summer. The ferry company of the structure destroyed last summer.

he right to pass bylaws im weight or measure, the committee, on the advice of the city solicitor, agreed that no extension of powers was cessary in the public interest.

The Island Committee. The island committee proceedings were brief, H. T. A. Fletcher's lease of two lots on Blockhouse Bay, Han-

COBALT—Eyaret Hansen, a Norwe-dian, was killed by an explosion on the having falled to earry out the under-Youngstown property.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway—Mr. Hague he Norwegian minister to the United the Norwegian minister to the United States, died while on a snowshoeing trip. tee. Acting on a joint recommendation of the city architect and Chief Thomp-

kept a horse and colt, fed and shod at

TORONTO

the city's expense.

"Had you any authority for this?"

"No more than for other things.

There was no kick coming." YOUR CHRISTMAS REQUIREMENTS Chambers Objected.

The harness made by Connelly had been paid for thru the city's pay sheet. Connelly had been paid for two weeks' teaming, altho he had not done the

son, the committee agreed that the teamis class A, brick limit should be extend-ed to include the district bounded by "Did "Did Mr. Chambers know of this?" "Some time after he learned of it, retiring chairman, Ald. McBride said there was nothing dishonest in it Architect McCallum and Fire and I still maintain that it was not

City Architect McCallum and Fire Chief Thompson were included in a resolution of thanks, and each replied.

The chief remarked that he had made from 300 to 400 personal inspections of Park for \$65. Carter said that the smwans had cost him \$64 and some odd cents. The money he paid for them The board of control yesterday decided in favor of allowing a celluloid factory to locate on the south side of cueen-street, near Jameson-avenue. next item was two blis for blackslifting, which had been paid twice. Mr. Carter said that sometimes these bills were sent to him to be approved and oftener were not. Only one of the bills in question had been passed by

> In answer to further enquiries. Mr Carter admitted that he bought and sold birds to other zoos. Texas, Portland. Me, and Buffalo were the only three places which he could remember having sent hirds. He said, however. that he sent birds to most of the zoos in America "Did you keep these birds in the

"Yes.

spent altogether at the house and was "At the city's expense?" paid by Barrett. The third week was "Yes." divided between the house and the

park, and at the end of it he was paid in cash by Carter. He remembered "None this year. Some one kicked some sheeting having been bought Mr. Chambers, I think."
from the Rosedale ravine for the roof "Were any of the b "Were any of the birds you away born in the zoo?"

When E. H. Carter, the superintend-The superintendent had spent end of the Riverdale Park, was called days in Quebec in connection with the Mr. Hall, his counsel, objected. "This is an investigation, not a trial," remarked Judge Winchester, who requested Mr. Carter to go into the witthe commissioner's consent and only compensation received was pay-ment for birds which Carter had secured and sent to Quebec. In answer to Mr. Raney's questions Mr. Carter said that he had been su-

Who Paid for the Brick? Barrett's house, said Mr. Carter, had been built on shares. Each owned a half interest and each had paid half of the bills. Nothing from the nark and none of the city's money had gone into it. He had ordered the bricks from the Don Valley yards and had given instructions that they should be own house he had got wood from the city. He had been given the privilege. charged to him personally. He had just recently discovered that no bill had ever been sent to him.
"Was the bill sent to the city?"

"I don't think so." "Would you be surprised to learn that it was."

Thruout a long examination Mr. Carter denied having appropriated for his own use any of the supplies bought for the animals. Oranges, bananas, pea-nuts and pineapples had been bought are correct now for Sleighing, Hockey or any Outdoor Sport. Equally good for the monkeys; bread for the pheafor Ladies and Gentlemen. The investigation will be resumed We have them in every combination of this morning.

Stays Closed. Chief Justice Meredith has refused Wreyford & Co. the city's application for a re-opening of its old suit with the Milatho Roofing Company over the contract for roofing St. Lawrence market,

Queen Air Rifles, each \$1.50. Air Rifles, 200 shot, each, Shin Guards, pair, Shantymen's, 16 x 42 in., pair, \$3.25 King Air Rifles, 500 shot, each,

Boxing Gloves, youths', \$1.95.

\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.75,

Double-end Striking Bags,

\$4.25.

Men's Boxing Gloves, pair, \$1.85.

Striking Bags, single end, each \$1.25,

\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.75 and

\$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 to

\$1.65. Fencing Masks, each, \$1.25 and Folding Drinking Cups, nickel plated, each, 25c.

Fancy Baskets, in every shape, every style, for every purpose, at every price; fancy flower baskets, work baskets and covered and lined baskets of every description.

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Wherever you go in the store you'll find all the departments in friendly,

Never quite so large Christmas stocks to choose from before—and cer-

though earnest, rivalry to suggest to you Christmas Gifts and give you extra

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date, has a happy combination in the illustrated section of features that will interest everyone.

Faces indicate character to a greater or leus degree and the portraits of the mayoralty candidates will be an interesting study for those clearers.

Complete reports of all sporting and turf events of Saturday afternoon and evening will appear in the News Section of The Sunday World, as well as all the happenings of public interesting study for those clearers. esting study for those electors who have not yet decided whom they will sup-

The frontispiece, depicting seasonable view, peaceful church scenes, a magni ficent evening scene of the local par-liament buildings, and many other pictures for both the grave and the gay. In striking contrast to the vigorous climate of Canada, as depicted in the various local views, are pictures of scenes in Cuba, the Land of Sunshine, where there is neither snow nor ice, and where they do not breed such a vigorous race as those found north of

A striking portrait of one of Toronsal repute.
Athletics are not entirely omitted, as

a group photogravure of the Thistle football team, one of the most popular local organizations will attest.
Things theatrical, both professional and amateur, are lavishly dealt with,

both in picture and prose.

the happenings of public interest, both foreign and local.

The Sunday World is for sale by all newsdealers, newsboys, and on all railway trains.

Be sure you leave your order for

his week's number DOLLAR BOXES OF CIGARS. Select Havana Leaf Cigars for the Christmas Trade.

G. W. Muller has had put in boxes ten cigars made from select Havana leaf. These cigars were boxed especially for the Christmas trade. They A striking portrait of one of Toron-to's prettiest maidens, together with pictures of Canadian artists of univer-Bank Building.

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador—A north-bound passenger train was derailed near Latacunga to-day. Ten persons were either killed or seriously injured. GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador-A Even at this holiday season things material must not be overlooked, and with spring only three months away the analysis of city water.

The Traders Bank of Canada

DIVIDEND NO. 47.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of this Bank has been declared for the current quarter, being at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after-

Thursday, the Second Day of January Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of December .1907, both days inclusive. The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Banking House in Toronto on Tuesiay, January 28th, 1908. Chair to

STUART STRATHY,

Toronto, 16th November, 1907.

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THE WEATHER

JOHN CATTO & SON

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Dec. 19.—3 p.m.—Light snowfalls have occurred to-day in the Georgian Bay region and snow flurries in the lower lake district, otherwise the weather has been fine thruout Canada and temperature changes have been slight.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 16 below—zero; Atlin, 20—30; Port Simpson, 36—42; Victoria, 28—44; Vancouver, 29—36; Kamloops, 12—48; Edmonton, 14—24; Battleford, 14—20; Prince Albert, 4—24; Calgary, 10—20; Regina, 28—62; Winnipeg, 10—22; Port Arthur, 2—28; Parry Sound, 16—30; Toronto, 22—29; Ottawa, 10—23; Montreal, 12—26; Quebec, 8—22; St. John, 18—24; Halifax, 28—32.

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John, 18—27; Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Strong southwesterly winds, with not much change in temperature; a few snow flurries.

Ottawa Valley, Upper St. Lawrence, Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Southwesterly winds, fair and moderately cold; a few snow flurries.

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Ottawa Valley, Upper St. Lawrence, Cottawa Valley, Upper St. Lawrence, Pillow Shams; hand-embroidered Mill make a sure hit for Christmas, and the prices are SPECIAL.

UNDRY EMBROIDERED LINENS—Immense stock of small fancy Linen Pileces, in Tray Cloths, Tea Cloths, Ottawa Pillon Pillow Shams; hand-embroidered Mill make a sure hit for Christmas, and the prices are SPECIAL.

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Pieces, in Tray Cloths, Tea Cloths,
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Table Cloths and Napkins of the same pattern, in regular useful sizes. Special for Christmas, from \$4.50 to \$25.00 per set.

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Traveling Rugs, \$5 \$6, \$8 and \$10 each. Silk Blouse Lengths, Ties, Opera Bags, Sashes, Handkerchiefs, etc., etc., also Fine Saxony Costume Cloths, at 75c, 90c and \$1.50 per yard. Silk Shirt Waists at \$5.00 and \$7.00 each. coman.....Bristol of Ireland.Halifax TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Dec. 20. Old Fort Society, Canadian Institute. 4 p.m.

Brockton Hall, power meeting, 8.
St. Charles Cafe, Ridley College Old LADIES' JACKETS, CLOAKS, SUITS. Boys, 8.

Labor Temple, mass meeting, 8.

Simpson's Hall, North Toronto, Conservative Club smoker, 8. While the Holiday Departments are overflowing, we are endeavoring to sustain interest in the Ladies' Ready-Wear Department on the first floor by making some wonderful price inducements.

McKENNA-On Dec. 18th, at 46 Caroline-avenue, Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKenna, a son.

BUCKLE—At 8 Pembroke-street, on Thursday, Dec. 19th, Amelia, eldest daughter of William Buckle.

A short service at the house on Dec. 21st. Funeral on the arrival of the 3 c'Clck train at Guelph GIBNEY—At the residence of her brother-in-law, A. G. Clements, 252 North Lisgar-street, Toronto, on Thursday, Dec. 19, 1907, Margaret Gibney, daughter of the late Johnston Gibney of Mt. Albert. Deeply regretted.

Funeral private, Saturday, Dec. 21. Kindly omit flowers.

NOVELTY HANDKERCHIEFS— .
Gentlemen's Colored Linen Handkerchiefs; cross-bar patterns; hemstitched; rose, navy, sky, helio,
green and other colors, at 50c each. WHITE—At his late residence, 23 Bolton-avenue, on Thursday, Dec. 19th, 1907, George, beloved husband of Alice Clara White, president of the White, Allan Co., in his 57th year.

Funeral Saturday, 21st instant, at 3 p.m. to the Necropolis. White embroidered spot on colored spot; H. S.; Sheer Linen Handker-chiefs, in green, coral, blue and mauve, at 50c each.

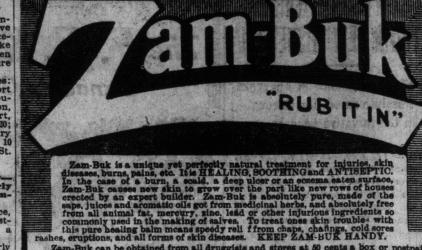
Have a Sleigh Ride. Call up Finn's, Main 6309, for pleasure sleighs and tallyhos.

The new melodramatic musical play hat will be the offering at the Majes-Purest and Best

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ALSO A LARGE VARIETY OF story, which is told to the accompanion of the ment of dainty and catchy music. There are several song hits which give opportunity to present an attractive group.

Christmas trade the Cabanas takes YONGE AND ADELAIDE STS. of chorus girls in the ensembles. Durling the week a matinee will be given
every day.



Witness in the Case of Frank Law Science Master Smyth's Qualifications to Be Passed Upon-A Lively Discussion.

There were no new developments in the conspiracy charge against Frank Law in the afternoon court yesterday. Mr. Lennox succeeded in making Martin, the employe of the Tighe Bros., who accompanied Detective Graham to try and trap Frank Law, take back some of his statements made yester, which recommended the exchange of deritain samples of ore from Law's officer tain samples of ore from Law's officer. Dr. Embree also objected.

After a great deal of discussion concerning affairs at Harbord-street Collegiate, which the authority which the power bylaw will give.

"Resolved, that while in the opinion of this meeting it would be unwise and unnecessary to hamper the incoming council with advice or instructions or Mritations, we trust that when the bylaw shall have been passed the council will meet the first demand of the city for a cheap and efficient supply of electric light and energy, without doing an injustice to any vested interest, sind, if possible, without a duplication of the plants."

Three Deliverages

under local option, with 378,752 total population, one arrest is made for every 42 residents.

In twenty-two Wisconsin cities, under license, with 639,232 population, the arrests are only one for 2 every 98 people.

Local option swaps the reputable bar for the disreputable "speak-easy" with its vile, adulterated liquor; but it never yet has lessened crime nor checked the abuse of alcohol.

Your local jail will be a busjer place if local option carries your town.

ingit company. The motion was on the right lines, and if elected he would again try to have the company expropriated and on liberal terms.

Joseph Oliver replied to one of the Electric Light Company catechists that the city could borrow any money it required for any purpose that produced revenue and sinking fund for itself, such as the power project. It was the manufacturing interests that built up the city, and Toronto would lose its supremacy if it did not encourage the manufacturer by securing cheap power.

Controller Hubbard did not understand how any employe of the Electric Light Company could object to the city being interested in the question. The city was a very much more liberal employer than the company, and they had only to work 8 hours a day. The last time he had enquired he found the Electric Light Company's men were working 12 hours a day.

Resolution Carries.

He concluded by moving the resolu-

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He concluded by moving the resolution carried at previous meetings:

"That while there is no reason to believe that any council elected by the people of Toronto will, under any circumstances, deal unjustly with the Toronto Electric Light Company, the past history of that company and its attitude towards the city make it evident that no bargain or arrangement which will be unfair to the city can be made unless the council shall be first armed with the authority which the power bylaw will give.

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Candy Canes for Christmas trees, from Ic up.

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Our Special, one-pound box, filled

certain samples of ore from Law's of fice.

Martin described seeing another man about 50 years of age on the occasion of his visit to Frank Law. The agreement had been between Law & Co. and Tighe Bros. was produced. It provided for the flotation of certain companies belonging to Tighe Bros. by Law & Co. and Witness said that this agreement had never been carried out. Samples of the core from Tighe Bros in the latter part of October.

Witness contradicted his evidence of the previous day. He said that no samples of ore was taken from Law's office. It was only a piece of paper.

Detective Graham of the Thiel Detective Graham of th

urday evening in the basement of Massey Hall. Every member of the chorus and orchestra is asked to be

Sale of Furs. With the festive season approaching and winter upon us many are thinking of buying furs as presents for their friends, but have been deterred on account of the great cost and the money stringency.

An opportunity occurs for everyone to carry out their wish, as on Monday next Charles M. Henderson & Co. will offer for absolute disposal a large stock of high-class furs, comprising seal jackets, muskrat, otter, racoon, mink, Persian lamb, coats, muffs, steles, ruffs and other articles so dear to the feminine mind. These must be sold regardless of cost, as the owners need ready cash. Consequently those in search of useful Christmas presents should make a point of attending this sale to secure the many snaps that will be offered. The goods are on view at 87 and 89 King east, where the sale will be held commencing at 2.30 p.m. each day until cleared.

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People—12 till 2. Young and Adelaide. Try Watson's Cough Drops.

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way's policy to treat the Junction in the same unfair way as it had treated Toronto. The cutting off of the service was particularly hard upon work-

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77 KING STREET EAST.

chiefs wish to keep in kindly remembrance: G. W. Muller perhaps enjoys a monopoly of this particular trade. Two of the chief reasons are that the Muller seal on a cigar box is a Seal of Quality, and as Mr. Muller imports more Havana and Manila cigars than all the other dealers in Canada com-bined it placed him in a position to give prices and facilities unequaled

One of the pretiest scenes in "The Parislan Model." in which Anna Held will be seen at the Princess Theatre next week, is the last scene of the play which takes place in a skating rink, for which the management of the Princess has had a new maple floor laid over the original stage flooring. This is a scene that invariably creates unusual enthusiasm at every performance, in-asmuch as dozens of daintily-clad skating girls in action, and with grotesque and scientific exhibitions by clever exponents, are seen in full swing at the contract of the curtain giving to the audirise of the curtain, giving to the auditor an idea of reality hard to imagine as being seen on a theatre stage. Miss pring Monday, with a matine on Wedner nesday (Christmas Day) and the usual

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We will deliver them to your residence by the barrel or smaller lots at prices consistent with the quality. "St. Charles, of course," the noted oyster house.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 5. At the request of many ratepayers, I and a candidate for the position of Alderman, and shall take an early opportunity of stating my progressive will be compelled to showel the spontantity of stating my progressive will be compelled to showel the grounds selected. Then, after an hour's prounds selected. Then, after an hour's progressive wards and shall take an early opportunity of stating my progressive would have no means of dissiple made as to provide the proportunity of stating my progressive wards and shall take an early opportunity of stating my progressive wards and shall take an early opportunity of stating my progressive wards and shall take an early opportunity to take a trip on an cean fiyer, which will take you across the Atlantic in less than six days. Our rates are very low. Apply S. J. Sharp, W.P.A., Tl. Yonge-st., Toronto.

Planos to Rent.

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Planos rented on very reasonable terms. Six months' rent allowed in case of purchase. Heintzman & Co., 115-117 West King-street, Toronto.

At the request of many ratepayers, if queried R. J. Fleming.

Re the garbage trouble, the reeve said the council for he garbage trouble the reeve wards and an opportunity of stating my progressive wards and shall the council for take an early opportunity of stating my progressive wards and shall council for the drive deal and vance. At the end of the drive the snowshoes will be tited on, the toboggans loaded, and the start made for the camp of tents, with the quality. The Bracondale district is similar to the one in which he residually propared and a special training given in its use. In addition to the council of Robert Barker, second deputy reeve, who was absent.

A Christmas Cabanas.

A Christmas Cabanas. A prominent Montreal merchant said that if Canada was nearer England we should not be so easily influenced by

the noise of a commercial nightmare in the United States. Canada has not lost her natural resources, and the de-

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Claret, "CHATEAU

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ASK YOUR WINE MERCHANT FOR THEM

SENSATION AT GUELPH.

Treasurer Charged With Accepting a Double Rental.

GUELPH, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Quite

to Capt. Clarke he was referred to the of evidence is begun.

It is said Thaw's wife may spring extinguished the lights and loot it unders of the charges, at once ordered another surprise at the next trial. investigation, and called a meeting

sane when he shot White, and that he shack on Durham-street, and was considered by all her neighbors a most deserving subject for charity, had been anying \$2.50 a month for rent of the fived.

A man connected with the case, and close to Thaw's new counsel, said to be absolutely crazy. The second trial will be much shorter than the first."

Thaw's lawyer expects to reach an agreement with the district attorney, by which his prisoner will be sent to the month from the relief officer in payment of the rent.

When Mr. Stevens reported the case the jury is chosen and before the taking to Capt. Clarke he was referred to the

was a Quebec Man.

OTTAWA, Dec. 19—The man supposed to have been J. Moore of Ottawa, who committed suicide in Alexandria ways been to have six French and six Monday night has been identified ways been to have six French and six Monday night has been identified ways been to have six French and six Monday night has been identified ways been to have six French and six Monday night has been identified ways been to have six French and six Monday night. last Monday night, has been identified ways been to have six French and six as J. D. Champigny of Maniwaki, Que. Englishmen on a mixed jury.

THAW WILL PLEAD INSANITY. DARING ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY Prisoner Will Probably Be Sent to Young Man's Desperate Effort to Get

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. The second PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19. Charged sensation was created in the civic of- trial of Harry K. Thaw for the four- with making a daring attempt to rob as sensation was created in the civic offices here to-day, when William Stevens, a resident on Durham-street, reported to Capt. Clarke, the city relief
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last night, William A. Hewitt, who ens, a resident on Durham-street, reported to Capt. Clarke, the city relief officer, that Mrs. Fisher, an old colored forman who lived in a miserable little sane when he shot White, and that he last night, William A. Hewitt, who nizable shape.

Spoke English and Qualified.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—That Englishspeaking means able to speak English, Hewitt, who is 21 years old, gives the Four Years.

Speaking means able to speak English, and not of Anglo-Saxon descent, was day by Magistrate Denison to four the remarkable decision of Judge Curnary was in the penitentiary for assault vesterday.

In a case in the civil courts, the decision of the billiard-room of a local hotel, and work-leaves the letter city Hawitt want to

700 UNEMPLOYED.

Over 700 unemployed have registered at St. Andrew's market, the great maat St. Andrew's market, the great majority being new arrivals, who have been in the country less than a year, but one man has been here 35 years, two others 28 years and many from five to ten years. Every branch of industry is represented. dustry is represented.

At the eastern yards, foot of Frederick-street, only a few have applied.

On Saturday morning the men will hold a mass meeting, when it is expected John Holdse, the British M.P. pected John Hodge, the British M.P., will address them.

Chairman Has Resigned. OTTAWA. Dec. 19. Stewart McCle-naghan, chairman of the license com-

Bulgarians Deported. Nineteen Bulgarians were gathered in the city by the Provincial Immigration Department and shipped home from the Union Station vesterday at

May Put Jail on a Farm. Inspector James L. Hughes, who is in California, has been asked by the pro-vincial secretary to visit Cleveland

the expense of the department.

Scott and Latchford Mentioned. OTTAWA. Ont., Dec. 19.—Mayor scott and F. R. Latchford, K.C., are two prominent Ottawans mentioned as likely to be appointed to the Railway

Note of Independence in Speeches -Resolutions of Confidence in Conservative Leaders.

LINDSAY, Dec. 19.-(Special.)-An nthusiastic convention of the Conservative electors of Victoria and Haliurton met in the Academy of Music, Lindsay, this afternoon to choose a andidate for the party for the Dominon elections and for other business

candidate for the party for the Dominion elections and for other business. Authorized delegates numbering 387 were present and fully 300 other staunch Conservatives were in attendance.

The following names were placed in nomination before the convention: Col. S. Hughes, M.P., Dr. A. E. Vrooman, ex-M.P., James Boxall, Dr. Wood, John Carew, Johnston Ellis and George A. Jordan of Lindsay, Dr. Ross of Kirkfield, and Archie Campbell of Woodville. All those named addressed the convention in brief speeches.

A note of independence was very evident in the convention, which, however, seemed to be a unit in endorsing the platform of R. L. Borden and the administration of the Whitney government. After brief speeches, in which some independent criticism was made, all the nominees retired except Colonel Hughes and Dr. Vrooman. These two were ballotted on and Colonel Hughes secured 330 votes and Dr. Vrooman 57. A resolution was then passed that all endorse the chosen candidate. This was passed with some dissenting voices. Very strong and fully unanimous resolutions were passed expressing "Unbounded confidence in the Dominion leader, R. L. Borden, and placing on record approval of his course in and out of parliament in exposing wrongdoing, suppressing graft and in advocating all the other important planks in the Liberal-Conservative platform. "We strongly commend his sterling loyalty to the best interests of Canada as a part of the empire, and of the empire as a whole," concluded the resolution, which was moved by Vice-President Delamere and seconded by J. H. Carnegie, M.L.A.

Another resolution that passed enthusiastically was in support and approval of the policy and administration of the Whitney government, and pledgging the convention to support the return of the Ontario Conservative Government.)

The big gathering was addressed after business had been concluded by W.

the big gathering was addressed arter business had been concluded by W. F. McCarty, M.P., of Calgary, and Major George W. Fowler, M.P., of New Brunswick, both of whom gave admir-

awa Government and scored the ac tion of the government in such cases as the cruise of the Arctic, the Quebec bridge and many other big and little

where the Bay of Quinte Railway cross-es Montreal-street. As the 4 o'clock train going north approached this

The Poultry Association have completed all arrangements for their 14th annual show, which opens one week from to-day. Entries have been re-ceived from as far west as Milton, Guelph, Seaforth and London, and from the east as far as Epsom, Athens and

medals and other trophies, offered for competition. Ed Mack has allowed the Grimsley, all Wyandottes, and Joe Bennett, all other varieties.

STANSTEAD NOMINATIONS.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—(Special)-

This Is For You.

This is largely due to the peculiar habits missioners. has sent his resignation to Mr. Hanna to-day. It is said that the politicians are after his fob, and he does not want to wait until he is fired. McClenaghan is a leading Conservative, and was appointed by the Whitney government.

of life and fashion, and the improper training of girlheod. Then, too, the physical changes that mark the three eras of woman-hood (the maiden, the wife, and the mother) have much to do with her sufferings, most government. of which are endured in silence, unknown by even the family physician and most in-

To all such whose hollow cheeks, pale faces, sunken eyes at feeble footsteps, indicate nervousness, palpitation of the heart, weak, faint and dizzy spells, we would earnestly recommend a course of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

burn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I got one box and that helped me so much I sent and got five more. I am now cured com-pletely."

Commission when that body is aug- per box or three boxes for \$1.25, at all Owen Sound had a deputation vesterday of ask Hon. Mr. Hanna to look after the inforcement of the local option law there.

THO A FEW DISSENTED The F. E. KARN CO., Limited

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great store. We have over \$10,000 worth of Christmas goods, which must be cleared out by next Tuesday night regardless of cost. Every article in our great stock is marked down for this great sale, in addition to our Holiday lines all our regular drug store goods will be sold below our usual cut-rate price.

The oting Contest

How the candidates stand up to Wednesday night, De-

| cember 18th:— | |
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| Miss Ida Grant | 05,415 |
| Miss Sproule 18 | 39,635 |
| | 33,525 |
| Miss Jennie Ferguson | 07,545 |
| Miss Burber | 35,000 |
| | 6.880 |
| Miss Slight | 12,210 |
| Miss Townsend | 6.185 |
| | 9.237 |
| Miss Cora Jackson | 7,115 |
| Miss Gladys Webster 8 | 6.450 |
| Miss Edna Arno 8 | 16.000 |
| Miss Marion McLean 2 | 4.995 |
| Miss E. Clark 8 | 0.000 |
| Miss Lou Simons 2 | 7.135 |
| Miss B. Campbell 2 | 6,520 |
| Miss Clara Bonnick | 6.455 |
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| Miss Heron | 1.070 |
| | 0,125 |
| Miss Ethel Little | 0.000 |
| Miles W Olf-L | 0.000 |
| | 6.025 |

are holding back ballots should deposit hem at once, as polls close Dec. 21 at 10 p.m. You have the rest of the weel to force your name to the top, and th 'get busy," too. Remember the prizes "get busy," too. Remember the prizes are worth \$122.75, so it's worth while working your name up towards the head of the list. We give above the names of the twenty-eight leaders. There are only twenty prizes, so there's something to do for some of you yet. Scores, whose votes have fallen below these figures have been left off, but if they work and get more votes, they can be back among the winners. Once more we warn the candidates to "get busy." Ask your friends to buy at Karn's, where the best bargains come from, and get ballots for you in this contest. Remember, 5c purchase secures 10 votes, 25c, one hundred votes, 50c, one thousand votes, \$1, five thousand votes.

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There is nothing so acceptable and erviceable as a Perfume Atomizer a lady. We have just placed in all the latest styles. These ator were imported by us direct from Europe, and we will sell them to you much cheaper than any other nouse in Toronto. We have them in all the latest styles and patterns. Prices ranging from 50e to \$4.00.

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The Great English Remedy,
Tones and invigorates the whole
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Blood in old Veine. Cures Nervous
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giain ples, on receipt of price. New pumphi

The New National Club. NEW YORK, Dec 19.—A. N. Burbank, president of the International Paper Co., announced to-day that his company has practically completed the purchase of a tract of 550 square miles of spruce land in New Brunswick.

"We have been compelled to advance the price of paper for 1908 delivery," he said. "Newspaper is now quoted to largest consumers at from 21-2 to 25-8 cents per pound. A year ago it sold at 2 cents a pound."

In fitting up the new club-house at management have certainly furnished all departments in a thoroly first-class and upto-date manner. The grand billiard lock-up—are all of polished mahogany, to match the tables, and have a capacity for 250 cues, viz., 154 locked and 36 cents per pound. A year ago it sold at 2 cents a pound."

some and massive design, manufactured by Samuel May & Co. to order for the club. They are built with 1 1-2-inch slate beds, brass doweled and fitted with invisible steel cushion rails, to which are attached the latest improved extra low and quick cushions of pure "Para" rubber, cured by a special formula, which renders the rubber frostmula, which renders the rubber frost-proof, very elastic and durable; the whole covered with "Simonis" best cloth; the pocket plates and corners

nets. All the tables are supplied with ivory billiard balls and hand-made

Jook's Cotton Root Compound

DYSPEPSIA is common among business and professional men of sedentary habits, or those subject to ex-

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cessive mental strain.

-A BIG BRACING TONIC

is an excellent tonic for the digestive tract, and will prove most beneficial in all forms of Dyspepsia or Indigestion—That's the point.

BIG BOTTLE

EVERYWHERE

BOY HELD HIS SLEIGH.

crossing, Kenneth Hughes, aged seven; with two little girls, were crossing the track, the lad pulling a small sleigh. The wind was blowing in a direction which prevented the children hearing

TORONTO POULTRY SHOW.

There are 11 silver cups, besides association the use of his window now to be seen on exhibition there. The show will be open to the public Friday, Dec. 27, at 5 p.m., by which time the judging will be completed and all the prize tickets placed. The judges who will place the awards are: W. J. Wolfe, all Mediterraneans; Charles

At the Conservative nomination in the County of Stanstead to-day A. H. Moore, ex-M.P., was nominated to contest that constituency for the House

Invalid LadieS

There are thousands of females who suffer untold miseries common to their sex.

timate friends.

Mrs. Jos. Sharp, Brighton, Ont., writes: when on his return journey, and report to the government on the farm system of conducting jails

Mrs. Jos. Sharp, Digiton, Onc., writes.

"I was troubled with palpitation of the heart, weak spells and nervous trouble, and found no relief until advised to try Mil.

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Athens Council Wants Three Rate on B. W. & N.

BROCKVILLE, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—
R. G. Murphy, secretary of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association, has handed out the following as the list of the new board of directors of the association for next year, elected at the various division meetings thruout the jurisdiction: John H. Singleton, Smith's Falls; Neil Fraser, Vankleek Hill; Edward Kidd, North Gower; John Carscaden,

Kidd, North Gower; John Carscaden, Russell; Leslie Foster, Newington; C. F. Whittaker, North Williamsburg; Jas S. Anderson, Kemptville; John R. Dargavel, Elgin; Senator Derbyshire, Brockville; T. A. Thompson, Almonte; Jos McGraw, Mount Chesney; W. J. Paul, M.L.A., Tamworth; James Whitton, Wellman's Corners; T. B. Carlow, Warkworth; G. A. Gillespie, Peterboro; Henry derson, Mountain View; G. G. Publow, Kingston.

According to an official statement, in its treatment of the rural schools of the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the people. The last instalments of the grants for 1907 have just been paid over to the country treasurers to be distributed among the rural school sections. The grants this year were paid under the new system, which is designed to necourage betterment of the rural schools of the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the people. The last instalments of the grants for 1907 have just been paid over to the country treasurers to be distributed among the rural school sections. The grants this year were paid under the new system, which is designed to necourage betterment of the rural schools of the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed its promises to the province, the Whitney government has more than redeemed, in the control of the centres above named is there a store of Sellers-Gough, corner of Yonge and Louisa streets.

The firm have concentrated their energies on furs and deal exclusively in these lines. They have not dabbied in any other lines, and can do

Thousands Present. ROME, Dec. 19.—The Pope this morning personally conducted the ceremony of the public consistory, which was attended by thousands of invited persons, especially foreigners.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Liscombe Serrelle. an author, died to-day at Molgely-on-Thames. He had an adventurous career in South Africa and was a friend of Cecil Blades.

Succession Dues.

The Succession Dues Department have received a cheque for \$7370 from the estate of W. B. Hamilton, and one for \$7857 from the estate of J. J.



Every Drop Delights

This is the cider with the flavor and sparkle of fine champagne, without any intoxicant quality. Made from big, mellow, ripe apples, in the way that retains the apple-flavor, and bottled in the cleanliest way you could imagine. You have drank nothing quite so pleasing as York Cider. Try it judge for yourselfvour dealer sells it.

THE MINERAL SPRINGS OF TORONTO

INVINENDED AND DRUWIN

Provincial Government Distributing Nearly Three Times as Much

Now as in 1904.

The Athens Council has passed a re-ment as well as to help the poorer schools. solution asking the minister of rail-ways and canals to place the matter of a three-cent rate on the B., W. & N. Railway before the railway commission.

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The Northern Ontario district schools have benefited even in a larger ratio, the amount of the grants paid in 1904 being \$47,912, and this year the amounts paid total \$81,580.

Prediction of Another Disaster. NEW YORK. Dec. 19.—That the new Hudson menorial bridge planned to span the Spuyten Duyvil Creek and to cost \$4.000,000, is liable to furnish New York with a bridge horror surpassing the recent disaster at Quebac, is the fear expressed by Engineering News in its issue of to-day which save:

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Richard Gordon, a Legro porter at the branch office of the United States Express Company from whom apackage containing \$32,000 worth of diamonds disappeared last Saturday night, was arrested to-night on a charge of being a signicious person.

The annual sale of furs and fur garments at the Sellers-Gough Store is now in full swing. The sale lends and ditional interest to the commanding position this firm occupies in the fur trade of Canada.

It is a great sight to go through this immense establishment. No wealth of description can adequately portray the immensity of the stock.

There are great fur stores in London, in Paris, in Stockholm and New York, but it is conceded that in none of the centres above named is there a store so completely or so handsomely furnished as the store of Sellers-Gough, corner of Yonge and Louisa streets.

The fifm have concentrated their energies on furs and fur garments, and deal exclusively in these lines.

The sale read there thrucut the salesrooms are standing in mute docility the musk ox, Bengal tigers, a grizzly bear or two, some fine specific mens of seals, the lynx, wildcat, elk, cariboo, deer and foxes.

Large sums have been spent in securing these animals, and one is almost disposed to think at times that they are in the midst of a forest filled with wild animals, so real is the impression. In the ladies' fitting room, waiting room, or salesroom, you are impressed with the tremendous amount of money spent on these rich and rare skins which adorn the floors.

And what of the fur rugs are, scattered, over the carpet, in polar bear, tigers and leopards, while here and there thrucut the salesrooms are standing in mute docility the musk ox, Bengal tigers, a grizzly bear or two, some fine specific mens of seals, the lynx, wildcat, elk, cariboo, deer and foxes.

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And what of the fur on sale? Ay,

ployed in the workrooms—three floors devoted to manufacturing, half a dozen expert designers, thirty-two cut-ters, and a stock of goods reaching over a quarter million dollars in value. What a place to buy furs! Everything you want, and many lines you cannot get elsewhere. There are twenty thousand feet of floor space occupied by the firm. The entrance on Yonge street is a marvel of ingenious ed by heavy sopper of ornate design and the floor entrances in marble mo-4,047.72
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most expensively appointed on the
continent, thousands of dollars having been spent in its fitting. The carpet covers five thousand feet of flooring, and is a rich Axminster in two colors. The side walls are in crimson buriap,

A COUGH COLD IS DANGEROUS.

There are different kinds of colds, and various ways in which they affect different. people. Some constitutions will throw of a light cold, while to others it will stick tenaciously. There is one kind-the kind accompanied by a cough, the kind that turns to bronchitis, the kind that ends in consumption — that should never be neg-

Many a life history would read different if, on the first appearance of a cough, it had been remedied with

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

This syrup contains all the virtues of the "Norway Pine Tree," combined with Wild Cherry Bark, and the soothing, healing and expectorant properties of other excellent herbs and barks.

pressed by Engineering News in its issue of to-day, which says:

"The accumulated knowledge and experience of the engineering profession is not now sufficient to build a concrete arch of 702 feet span with the assurance of safety that the public properly demands."

\$32,000 Package Lost.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Richard Gordon.

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Regro porter at the branch office of the was completely cured."

Re careful in purchasing so see that you Pine.

Be careful in purchasing so see that you get the genuine Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark. Price 25 etc.

NO MONEY AND NO

And what of the furs on sale? Ay, there's the rub. Well, Sellers-Gough are wide-awake business men. Two or three times a year Mr. Sellers pays

a visit to the fur centres of the wor in search of the rare skins, and ha ing abundant cash at his disposal s

to save money on either furs or i

Giving Organs Away.

will see about the matter at once.

etary of State Root has called upon the Governor of Kentucky to intervene

to prevent the further destruction by "night riders" of tobacco belonging to

'Merry Chris'mas to You-

Give Me Something for the

CHRISTMAS DINNER TO

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"It is more b'essed to give than receive."

Send or phone your Subscription to my office.

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Kentucky.

ment on another page.

A Sad Story of Consumption in a Canadian Town

The Local Hospital Unable to Care for the Patient, and the guery is What to Do?

In a little booklet issued by the National Sanitarium Association under whose auspices has been established the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, we have the story told of a sad case of consumption.

A young woman, apparently friendless, came in on a train reaching Fort ing abundant cash at his disposal secures many rare bargains. In fact, he has just returned from a trip to the continent, visiting Moscow, Munich, Leipsic, London, Paris, Zurich and other places. Away back in May the firm were preparing for the present time, with the result that the display of furs and fur garments comprises a bewildering assortment. Magnificent furs, the best of their kinds, furs of the "first water," and none off color, substantial values, from the moderate priced ones to those of the best obtainable. During the great sale now on prices have been cut from 25 to 40 per cent., and this fact should not be lost sight of, as the opportunity to save money on either furs or fur William, and immediately procured work as a domestic. A doctor was called in to examine her case, as she appeared to be a consumptive, and she was at once pronounced a bad case of tuberculosis.

She was placed in the small local hospital of the town, and everything possible for the mement is being done to help the patient.

But writing to the Secretary of the National Sanitarium Association, the Secretary of the Board of Health asks: "Is it possible to make room for this patient in the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. The local hospital is crowded for room, and there is really at this time. Already crowds of buy-ers are flocking to the big store, and taking advantage of the genuine price reductions on all lines. See advertise-

is crowded for room, and there is really no place for this poor girl."

Continuing, the Fort William official adds "I may say that as far as being able to pay is concerned, she, as far as we can learn, has no friends who can afford to pay for her in an institution."

It is to meet just such cases as these that the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives has been opened.

The official reports of the past year show that more than half the patients who entered the institution were abso-The heading is misleading if you like only to the extent that when Heintzman & Co., Ltd., 115-117 West Kingstreet, Toronto, announce that they are selling organs at \$10, \$15 and \$20, each in payments of 50c a week, it is next door to giving the goods away.

One can hardly expect that such bar-gains will last very long. Wise ones WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 19.—At the request of the Italian ambassador,

Foreign Navies invited.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The commission, which has in charge the Hudson-Fulton celebration in 19.9, has decided to invite the foreign nations to send warships to take part in the naval rendezvous and rarade up the Hudson.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 19.—The body of the late King Oscar of Sweden, who died Dec. 8, was interred at noon to-day in the Riddarholm Church, the burial-place of Swedish kings and heroes. Along the snow-covered route of the funeral procession, thousands of people gathered and stood hare-headed in the biting cold during the passage of the hearse and the mourners.

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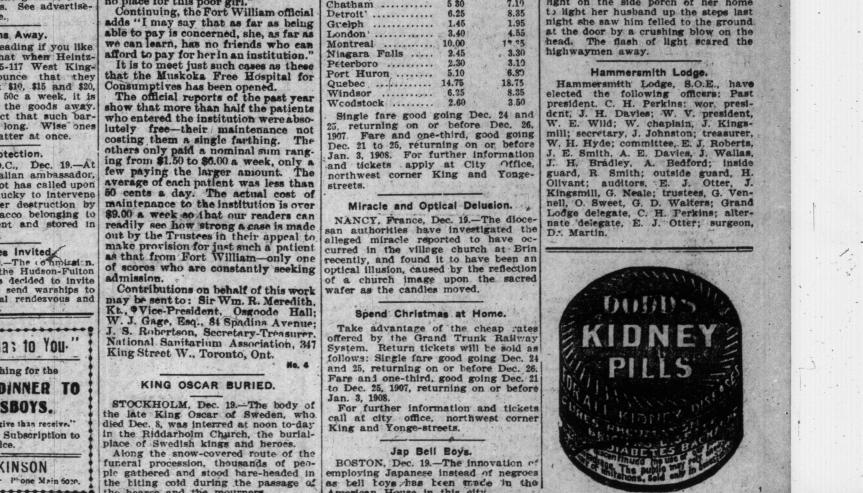
System. Return tickets will be sold as follows: Single fare good going Dec. 24 and 25, returning on or before Dec. 26. Fare and one-third, good going Dec. 21 to Dec. 25, 1907, returning on or before Jan. 3, 1908.

For further information and tickets call at city office, northwest corner King and Yonge-streets.

Jap Bell Boys. BOSTON, Dec. 19.—The innovation of employing Japanese instead of negroes as bell toys has been made in the American House in this city.

WINDSOR, Dec. 19.—Just as Mrs. John Pageau switched on an electric light on the side perch of her home to light her husband up the steps last night she saw him felled to the ground at the door by a crushing blow on the head. The flash of light scared the highwaymen away.

ELECTRIC LIGHT SAVES



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AMAGAOT

SEE THE SHOW WINDOWS AT "CORNER OF SQUARE DEAL"

JANIESON

NEW INSURANCE BILL

Those Chiefly Interested Say It "Isn't as Drastic as Were Commission's Recommendations.

Insurance men by no means consider the new insurance act as a very sworn to decide the matter on the evigreat hardship, except as it limits the field for investment. In this respect they will seek a modification. Otherwise, the bill isn't at all as fearful as were the recommendations of the Royal Commissioners. In fact, it is regarded as a pretty fair one.

H. C. Cox, as president of the Life Underwriters' Association, said the A HOME RECIPE EVERYprovisions to ensure publicity of company affairs would not be resisted. All the companies would be satisfied, he thought, and it would lead to greater confidence on the part of the pub-

The most radical change may be said to be that referring to the Mmitation of the class of stocks and bonds in which a company may invest. One objection is that this provision limits hold to twenty per cent. of the total

"A company may see a desirable whole issue. In that case I do not see why they should not do so," said Mr Cox, "but the field is very much broadened in comparison with what the Insurance Commission proposed. In addition the bill provides that there must be an equity of 25 per cent. on the real estate held over and above the amounts of the bonds issued, and that I should call a restriction.

"A change in the expenses of curing new business means that there must be a change in the rates of com mission companies can pay to their agents, and commissions will fall probably to fifty per cent., while now sixty and over is being paid. One result will be that companies will lose some

good agents."

The triennial payment of profits of policies dating from January, 1909, will not interfere with old business. Col. W. C. Macdonald, secretary of the Confederation Life, thinks the period is too short. T. Bradshaw, vice-president of the Imperial Life, thinks like-The attempt to limit the expenses of the first year business also, Mr. Bradshaw believes, may have a decided effect on the premium the policyholder must pay.

Barge Sunk Off Battery

to-day. Jerry Van Halen, captain of the barge, and his wife were drowned.

Pupils of the Winchester-street Honore Mercier School contributed a large package of Report says:

King-street. Toronto, are clearing out province. what is pretty much one floor of square planes at not only \$30, but some of them at \$25, and again others at \$35, \$40 and \$45, in payments of \$5 down their votes and influence to Mayoralty and 50c a week.

Lawyer Who Appealed to Judge's

Owens on a conspiracy charge. Judge Winchester in his charge severely commented on the plea of

"was for the purpose of trying to em-barrass you so as to hide the real is-sues that are before you. You are dence and not on the eloquence of counsel. The question is not the creed nor circumstances of anyone. If juries are going to be asked by eminent counsel to reach verdicts in that way, then good-by to the jury system in this country. Such appeals to juries, I am glad to say, have so far always failed

BODY IN TRYING HERE. Said to Overcome Rheumatism of pared and Harmless to Use.

each meal and again at bedtime.

it acts gently but thoroughly on the fall. kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties al-most instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been re lieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose. A well-known local druggist, who in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a recipe which the majority of patent medicine manufacturers, and even certain physicians, dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its peculiarly soothing and healing influence. Being composed of common every-day ingredients, which

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can be had from any druggist, it makes

up a good, honest and harmless remedy

It is Believed Goulo Has in Mind Great Things for His Brother in-Law.

and at nominal cost.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19 .- (Special.) NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The ocean-going barge Annie B. Neville sank in the Hudson River just off the battery prime minister of Quebec, Hon. Lomer Gouin, has in his mind great things for his young brother-in-law, the newly-elected member for Chateauguay,

Report says that the dream of the wearing apparel, groceries and confections for some of the poorer children at Elizabeth-street School, and several to children's shelters. leader goes on the bench, which will no dcubt take place as soon as possible Heintzman & Co., Ltd., 115-117 West after the next general elections in the

> Twill Help Some. Several labor unions have pledged Candidate Simpson.

FRANCE WILL NOT INTERFERE C. M. A. FLOODED LABOR MARKET

The sessions jury yesterday acquitted PARIS, Dec. 19.—Advices received Meyer Willinsky, his wife and Harry here under to-day's date from the French minister at Teheran give a more optimistic view of the present situation in Persia and indicate that Owens' counsel to consider his circum-the existing deadlock between the Shah and the Persian parliament probably will be straightened without recourse to arms.

It is pointed out here that France is not immediately concerned in the internal politics of Persia, and that her only excuse for intervention would The opinion is held in official circles that it will be difficult and delicate for either Great Britain or Russia to interfere in Persia as the Anglo-Russian convention regarding Persia is economic and not political.

> HE NEVER SAW THE FALLS But Heard the Roar Once When Line Parted.

HAMILTON, Dec. 19 .- A St. Catha Years' Standing and is Easily Pre- rines paper has unearthed a new sort never saw Niagara Falls. This re-To make up enough of the "Dande-ion treatment," which is claimed to be McLachlan of the steamer Eastern lion treatment," which is claimed to be stated that the leave and stated that the leave and stated that the leave the stated that the stated t get from any good prescription phar- and Tonawanda his ports, and yet he macy one-half ounce Fluid Extract has never seen the Falls. On one oc-Dandellon, one ounce Compound Kar-casion his boat parted a line at Tonagon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle ata lively clip when rescued. On that and take in teaspoonful doses after occasion the captain got near enough to hear the hoarse boom of Niagara, Those who have tried it claim that but not near enough to se the water

NEGLECTED HIS CHILD.

Walter Scott of Woodstock Charged With Neglect of Six-Year-Old.

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 19.—(Special)-Arthur Scott was arrested charge of neglecting to provide necessaries for his six-year-old child, Earle, who is at present in the general hospital suffering from frozen feet. Scott appeared before Police Magistrate Ball some time ago, but was discharged for lack of evidence. The arrest was the result of a petition which was circulated, and also the work of the recently formed Children's Aid Society.

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Persian Deadlock Will Probably Be Association Scored by W. R. Trotter Wallace Nesbitt K. C. Reviews History of Dispute:

When you hand your money over our counter, you are sure of getting tory of Dispute:

London, Dec. 19 .- (C. A. P. Cable)-W. R. Trotter, representing the Candressed a joint meeting of the Labor, ys, the Dominion Coal Company was Party Parliamentary Committee and for the most part taken up with the is described in the press as a graphic story of the misery and want of the laboring population in Canada, and argument of Mr. Lovett that the consaid Canadian manufacturers had tract did not require that the Stee said Canadian manufacturers had flooded the skilled labor market. The fact that they were demanding the prosecution of shipping agents was merely their way of repudiating their agents in England to avoid the responsibility of the non-fulfilment of their promises.

Mr. Trotter accused all the emigration agencies of sending out unsuitable emigrants, the worst offenders being the shipping companies working on commission. He declared Canadian manufacturers wanted the tariff raised to heaven and cared nothing for

EAST TORONTO. Municipal Matters Will in All Proba-

bility Evoke Lively Contest. EAST TORONTO, Dec. 19.—Ex-Mayor ancestry as free as possible from the Richardson is said to have announced defects which bring disappointment. town, and with the long-expressed in- dantly nourish her offspring. She tention of Mayor Ross to again seek should not come from vicious stock, re-election a keen contest is now as-sured. Each of the aspirants would and fatten well. The sow should be do credit to the position, and in any strong physically. She should have event East Toronto is assured of a animal intelligence as indicated by

zens at large.

out a contest.

Council Matters Active. For the council, ward one will require and manifest more favor to the leading breeds than they have heretofore.

Nasmith and Mr. Crane the present for in the sow should be looked for in the sow should be looked for in the boar. So far as the farmer is tion to retire. Mr. Nasmith has been one of the most valuable members ever concerned the head of his herd should occupying a seat at the council board in East Toronto, being progressive and an authority on all matters of finance.

T. F. Hodgen the other ways and bout the nead of his herd should fashionable ancestry and he should have been reared under conditions members ever n East Toronto, being progressive and n authority on all matters of finance.

T. F. Hodgson, the other member, will should have had plenty of exercise be re-elected. It is not definitely known who wil loffer in ward one, but Chairman Horace Hardy of the public school man Horace Hardy of the public school board, who has rendered splendid service in that capacity, will doubtless the sow's. His quarters should be consent to enter the field.

public school board, will be a candidate, be avoided. and a worthy one.

In ward one, Councillors Arthur Johnston, Frank Abtott and N. B. Cobbledick will all seek re-election. George

candidate.

Local option matters are attracting a good deal of attention, and both advocates and opponents of the measure are equally sanguine of success.

Robert O'Brien, arrested by Constable Everist on the Markham-road last right, charged with begging, was this morning brought before Magistrate Clay and fired \$2 and costs or ten days. He took the letter. When arrested, O'Brien was wearing a number of overland.

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A. G. Kembley, Auditing Committee.

With her little grand-daughter clasped of the same coffin at 284 Markham-street lie the mortal remains of Mrs. Joseph E. Witchall and that of her infant grandchild, both of whom died Tuesday, Mrs. Witchall was in her 59th year, and died after a comparatively brief illness of pneumonia, while the five-months-old infant of her son, Ernest J. Witchall, was passing away at 92 Sussex-street. The double funeral will take place to-day by endorsing the coffin at 284 Markham-street lie the mortal remains of Mrs. Joseph E. Witchall and that of her infant grandchild, both of whom died Tuesday, Mrs. Witchall was in her 59th year, and died after a comparatively brief illness of pneumonia, while the five-months-old infant of her son, Ernest J. Witchall, was passing away at 92 Sussex-street. The double funeral will take place to-day by endorsing the coffin at 284 Markham-street lie the mortal remains of Mrs. Joseph E. Witchall was in her 59th year, and died after a comparatively brief illness of pneumonia, while the five-months-old infant of her son, Ernest J. Witchall, was passing away at 92 Sussex-street. The double funeral will take place to-day.

STEEL-COAL ARGUMENT.

HALIFAX, N.S., Dec. 19.—(Special)-To-day's argument in the case of adian Trades and Labor Congress, ad- the Dominion Iron and Steel Company Trades Union Congress, giving what argument of Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., for the plaintiffs. Respecting the tract did not require that the Steel Company should buy coal from no other company, Mr. Nesbitt quoted a passage from a letter of the vice-president of the Coal Company to the man-ager of the Steel Company stating that the Steel Company had also vio-lated the contract by returning cars of coal supplied and by purchasing coal from other parties.

Said Mr. Nesbitt: "Your lordships listened yesterday to a lengthy argument to the effect that we were not compelled to buy only from the de-fendants. Here is a letter written which plainly shows that we were." BREEDING SWINE.

It is safe to say that a sow either

pure or crossbred should come from magistrate who will seek to pro- breadth between the eyes. She should mote only the best interests of the citihave lung and heart power as indi rens at large.

For the position of reeve, only one candidate is thought to be definitely in the field—ex-Councillor Joseph Hind. A large property owner and a builder and contractor of long standing, Mr. Hind possesses that good, strong grasp of practical matters which, during the coming year, would prove of immense of practical matters which, during the coming year, would prove of immense benefit to the town, and his return by acclamation may ensue.

Deputy Reeve Brown will again seek the suffrages of the electors, and the deputy may likewise be returned withclusion of other breeds. To-day pig raisers are less bound to a single breed while he was growing and an abur well developed, and his make-up T. N. Phelan and John Berry, who should be such that he will become have done excellent service in ward a fine large plg when he matures. A two, will again offer for re-election, J. boar with a narrow head, narrow L. Ormerod, at present a member of the chest and low front quarters should -Farmer's Gazette (Brit).

Knights of Pythias.

At the last Wixon will, it is thought, also be a lodge the following officers were elect-

Choose Your Christmas



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Show some originality in your gift-giving. Nothing could reflect better upon your judgment and your taste than to select something for the young housekeeper, or the old one, for that matter, so acceptable as a genuine

If you come here, you will find the largest and finest collection of Oriental Rugs in Canada, and prices surprisingly smaller than you pay elsewhere. There's a good reason for it.

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The best work of India, Persia, Turkey and Russia, in brassware, is found in our Art Rooms. Candlesticks, Jardinieres, Jewel Boxes, Ornaments of all kinds. Prices particularly attractive this month.

COURIAN, BABAYAN & 40 King Street East, Opp. King Edward Hotel

TWO IN ONE CASKET. Mrs. Joseph Witchall Carries Grandchild to the Grave.

KING A "HOYAL GALLANT." Scene in Belgian Senate-Tired Perpetual Scandal.

FARMINGANDLIVESTOCK

THE FRUIT INDUSTRY.

Ontario's fruits are good enough to warrant more attention being given by the people and by parliament than is done. The institute meetings that have been held at Grimsby and Trenton this to increase the efficiency of the fruitgrowing areas of Ontario really is. Hitherto more stress in the agricultural work in Ontario was laid in the stock-raising and grain-producing ends of the farm life. While this is all right, and perhaps not nearly as perfect in its sphere as it should be, nevertheless fruit-growing is the leading occupation of the farmers. Three things are essential to success in this industry-expert knowledge in production, cheap and effective transportation, and systematic sales. Generally private effort will questions successfully, but this is not the case in Ontario, where the transnot have to exert themselves to aid the fruit trade. Consequently the service

the government bulletins and the ex- spring. perimental stations are all good. The selling of the products largely de-

pends on the enterprise of the seller, but the whole business depends upon cheap and quick express service from

palities will have to lend their aid. New market places, quicker and better express cars, and suitable storage houses are necessary and must come. Legislators now should give the fruit growers their ears.

Tc-Morrow's Poultry Show

A unique exhibition of poultry will be on the boards at St. Lawrence market on Saturday morning, when the farmer, his wife, son or daughter, will exhibit the best product of the year in the poultry line at The World's prize com-

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ister of agriculture, parliament buildings, Toronto.

DESICCATED EGGS.

process for desiccating eggs devised in Melbourne, and carried out in Sydney. daughter, selling poultry on St. Law-

powder. The eggs first pass thru a their decision. The judging will com-dark room, being carried on a perfor-ated rolling table over a fifty candle-mence at 9.30 a.m., so as to give the power light. Any eggs not perfectly, fresh, or dirty in any way, are at once farmers a chance to sell their produce. detected and put on one side. The sound eggs are carried along and go sound eggs are carried along into a centrifugal separator, revolving at a tremendous rate. Here the eggs are smashed, and the shells separated from the liquid matter, which flows into a small tank, and is then pumped into a small tank, and is then pumped year.

Best pair turkeys, here the eggs are carried along into a centrifugal separator, revolving the product of 1907:

First prize—Daily year. up to another tank, where a preservaup to another tank, where a preservative is added. Below this tank, in a very hot room, with a temperature of 120 to 130 degrees, there are great cylinders, or drums, slowly revolving at the rate of 1 to 21-2 minutes. The liquid egg substance goes from the tank in troughs below these cylinders, and as they revolve become attached to them. By the time a cylinder has completed its revolution the coating has dried, year. its revolution the coating has dried, year. and a further coating adheres. Ulti-mately this coating comes off in flaky pieces, which are ground into a powder. This powder will, it is claimed to have been proved, keep for years, and only requires the addition of milk or water, when the powdered eggs will reconstitute, and be ready for use for any purpose the same as a newly-laid egg. The powder is rich and attractive looking, and is reported by the government analysts of New South Wales and Victoria to contain ro chemical preservative. No part of the egg, except the water, has been removed.

"It must, however, he added, that the process is not yet perfected." says the months.

nate-Tired of correspondent. "The inventor has some difficulties still to overcome before it can be a commercial success: one of which is the reduction of the dried egg to powder. It is hoped that this and other obstacles to success will shortly be overcome. If so, the appliance endorsing the old delivered nber of depu-the Socialist

should receive consideration in Canada. where a cheap process of preserving eggs would be most useful." Joseph Brown, 21 Blevins-place, was fined \$1 and costs for shooting birds on the Don Flats

Hog prices are going to advance in the spring, says a prominent breeder.

Poultrymen should remember the cleap advertising on the farm page. Make your friend a Christmas pres

Farmers generally east of Toronto will be glad to learn that the C. P. R. are going to build their projected road Women's Institutes thruout the country are doing a good work in dis

cussing timely topics. Christmas fairs in the towns' and

villages are local attractions that should be well patronized by all farm-

Who is going to get the prizes offered by The World for prize poultry in the Toronto market? D. C. Flatt & Son of Millgrove say that they feel confident of a big rise in pork values by the opening of

The automobiles are doing one good work in bringing the necessity for better roads prominently before the pub-

ity of establishing agricultural col-leges and model farms. The Cana-dian, published monthly at Mexico City, has an appreciative article upon the Canadian college and farm at Guelph, after which it is proposed to

Christmas Poultry Show

PRIZE LIST.

Best pair turkeys, hen and gobbler, First prize-Daily World, one

Second prize-Daily World, six Third prize-Daily World, three

Best Christmas goose: First prize - Daily World, on

Second prize-Daily World. Third prize-Daily World, three

Best pair Christmas ducks: First prize-Daily World, one

Second prize—Daily World, six Third prize-Daily World, three

Best pair spring chickens: First prize - Daily World, one

Second prize - Daily World, six Third prize-Daily World, three

James Phinnemore, painter, will be an aldermanic candidate in the third ward.

Farmstead. 90 CARS AT CITY YARDS

Ontario County will spend \$120,000 on Trade Generally Good—Sheep, good roads next year. Calves, Hogs, Lambs at Steady Prices.

> The receipts of live stock at the City Market since Tuesday, as reported by the railways, were 90 car loads, composed of 641 cattle.155 4 hogs, 1553 sheep and

same as has been coming. A few Xmas cuttle and many common to medium.

Trade was fair after such heavy deliveries during the past two weeks.

Prices were about the same as has been quoted when quality is taken into continuous the same as the same

City, has an appreciative article upon the Canadian college and farm at Guelph, after which it is proposed to model the new farm.

Elsewhere will be found an announcement of the annual fat stock sale of the Guelph Fat Stock Club. Intending salesmen should correspond with the secretary. J. M. Duff, Guelph.

J. S. Larke, writing from Sydney, N.S.W., under date of Oct. 29, says that the dry weather that prevailed during October has seriously affected the wheat yields and pasturage. The yield of wheat is not over half of last year's and this with last year's surplus will be about sufficient to supply home demand.

Sheep and Lambs.

Export sheep sold at \$3.75 to \$4; lambs, at \$4.50 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Hogs.

Market steady. Mr. Harris reports \$5.60 for selects, and \$5.35 for light fats.

Representative Sales.

Maybee, Wilson & Hall, commission agents, sold: 9 butchers' cattle, 1100 lbs. each, at \$3.50; 20 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at \$3.50; 20 butchers', 956 lbs. each, at \$3.50; 20 butchers', 900 lbs. each, at \$3.25; 12 butchers', 900 lbs. each, at \$3.25; 12 milch cows, \$47; 1 milch co

Three prizes are given in each class, as follows:

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Best pair of unkeys, hen and gobier.

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Best pair spring chickens.

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Market Notes.

at the St. Lawrence Market. Be sure you see them; they are a sight to behold.

Messrs. W. W. and George G. Hunter of Olds, Alta., shipped ten cars of cat-tle to Chicago recently, which sold 20 steers, average weight 1367 lbs...\$5.00

The street railway company have given up the custom of giving Christmas fowl to their employes.

2 steers, average weight 1367 lbs...\$5.00

84 steers, average weight 1194 lbs... 4.65

15 steers, average weight 1122 lbs... 4.15

23 cows, average weight 1172 lbs... 4.20 16 cows, average weight 956 lbs... 4.00 24 cows, average weight 1123 lbs... 3.60

MAPLE SYRUP MAKERS ATTENTION



THE GRIMM MFG. CO. 58 Wellington Street

lambs, 78 calves and 2 horses. The quality of cattle was about the

Exporters.

A few export bulls sold at \$3.25 to \$ per cwt., and one load of exporters sold at \$4.65 to \$5.

Butchers.

Xmas cattle were quoted at \$5 to \$5.50, the latter price being offered for one very choice stee, weighing 1900 lbs., the owner of which was asking \$7 per cwt. For medium to good butchers', \$3.75 to \$4.10; common, \$3.25 to \$3.60; cows, \$2.25 to \$3.25; canners, at \$1 to \$1.50.

Milkers and Springers.

A fair supply of milkers and springers sold at \$25 to \$60, but not many brought the latter price. The bulk of the best sold from \$40 to \$50 each.

Veal Colves.

Prices for veal calves remain about

Prices for veal calves remain about steady at \$3 to \$6 per cwt., unless an extra choice new milk fed calf happens to come on the market, when \$6.50 per cwt. is paid.

Sheep and Lambs.

Wesley Dunn bought 150 sheep at \$4 per cwt. \$50 lambs, at \$5.25 per cwt.; all average prices.

Crawford & Hunnisett sold 3 loads of butchers, \$50 to 1200 lbs. each, at \$2.60 to \$3.65 per cwt.

An Australian Scheme to Turn Eggs
An Australian Scheme to Turn Eggs
On Saturday, Dec. 21, 1907, The bounded of the firm of McDonald & Maybe, for the price of one bullock, was decided in favor of Mr. McDonald. The evidence went to show that Mr. Hamilton, a drover from Wroxeter, against D. McDonald & Maybe, for the price of one bullock, was decided in favor of Mr. McDonald. The evidence went to show that Mr. Hamilton, a drover from Wroxeter, against D. McDonald & Maybe, for the price of one bullock, was decided in favor of Mr. McDonald. The evidence went to show that Mr. Hamilton, a drover from Wroxeter, against D. McDonald & Maybe, for the price of one bullock, was decided in favor of Mr. McDonald. The evidence went to show that Mr. Hamilton, a decided in favor of Mr. McDonald & Maybe, to \$4.50. to \$4.50. to \$4.50. to \$4.50. butchers', \$4.40 to \$4.50. butchers', \$4.50 to \$4

Larke of Sydney, N.S.W., speaks of a process for desiccating eggs devised in process for desiccating eggs devised in Melbourne, and carried out in Sydney. Melbourne, and carried out in Sydney. For this process, high claims are made. It has been thus described:

"Desiccated eggs are not substitutes for eggs, but newly-laid eggs treated by a process by which only the shell and water contents of the egg are reard water contents of the egg are regard water contents of the egg are regard water contents of the egg are regard and water contents of the egg are regard and water contents of the egg are regard and albumen, converted into powder. The eggs first pass thru a powder. The eggs first pass thru a their decision. The judging will com-

Winnipeg Wheat Market. Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day:
Wheat—Dec. \$1.05% bid. May \$1.13½ bid.
Oats—Dec. 43c bid, May 50%c bid.



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good words about the institute. Similar ones are being held yesterday and to-day at Trenton, Ont. Provincial Archivist Fraser has received from Judge MacWatt of Sarnia, Lambton County, records covering the period Robert Walker, aged 59, lost three fingers in a machine at the Allan Manufacturing Company yesterday. between 1842 and 1902, together with the county council minutes from 1901 to 1906

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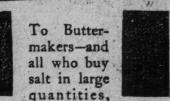
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mark, due to the last straw which was laid on the back of the local financiers when the Sao Paulo incident occurred on Monday last about 11 a,m. Traders other industrials. The buying of A. on Monday last about 11 a,m. Traders generally are pretty sore, and many claim it will be only a matter of time until some large investors in Sao Paulo sell out. Comparisons are odious. Sao Paulo pays 9 per cent., Consumers' Gaspays at the present quotation 5.70 per cent. The pool operating in Sao Paulo when any real stock appears shy off and cease to bid, and in consequence of this phase of the transactions today, the price broke to 1111-2, a drop of 71-2 points since the pool boomed it early in the week. A small amount of Mexican Light and Power stock sold at 48.3-4. Consumers' Gas (new stock) at 182, Detroit United at 35, General Electric at 95, and Mackay common at 531-2.

Wall Street Pointers.

London expects no change in the bank

rate before the second week in Janu-

country ported.

Currency 7-8 to 1 per cent.

nas lost \$110,000 to the banks.

It is reported in board that Secretary which soon culminated was short-Cortelyou has notified the western lived. Dealings in the first four hours banks that unless they reduce their to-day were over 100,000 shares light-

excessive reserves very materially he er than yesterday. The early gains will withdraw government deposits.

Charles Head to R. R. Bongard:
There has been no change in the underlying conditions. The advance in the underlying conditions. The underlying conditions are advanced in the underlying conditions. The advance in the underlying conditions. The advance in the underlying conditions. The underlying conditions are advanced in the underlying conditions. The underlying conditions are advanced in the underlying conditions. The underlying conditions are advanced in the underlying conditions and the underlying conditions are advanced in the underlying conditions. The underlying conditions are advanced in the underlying c time to come, and earnings are bound to fall off in many directions. The whole question is whether the big dewhole question is whether the big device in prices has or has not discounted anything unfavorable. There is a stight improvement in the money situation, and there is some short-time money coming in from the west. Things cannot be really comfortable in this seament be really comfortable in this

January, and doubtful even then. There was a good deal of American and it reacted rather easily to the extent of more than a point during the second hour. There is inside liquidation tary stringency expect possibly dursecond hour. There is inside liquidation in this stock on these bulges, and we regard this as one of the most attraction that the content hand there will be no libregard this as one of the most attrac-erality in the trading until time money five short sales in the market on all funds are more freely available. he strong spots. The exceedingly unfavorable conditions in the silver, copper and other metal markets reacts severely on the earnings of the company, which we do not believe will be buying for both accounts. London sufficient during the coming year to traded about evenly on balance. The dividend. There are a good many bull larly favorable and our own bank points current on Reading, and the old statement should reveal another size-tip of par is heard. The buying that has been going on in it, however, except that which has been due to short tional gold was engaged abroad, mak-covering, has been for account of bull- ing \$106,550,000 on the movement, and

ers are entitled to payment on terminating shares and refuse payment in Standard Loan stock, they will be offered Standard debentures. The Acme assets are valued at about \$250,000, Weekly Bank of France statement:
Gold in hand, increase, 1,555,000 francs;
silver in hand, increase, 1,750,000 francs.

The Bank of England rate is unchanged.

United States Steel is now operating about 50 per cent of its capacity. about 50 per cent. of its capacity.

Stock maturing at a time when money stringency made it a matter of some difficulty to meet demands.

Bank of England Statement.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England Shows the following changes: Total reserve, decreased £1,275,000; circulation increased £188,999; bullion, decreased £322,000; other deposite of the statement depo Restern roads report a spurt in the grain movement, offsetting the shrinkage in general traffic.

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Some return of loanable funds from country banks to New York are reported.

Ine proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 45.90 per cent.

Last week it was 46.95 per cent.

The rate of discount of the Bank of C. N. W. Land.

England remained unchanged to-day at 7 per cent. at 7 per cent.

On Wall Street. Sub-treasury gained \$104,000 from the banks yesterday, but since Friday it has lost \$110,000 to the banks.

Charles Head & Co. to R. R. Bongard: The stock market displayed an early turn on the loss side by yesterday's converted boars but the stock market displayed an early turn on the loss side by yester-day's converted boars but the stock market displayed an early turn on the loss side by yester-day's converted boars. Charles Head & Co. to R. R. Bonwere most pronounced again in Readwere most pronounced again in Reading. The Hill stocks and Smelting, and there was a further development of the strength in Sugar and Louisville and Nashville, and shortly before the close it was announced that the regular received good support. The announce-lose it was announced that the regular received good support. The announce-lose it was announced that the regular received good support. gold exports to South America having been discounted. Canadian shares received good support. The announcerment of the new Chinese silver loan, which strengthened the metal, was a general favorable influence. Rio Tintos at 651-2 showed a gain of the fraction.

Morgan & Co. are said to have contributed materially to the strength in Reading. Traders are watching such houses very closely at present, as they have that the mentioned shortly before the close it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declose it was announced that the regular semi-annual dividend had been declosed. tributed materially to the strength in Reading. Traders are watching such houses very closely at present, as they say that the market checks when such buying is withdrawn. E. F. Hutton & Co and other active houses who switched to long side of Reading early on Wednesday, before the rally started, were taking profits on purchases made then. Selling of this kind has been replaced again for a further advance.—

Dow Jones.

Counter to that of yesterday. Some stocks retained net gains, including the copper shares, which were partly influenced by a moderate development of strength in copper metal in Lon-don. The United States Steel stocks hardened on the announcement of the agreement reached regarding steel rails specifications. The international money market was featured by a deciline of f1,274,000 in reserve shown by the Bank of England weekly statethe Bank of England weekly statement. The bank sold a round amount cannot be really comfortable in this with the national banks now exceed direction, however, until the middle of \$250,000,000, and in New York the

bank's statement shows a calculated reserve on these deposits last week, causing \$20,000,000 of the deficit. We expect no important change in stock market values to result from mone-Ennis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell: The market to-day has reached

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\$990,000 foreign gold arrived here. Call money renewals were at lowest figures for the week. It is believed that leading bankerse favor window dressing operations toward end of the year, and there are some believe that extreme stringency prior to Jan. I will be avoided. The increased gross earnings of Northern Pacific for November, higher copper prices and a sharp advance in silver at London were among the constructive items of news. American Locomotive declared the regular common stock dividend. With reference to declaration of regular dividend on New York Central, which MARKETS STILL NARROW

Ish manipulators, and we do not take any stock in-the theory that this stock will be put much higher at the present time. In fact, we do not look for the last outside any further, and on strong spots we think Reading a good short sale, at least for a turn.—Town Topics.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The American Locomotive Company declared its regular quarterly dividend to-day of 13-4 per cent. on the preferred and 11-4 per cent. on the preferred

Local Bank Clearings.
Clearings of Toronto banks for the week ended to-day, with comparisons:
This week \$23,923,928
Last week \$25,021,501 Railway Earnings.

G.T.R., second week December ... \$37,037 Nor. Pac., November gross 600,297

Mo. Pac., second week December ... *103,000

O. & W., October net *12,559 Money Markets.

Bank of England discount rate, 7 per cent. Money, 3½ to 4 per cent. Short bills, 6 to 6½ per cent. Three months' bills, 5% to 6 per cent. New York call money, highest 12 per cent., lowest 7½ per cent., last loan 10 per cent. Call money at Toronto, 7 per cent.

Price of Silver.

Foreign Exchange.
Glazebrook & Cronyn, Janes Building (Tel. Main 7517), to-day report exchange

-Rails.-93 121 53¼ 53 61 59¾ 43¾ 42¾ 52½ . 59¾ 59½ . . . 42¾ . 80/ 78

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"Yonge and Bloor Streets.
"King and York Streets.
"West Market and Front Streets.
"King and Spadina Avenue.
"Bloor and Lansdowne Avenue.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT

Hamilton 3 @ 185 Dom. Steel. \$3000 @ 71% Tor. Rails. Tor. Rails. 2 @ 94%

Twin City. 75 @ 88½ 10 @ 83% Montreal Stocks.

oledo Railway

84½.

Dominion Iron bonds—\$2000, \$2000 at 71½.

\$1000 at 72, \$2000 at 71.

Detroit United—15 at 34½, 5 at 35, 25 at 34½, 5 at 35.

Lake of the Woods preferred—5, 5 at 102.
Richelieu & Ontario—5 at 60½.

Toronto Railway—2 at 94½, 25 at 94½, 25.

\$25, 5, 10, 10, 9, 6 at 94.

Lake of the Woods common—10 at 70½.

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Nova Scotia Coal—10, 10, 10, 15 at 55. Illinois Traction preferred—10, 10 at 74 Soc common—25 at 80. Laurentide Pulp preferred—90 at 101 at 102

Laurentide Pulp preferred—30 at 10.1 at 102.

Toledo Railway—30 at 10.
—Afternoon Sales.—
Bell Telephone—8 at 119%.
Mexican—10 at -3½.
Merchanta Bank—8 at 152.
Textile preferred—10 at 80.
Montreal Power—5 at 84½, 25, 25, 50, 17 at 84. Montreal Power—s at 642, 25, 25, 25, 25, 27 at 74 at 84.

Illinois Traction preferred—10 at 74½.

Richelieu & Ontario—5 at 60½.

Dominion fron—75, 25 at 14%.

Sao Paulo—25, 25 at 112.

Commerce—1 at 160.

Montreal Power bonds—\$1000 at 100.

Mackay—25 at 53.

Soo—50 at 79½, 25 at 80.

Lake of the Woods preferred—4 at 102½

Textile bonds D.—\$1000, \$1000 at 80.

New York Stocks.

Chesapeake & Ohio
Cast Iron Pipe
Central Leather
Canada Southern ... M. & St. P.
 Corn Products
 1956
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 Denver
 195
 194
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 Del. & Hudson
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Distillers Detroit United Erie do. 1st preferred do. 2nd preferred. Foundry do. preferred Great Northern Great North. Ore General Electric Great Western Great Western 74 7%

INVESTMENT PURCHASES IN SOME ISSUES.

World Office, Thursday Evening, Dec. 19.

Except in cases where liquidation is essential, the Toronto market to-day showed more firmness than weakness. Even in the speculative department, certain specialties were sufficiently scarce to warrant an advance in price on the narrowest kind of buying. This could not be said of Sao Paulo, the desire of the pool to liquidate being so palpable that ordinary traders observed a supineness in the support which could not be construed to mean anything except ultimately lower prices. There was some small investment buying to-day, but this was confined to Twin City, Northern Navigation and the bank shares. Buying sentiment is too inconsiderate to afford the belief that the market can more than hold its own, with the exception of such issues as have clear evidence of intrinsic worth. Herbert H. Ball.

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BYLAWS A DEAD LETTER. York Loan Shares Were Never Forfelted for Non-Payment.

On the resumption of the enquiry yesterday afternoon by Referee Geo. Kappelle into the York Loan advanced shares claims, H. K. Hammond, excashier of the company, was examined. It appears that it was the custom of the company in all these cases in which money had been advanced upon shares to apply the weekly payments to the credit of the loan, while it was provided by a bylaw that shares should not be forfeited owing to arrears, unless the directors took some direct action in the matter, and payments upon such shares were considered to be entirely suspended, while the loans remained unpaid, and this rule of the company constantly carried out in practice. urpaid, and this rule of the company constantly carried out in practice.

W. R. Smythe, who appears for the claimants, holds that these shares, although the payments are in arrears, cannot possibly be considered to be in default, unless some overt act of the directors made forfeiture possible or unavoidable; in fact, that the very existence of the loan so operated as to keep the stock alive.

Price of Oil. PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 19.—Oll close at \$1.78.

New York Cotton. Marshall, Spader & Co., King Edward Hotel, reported the following closing

Southern Pacific 72% 73% 12%
Twin City 116% 1
Union Pacific 116 117% 115% 1
U. S. Steel 28 26% 25%
do. preferred 87% 87% 87%
Wabash common 9% 9% 9%
Western Union 55% 57% 55%
Western Union 55% 57% 55%
Westinghouse 40% 41 40%
Sales to noon, 282,000; total, 445,900.

Consols, money ... Consols, account . Amalgamated Cop Anaconda

do. 1st preferred do. 2nd preferred Grand Trunk Illinois Central L. & N.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec 18.—Butter, steady, unchanged; receipts, 5144.

Cheese, firm, unchanged; receipts, 2429.
Eggs, easy; receipts, 3671. State, Pennsylvania, and nearby fancy selected white, 45c to 45c; good to choice, 35c to 42c; brown and mixed fancy, 35c; average best, 36c to 37c; first to extra first, 32c to 35c; western first, 32c to 33c; second, 28c to 31c.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 19.—Close—Wheat, spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 8½d; futures, steady; Dec., nominal; March, 8s; May, 7s 11¾d. Corn, spot firm; prime mixed American new, 5s 4d; prime mixed American, old, 5s 6d; futures, quiet; Dec., nominal; Jan., 5s 3¾d. Hams, short cut, steady, 43s. Bacon, Cumberland cut, ouiet, 52s 6d; short ribs, quiet, 55s; short clear backs, firm, 52s 6d; clear bellies, steady, 54s. Shoulders, square, steady, 38s. Lard, prime western, in tierces, quiet, 42s; American refined, in pails quiet, 43s 6d. Cheese, Canadian, finest white, new, 62s, firm; Canadian, finest colored, new, firm, 63s. Flour, winter patents, steady, 30s 9d. Tallow, prime city, dull, 29s 9d.

CZAR'S NAME DAY.

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Uniforms for Cavalry.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 19.—The name day of Emperor Nicholas, which is being celebrated at Tsarskoe-Selo to-day, has been signalized by an order restoring to the Russian army the picturesque uniform worn in the reign of Alexander II. This order will transform thirty-five out of the fifty-five suberly-clad Dragoon regiments into Hussars and Uhlans, whose brilliant and showy garb is expected to popularize the service.

The Neighborly Spirit.

Judge Morgan dismissed with costs the action of Welliam I. Pepper, 50 Robert street, for trespassing on his premises. Pepper claimed that the Reeves people sat near an open window and disturbed him on his verandah. Pepper said that he had erected a partition which Reeve demolished with a crow bar.

The Chair will be taken at twelve o'clock noon. By order of the board.

GEO. P. SCHOLFIELD, Toronto, 17th December, 1907, 4656555

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Eilber May Move Up.

H. Eilber, M.L.A., may leave the legislature to contest South Huron for the Dominion, the vacancy occurring thru the death of R. B. Gunn.

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larize the service.

All the Russian grand dukes returned from abroad for the celebration. The empress was unable to partake five columns in The Official Gazette, but even so it is barely half as long this year as it was in 1906. Gen. Kaui-bars, whose administration of Odessa has been much criticized, is given the Alexander Nevsky Order set in diamonds.

KELVIN TO REST IN ABBEY.

LONDON, Dec. 19. - In accordance with the desire of the Royal Society, Lord Kelvin, who died two days ago, will be buried in Westminster Abbey. The last scientist to be buried in the abbey was Charles Robert Darwin, who

Season's Losses on Great Lakes. CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 19.-The total CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 19.—The total loss to vessel property on the great lakes amounted to \$743,000 for the season of 1907, according to figures compiled by marine men here. Thirteen steamers and one schooner were lost. Their total capacity was 29,900 tons.

In 1906 forty-four vessels were lost and during 1905 forty-eight ships.

Artificial Xmas Trees. ALBANY, N.Y.. Dec. 19.—Commissioner James S. Whipple of the state forest, fish and game commission believes young evergreen trees ought not to be cut for Christmas trees, but that artificial trees be used as a substitute.

Ahearn Re-Elected. NEW YORK, Dec. 19. — John F. Ahearn, who recently was removed from the office of president of the Borough of Manhattan by Governor Hughes, to day was selected borough president to succeed himself by the board of aldermen.

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of the loan so operated as to keep the stock alive.

Mr. Harrington, the accountant, remarked that this interpretation would place those shareholders who had in loans obtained 50 per cent. on their stock, and, never expecting to get anything more, ceased payments upon their shares, in a better position than the ordinary shareholders, whose stock was not wholly paid up.

Mr. Hammond stated that no machinery existed for inflicting penalties upon shareholders, whose loan payments were in arrears. In such cases, interest at the rate of 8 per cent, was from time to time charged, but fines for non-payment were never imposed, and shares were never forfeited for non-payment. The bylaws which dealt with loans were treated in practice as a dead letter.

A Suit for Libel.

March 10.78 10.77 10.60 10.60
May 10.83 10.84 10.64
Cotton—Spot closed steady, 20 points lower. Midding uplands, 11.70; do., gulf., 11.95. Sales, 3050 bales.

New York Metal Market.
Pig iron. quiet. Copper, quiet. Lead. quiet. Tin. quiet; Straits, \$26 to \$38.874.
Spelter, quiet.

New York Sugar Market.
Sugar, raw. firm; fair refining, \$3.30 to \$33.85; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.85; molasses sugar, 3.00e to 3.05e.

A Suit for Libel.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Dec. 19.—William A. Quinton, steward of the Provincial Hospital for Nervous Patients, and a former member of the legislature, has instructed John Kerr, solicitor, to begin criminal proceedings against A. A. Clarke, one of the candidates nominated on Wednesday evening in the opposition's interests in St. John County. Clarke in his nomination speech made statements reflecting on Quinton, and insinuating that he had converted to his own use and profit hay, wood and shares California Diamond 2010.

Justice Mabee gave judgment in the non-jury assizes yesterday in favor of B. B. Harlan & Co. in the action brought by J. T. Eastwood, an agent, to recover \$13,500 commission on the sale of the Little Nipissing Silver Cobalt Mining property. Eastwood claimed that the defendants' profits were \$90,000 and that he was promised 15 per cent, commission.

per cent. commission.
The defendants denied any agree ment.

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his own use and profit hay, wood and other things cut on government property.

Loses the Commission.

Justice Mabee gave judgment in the non-jury assizes yesterday in favor of

DIVIDEND NO. 69

ment.

Didn't Know it Was Loaded.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 19.—An accident which may prove fatal occurred this morning at the residence of W. K. Cameron, barrister. Miss Heffernan, a trained nurse in attendance upon Mrs. Cameron, was shot thru the neck by a 22-calibre rifle in the hands of Hugh Cameron, eleven years old, son of W.K. Cameron. The lad was playing with the weapon, which was not supposed to be loaded, when it discharged, the bullet lodging in Miss Heffernan's neck. She was taken to the hospital.

The Neighboriy Spirit.

Judge Morgan dismissed with costs the action of William I. Petper 50.

St. THOMAS, Dec. 19.—An accident which erate of twelve per cent. per antum upon the paid-up Capital Stock of the Bank has been declared for the two months ending 31st January, 1968, and office and branches of the bank on and after Saturday, the 1st day of February, 1908.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st of January, 1908, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders (in accordance with the Shareholders) (in accordance with the secolution passed at the last annual meeting) will be held at the lead office of the bank on Wednesday, the 19th day of February, 1908.

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CORPORATION

DIVIDEND NO. 52

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three and three-quarters per cent. upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Corporation has been declared for the current half-year (being at the rate of seven and one-half per cent.

per annum), and that the same will be payable on and after THURSDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF JANUARY NEXT. The Transfer Books will be closed from Wednesday, the 18th, to Tuesday, the 31st of December, both days inclusive. By order of the Board.

J. W. LANGMUIR, Managing Director. Toronto, December 6th, 1907.

NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY

DIVIDEND NO. 32.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of One and Three-Quarters Per Cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of this Company has been declared for the current quarter, being at the rate of Seven Per Cent. Per Annum, and that the same will be payable on and after

THURSDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF JANUARY NEXT. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to the 31st of December, 1907, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

W. T. WHITE, General Manager.

Toronto December 4th, 1907.

And this prepared kalsomine is ready for use. We place on sale 500 five pound packages of the well-known Elephant brand of prepared Kalsomine, which is ready for immediate use by simply adding water. Colors are as follows: Sky Blue, Pink, This kalsomine is first-class value at 25c per package, but on Saturday we sell you Two Packages for Twenty-five Cents

beautiful gloss, an assortment of makes and colors, regularly priced up to 80c can. Specially priced for Saturday, per can at

Artists' Water Colors

in collapsible tubes, a well-known make, used and approved of by leading artists, a large range of colors, usually priced up to 20c per tube, specially priced for Saturday, each, at

Five Cents. In order to facilitate buying, please bring a list of colors wanted.

Artists' Brushes.

A Bargain in Diamonds

we do business a little out of the ordinary. We place on sale 23 only genuine imported English glaziers' Diamonds, suitable for all ordinary glass cutting, regular prices range up to \$3.25, Saturday you can buy one for

A Dollar Ninety-eight.

Gold and Silver Jap-a-Lac

is some thin game, but is quite in keeping with the high quality of this famous line. It is particularly adapted for renewing picture frames, gas fixtures, radiators, and any surface, gives a beautiful finish, and "wears like iron." Priced as follows:—

1-4 pints, silver, 20c; gold, 30c.

Anyone Can Grain

ter-cut and oak heart patterns. Full directions go with each set, reg. \$2.50 value, priced for Saturday at a Dollar Eighty-nise.

Out-of-town buyers add 15c for

Makes Old Yenser. It Instantly ro

Things New moves all scratches, and duliness and leaves a beautiful and durable glossy finish on all kinds of furniture. It is realify marveitous, regular good value per bottle at 25c. Saturday, special, the price is only

Nineteen Cents.

A Saving in Graining Combs

72 only sets of English steel graining combs, 12 to set, ranging from one to four inches wide and a variety of degrees of fineness of stroke, good regular 75c value, specially priced for Saturday at

Fifty-nine Cents.

Better Value for

of it. We handle the best known American, foreign and domestic glues in sheet, broken sheet, stick, powdered and liquid forms. Just to emphasize our leadership in this line we specialize for Saturday 1,000 lbs. assorted of English sheet and French medal glues of specially high quality, adapted for paper-hangers' and woodworkers' use, splendid 15c value, cut priced for Saturday's selling, per lb., in five pound lots, or over it.

Ten Cents.

It Will Cost You Much Money

Your Money

Practical Paperhangers

will find us stocked

with the largest and

best assortment of the tools and materials of

tools and materials of their trade. Folding Paste Tables, Straft-edgestrimming knives, kalsomine and paste brushes, step ladders, treatles, paste buck-ets, dry and wet pastes, wall scrapers, sponges, etc. When you buy from us you can count on Right G o d s, reasonable prices, prompt service.

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and do it splendidly if they have one of these outfits. Outfit consists of three rubber rolls with which an inexperi-enced person can pro-duce a wonderful va-riety of intricate pata terns, imitating quar-tercut and oak heart

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Enamel Paint }

Just Add the Water

Chicago Options Rally, But Prices Do Not Hold-Liverpool Closes Easier.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 19.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day

4d lower and corn ½d lower.

At Chicago, Dec. wheat closed %c lower, Dec. corn %c lower and Dec. oats %c lower. World Office.

Receipts of farm produce were 800 bushels of grain, 30 loads of hay, 2 loads of straw, with a few lots of dressed hogs and veal calves.

Wheat—One hundred bushels of fall sold at 97c, and 100 bushels goose at 87c.

Barley—Two hundred bushels sold at 72c.

Oats—Two hundred bushels sold at 72c.

Good 40, WORLD Wheat, spring, bush ... \$0 95 to \$... Wheat, fall, bush ... 0 97 ... Wheat, goose, bush ... 0 87 ... Wheat, red, bush ... 0 98 ... 0 83 (Alberta). Peas, bush 0 83
Buckwheat, bush 0 64
Barley, bush 0 71
Oats, bush 0 51
Seeds—
Alsike ARTER, t Broker, Juelph, Ont. Alsike, fancy, bush \$8 00 to \$8 25 Alsike, No. 1, bush 7 50 8 00 Alsike, No. 2, bush 6 75 7 25 Red clover, No. 1, bush... 9 50

Hay and Straw-

correspondingly lower quotations:
Hay, car lots, ton, bales . \$17 00 to \$17 50
Potatoos, car lots, bags ... 0 75 0 80
Evaporated apples, lb 0 09 094

Live Poultry Wholesale.

 Turkeys, young
 \$0 10 to \$...

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 0 07
 0 08

 Ducks, per 1b
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Hides and Tallow.

Chickens, fancy, large 0 09 Chickens, medium 0 06

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 Fowl
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 Squabs, per dozen
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Turkeys, dressed 0 12
Geese, dressed 0 09
Ducks, dressed 0 09
Chickens, dressed 0 09
Chickens, dressed 0 06
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls 0 27
Butter, tubs 0 25
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls 29
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buyers 94c; No. 2 red, 94c buyers; No. 2 MARKET IS APATHETIC Spring wheat—No. 2 Ontario, no quota-lions; No. 2 goose, no quotations. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, no quotations; No. 2, sellers \$1.14, Goderich. Barley-No. 2, sellers, 70c, outside; No. 3X, no quotations; No. 3, no quotations. Oats-No. 2 white, buyers 47c, Toronto; No. 2 mixed, buyers 46c, Toronto.

Buckwheat-Buyers 58c. Rye-No. 2, sellers 82c. Peas-No. 2, buyers 82c. Corn-No. 3 yellow, no quotations.

Bran-Sellers \$20, buyers' bags.

Northwest car lots of wheat to-day 363.
last week 545, last year 285.

Chicago car lots of wheat to-day 39.
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Contract 12; corn, 212, contract 12; oats 222,
contract 9.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.40 in barrels, and
No. 1 golden, \$4 in barrels. These prices are for delivery here; car lots 5c less.

Chicago Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co. to J. G. Beaty:
Wheat—The wheat market has been extremely nervous, but the volume of business much reduced as a result of the general covering which took place yesterday. There was a period of strength caused by advices from the northwest claiming large sales of cash wheat, and emphasized by reports that reserves in farmers' hands are down to a very low figure. The market succumbed late in the session to profit-taking sales, influenced quite considerably by the improved condition reported in Argentine. Should the weather continue in South America so as to permit harvesting, we will probably have a sagging market, as the opinion prevails that the wheat accumulated by the leading long here is of so great an amount that it will require something sensational to make a market large enough to unload, the only alternative being a gradual liquidation on the scale down, which seems most likely.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to J, L. Mitchell at the close of the market.

The prices quoted below are for first-class quality; lower grades are bought at

Charles W. Gillett to Peter J. Morgan:

Charles W. Gillett to Peter J. Morgan:
Wheat—There was some disappointment in the tone of cables this morning, as toth Liverpool and continental markets were sharply lower, but the resultant depression in our market was of short duration. There were export sales of 2,000,000 bushels Manitobas reported from Canadian points yesterday and liberal sales from Duluth to-day to the east for all-rail shipment. Weather in the Argentine more favorable, but private reports claimed the harvest would not be finished until January, and serious damage was still possible. Export bids at the seaboard were nearer a working basis than for sometime, but we cannot confirm any new business except in durums. All of our advices from the northwest seem to confirm the claim that farmers' reserves and interior elevator stocks of spring wheat are smaller than generally supposed. Canadian advices are much the same character. Supplies of winter wheat in the southwest are liberal, but the Charles W. Gillett to Peter J. Morgan: wheat are shader advices are much the same character. Supplies of winter wheat in the southwest are liberal, but the Price Current's remarks on the condition of winter wheat are mildly bullish. The leading long interests were made by the buyers of May wheat to-day and cash houses were credited with buying about a million May. Outside of these interests the trading was diversified, the selling the trading was diversified, the selling and the control of the selling and the selli Hides and Tailow.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealers, in Wool. Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Furs. Tailow, etc. :
Inspected hides, No. 1 cows, steers... \$0 03 Inspected hides, No. 2 cows, steers... \$0 05 Inspected hides, No. 2 cows, steer

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New York Dec. 19.—Flour—Receipts, 282,000 burbels; exports, 1815, 3sales, 4600, steady, with a quiet trade. Rye flour, steady; burkwheat flour, quiet Comment, steady, with a quiet trade. Rye flour, steady; burkwheat flour, quiet Comment, steady, burkwheat flour, quiet trade. Rye flour, steady; burkwheat flour, quiet Comment, steady, flour, steady, stea

TRADING IS NARROW

Price of Silver Acts as a Depressing Incident in the Mining Market.

World Office, Thursday Evening, Dec. 19. The transactions in the Cobalt stocks Corn—No. 3 yellow, no quotations.

Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, \$3.65 bid for export. Manitoba patent, special brands, \$5.80; second patents, \$5,20; strong bakers', \$5.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follow:
No. 1 golden, \$4 in barrels, and 22.
No. 1 golden, \$4 in barrels. These prices are for delivery here; car lots 5c less.

Chicago Markets.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of long fluctuations of long fluctuatio were limited again to-day, the market

WANTS INVESTIGATION.

As to the Flotation of the Green-Meehan Proposition.

Editor World: As a shareholder of the Green-Meehan Mining Co. I would like to know if it is not time for the like to know if it is not time for the government to investigate this company. From what I could gather at the annual meeting of the Green-Meehan, the affairs of the company appear to me about as iniquitous as that of the Highland Mary. I was given to understand when I bought the stock at 1.60 per share that it cost the syndicate a great deal of money and was regarded as a choice proposition. At the meeting I discovered that the syndicate did not put up a cent themselves, but did not put up a cent themselves, but sold sufficient stock before the first payment for the mine fell due in order to satisfy Messrs. Green & Meehan,

Sam Newhouse has any serious inten-

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Weather Conditions Are Not a Consideration in the putting on of puesil's Asphalt Reefing. It is just as quickly and easily put on in the coldest weather as in the heat of midsummer, absolutely waterproof, practically Saturday Savings

There's Good Skating Weather

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Two for Fifteen Cents.

It's an Absolute Certainty that any lady interested in hous ekeeping will be pleased to receive one of these as a Christmas present. Lit only Food Cutters, by far the most popular on the market, has four cutters, will cut anything in the way of food, will cut two one for Ninety-eight Cents.

If you Intend to Give a Gas Here is a chance to secure one at a saving; 25 only 2-light Gas Fixtures, of a neat and most attractive design, exactly as flustrated. These fixtures are finished in first-class style, and are complete with crystal globes of a very pretty pattern. Specially priced for Saturday—2-light, regular \$2.75, for \$1.85, sey is Gas Flatures. Fixture TO PER

We save you money in Gas Fixtures.



Nineteen Cents. Will Smooth Out Many Wrinkles and prove a source of great usefulness, will a nice nickel plate set of Mrs. Petts leons, as illustrated. Complete set costs only "

One Dollar. Much Money Saved

by many handy men who do the shoe repairing for their families with the aid of one of these shee Resairins Outfits, We place on sale its set, made up as follows:— One last stand, three different sized lasts, a shoe hammer, shoe knife, pegging and sewing awis, complete with awl points, put up in wooden box, good 65c value, specially cut-priced for selling on Saturday at

Forty-nine Cents. A Bargain in Snow Shovels 1.000 steel inches long, makes a splendid long handle furnace shovel for removing ashes or coaling up, regular 25c value, Saturday you can have one for

Seventeen Cents. It's a Sweeping Assertion to make that few presents will be received with greater satisfac-tion than that of MATIONAL'S tion than that of a good Corpet Sweeper, priced from 8 down to A Dollar Seventy-five

A Cross Cut Saw Bargain 12 only cross out saws, the celebrated LANCE TOOTH pattern, five ft. in length, special temspecial tem-per, thin back, sharp-ened and set readyfor

handles we cut the price to A Dollar Sixty-nine.

Any Dirty Work in the way of furnace clean-ing, painting, oiling and cleaning a motor or other work of a like divested of much of its unpleasant-ness if you wear a pair of can-vas gloves as illustrated. 100 pairs, priced, per pair, for Saturday's sell-ing at

Ten Cents. A Clearance in Heaters We have just 50 heaters as illustrated, too many

on hand, they are good, \$1.50 value to make a \$1.50 value to make a quick clearance, Saturday the price is only Ninety-Bight Cents.



day :-150 pairs of full nickel-plated Hockey Skates, specially good 90c value, outpriced, per pair, for Saturday's selling at

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values for Satur-

Sixty-nine Cents.

100 pairs of the celebrated Starr Hockey Skates, have puck stopper, polished steel, regular \$1.25, for 38c. Full Nickel-plated, reg. \$1.75, for \$1.25.

48 only, the celebrated Henry Boker's Perfection Hockey Skates, fully nickel-plated, reinforced brackets, with puck stopper; good regular \$1.75 value. Saturday special, the price is only

A Dollar Thirty-nine A Snap in Spring Skates To only pairs of genuine As me Skates, made by the Starr wife.

Ce. including their No. 25 Skate, which is highly nickel-plated. Sizes range from No. 8½ to 11. These goods are splendid \$1.25 value. As extra Christmas value we put them on sale Saturday, per pair, at

Sixty-mime Cents.

Sixty-nine Cents. Selected coted, made of choice well seasoned timber, and bave the proper lift. Prices range from specialise for Saturday, 144 only full sized sticks, splendid 50c waite. Cut-priced for Saturday's selling at

Ankle Supports and Straps Many skaters have experienced that annoying ankle strain, which is entirely done away with by wearing a pair of ankle supports (worn inside the (worn inside the boots). For Saturday we place on sale 144 pairs of Ankle Supports, made of soft,

strong, pliable leather, splendid 250 value. Cut-priced for Saturday sell-Nineteen Cents. Best quality Skate Straps, full length, per pair, 10c.

A Snap in Carvers

19 only pairs of Carving Knives and r'orks, the well known Sheffield makes of Jos. Fenton & Sons. Splendid goods. 1. thing more acceptable for a Christ-as gift than a pair of carvers. Good \$1.25 value. Saturday we make the price

Eighty-Nine Cents. Carving Sets | We have splendid line of carving sets, in silk lined cases, particularly suitable for Christmas presentation. We have specialized for Saturday 12 only 8-piece carying sets, a fam-ous Sheffield make, spiendid \$2.75

value, for A Dollar and Ninety-eight Cents. Two Snaps in Carving Sets



by the well-known Sheffield makers, Jos. Fenton & Sons, stag handle, as shown in cut; reg. \$1.50, for \$1.19. White celluloid handles, oval pattern, reg. \$1.75, for \$1.39.

Your Friend Who Shaves ; Himself

will be delighted to receive a good razor strop. Get one of these for him. 72 only swing razor strops, as illustrated, has a splendidly prepared surface, with keen edge-giving qualities, regular 50c value, for Saturday Thirty-nine Cents.

Always in Good Taste



Get him one of these—12 only of the improved Hamilton take down 22 cal. rifles, for short or long cart-ridges, has safety lock breech, and steel bronze metal lined barrel. Guaranteed accurate. Splendid \$2.50 value. Saturday, special, the price is

A Dollar Ninety-eight. (No firearms or ammunition sold to boys under 16 years of age.) Get What You Pay For

and to be sure that such is the case you need one of these 36 only, Spring Balance Scales (as illustrated), inspected and approved of for family use by the Canadian Government. Specially priced for Saturday's selling for Fifty-nine Cents.

A Most Acceptable Christmas Present



have 8-inch hardened steel blades, guaranteed A1 tools in every re-spect, regular good value at \$3.75, specially cut-priced for Saturday at

For Your Friend The Woodworker

priate, 10 only, sets of Chisels, set consists of 6 chisels, first-class goods, leather-tipped handles, sizes range from ¼ to 1¼, all put in a neat hinged wooden box, specially priced for Saturday's selling at Two Dellars and 1 orty-eight Cents.



to receive as a Christmas present a spiendid Simonds Handsaw. It would be a present that he would value highly, and its satisfactory working qualities would give him continuous pleasure. We will as-sist you in selection as to length and cut.

Here's a Present that Would Please



A Whole Kit of Tools

Sixty-nine Cents

Your Boy
Would be
Delighted

saw blades, a spiral hand drill, 2-handled files, a clamp and guide board, and a book of fret saw designs, specially priced for Saturday at



Thirty-Nine Cents A Setol Tools shows a natural tendency to use tools, it's wise to encourage the same. Here is a practical set of tools that you can buy for little money; set consists of hammer, hand saw, brace and bit, try square, marking gauge, 2-ft. folding rule, chisel, plane, brad awl, fret saw, oil stone and sand paper. Saturday you can buy the whole outfit for A Deliar Ninety-eight.

A Dollar Ninety-eight.

The Man Handy With Tools would greatly appreciate a Cem Felding Mitre Sox as a Christmas present. Each one

They are good \$2.25 value. For Saturday we make the price



38 only of the Jones adjustable Coping Saws, first-class tools, used by the most expert mechanics, 6 blades go with each frame, and we specially price the dutit for Saturday at

Sixty-nine Cents. A Snap in a Set of Saws

3 3 3 5 18 only nest of saws, as illustrated, consisting of two blades and an adjustable handle, the very best goods, regular 75c value, Saturday special, a set is yours for

Fifty-nine Cents. A Satisfactory Scraper is the one we illustrate, has a ball joint connection which permits of its adjustment to any desired angle, a firstangle, a first-class tool for the wood-work-ing mechanic,



126 East King Street.

for stove repairs if you continue using your range with defective or worn out fire bricks. Buy a package of Russil's Perfect Steve Lining. This material can be used to make a complete lining or to repair and hold in place broken fire bricks, warranted to give perfect satisfaction in every case, regular 25 per package, cut-priced for Saturday's selling at for less than you would pay for repairing the old one. 36 only solid brass compression water taps, similar to cut, but are not threaded for attaching garden hose. Specially priced for Saturday's selling at Forty-eight Cents.

We Cut Considerable Figure in the Window Class business. A most complete range of sizes onables us to fill your order economically. Expert glass cutters fill your order accurately, an effective delivery system delivers your order promptly. We deliver window

Nineteen Cents.

order promptly. We deliver window glass free of charge to all parts of city and suburbs.

THE RUSSILL HARDWARE CO.

Do your Window Glass Buying Here

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THE BIG INSURANCE AND REDUCTION S



In less than one week Xmas, 1907, will be part of history. To the Dineen company this holiday season will go down as the "biggest yet" because of the immense patronage resulting from the Reduction and Fire Insurance Sale.

To put the argument in a "nutshell" we would say that every garment in the Fire Insurance Sale is being sacrificed regardless of cost or value, and the balance of the immense stock and all the new goods just arrived from the factory will be sold at

25 per cent. reduction.

Everything is positively high-class in quality and finish —all this year's work and all new pelts.

This is no "boost sale." It's a real chance made possible by the insurance settlement and the fact that we're heavily overstocked with high-class furs.

No goods charged. Extra salespeople in attendance. Here are a few items:

Natural Mink Muffs, \$34.75. Special value in Mink Muffs, large-sized Imperial or Empire shapes, with five or six stripes, made from best natural-colored Canadian skins, regular \$57.50, for\$34.75

Natural Mink Scarfs, \$32.75. One table of Mink Scarfs, different styles, made from four skins, some plain, some trimmed with heads and tails, regular \$50.00, for . \$32.75

Persian Lamb Coats, \$158.00. Persian Lamb Coats, in American, French or Russian styles, best quality of natural Canadian Mink collar and revers, two-stripe, large, medium or small glossy curl, regular \$210.00, for \$158.00 Persian Lamb Coats, \$131.25.

Persian Lamb Coats, double-breasted, collarless, or with latest style of coat collar, braided as dessy curl, strictly No. 1 quality, pl or fancy brocaded linings, regular \$175.00, \$131.25

Ladies' Persian Lamb Jackets, \$79.50. Plain Persian Lamb Jackets, lined with best satin, finished with cuff and girdle at waist, regular price

\$125.00 and \$135.00, for\$79.50 Alaska Sable Pillow Muffs, \$11.25.

Genuine Alaska Sable Pillow Muffs, eiderdown bed, best satin lining, regular \$16.50, for.\$11.25 Natural Canadian Mink Muffs. Large Natural Canadian Mink Muffs, pillow

shape, three stripes, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, regular \$30.00 and \$35.00, for . . \$21.00 Alaska Sable Scarfs, \$9.25.

Genuine Natural Alaska Sable Satin-Lined Scarfs, 70 inches long, trimmed with two heads and six tails, regular \$15.00, for\$9.25 Lynx Pillow Muffs, \$14.75.

Large Lynx Pillow Muffs, finished with best satin lining, eiderdown bed, regular price \$22.50, for \$14.75 Blue and Natural Lynx Stoles,

\$19.75. Extra Fine Silky Blue and Natural Lynx Stoles. finished in latest style, lined with best quality satin, regular price \$27.50, for\$19.75

Children's White Goat Rugs, \$2.95. Children's White Goat Rugs, size 36x30 inches, lined and trimmed with white felt, regular price

\$5.50, for\$2.95 Persian Lamb Muffs, \$12.00. Black Persian Muffs, pillow shape, best satin lining, ejderdown bed, finished with corded wrist,

regular \$18.00 and \$20.00, for \$12.00 Ladies' Persian Lamb Mink Trimmed Coats, \$89.75.

Ladies' Mink-Trimmed Persian Jackets, blouse style, best satin lining, finished with Fur Cuffs, silk girdle at waist, regular \$145.00, for . \$89.75 Children's Iceland Lamb Coats, \$9.75.

Children's White Iceland Lamb Coats, lined with good quality satin, full length, finished with large collar, regular \$15.00 and \$16.50, for . . \$9.75 Mink Alexandra Scarfs, \$32.75. Extra Choice Natural Canadian Mink Scarfs, in the new Alexandra and Ascot shapes, made from very choice skins, regular \$50.00 and \$55.00, for \$32.75

Grey Squirrel Stoles, \$12.75. Extra Fine Quality Grey Squirrel Stoles, lined with grey satin, full size, regular price \$20.00, for \$12.75 Grey Squirrel Muffs, \$9.75.

Grey Squirrel Muffs, pillow shape, eiderdown bed, best satin lining, finished with corded wrist, regular \$15.00, for\$9.75

Black Lynx Stoles, \$19.75. Number One Quality Black Lynx Stoles, varying from 56 inches to 80 inches in length, lined with best quality satin, regular \$27.50, for . \$19.75

Black Lynx Muffs, \$19.75. Number One Quality Black Lynx Muffs, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, corded wrist, regular \$27.50, for\$19.75

Ladies' Fur-Lined Coat. \$29.75. Black Broadcloth Shell, hamster lining, Alaska sable collar and revers, regular \$47.50, \$50.00 and \$55.00, for\$29.75

Sable Squirrel Muffs, \$11.75. Sable Squirrel Muffs, pillow shape, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, corded wrist, regular \$18.00, for \$11.75 Sable Squirrel Throw Ties, \$9.25.

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Ladies' Muskrat Coats, \$39.75. Ladies' Muskrat Blouse Coats, made from best quality natural skins, finished with best satin lining, silk girdle at waist, 26 inches long, regular \$55.00, for \$39.75

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FROM THE JUNCTION

Norway Conservatives Meet on Saturday Night-Ratepayers Gather at Bracondale.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Dec. 19.—General dissatisfaction is being expressed at present by the C. P. R. employes as to the methods of the company in the payment of wages. Up till a week ago the men were paid on the 17th of each month, and on Tuesday evening, when the men were preparing to receive their month's pay, without any previous warning, notices were posted to the effect that the date of payment had been postponed to the posted to the effect that the date of payment had been postponed to the 20th. This move of the company has met with universal disapproval among the employes, many of whom had arranged to meet their bills at the earliest date, and as a considerable number of the contract the con per of the employes are from the old country, they haves been prevented

John Pierson of 256 West Dundas-street died this morning, aged 68 years. He was one of the pioneers of the Junction and was largely interested in Junction and was largely interested in real estate on Western-avenue at the time of the Junction land boom some 15 years ago. For several years he has conducted a boot and shoe store on Dundas-street. He has been in poor health for the past three months, and death was due to a complication of sthmad departs and heart feilure. death was due to a complication of asthma, dropsy and heart failure. He leaves a widow and grown up family. The funeral will take place on Saturday at 2 p.m. to Prospect Cemetery. The annual commencement of the Toronto Junction Collegiate Institute Toronto Junction Collegiate Institute took place to-night, in the school auditorium. Trustee J. A. Ellis presided, in the absence of J. McSachern, the chairman of the board. Vocal selections were given by Miss Elise Whitmyre and Miss Winter, and encores were responded to. The principal speaker of the evening was Dean Pakenham of the faculty of education, Toronto University. The valedictory address was delivered by Miss Wilhelmina Cobbeck. The students who helmina Cobbeck. The students who got highest sanding were Miss Jennie McFarlane, Miss Cobbeck and Miss Belcher. The scholarship in mathematics and science was won by Miss McFarlane, while Miss Cobbeck gained scholarship in English and mod-s. Miss Beicher gained first class second class honors in mathe-s and Latin, an dthird class in Greek. The diplomas were presented by Prof. J. T. Robertson of Victoria Univeristy, who was the first princips lished as the Toronto Junction High

After the exercises were over a comnittee was formed of graduates of the school, to arrange for a dinner to be held by the old boys some time after Christmas, at which a permanent Old Boys' organization will be formed. The committee appointed was: Percy Wright, J. G. Wright, Leslie Horner Howard Gray, W. J. Van Dusen, Gordon Rice, B.A., Dr. Charles Gilmore R. McGregor, Leslie Burkholder, J. H Colvin, H. Murchy, P. G. Fraser, J. Bretz, J. R. G. Murray, H. Scott, Alf

England, gave an at home to mem-bers, their wives and friends, to-night. \$100, together with \$80 worth of cloth-sion. in St. James' Hall. A varied program ing sent to the Northwest mission field. Rev. W. G. Back, the pastor, spoke

ther he will be a candidate for the maporalty. He, however, emphatically stated that he would like to see a compelte change in the personnel of the son, envelope secretary.

L. O. L. No. 900, was held last night. Officers were elected for the coming year: W.M., Dr. R. R. Hopkins; D.M., Robert G. Agnew; chaplain, Albert Moffatt; R.S., Arthur Rowley; F.S., Harry Camplin; first lecturer, James Moffatt; second lecturer, Louis Lin-ton; first committeeman, G. C. Flintoff; second, Fred Sheppard; third, Thomas Moore; fourth, W. J. Irwin; fifth, J. G. Wright; auditors, A. M. Wilson and J. W. Dodds. The election was ducted by R. W. Bro. Harry Lovelock and the installation by M. W. Bro. Robert Birmingham. A banquet was held after the ceremonies were com-

The Sunday school of Victoria Presbyterian Church held a successful Christmas entertainment to-night. There was a large attendance and the youngtsers spent an enjoyable even-

Do you want to save money? Buy at Baldwin's, 28 Dundas-street west. Specials Saturday at Dean's Cigar Store, 41 Dundas East, Chamberlain cigars, 10 in box, only 65c. \$200.00 cash, balance arranged on small payments, solid brick house, Gilmour-avenue. Apply 6 May-st. ed To rent, \$25.00 per month, 179 Louisa. street. Apply 6 May-street. ed W. J. McCullough is now in his new store opposite the old stand with store opposite the old stand, with a choicean d select stock of groceries at

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Consulting Lawyer Submits Opinion re Metropolitan Rallway.

NORTH TORUNIO, Dec. 19.-The public meeting to be held in the town hall on Saturday evening, under the

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Friday, Dec. 20.



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Men's Imported English and American House Coats and Smoking \$5.00. Jackets, to clear, soft lamb's wool tweeds, double-woven cheviots and plain kersey cloths, in blue grey, browns and mixtures, fancy plaids and check patterns, frog fasteners, sizes 34_44, regular \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00, Saturday morning\$3.95 Gloves, choice skins, best finish,

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Boys' Double-Breasted Winter Coats, Reefers and Russian Over- elbows, sizes 34 to 46, worth up to coats, in light grey naps and tweeds \$3.50 a garment, per garment, Satand darker cheviots, handsomely trim- urday \$1.98 med with neat velvet collar, fancy buttons and emblem on sleeves, sizes 21_ \$14 Bath Robes \$4.49 \$4.50 and \$5.00, Satur-

Men's Furs

Men's Electric Seal Caps, in driver, kiva or wedge shape, special prices, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00 and

Men's Persian Lamb Collars, satin-lined, made adjustable, Xmas specials. \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$12.00

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Burt, J. F. Timmons, J. Hemphill, C. A. McDonough.

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Worcester Lodge, No. 47, Sons of tended. The trteasurer's report showfreshments were served.

Ex-Councillor Sam Ryding states that he has not yet decided as to whe
mending them in their work. Officers were elected: Mrs. J. Logle, president; that he has not yet decided as to whe-

> The teachers of the Eglinton Public School appealed to the pupils for a Christmas collection in aid of the Sick Children's Hospital, and realized \$12.02. The legal opinion submitted by Law-yer George E. Shepley re the Town of North Toronto and the Metropolitan Railway is a voluminous document of

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the council seems to have a right, Mr. of songs, readings and musical selections was gone thru, after which re-tions was gone thru, after which re-freshments were served.

Rev. W. G. Back, the paster, the paster, the paster, the ladies, encouraging and com-mending them in their work. Officers tracking instad of lengthening existing switches, but power is not of any great value, as a double track would be more inconvenience to the town than the occasional switch."

Respecting clause 17, relating to the overcrowding of cars, Mr. Shepley says that he was unable to find any agreement as to the regulation of the number of passengers to be carried by any car, but says "it is possible that an indictment against the company for maintaining a nuisance might be maintained," but adds, "the only effective remedy in this direction would be legislation."

Respecting the excessive speed of the Newmarket cars thru the town, Mr. Shepley maintains that the town authorities have practically no jurisdiction in the matter, and advises application to the railway board as the nost effective remedy.

The solicitor advises the town to press the matter of snow removal, and failing compliance, go to the railway

BRACONDALE.

Trustees Vote Generous Sum for Library-Yarmouth Lodge Wins.

BRACONDALE, Dec. 19.-At their, ast meeting, the trustees of Hillcrest School voted the sum of \$100 for the Bracondale Public Library, \$25 of this to be used for the school library. Messrs. M. Holmes and E. Boggis have purchased a large number of new books for the Bracondale Library.

A very interesting game of carpetball was played in Wychwood Hall between Sherwood and Yarmouth Lodges, S.O.E., the score being 61 to 41 in favor of Yarmouth Lodge. Refreshments were served after the game, and a pleasant evening closed with the singing of "God Save the King."

NORWAY.

Election of Officers Will Cause Good Lively Rally.

hall on Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Ratepayers' Association, promises to be of more than ordinary interest. Lawyer Shepley's \$300 opinion will be discussed, and the treasurer's annual financial statement will be taken up.

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