

DENMARK'S AGED MONARCH PASSES AWAY AT COPENHAGEN

KING CHRISTIAN DIES SUDDENLY IN 88th YEAR

Copenhagen, Jan. 29.—The King of Denmark died at 3:30 this afternoon.

The King passed away quietly, surrounded by the Crown Prince and the Crown Princess and their children, and the Dowager Empress of Russia.

Christian IX., King of Denmark, was born April 8, 1818, and succeeded to the throne on Nov. 15, 1863.

Prince Frederick, his eldest son and heir to the throne, was born June 3, 1843.

The late King's eldest daughter is Queen Alexandra of England, and his second son, Prince William, was elected King of Greece, under the title of George I., in 1863.

Another daughter, Marie Dagmar, is the Dowager Empress of Russia, mother of the present Czar.

Princess Thyra, the third daughter, is Duchess of Cumberland, whose husband claims the throne of Hanover.



THE HON. WM. TEMPLEMAN, Likely to Follow Hon. Mr. Brodeur as Minister of Inland Revenue.

Balfour Given a London Seat

London, Jan. 29.—At a meeting of the Conservative Association of the city of London today the resignation of A. G. Gibbs, member of Parliament for the city of London, was accepted, and the candidature of Arthur J. Balfour for that constituency was approved.

The Liberal Association of the city of London also met today, and postponed until Friday its decision whether to oppose the former premier. Several Liberal members expressed willingness to contest the seat.

Three more Liberals and two Conservatives were returned as the result of Saturday's elections.

NEVER A VICTORY GREAT AS THIS

Bannerman's Majority the Largest on Record.

THE LIBERALS CAN DOWN ALL

Have at Least Eighty-Two More Votes Than the Rest of the House Combined.

London, Jan. 28.—Except that the returns from nine constituencies have not been received, the general elections in the United Kingdom are ended.

The Government coalition will have approximately 510 votes in the next Parliament, this estimate including on the side of Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Nationalist and Labor votes, with the concrete Unionist minority of 160 on the opposition side.

The issues in the campaign brought forth by the Liberals included an expensive war for which the people are still paying, a threatened raising of food prices, an unpopular educational system, an unprecedented number of unemployed and many other matters.

Great Majority. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman will enter the new Parliament on Feb. 13 with the greatest majority ever given to an English premier.

The Unionists—hereafter the Opposition—will barely fill half of the left benches, while another notable fact is that many of the most notable of the Unionist debaters will be absent at least on the first day of the sitting.

Tremendous Change. As a result of the elections the political map of England shows a tremendous change and it may safely be said that the incoming of a new party to power marks a complete upsetting of the old order of things, for even the

Whitney Asks Dominion For Temiskaming Subsidy

Thinks Road Should Be Assisted to the Extent of \$1,800,000—The Provincial Subsidies.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Jan. 29.—The Hon. J. P. Whitney and Col. Matheson, provincial treasurer of Ontario, are in the city today.

They had an interview with Premier Laurier in the Premier's office at noon. Mr. Whitney was seen by your correspondent, and said that he was there to press upon the Dominion Government the granting of a subsidy to the Temiskaming Railway, which will likely connect with the national transcontinental railway.

mean a Dominion grant of about \$1,800,000.

"What about the provincial subsidies?" was asked Mr. Whitney. "The Ontario Government," he replied, "did not take any part in the conference in regard to the provincial subsidy, but the resolutions passed were forwarded to them, and Mr. Ross came to Ottawa, and with the other provincial premiers presented them to the Government. We have signified our intention of taking part in the next conference of provinces for a rearrangement of the subsidies. We do so without being tied up to anything that has been done in the past. We are, of course, favorable to an increase."

OTTAWA TROLLEYS MAKE BIG MONEY

4143,000 Net Profit Last Year, Being Best Record in Canadian Cities.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Jan. 29.—The net profit of the Ottawa Electric Railway Company for the past year was \$1,430,000 or 14 3/10 per cent on the capital stock of the company, being the largest percentage of net profit of any street railway in Canada.

RAILWAY TO HUDSON BAY

C. N. R. Prepares to Begin Work in Early Spring.

Winnipeg, Jan. 29.—The Canadian Northern are preparing to commence work in earnest in the spring on their long-talked-of line to Hudson Bay.

GOT HIS BILL SETTLED

But Halifax Grocer Had to Swim Ashore From Battleship.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 28.—The British battleship Dominion sailed on Saturday afternoon under sealed orders. Just as the ship hauled out into the stream an amusing incident occurred.

Canadian Golfers Lose.

Mexico City, Jan. 29.—The Americans won from the Canadians yesterday at San Pedro golf links by four strokes.

BIG STRIKE MENACES GOTHAM; 150,000 WORKERS INVOLVED

THE ENTIRE BUILDING INDUSTRY MAY BE TIED UP

New York, Jan. 29.—A strike embracing 150,000 men and involving the entire building industry of New York is now being aimed at by the structural steel workers of the city.

LUMLEY RETURNS TO HIS FAMILY

The Missing Man Says Doped Drinks Were the Cause of His Disappearance.

William Lumley has turned up after several days of the greatest anxiety to his wife and friends in this city, the man who has been missing since last Wednesday night arrived in the city on Saturday night, and is once more with his family.

Lumley had completed every arrangement by which to move all his belongings from Thamesford to this city. He had sent on his household effects, his wife had come to London several days previously, and Lumley had bought his ticket for London.

Lumley, according to his own story, has had quite an experience. He says he remembers arriving here, of having a couple of drinks with an acquaintance, but of what happened after that he has but a very hazy recollection.

RUSSIAN NOBLES MURDERED

Count Lamsdorff and Baron Roenn Killed by Rebels.

Tukum, Courland, Jan. 29.—Count Frederic Lamsdorff and Baron Roenn two of the most prominent land owners of this district, were attacked yesterday while out driving, by a band of revolutionists, and were pulled from their sleighs and murdered.

C. P. R. Men Laid Off.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—About 30 firemen and a number of engineers in the C. P. R. shops here are out of work.

Grand Trunk Gets Option On Another Block of Land

They Buy It to Enable Removal of the P. M. Freight Shed and Round House.

Rumors were again rife around the city hall today of big realty deals in which the Grand Trunk Railway, the Pere Marquette Railway and the city of London are interested.

These rumors were to the effect that the Grand Trunk has secured an option on that piece of property which lies between Bathurst street, Maitland street and the Hamilton road, and which has been occupied by Mr. Nicholas Wilson for many years.

It was said around the city hall that the railroads have been after the block east of Maitland, south of Bathurst, and running up to William street, but that the scheme to utilize this land has been abandoned.

The reason for all the railroad talk about the locality mentioned is to be found in the fact that if the Grand Trunk is to carry out its very large

scheme of general improvement in London, the Pere Marquette freight sheds, offices and roundhouse must be moved from their present location.

As has been known for months the Grand Trunk has purchased all the land in the city lying south of their track and facing on the north side of Bathurst—that is, all with the exception of the ground occupied by the Pere Marquette freight house, roundhouse, etc.

When the city opens negotiations with the Grand Trunk, this matter must be considered. It will be necessary to secure the consent of the Pere Marquette, or rather the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway, which holds the road, but allows the Pere Marquette to operate it, to the removal of the buildings mentioned.

It is thought the Wilson property will make an excellent freight shed site, and the suggestion is made that the roundhouse be moved down toward the river, and the property in the neighborhood which can be secured at a moderate price now.

PROFESSOR WRONG, OF 'VARSITY, TO BE HEAD OF WYCLIFFE COLLEGE

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Ont., Jan. 29.—It is understood in university circles here that the Rev. Professor George M. Wrong, professor of modern history and ethnology, at Toronto University, will succeed the late Rev. J. P. Sheraton as principal of Wycliffe Col-

lege. Prof. Long is a graduate of Toronto University and Wycliffe College, and was ordained in 1883. He studied history at Berlin and Oxford and succeeded the late Sir Daniel Wilson as professor of history at the university in 1884. He is a son-in-law of Hon. Edward Blake.

ACCIDENT VICTIM BURIED

Funeral of the Late Jutson Moore Held to Woodland.

The remains of the late Jutson Moore, the conductor who was killed at the Richmond street crossing of the Grand Trunk, were laid at rest in Woodland Cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather, the funeral was very largely attended and was under the auspices of the Woodmen of the World, of which deceased was a member. The street railway men also attended the funeral in a body. The lodge of the W. O. W. conducted the services.

The cortege proceeded down Dundas street, and it was over two blocks in length. The railway employes 88 in all, marched at the head of the procession, followed by the Woodmen, of whom there were over half a hundred.

Collision on the Big Four.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 28.—It is reported here that two passenger trains on the Big Four met in collision near Nabb, Indiana, and that both engineers and several passengers were injured. It is understood that several cars were wrecked. The southbound train was behind time.

Minister Fells Assassin.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Jan. 29.—An attempt to shoot the Minister of Justice, M. Alberti, today, was frustrated by the bravery of the minister, who grappled with his assailant and wrested the revolver from him before it could be discharged.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Steamer. Arrived at. From. Campania.....New York.....Liverpool. La Touraine.....New York.....Havre. Finland.....New York.....Antwerp. New York.....New York.....Southampton. Calcutta.....New York.....Rottterdam. Lucania.....Liverpool.....New York. Bovie.....Liverpool.....New York. Canopic.....Genoa.....Boston. Funesia.....Mobile.....New York. Pennsylvania.....Hamburg.....New York. St. Paul.....Plymouth.....New York. Sardinian.....Glasgow.....Boston. Parian.....Halifax.....Liverpool. Prinz Adalbert.....New York.....Genoa. Patricia.....New York.....Hamburg. Romanic.....Boston.....Genoa. America.....Baltimore.....New York.

TWENTY GAVE \$15,500

Members of First Methodist Church Subscribed Liberally to Debt.

The First Methodist Church is making an effort to wipe out the debt against the edifice within the next three years. The debt amounts to \$22,000. Already twenty members have subscribed \$15,500 for the purpose, and subscription lists are now being circulated among the congregation in the hope of raising the remainder.

KING HAS BAD ANKLE

His Majesty Obligated to Shoot From an Automobile.

London, Jan. 29.—King Edward, who, since the accident in November last, when he fractured his ankle, has been spending most of his time at country homes, will come to London tomorrow. It is learned that the injury to his ankle was more serious than reported at the time. It has required almost continuous rest and the most careful treatment, but his majesty now has almost entirely recovered. His health otherwise is excellent. He pursues an active outdoor life as much as possible. Even while suffering from his injured ankle he continues shooting from a pony cart or automobile.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Mild. London, Monday, Jan. 29. Sun rises, 7:38 a.m. Moon rises, 10:17 a.m. Sun sets, 5:24 p.m. Moon sets, 10:46 p.m. FORECASTS. Toronto, Jan. 29—8 a.m. Fair and cold today; mild again on Tuesday.

TEMPERATURES. Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather. Calgary.....22.....22.....Fair. Winnipeg.....22.....20.....Fair. Parry Sound.....9.....11.....Fair. Toronto.....10.....12.....Fair. Ottawa.....2.....2.....Fair. Montreal.....2.....2.....Fair. Quebec.....6.....8.....Fair. Father Point.....2.....2.....Fair. The sign—Indicates below zero.

WEATHER NOTES. The cold which spread during the night from the northward into the lake and eastward, promises to almost immediately disappear again before the approach of milder conditions. From Lake Superior to British Columbia mild weather prevails.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Saturday were: Highest, 43°; lowest, 19° above. Sunday: Highest, 36°; lowest, 25° above.

BANDIT RAISULI BOBS UP AGAIN

Tribesmen Marching to Beard Famous Chieftain in His Stronghold.

Tangier, Morocco, Jan. 29.—Fighting has begun in the environs of Tangier between the Anjera tribesmen and members of Raisuli's band. The tribesmen have burned three villages east of Tangier and are now marching in force to attack Raisuli at his fortress in Sinal. A transport has left Adjeroud, where it will discharge artillery and gunners for Oujda.

Algerias, Jan. 29. Advice received here from Tangier by the delegates to the conference are to the effect that serious disorders have been renewed between Raisuli, the bandit chief, and the Anjera tribesmen. One of the Anjera tribesmen was killed and others of them, with large followings, are uniting for the purpose of a decisive struggle with Raisuli. Some of the Moroccan specialists attending the conference have returned to Tangier. It is believed that an encounter between the two elements is imminent.

DYNAMITE BLAST MANGLES THREE

Three Dead and Four Dying From Explosion Near Keewatin, Ont.

Keewatin, Ont., Jan. 29.—On Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock a horrible accident happened at Ostersund, Ont., twelve miles west of here. At that point an immense number of men are working on the big contract double-tracking the C. P. R. between Winnipeg and the lakes, a distance of 420 miles. It appears that about 30 men were working in a rock cutting, and that a charge had been put in. This falling to explode, the men returned to work, when it suddenly discharged, killing three men, and mortally wounding four others. The bodies of the killed and injured were conveyed to Kenora, Ont., where there is a hospital. The men are all Swedes, though their names have so far been unascertained. A man named Peterson had the contract.

Czar in Peril.

London, Jan. 28.—Many arrests have been made at Tarskoe-Selo, according to a St. Petersburg dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. In consequence of the discovery of a plot against the Czar's life. The imperial pair is now more strongly guarded than ever.

FEARFUL SCENES AT VLADIVOSTOCK

Tokio, Jan. 29.—Russians at Nagasaki have received a dispatch sent from Vladivostok last Thursday, saying that from 9 o'clock Wednesday night a sanguinary conflict had been waged between Cossacks and ex-prisoners from Japan. The wounded were estimated to number 1,500. One-third of them were taken to the hospital.

but the rest were allowed to remain on the streets, which were covered with snow. The weather was bitterly cold. Fearful scenes were witnessed. A train has been long overdue from Harbin. Some trains have been blown up by the rioters and precipitated into the river. There have been nearly 3,000 casualties in these outrages.

COUNTY WOULD NOT STAND FOR A NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING

The Middlesex county council met the board of works on Saturday in regard to some needed repairs to the county jail, and it was mutually agreed to put a new slate roof on the building at an estimated cost of about \$1,400.

to replace the present structures. After the county's position had been made plain the new roof was decided upon.

In the discussion on the matter, Ald. Garratt proposed to the councilors that the city and county get together and come to some arrangement whereby a combined city and county municipal building could be erected.

City Engineer Graydon says that the estimate of the county councilor of \$300,000 is a very moderate one for new buildings. In fact, Mr. Graydon thinks that it would cost fully \$500,000 to put up a new city hall, county buildings, jail, registry offices, etc.

Ald. Garratt's idea was to build the big municipal buildings on the present courthouse square. This would necessitate the tearing down of the registry office. The point has been raised in this connection of the legality of having a registry office in connection with any other building, the law it is said, stipulating that a registry office must be a separate and distinct building. If this is the case, another separate registry office would have to be built, even though a half a million dollars had been spent on a combined municipal buildings for the city and county.

FOURTEEN FULL FREIGHT CARS AT THE BOTTOM OF THE BAY

DISASTROUS COLLISION OFF NEW YORK HARBOR

New York, Jan. 29.—The Times says: The Belgian freight steamship Calderon has a hole in her port bow almost big enough for a horse and wagon to go through, fourteen freight cars all loaded with shingles are in the bottom of New York Bay, and a New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad float is ashore on the northern shore of Governor's Island, as the

result of a collision in which the Calderon, a tug and two floats figured yesterday. The accident happened off the Battery, and was due to the inability of the tug to get out of the way of the big freighter in time to prevent the smash-up. The lone man who was on board the float when the Calderon crashed into it, was rescued by the crew of the tug Fred B. Ballou. The craft that was guiding the Calderon out,



MOROCCANS HAVE NO LANDLORDS

And in This Way Needed Taxation Is Evaded.

RICH FOREIGNERS ARE EXEMPT

France May Turn Over Policing of Country to the Italian Government.

Algiers, Jan. 28.—The plenipotentiaries resumed their work yesterday, and spent a couple of hours going over the work of the committee on Moroccan revenues. The powers have several main objects in examining the Moorish system of taxes, or rather lack of system, and trying to regularize it.

The plenipotentiaries seem disposed, also, to reduce the number of so-called "protected" persons who escape taxation because they are foreigners or in the service of, or in partnership with, foreigners.

"You have only left me the poor to tax," said the Sultan to the foreign ministers at Fez when the subject was discussed there some time ago.

"You have taken all the rich men under your protection and out of my reach."

Part of the plan under consideration today is to limit foreign protection, and to introduce local land taxes. It was proposed in committee to tax landowners.

Can't Find Landlords.

Sidi Mohammed El Mokhril, one of the Moroccan delegates, said: "Tax the tenants. We can never find the landlords. The occupants of houses always say they are tenants."

M. Revoll, chief of the French mission, who was formerly governor of Algiers, and who, therefore is familiar with North African conditions, remarked: "Tax them both; then you will catch one or the other."

One perplexity is the status of the Sheriff of Wazzan, who is revered throughout the Barbary States as the descendant of the Immediates family, and is also a large land-owner in Algeria. His influence is religious rather than political. The failure of the ministers at Fez to agree on a new taxation scheme was due to the objection of the French ministers to tax the Sheriff of Wazzan.

Moors Are Modern.

An interesting feature of the session was the presentation by the Moroccan delegation of an elaborate protective tariff system. This caused much surprise and amusement among the other delegates, but the Moors were proud of giving evidence of modern economic methods. Their proposed rates averaged 20 per cent higher, with several revenue taxes on theaters, cafes and business transactions.

Sidi Mohammed El Mokhril remarked that this increase of duties on foreign imports would give the Sultan plenty of revenue to meet his expenses. Consideration of the plan was deferred. The French delegates also tentatively put forth a plan for a moderate horizontal advance in the customs duties. These and other tax questions finally went over to Monday.

Private conferences continue concerning the more important questions of adjusting the Franco-German differences regarding Morocco's political future. They would be charged with the organization of a semi-military police. This would be acceptable to Germany, who is willing that any power except France shall police the country. It is not yet clear, however, whether France is willing to turn over the police to Italy.

EASY.

It's Nice to Feel Easy.

Speaking of food a Kansas City woman says:

"I had always eaten any kind of food I fancied, and suffered no ill effects till a few years ago, when I began to have trouble with gas in the stomach, to which was added, three years ago, a condition commonly called 'heart-burn,' but which, of course, is in reality nothing but a bad condition of the stomach, due to the use of improper food."

"The trouble became chronic and affected me seriously in various ways. It depressed my spirits and filled my mind with gloomy forebodings, constantly. My mental powers seemed to grow dull and sluggish and my memory became so poor that I had difficulty in recalling even the occurrences of the previous day. The doctor diagnosed my trouble as 'nervous indigestion' and gave me medicine."

"One day I met a friend looking so blooming and wholesome that I asked her 'what will make me look like you?' When she answered that she owed it to Grape-Nuts food I kept on eating everything that tempted my appetite and taking medicine between meals till I became thoroughly disgusted with drugs—they gave me no lasting relief."

"Three months ago I heard from another friend who had been cured of a stomach trouble by the use of Grape-Nuts food. I was desperate enough for anything by this time, and determined to stop the drugs and give the new food a trial. I relieved it from the beginning and have learned to like it so well that I can hardly eat without it."

"The result has been marvelous. My digestion has been restored, my stomach trouble, the 'heart-burn,' gloomy forebodings and melancholia, have all disappeared, my brain is clear and active and I can do as much housework in half a day as I could before in a whole day, and with little or no fatigue. It is such a relief to have steady quiet nerves once more, I feel like a new woman, living on a new plane, with new and most agreeable people."

"We have Grape-Nuts every meal at our house and my little 4-year-old generally calls for more between times." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

MINERS' DEMANDS REJECTED

Bituminous Operators Refuse Them an Advance of 12 1/2 Cents.

Indianapolis, Jan. 28.—Two joint conferences between bituminous coal operators and miners were held today and the demands of the latter, for an increase of 12 1/2 cents per ton, was lost on vote being taken.

President Mitchell said that unless further discussion was desired, the proposition might as well go to the joint scale committee, which was decided upon.

In the joint conference of the central competitive field, Vice-President T. L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers of America, denied that the miners were not sincere in their demands.

Mr. Lewis declared that if he had his way he would shut down the mines of any company violating its agreement.

COUNTRESS AS WAITRESS

Victim of Russian Revolution Sought Work in Geneva.

Geneva, Jan. 29.—Among the replies received by a cafe proprietor who advertised for a waitress was one from a Russian countess. In her letter she begged pathetically for employment, saying that her husband had been killed in Riga and their home destroyed by the revolutionaries. She and her child were nearly starving, for she had almost expended the little money she brought away with her.

The paths of her story touched the heart of the advertiser, who, after obtaining confirmation of its truth, found her a situation in a milliner's shop in this city.

ESSEX TOWN ELECTS

Vacancies of the Mayor and Three Councilors Filled.

Essex, Jan. 28.—The new council for the town of Essex elected to fill vacancies caused by resignation of Mayor MacDougall, and three councilors are J. Gormley, G. Thornton and H. M. Johnston. The vacancy was due to the failure of the necessary number of councilors to qualify. For mayor—A. Raines, 245; C. Vance, 90; majority for Raines, 152. For councilors—E. McCausland, 262; A. O. Stimes, 217; C. Chase, 175; H. M. Johnston, 165; J. Gormley, 145; G. J. Thomas, 126.

Misses McCausland, Stimes, Chase and Johnston were elected. The council board for the town of Essex for 1906 consists of:

Mayor—A. Raines.

Councilors—E. McCausland, A. O. Stimes, C. Chase, H. M. Johnston, Wm. B. Robinson, Thomas Irwin.

MADMAN LEAPED FROM THE RAFT

Horrible Tale of Suffering Told by a Survivor of the Valencia Wreck.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 29.—Chief Cook Hancock, a survivor of the Valencia's life raft, found in Barkley Sound, in telling of the experiences of those who were with him on the raft, said so keen was the disappointment of the shipwrecked men when the steam-Queen failed to see their signals and sheered away that one went mad and a few minutes later died. The others to lighten the raft, pushed his body overboard.

Then another passenger with a cry slipped off the raft, leaving eight. These were clinging to the frail raft with seas beating over them, when one, Groggie, became insane and was soon violent. While some tried to propel the raft landward, others were obliged to hold him, Hancock, who fell asleep, was awakened by Groggie clutching his throat and trying to choke him. The insane man was saying meaningless things: "You are a wild dog and good to eat."

At last, through the spray, the wooden sides of Turret Island were seen, and as the raft drifted near shore Wilson became crazy, and with a wild cry leaped into the sea.

The raft, with four survivors and three bodies of those who succumbed within sight of land grounded on a sandy beach. The raft was left drifting off shore until found next morning by the Salvor, and the bodies recovered. Groggie, the madman, was one of those whose bodies were found.

The four survivors, as soon as they crept from the raft, staggered above high water mark and fell into a stupor. Frank Connor, who had imagined he had seen a lighthouse wandering into the bush. Next morning the Salvor dispatched two boats and located him lying on a log, semi-conscious and muttering he was going to find the lighthouse. He was revived with difficulty, and it was expected by Dr. Hart on the Salvor that his reason and health would be restored.

Broke His Neck.

Godert, Jan. 28.—A fatal accident occurred in the township of Colborne, near here, Friday, when Henry Butt, a pioneer resident of the township, in some unaccountable way, pitched head foremost out of his wagon, alighting on his head and breaking his neck. He was over 70 years of age, and with his family took a leading part in church and musical services in his neighborhood.

Cut Off Meat Trains.

Port Huron, Jan. 28.—Swift & Co. have cut off its meat trains which have been running daily over the G. T. R. for three years. About 100 cars daily passed through the St. Clair Tunnel. The cutting off of the trains will close the large lighthouse at the St. Clair Tunnel yard.

BARREL PLAYS A LARGE ROLE

Millions Spent to Carry On the British Polling.

IRISH ELECTIONS CHEAPEST

Multi-Millionaire Brewers Are Made Peers Because of Huge Contributions to Party Funds.

London, Jan. 28.—It is estimated that the general elections have cost officially something like \$5,000,000, although the cost actually will be at least three that sum. One authority who has had great experience of political fights behind the scenes places it at \$20,000,000.

From this it will be inferred that the admission fee to "the finest club in the world," as the House of Commons has been called, amounts to a stiff sum, and other things being equal, the man with the longest purse stands the best chance of getting in. The "bar" counts here for quite as much as it does in America.

The official estimate is based on the rigid restrictions placed by the corrupt practices act on the amount of money candidates may expend to get elected. Under that measure, which was passed in 1883, in borough elections in Great Britain, where the number of electors does not exceed 2,000, the maximum amount which a candidate may expend is limited to \$1,750, and in county constituencies of a similar strength it must not exceed \$2,200. For each additional 1,000 electors an extra allowance is made of \$150 and \$300 respectively for boroughs and counties.

The limits of legitimate expenditure are defined on a more liberal scale in England where, as in the case of the reason that the voters are much more scattered and it necessarily costs candidates more to bring their persuasive oratory to bear on the bucolic intelligence.

Elections Cheaper in Ireland.

Irish elections are run on a cheaper scale of legitimate expenditure, which must be exceedingly welcome to the candidates, who are seldom men of means. In borough elections the number of electors does not exceed 500 a man may get into Parliament for \$1,000. Where the number runs to 1,500 he must not spend more than \$1,375. In counties of 2,000 electors his expenditures are limited to \$2,500.

All parliamentary candidates have to file sworn statements of what they have expended in the fight. In the general election of 1892 the official returns showed an average outlay by each candidate of \$5,500 in the case of a county and about \$3,000 in the case of a borough constituency.

While placing strict limits on the amounts that candidates may expend on elections, the corrupt practices act is equally stringent in confining that expenditure within legitimate channels. Treating in all forms is barred. Six cents was held to be too small a sum to charge for refreshments at a conversation given by one candidate.

Music to soothe the savage elector is illegal if provided at the expense of the candidate, but there are no restrictions on gratuitous singing and playing.

Two Irish judges have declared that "a minister of religion must not hold out hopes of reward here or hereafter" as an inducement to vote for any particular candidate. Candidates are prohibited from hiring vehicles and sort to convey voters to the polls, but they are at perfect liberty to place their own motor cars, carriages and horses, or those of their friends at the disposal of their constituents for the purpose.

Everything Up to Candidate.

Candidates are held responsible for all the acts of their agents. Jesse Collins was once unseated after being returned as member for Ipswich merely because one of his agents had promised to pay the sum of 3s 6d—about 80c—cents—for defraying the cost of the railroad ticket to Ipswich of a single voter who was temporarily absent from the polls. The little agent did not renege.

The Emperor and the Grand Duke Michael were present at the luncheon, to which were invited all the members of the German embassy staff, and all the Russian knights of the German Order of the Black Eagle.

The presence of Herr Witte, the Premier, and Count Lamsdorf, the foreign minister, gave ministerial sanction to the significant utterances.

The Emperor's choice of the word "ally" indicates that the defensive alliance with France is still considered binding, but undoubtedly not a hair's breadth beyond the letter of the treaty providing for common action, only in case France is not the aggressor, and there is no telling how soon it will be allowed to pass into desuetude.

The present relations between Germany and Russia have been a matter of slow but steady growth, and signs of the new alignment have long been in the air. Since the outbreak of the Russo-Japanese war the warm personal friendship always existing between the two monarchs has been kept close to the surface.

Much of the necessity of France for the Franco-Russian alliance vanished when France clasped hands with Great Britain, and practically assured herself of an ally in case of war.

IT IS GOOD FOR MAN AND BEAST.—Not only is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil of incomparable value in the household, but it is very serviceable in the farmyard and on the cattle range, often saving the services of a veterinary surgeon. In injuries to stock and in cases of cough and pains it can be used with good effect.

Oregon refuses to maintain United States prisoners in her jails for less than \$8 per week. Uncle Sam refuses to pay more than \$4. So the Oregonians have turned over the prisoners—fourteen in number—to the United States marshal.

Barrel Plays Big Role.

Despite all that is said of the "terrible

corruption of American politics," the campaign fund plays quite as important a part in English elections as it does in American. But it is obtained in a different fashion. For the principal subscribers are not rich corporations who seek legislative protection, office-holders, prospective or actual, but rich men who are anxious either for seats in parliament or titular distinctions. A large number of pledges, handshakes and knighthoods have been conferred since the corrupt practices act was passed which are admittedly merely party rewards for liberal contributions to the electoral campaign fund.

In this way Lord Burton, Lord Iveagh, Lord Ardilaun—three multimillionaire brewers—gained their elevations to the House of Lords. Several others might be named who will have their elevation among hereditary legislators to the fact that they had "shelled out" generously to win victories at the polls.

One opportunity members of parliament have of recouping themselves in a measure for what it has cost them to get there in which they are not slow to avail themselves. That is by serving as company directors. Companies like to have M. P.'s on their boards. They are regarded as good bait for investors. Several spurs of Mr. Balfour's late Cabinet were company directors. Campbell-Bannerman has made it a rule that no member of his ministry shall hold any such position. They have no interests which might conflict with their services to the nation which pays them.

Campaign War of Posters.

Never in the history of a political contest has the country gone in so heavily for poster politics as in the recent election. Lithographing firms worked with double shifts, and all the expert bill posters in the country were engaged in plying their trade. What one party put up one day the other tore down the next night, despite the dire threats of magistrates from the side of the damaged candidate.

Probably no other country in the world lays itself out so recklessly on posters as England when a general election is on. Thousands of pounds have been spent like water—or rather, paste and water—to set forth the views of the contending parties.

One of the most striking posters recently displayed in many parts of London represented John Bull, representing "Radicalism," "Inefficient army and navy," "Home Rule," and "Disunited Empire." "C. B." was saying to John Bull, "This way, sir." The poster attacked the Liberal policy, represented by "Radicalism," "Inefficient army and navy," "Home Rule," and "Disunited Empire." "C. B." was saying to John Bull, "This way, sir." The poster attacked the Liberal policy, represented by "Radicalism," "Inefficient army and navy," "Home Rule," and "Disunited Empire."

The main feature of the posters was the Chamberlain's protection policy attracted lots of attention. One of the most attractive efforts on the last named subject represented Chamberlain in a shop for poor child asking the prices of foodstuffs, such as eggs, meat, and so forth. "Everything gone up," says Chamberlain, "except meal for pigs—you can have plenty of that cheap."

DROPPING FRANCE; CZAR'S NEW ALLY

Russian Emperor Hints at New Alignment of European Powers.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—A new grouping of the powers of Europe, with Germany and Russia arrayed side by side in the closest friendship and the mismatched alliance of the empire with Republican France lagging in the rear, was forecast by the words of Emperor Nicholas at a gala luncheon at Tsarskoe Selo yesterday in honor of Emperor William's birthday.

Rising to his feet before a brilliant company of Russian and German representatives to propose a toast to the German Emperor, Emperor Nicholas lifted his glass, and said slowly and distinctly, as if weighing every word: "I drink to the health of the Emperor of Germany and King of Prussia, my brother and very dear friend."

Turning to Herr von Schoen, the German ambassador, who was standing at his right, the Emperor grasped him by the hand and is reported to have said: "Freze est plus que alle" (Brother, that's more than ally).

The stage of the momentous utterance was the great dining hall of the Little palace at Tsarskoe Selo. The Emperor and the Grand Duke Michael were present at the luncheon, to which were invited all the members of the German embassy staff, and all the Russian knights of the German Order of the Black Eagle.

The presence of Herr Witte, the Premier, and Count Lamsdorf, the foreign minister, gave ministerial sanction to the significant utterances.

The Emperor's choice of the word "ally" indicates that the defensive alliance with France is still considered binding, but undoubtedly not a hair's breadth beyond the letter of the treaty providing for common action, only in case France is not the aggressor, and there is no telling how soon it will be allowed to pass into desuetude.

Schooner Capsizes.

Victoria, Jan. 28.—The schooner Ella G. is reported from Bamfield to have turned turtle off the island coast and all hands were drowned.

Railway Bridge Affre.

St. Johns, Que., Jan. 28.—The C. P. R. bridge crossing the river here is on fire and two hundred feet have been destroyed already. The wind is blowing a gale from the north.

Fire departments of St. Johns and Irberville are working on each side of the bridge, but there is no judging what the result will be. Trains are delayed on both sides of the river.

Gems for Miss Alice.

Paris, Jan. 28.—A dispatch to the Echo de Paris from Milan says that King Victor Emmanuel has ordered a magnificent piece of jewelry as a wedding present to Miss Alice Roosevelt.

Falls From Tender.

Palmerston, Jan. 28.—Brakeman Wm. Fulton, of the Palmerston-Owen Sound freight, fell off the tender of the engine near Dobblington today, breaking his leg and receiving several bad bruises about the body. He was returned to his home in this town and attended to by Grand Trunk Surgeon Steward. Tonight he was reported to be progressing favorably. Fulton is unmarried.

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The British Election Aftermath.

The polling in Great Britain is over, with the exception of the universities and a few outlying ridings, and the Government has a majority somewhere between eighty and a hundred over the Unionists, Nationalists, and Laborites, combined—an undreamed-of triumph.

The Conservative party has suffered the worst defeat in its history. It has been wrecked upon the very rock which broke it in pieces 60 years ago. After Peel's defection, the remnant of the party, led by Bentinck and Disraeli, clung to protection for a time, and then abandoned it.

In the Conservative ranks in the new House will be a few out-and-out free traders; a greater number of "retailers" of the Balfour stripe, who exclude food taxation from any scheme of tariff reform, and a number, not yet determined, who accept Mr. Chamberlain's programme in its entirety.

The Liberal party, triumphant for the moment, has extraordinary difficulties to meet. It has given a good many promissory notes. The reopening of the educational question will precipitate another sectarian war.

The Provincial Government is being deluged with petitions against the abolition of the county councils act. The Government is bound to get into difficulties whenever it tries to undo the work of its predecessors.

The severest trial, however, has been imposed by the newly-awakened political activity of the working classes. While the Government is nominally independent of the labor group in Parliament, many of the Liberal members are pledged to the hill to the labor organizations.

There may be a cleavage in the Liberal party over the new tendencies, which are sweeping across the field of politics. For fifteen years politics in Great Britain revolved around the one issue of home rule.

Casey—Ye're a har-r-r-ur-ur, Doo-ley. How many hods o' mother have ye carried up that ladder th' day? Doo-ley—Whisht, mon—I'm fooin' th' boss. I've carried this same hodful up an' down all day, an' he thinks I'm wor-rukin'!

young lawyers anxious to use Parliament as a stepping-stone to their own advancement. Every labor member is required to subscribe to the constitution of his party, which requires him to abstain from identifying himself with any of the other parties.

Some of the aims of his party are stated by Mr. Hardie to be the provision of meals by the educational authorities for children attending school; legislation for the relief of unemployed workmen; the nationalization of the public school system, and its absolute divorce from sectarianism; greater protection for trades unions, and the abolition of certain legal restrictions in carrying on strikes.

Electricity for Steam Railroads. The Canadian Pacific Railway, with characteristic enterprise, is about to experiment in electric traction, and will make the first test between Montreal and Quebec.

The Temiskaming Railway commission also contemplates the substitution of electricity for steam as the motive power of the new provincial road. The power will be obtained from the Montreal River.

People have been freezing to death in Mexico. Canadians are privileged to live in a temperate zone.

The czar hints at rapprochement with Germany and calls the Kaiser his brother. As the only autocrats left in Christendom they have a fellow-feeling.

Brantford temperance people propose to run a hotel without a liquor license. If they run it well, it will be unique, but the promoters will be doing practical temperance work and should receive public encouragement.

Ontario's Sugar Production. The rapid growth of sugar production in Ontario, in spite of the natural difficulties incidental to a new industry, gives excellent promise of future development.

Parisian Politeness. There is a thin coating of ice on the pavement. Horses slip and stumble, and one of them falls, but is not hurt. It is so slippery that efforts to raise herself are in vain.

Badly Fooled. Casey—Ye're a har-r-r-ur-ur, Doo-ley. How many hods o' mother have ye carried up that ladder th' day? Doo-ley—Whisht, mon—I'm fooin' th' boss. I've carried this same hodful up an' down all day, an' he thinks I'm wor-rukin'!

Canadian Fisheries. If the Government at Ottawa heeds the wishes of the citizens of its Maritime Provinces, it will put an end to the two nations for the purpose of regulating the fishing question, and will insist that hereafter the American fishermen shall obtain on the coast of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward

Island only those fishing and supplying opportunities that are secured by regular treaty stipulations. The representatives of the Canadian fishing interest insist that it is not fair that Canadian fishermen and Canadian capital should be driven away in consequence of Canadian laws for the purpose of building fishing and mending vessels which are built from the port of Gloucester.

Seemingly So. They have some china that has been in the family for years. "Indeed! Haven't they any servants?"

Selfish. Joey Esquimaux—Give me a bite of your seal blubber. Midge Esquimaux—No, I won't! Let you drink half when I hooked that lamp out of the Mission Sunday school?

Dangerous Precedent. Mother—I can't see why you should object to Mr. Goodsense. Daughter—I never could marry such a man as that. He would be the cheapest kind of ready-made clothes.

Greatest Irrigation Scheme. The Canadian Pacific Railway has in hand the greatest irrigation scheme in the world. By the end of the next three years 1,500,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Calgary, Alberta, hitherto arid, will be divided into 20,000 farms watered from the Bow River.

The Ten Tired Travelers—A Puzzle. Ten weary, footsore travelers, All in a woful plight, Sought shelter at a wretched inn One dark and stormy night.

Choooss Husband by Lot. The marriage of Miss Irene Depew and James William Mock, of Mocksville, N. C., is a noteworthy event.

How a Woman Reasons. A woman never loses interest in the man she might have married. If he succeeds, she prides herself on the fact that she could have had him. If he fails, she is equally proud of the fact that she had foresight enough to turn him down.

The Cecil Family. Leaving out of account the Cecilia holding down government jobs of various degrees, they found that there were seven Cecils in Parliament—the Marquis in the Upper Chamber, and in the House of Commons, besides the Prime Minister.

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A Noted Family. Dr. William Osler's mother entered on her 100th year recently at her home in Canada. Three-quarters of a century ago Rev. Mr. Osler and his wife settled at Bondhead, Ont. Four of their sons have been men of great Canadian reputation, and one, Dr. Osler, regius professor of medicine at Oxford University.

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THE CAPE TO CAIRO RAILWAY.

(From the New York Sun.)

In nine months of last year Mr. Saleses, secretary-general of the French colonies, traveled nearly 24,000 miles on the railroads of tropical Africa, or those that took him from the temperate to the hot parts of the continent. His travels were chiefly in regions that twenty years ago were known only to a few explorers.

The French Government sent Mr. Saleses to Africa to study the colonial railroad systems. It was desired to collect information as to methods of building, equipping and running railroads under conditions that in some respects are unusual.

He made a careful examination of twenty-four distinct lines of railroad, and many of the facts he collected have now been printed in advance of his full report. The fact that he is a civil engineer gives greater value to his opinion that from a technical point of view practically all the work done is worthy of high commendation.

The rapidity with which the Cape to Cairo road is being pushed forward reminds us of the pace of some of our own railroad construction on the western coast.

Mr. Saleses shares the view of Lord Aberdeen that the road will not be continuous between the Cape and Cairo, but that navigation on the Great Lakes and the Nile will be utilized to connect different sections of the track.

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Advance arrival in Coat Cloths shown in Dress Goods section.

English Covert Cloth, 56 inch, olive, fawn and castor. \$1.50 to \$2.25. Box Cloth, 54 and 56 inches wide, brown blue, fawn, castor, green and gray. At yard \$1.00 to \$2.75. Whipcords, heavy weight, castor shade, 56 inches, at \$2.00 yard. Satin and silk linings to match. A new showing of cream goods - Henriettas, Albacross, Luster, Crepe de Chine, Fancy Mohairs and Broadcloths, at yard 50c to \$1.50. New Costume Tweeds, popular gray and fawn mixtures, at yard 50c to \$1.25. Colored Broadcloths, complete range of shades, 75c and \$1.00.

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TURF OUTLOOK AT MONTREAL

Decidedly Bright for This Year, as Big Turfmen and Horses Will Attend Meet.

The organization and the rapid success of the Montreal Jockey Club, Ltd., has caused a boom in turf circles throughout Canada, says the Montreal Herald. The Ottawa Racing Association has taken on new life; there is talk of building a mile track at Sault Ste. Marie, and mile courses has already been completed at Winnipeg, N. D., and New York. It is the unanimous verdict that Montreal stepped in just at the psychological moment.

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BETTER THAN A MILE A MINUTE ON LONG RUN. Ormond, Fla., Jan. 28. - Two races only were run off in the automobile tournament today. A dispatch was received today by the representative of the company whose cars Hemery refused to drive, even under the alternative of suspension, giving him permission to appoint another driver. It was given out that Guy Vaughan would be selected. The summary: 15 miles, handicap, for American touring cars—Won by Durbin, 25 seconds handicap, 15-20 horse-power, steam. Actual time, 13:42-2-5. 10 mile, Corinthian handicap, amateur drivers—First heat won by Stevens, 80 horse-power, gasoline, Time, 6:36-2-5. Second heat, won by Brown, 60 horse-power, gasoline, Time, 6:09-1-1. Final, won by Stevens, 80 horse-power, gasoline, Time, 9:25.

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### Shadow and Sunlight

"Really," says Madge, with a laugh. "Must I really go, Guy?"

Guy looks up again.

"Eh! Oh, yes, I suppose so — if St. George says so; he knows. He's a regular old woman at that sort of thing. But I wish the people would let us alone. One has fully enough of this sort of thing at home, without getting a dose abroad."

St. George laughs.

"Lazy beggar, isn't he, Lady Lashwood?"

"Poor Guy!" says Madge, sympathetically. "If it is rather hard, he does hate this sort of thing, don't you, Guy? And he has just got the Times; he would like to sit there all the evening and read the beautiful and exciting parliamentary speeches. By the way, Lord St. George, did you ever make a speech in the House of Lords?"

"Never," said Lord St. George. "Scarcely ever go there, except to write. Went down once to make a speech, and had to wait some time before my turn; sat listening to all the big wigs firing away for two hours, and then went to sleep, and by the time they had woken me up, some other fellow had got up and was making just the speech I'd intended. He said it a great deal better than I could have done, and so I came away. That's what I call serving my country. Try, Lady Lashwood. Don't you see, he continued as Madge's face expressed doubt, "if I'd got up and spoke, that other man would have been cut out, and as he was by far the better man, I did a real good thing in going to sleep."

"I say," says Madge, "and does Guy ever speak?"

"Oh, sometimes — he used," says Lord St. George; "speaks well, too, but he's too lazy to care for it. There's nothing on the face of the earth he cares for" — then suddenly, in a low voice, and with a glance from his blue eyes at the beautiful face opposite him — "excepting one."

Madge looks at him curiously, then colors and bends over her prints.

Then she rises and puts her hands, white as marble, with priceless jewels flashing from them, over Guy's eyes.

"Now, which is it to be, Guy?"

"Oh, St. George knows," he says, putting up his hand and clasping hers, and Madge looks a laughing inquiry at Lord St. George.

"Better go to Lady Southall's, and have done with it," says the oracle, "and, by Jove, there isn't much time."

"Go on, Madge," says Guy, rising, and stretching himself, "and get your war-paint on."

"I wish you'd take your tomahawk, and scalp the lot," says Lord St. George, as he opens the door for her. "But you confine your slaughtering to the male sex, unfortunately, Lady Lashwood."

Madge laughs; she is used to his compliments, and he closes the door and goes back. Guy is still standing, looking after her, and his eyes turn from the closed door to his friend's face.

"Happy, isn't she?"

St. George nods.

"As an angel, she deserves to be," he says, and he goes and picks up the prints and puts them straight. He has a trick of setting Madge's "litter" straight, and he always has some excuse for it when Guy banisters him: "The things will get mislaid, or lost, or spoiled, if they are left to the servants."

As carefully — almost more carefully than if he were paid to do it, he arranges the engravings according to their numbers, and locks them up in the portfolio, then he goes to the window and looks out.

"Cold," he says. "I'll tell them to put Lady Lashwood's furs into the carriage."

"Thanks," says Guy, yawning again. "Great nuisance having to turn out. We could have had a quiet nap or a little music. By the way, don't you come unless you like."

St. George has been standing by the fire, looking down at a piece of work which Madge has thrown from her hand. "Don't you want me? Shall I be de trop?" he says, quietly.

Guy comes across the room and lays his hand on his shoulder.

"What a question! My dear fellow, are you ever de trop, or in the way? I — we, both of us — count it the luckiest thing that could have happened, your turning up at that evening on the Hartz. Seriously, I don't know what we should have done without you. I'm not good at guide-book work, you know; while you seem to be a complete historian, and to know everything. I don't know how you manage it; you used not to be so knowing."

St. George looks down. It is scarcely necessary to admit that he has sat up into the small hours reading "up" histories and guides, so that he might be prepared for Madge's endless questions.

"I don't know," he says quietly. "I am often afraid I'm trespassing upon your good nature by playing the 'old man of the sea' to you and Lady Lashwood. You see, I'm such a bally bird. At any rate, the moment you are tired of me you can give me the hint. No, I shall see it sharp enough."

"You'll never want to use your eyes, then, my dear fellow," says Guy in his curt way. "We shan't grow tired of you — I speak for Madge as well as myself. Why, man, you are her right hand — she'd be lost without you! Who'd do all the slighting, and the shopping, and — and pick up her 'litter'?" But, St. George, a near you tired of watching other people's felicitous connubiality is rather slow work, I'm afraid."

St. George thinks a moment. The light falling on his handsome face — with its golden hair and soft, silky mustache, its blue eyes and finely cut lips — reveals nothing but a certain vague sadness, Angier's Emulsion quickly cures the cough, strengthens the throat and lungs, assists digestion, calms the stomach and effects a complete cure of all the symptoms. Distinctly specify "Angier's" Emulsion when buying.

Guy looks at him curiously, then he laughs and shows, in a laughing way, "You are a strange fellow, St. George — you used to be such a rum fellow, when we were at school; full of queer fancies and all that sort of thing. There, go and get your coat on. If Madge could do without you, I could not."

An hour later, and Lady Southall's salon is nearly full. All Rome — that is, Rome, the fashionable — is here — from a branch twig of the reigning house to Mrs. Leathes, the artist's wife. Rome loves diamonds, there are enough here to purchase a king's ransom. Brilliantly lighted, with the famous frescoes of a dead-and-gone master still shining bright and undefaced on the walls, the immense room presents a scene not easily to be forgotten. Exquisitely dressed women and high-bred men move in endless circles, their voices mingling with the soft strains of a famous band. Outside, in the cold street, a group of Roman poor stand, shivering and watching, with that eagerness and interest which belong to the children of the south, the brilliant scene in which they have no part, and which they see through the windows to crawl, at a respectful distance, round the carriages that are still setting down at the doorway.

Presently the cry goes up from the hall, and is carried to the saloon: "Lord and Lady Lashwood, Lord St. George," and as Madge enters on her husband's arm, a murmur runs through the crowded assembly.

"That is she," whispers Mrs. Leathes to her companion, whose breast is a perfect constellation. "That is Lady Lashwood, do you think she is as beautiful as they say?"

The ambassador looks at the lovely face and exquisite figure set off in its rich dress of black velvet, which serves as a background for the suite of diamonds and pearls — Guy's left gift — and she is lovely — trembles upon his lips, like a diplomat, like he says, with a shrug and a glance at the commonplace partner on his arm. "I have seen prettier women, Mrs. Leathes."

Slowly, with that impressive expression on his handsome face, which always sits there on such occasions, Guy leads his wife to the hostess.

He knows that every eye is fixed upon them, but his calm serenity is as undisturbed as if he were walking across the smoking-room of his club.

It is Madge's first appearance; she was a school girl a few months ago, but she shows no trace of agitation or nervousness. With the usual frank, half-smiling expression of confidence, she makes her bow and shakes the great lady's hand, and not even St. George, whose eyes are fixed on her, can discern a single tremor of the red lips, or a single quiver of the beautiful eyes.

"Yes, she is beautiful," says the Countess of Barminster, "very beautiful. I heard of her in Paris; but they were very quiet and went out very little. But who is she? I know, of course, of Lord Lashwood — everyone does — but who is she?"

"The world will not care to ask that question, Lady Barminster," said an English earl, watching Madge through his glasses. "The world will be quite ready to receive her at what she is."

"If Lord Munto is going to set his seal of approval —" says the countess with a smile.

The old earl smiles.

"It does not need my seal," he says, simply. "Lady Lashwood will carry everything before her."

"Look," objects Lord Munto. "His highness is being introduced. Yes, her success is accomplished. But who is that handsome man with yellow hair, standing between them? He came in with them."

"That is — yes, it is — St. George," replies Lord Munto. "Come in with them."

Lady Sargeant laughs. She is the queen of scandal-mongers.

"Yes, they say that he goes with them everywhere. He is staying at the same hotel."

"Her brother, perhaps?"

"Sargeant shakes her head.

"No, I know all the St. Georges, and she is not one of them. And so Lord Lashwood is chained at last? It is Una and the lion over again."

"But Una was a meek girl with golden hair; they always paint her with a snipe," objects Lord Munto. "Lady Lashwood is anything but a Una, and I cannot fancy a snipe on that face."

"Magnificent jewels," murmurs the countess. "I never saw anything better than that set."

"It is nothing to the Lashwood diamonds," remarks Lady Sargeant, turning the bracelet on her arm. "I once saw them on Lady Lashwood, only once — she never cared for diamonds — and they are unapproachable, even by Miss Goodweather."

It is very hot; the lights reflected on the Venetian mirrors, though beautiful to look at, are eminently conducive to headaches. Madge has received the introduction of fifty distinguished persons whose names she has mixed up in hopeless confusion. Guy's impassive countenance is impassive still, but Madge knows as surely as if he had groaned and thrown up his arms that he is bored to death. St. George, with his crush hat in his hand, goes around with them, occasionally meeting and stopping to talk with an old friend. Arrivals are still announced, the thing grows oppressive and seemingly endless, but at last Madge finds herself in a quiet corner, just as if she had drifted there, and finds at the same time that Guy has been washed away by the tide, and St. George is by her side instead.

"Oh," she says, below her breath, and with the old spirit of mockery in her eyes, "are you here? I can understand now why Guy hates this sort of thing, and things like a drying man to his Times. It is a fearful ordeal."

He looks at her as she stands in her glorious beauty, glorious in its youth and freshness, and smiles.

"This is your first experience of this sort of thing?" he says.

"Yes, and I am trying to be delighted; but I can scarcely realize that this is the sort of thing that we used to read about at school and long for! They used to say that I could give a special unctio to descriptions of receptions, and I can't read them, and we always went into ecstasies. And this is it! I never was so hot in my life and never so much bored."

"And yet you have gone through the ordeal triumphantly," he says, still looking at her with that strange smile.

"I hear your name on every lip, and at ways with admiration — or envy."

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### A Celebrated Crime.

In the history of crime the conspiracy to rob the Bank of Liverpool will always hold the distinction of being one of the most ingenious and successful schemes ever planned. The entire scheme turned upon the weakness of a bank clerk, who, while drawing a salary of \$750 a year, played the races. His accomplices were sporting men, several bookmakers and prize fighters. Not only did the beguiled bank clerk play into their hands through his losses at the race tracks, but he was guilty of the occasional big winnings he made through some cheap trick. The clerk, rapidly slipping down the scale of crime, was too easy a victim to discover the lesser frauds which were practiced within a fraud. He forged continually the name of one of the bank's depositors until finally more than \$600,000 had been taken out of the institution and turned over to the coterie of race track men. The poor clerk never profited a penny by his crimes, and finally went to the penitentiary for ten years, the sentence he is now serving with hard labor.

### Marks May Have Succeeded.

Marks was last heard from on an English Channel steamer en route from Boulogne to Folkestone. He did not disembark, and it has always been the belief that he committed suicide by jumping overboard.

From Burge the police recovered \$150,000. The authorities subsequently learned that Marks had \$60,000 and Manes \$170,000 to their credit in an English bank. This money was seized and returned to the Liverpool institution.

Gouldie, once he had begun to lose money at the racetrack, became an easy prey in the hands of the gamblers with whom he had carried on his transactions. His position at the bank, they told him, opened up a field for speculation on the races that would make him a rich man.

He forged a check for a small amount, and lost the money many times he repeated the crime, always using the name of the bank's heaviest individual depositor, whose name, however, did not come out in the trial. It was many months before the forgeries and the conspiracy were discovered.

During the trial of Gouldie a clerk employed by the Bookmaker Marks told the jury a story to show how easily the accused man was swindled.

One day he wagered heavily on a race, trusting his commission to Marks. The horse won and Gouldie was entitled to \$125,000 on the deal. That night the bookmaker sent a telegram to Gouldie, saying he had been ill and was not in business at the racetrack that day.

James Manes, the prisoner referred to in the above dispatch, lived on Toronto some 20 years ago under the name of James Campbell. He was a well-known sporting man, and ran a gambling house on Wellington street at that time. He had a most plausible address, and was noted for his smooth ways and illimitable "nerve." Before coming to Toronto he lived in Ottawa for some time.

Among his many victims during his Toronto career was a Jew, who gave him \$2,000 to bet on a hundred-to-one shot at the Saratoga races. The horse won, but Campbell had simply pocketed the money, and had not bet on the race at all. He remained in Toronto until his faro bank roll of money was lost, and then left for the States. Many local sports will remember him well.

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"Give me the newest, and prettiest and goldset \$100 bill you have," he said, and he took it to Communipaw, where he gave it to Mr. Scherman for young Smith. "That's not all I am going to do for that boy if I get a chance to help him," Mr. Allen said.

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IS HELD IN \$10,000 BAIL

tion Follows Conference in the  
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tended by the Officers.

New York, Jan. 28.—Col. William D.  
Mann, editor of Town Topics, was ar-  
rested late Saturday on a charge of  
perjury growing out of his testimony  
in the recent criminal libel proceedings  
against Norman Hapgood, editor of  
The Weekly.

Col. Mann was arrested in his office  
at 452 Fifth avenue by a detective of  
District Attorney Jerome's staff. He  
was taken to the police station, where  
he drove down town to the criminal  
courts building, where he was arraigned  
before a city magistrate and held  
\$10,000 bail for examination next  
Friday, Feb. 1. Bail was furnished  
by Mrs. Albert A. Wray, a daughter  
of Col. Mann.

The specific charges against Col.  
Mann, as stated in the warrant for his  
arrest, is that he swore falsely in the  
good trial in denying that an in-  
dividual named Ward to Moses Ellis Woot-  
ton a letter for Fads and Fancies,  
his own.

Letter from Count Ward to Woot-  
ton was offered in evidence by Hap-  
good's counsel. It referred to certain  
graphs that were to appear con-  
cerning the count and asked that he  
put on the regular "posting list of  
Topics." This request was un-  
denied in the original of the letter and  
drawn from it led to a circle in  
which was marked "O. K. W. D. M."

Col. Mann, when shown this letter  
as a witness in the Hapgood trial,  
he had not placed his initials  
in it.

The criminal action against Col.  
Mann had followed a day of confer-  
ence at the district attorney's office,  
attended by Robert J. Collier,  
W. Osborne, who acted as coun-  
sel for Norman Hapgood; Moses E.  
McEvoy, sitting expert.

According to Grupe's story, which he  
told Detective Duncan, he returned to  
the city from his trip on Friday, instead  
of going to the firm's office at 296 West  
Adelaide street, according to regulations,  
to deposit his valise in the safety vault  
there, he went directly home.

There, he says, he opened the valise and  
removed several trays in order to show  
the one now missing to his wife, as it  
contained some exceptionally beautiful  
rings.

He then returned the rings, locked his  
valise and came down town. Entering  
the store of E. N. Vanzant, at 159  
Yonge street, a friend, he says he an-  
nounced his intention to leave the valise  
in the vault there.

On Saturday morning, he called. Mr.  
Vanzant was not there, but the girl in  
the store gave him the valise. When he  
reached the office Grupe says he noticed  
the tray was disturbed, and on going  
down found the rich tray gone.

He did not, however, report the loss to  
Mr. Zook until the afternoon.

Vanzant says he had no idea that the  
valise was in the vault, which is little  
used, and is never locked.

The rings that are gone contain  
diamonds, rubies, sapphires, pearls, emeralds  
and other stones.

Grupe has been with the Zook Company  
for five or six years. The valise in all  
contained about \$8,000 in jewelry. At one  
time he was proprietor of the store which  
is now occupied by Vanzant.

TO CRUSH OUT SOCIALISM  
Von Bulow Urges All Parties to  
Unite Against Reform Party.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—Several members of  
the Prussian House of Lords today in-  
terpellated Chancellor von Bulow re-  
garding the Government's proposed  
line of action against the Socialists.  
They asked whether the Government  
thought the existing legislation ade-  
quate for opposing the "social demo-  
cratic plans hostile to the fatherland."

Count von Eulenberg, in supporting  
the interpellation, predicted an open  
struggle with the Socialists unless en-  
ergetic measures were taken. If the  
Socialists were let alone, he said, the  
downfall of the empire must follow.

The chancellor replied that the Govern-  
ment did not think that special  
legislation was necessary, but it would  
make energetic use of the powers al-  
ready bestowed upon it. The Govern-  
ment itself must decide whether the  
moment has arrived to ask for further  
legislative assistance. He advised  
against warning the Government in  
this matter, because it could only work  
injury by keeping alive the Socialists'  
hope of realizing their aims under the  
present laws.

The chancellor urged all the non-so-  
cialist parties to lay aside their dif-  
ferences for a common fight against  
socialism. He regretted that some of  
these parties were making election  
promises with the Socialists, and  
compromised the existing laws would  
be sharply applied against the com-  
mon enemy.

SELFISHNESS ROBS  
PRAYER OF POWER

Torrey Says the Average  
Christian Is Too Stingy.

CHURCHES STARVE AS RESULT

Forceful Address of Great Evange-  
list at Final Meeting of the  
Bible Revival.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—Massey Hall held  
a crowded audience on Saturday af-  
ternoon at the Torrey-Alexander meet-  
ing, which resulted in the bringing of  
about a score of converts to the  
front.

Dr. Torrey said he would speak on  
the subject of hindrances to prayer.  
"If you pray and don't get an-  
swered, it is because you don't pray  
in the right way," asserted the speak-  
er. "A selfish purpose in prayer robs  
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TRAY OF RINGS  
ODDLY DISAPPEARS

\$3,000 Worth of Rubies, Sap-  
phires and Diamonds Stolen  
at Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—A tray with 93  
rings, valued at \$3,000, disappeared during  
Friday night from the valise of A. E. H.  
Grupe, 50 Wellesley street, traveler.

The matter was reported to Detective  
Sergeant Duncan on Saturday afternoon.  
Detectives Mackie and Newton are now  
on the case.

According to Grupe's story, which he  
told Detective Duncan, he returned to  
the city from his trip on Friday, instead  
of going to the firm's office at 296 West  
Adelaide street, according to regulations,  
to deposit his valise in the safety vault  
there, he went directly home.

There, he says, he opened the valise and  
removed several trays in order to show  
the one now missing to his wife, as it  
contained some exceptionally beautiful  
rings.

He then returned the rings, locked his  
valise and came down town. Entering  
the store of E. N. Vanzant, at 159  
Yonge street, a friend, he says he an-  
nounced his intention to leave the valise  
in the vault there.

On Saturday morning, he called. Mr.  
Vanzant was not there, but the girl in  
the store gave him the valise. When he  
reached the office Grupe says he noticed  
the tray was disturbed, and on going  
down found the rich tray gone.

He did not, however, report the loss to  
Mr. Zook until the afternoon.

Vanzant says he had no idea that the  
valise was in the vault, which is little  
used, and is never locked.

The rings that are gone contain  
diamonds, rubies, sapphires, pearls, emeralds  
and other stones.

Grupe has been with the Zook Company  
for five or six years. The valise in all  
contained about \$8,000 in jewelry. At one  
time he was proprietor of the store which  
is now occupied by Vanzant.

CHURCH WITH 16  
SIDES IN VERMONT

Each Side Was Built in 1813 to  
Accommodate One Sect, and  
Make It Union Edifice.

Richmond, Vt., Jan. 27.—A move-  
ment is on foot among public-spirited  
citizens to purchase for a historical  
museum the old Richmond Union  
Church, a 16-sided edifice, one of the  
most unique in the United States, and  
erected by as many denominations for  
union service in 1813. Only a few of  
the more public-spirited residents of  
the town are in the movement, and  
until they have their plans fully for-  
mulated they decline any publicity.

They, too, are sparing no effort to  
trace the history of the church back  
to the time when all those sects united  
in building their little house of wor-  
ship.

The old church, a substantial wood-  
en structure, built of hand-hewn tim-  
ber, and now used as a town meeting-  
house, is situated on Bridge street, on  
the south side of the Winooski river.  
The building is in a wonderful state  
of preservation and has been kept in  
such excellent condition that it is  
almost as good today as when it was  
erected.

"There were 16 sides in the old  
church, so that each sect could have a  
corner-stone," is the only excuse the  
Rev. Thomas Browning, for years the  
pastor, could give for its unique archi-  
tecture.

Throughout the entire state it is  
known only as the 16-sided church.  
Year after year they have been so  
many visitors to the town who came  
here for the purpose of viewing the  
peculiar structure that many of the  
public-spirited residents of Richmond  
conceived the idea of purchasing it.

The building is two stories high with  
a pointed roof, surmounted by a small  
steeple and cross. Each of the 16 sides  
is some eight feet in length, and on  
13 sides are two windows, one over the  
other.

The doors, three in number, are at  
the other sides. The interior is simi-  
lar to an amphitheater, with seats on  
the floor and large gallery, which ex-  
tends from within a few feet of the  
pulpit which is old-fashioned and of  
dark mahogany. It is directly op-  
posite a line between the two en-  
trances to the building from the  
Bridge street side. The pews are of  
solid stained pine planks.

For more than three score years the  
people of the town worshipped in their  
unique little church, which has a seat-  
ing capacity of considerably less than  
200. As the congregation grew in such  
numbers the place was abandoned  
some 31 years ago, after more modern  
structures for worship were erected in  
the town. For a few years it had  
never been opened and then the town  
took the property and converted it in-  
to a town meeting-house. The in-  
terior has not been changed in ap-  
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parate the polling-room part from the  
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Many people wasted the time they  
spent in prayer. They might just as  
well whistle as pray, so far as any  
good would come from it.

In Toronto and Chicago people  
placed idols in their hearts. This was  
just as displeasing to God as though  
the idols were placed on a shelf. It  
was well that a man should love his  
wife; he couldn't love her too much;  
but he might place her before Christ,  
similarly a woman in her anxiety to  
please her husband, might put him  
before God.

It was all right to be diligent in busi-  
ness, but men shouldn't make an idol of  
it, putting it in the wrong place and  
setting it before God. He asked how  
many were doing things every week in  
business which weren't according to the  
Bible.

Dr. Torrey took occasion to criticize the  
preacher who in his desire to get the  
applause of men posed as an advanced  
scholar. In the pride of learning he de-  
livered addresses which his audiences  
worked the good to the simple, plain teach-  
ing of the Gospel. No matter how sincere  
a man might be in his professions, unless  
he were unlearned, he would have the  
name unscholarly attached to him.

An unforgiving spirit was a hindrance.  
Many heads of families, who brought  
their sons and daughters to everlasting  
darkness because they gave an example  
of hating others.

Hindrance to Prayer.  
Dr. Torrey gave considerable time to  
scoring what he considered a chief  
hindrance to prayer. It was a spirit of  
selfishness and stinginess, which pre-  
vented men from giving to the poor  
crack in their hearts that God didn't  
have room to go inside.

ALFONSO AT BIARRITZ  
Visits Princess Ena and Will Ask  
Father for Her Hand.

Biarritz, Southern France, Jan. 27.—  
King Alfonso arrived here this morn-  
ing in an automobile from San Sebas-  
tian, across the Spanish border. He  
immediately visited the Princess Ena  
at her residence, and her mother, Prin-  
cess Henrietta of Battenburg, King Ed-  
ward's sister at the Villa Mouris, where  
they had luncheon together.

The young king, who is "incognito"  
as the Marquis of Covadonga, was in  
a joyful mood and, almost gleefully,  
saluted the crowds along the roads.  
The king will ask her mother for  
Princess Ena's hand on Sunday or  
Monday during the visit of the Queen  
Mother of Spain to her future daugh-  
ter-in-law and Princess Henrietta of Bat-  
tenburg.

In the meantime the king will visit  
the princess daily.  
The authorities are taking the  
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W. A. Woodward, of Gas City, this  
morning received a letter from their  
son, Hershel Woodward, whom they  
thought they had buried last July, stat-  
ing that he was alive and in good  
health. It is evident from the letter  
that the boy has had no information  
whatever of his supposed death. The  
boy is now working near Olathe for a  
farmer. He is going to school. He left  
to his parents. They heard of him in  
Western Kansas and later in Illinois,  
where he was traveling with a show.

In July word came to them that a  
boy answering Hershel Woodward's de-  
scription and traveling with a show  
had been killed in a railroad accident  
near Freepoot, Ill. The father of the  
boy went to Freepoot, where the body  
was exhumed, and identified him even  
to a scar on the lip. The body was  
brought to Gas City and buried. Since  
that time the family had not the  
slightest intimation that his son was  
alive until the letter from him came this  
morning. The father left today to  
bring the boy home. He is 17 years of  
age.

In his letter the lad says he recent-  
ly was conferred to a religious meeting  
and that his neglect to his parents in  
falling to write to them had been  
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LOTS of people are starving with  
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You know, it's not how much  
we eat, but how we digest that  
makes us strong, or brainy, or successful.

When the bowels are filled with un-  
digested food we may be a great deal  
worse off than if we were half starved for  
want of food.

Because food that stays too long in the  
bowels decays there, just as if it stayed  
too long in the open air.

Well, when food decays in the bowels,  
through delayed and overdue action, what  
happens?  
The millions of little Suction Pumps  
that line the bowels and intestines then  
draw poison from the decayed food,  
instead of the nourishment they were  
intended to draw.

This Poison gets into the blood and,  
in time, spreads all over the body, unless  
the Cause of Constipation is promptly  
removed.

That Cause of Constipation is Weak,  
or Lazy, Bowel Muscles.

When your Bowel-Muscles grow flabby  
they need Exercise to strengthen them—  
not "Physic" to pamper them.

There's only one kind of Artificial  
Exercise for the Bowel-Muscles.  
Its name is "CASCARET," and its  
price is Ten Cents a box.

CASCARET acts like Exercise on the  
Muscles of the Bowels, and makes them  
stronger every time they force these  
Muscles to act naturally.

The stronger these Muscles propel the  
food, the stronger does the friction of the  
food act on the flow of Digestive Juices.

The more of these Juices that act on  
the food, the more Nutrition does that food  
turn into, and the richer nourishment do  
the little Suction Pumps of the Intestines  
draw out of it.

Don't fail to carry the Vest Pocket  
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A thousand dollars a year spent in  
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A sample and the famous booklet, "Cause







MANUFACTURERS TO DINE

London Members of the Association Arrange Banquet for Feb 9.

The London members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association have decided to hold a banquet in the Teumess House on the night of Friday, Feb. 9.

Among the speakers who will be present are M. E. A. Duvernay, the eminent Toronto legal light, and Mr. R. J. Young, secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

LONDON OLD BOYS VIEWS

Mr. Thomas Martindale, of Philadelphia, Speaks of Local Matters.

Mr. Thomas Martindale, the well-known Philadelphia merchant, remained in the city over Sunday, en route from the west, and left for home today.

Speaking to The Advertiser today, Mr. Martindale said that while London had undergone great changes for the better in the residential district, the business portion looked very much the same as 40 years ago.

At the 25th annual meeting of the Commercial Travelers' Mutual Benefit Society, held in Toronto Saturday afternoon, among those elected directors were Messrs. J. M. Dillon and W. H. Escott, of this city.

The argument in the appeal of Burrows vs. Williams was finished on Saturday afternoon before Judge Macbeth, but judgment was reserved.

The funeral of the late William Wonaocott, brother of Robert Wonaocott, of this city, was held this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence of deceased's sister, Mrs. John Griffiths, lot 23, concession 1, Westminster Township, to St. Ann's Cemetery.

Mr. George A. Burdick, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Ontario, paid an official visit to Huron Lodge, No. 32, Seaforth, which he found to be in a very flourishing condition, having a membership of 75.

The United Evangelical (Lutheran) Sunday school held a rally yesterday morning in the Duffell Hall, corner of Dundas and Clarence streets.

Ald. Gillean Congratulated by a Hamilton Civic Dad.

Ald. McLeod, of Hamilton, who spent Sunday in the city, congratulated Ald. Gillean on his scheme to water the city streets as far as possible by the street railway, and to do so as much as is found convenient by city teams.

Great interest is attached to this first public demonstration in London of liquid air, that wonderful fluid by which nature's laws seem to be perverted.

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CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

Mr. George S. Gibbons, of this city, has been appointed a notary public for the Province.

Mr. Anthony Nevin has taken out a building permit for a 1 1/2-story brick house on the Wharncliffe road.

Miss Whitcomb, who has been spending a month in this city, has returned to her home in Port Stanley.

Mr. Joseph Beech and party left for New York today to attend the annual meeting of the Douglas-Lacey Company.

Miss Esther Adams, bookkeeper of the London Street Railway, has been granted a month's leave of absence and is spending the time in New York.

The Bishop of Huron held confirmation in Tyrconnell, Dutton and Bismarck yesterday and will visit Port Stanley this evening for a similar service.

Mayor Judd is in Toronto on the fisheries inquiry. Ald. Gerry is acting mayor. Ald. Cooper will act tomorrow, and on Wednesday Ald. Gillean will be the acting chief magistrate.

Special meetings are being continued in the Christian Workers' Mission every night this week. Interest in the meetings is increasing and thirty persons have professed conversion.

Beginning tomorrow, the London Street Railway company will furnish its conductors with anti-spitting cards, and offenders will be brought up short by being handed one of the little pasteboards.

At the 25th annual meeting of the Commercial Travelers' Mutual Benefit Society, held in Toronto Saturday afternoon, among those elected directors were Messrs. J. M. Dillon and W. H. Escott, of this city.

The argument in the appeal of Burrows vs. Williams was finished on Saturday afternoon before Judge Macbeth, but judgment was reserved.

The funeral of the late William Wonaocott, brother of Robert Wonaocott, of this city, was held this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence of deceased's sister, Mrs. John Griffiths, lot 23, concession 1, Westminster Township, to St. Ann's Cemetery.

Mr. George A. Burdick, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Ontario, paid an official visit to Huron Lodge, No. 32, Seaforth, which he found to be in a very flourishing condition, having a membership of 75.

The United Evangelical (Lutheran) Sunday school held a rally yesterday morning in the Duffell Hall, corner of Dundas and Clarence streets.

Ald. Gillean Congratulated by a Hamilton Civic Dad.

Ald. McLeod, of Hamilton, who spent Sunday in the city, congratulated Ald. Gillean on his scheme to water the city streets as far as possible by the street railway, and to do so as much as is found convenient by city teams.

Great interest is attached to this first public demonstration in London of liquid air, that wonderful fluid by which nature's laws seem to be perverted.

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MUSICIANS ELECT

The Local Union Again Chooses Mr. Hyttenrauch President.

At the annual meeting of Local No. 279 of the American Federation of Musicians, the following officers were elected for 1906.

President—Mr. St. John Hyttenrauch.

First Vice-President—A. E. Westman.

Second Vice-President—J. T. Robinson.

Recording Secretary—J. W. Dwyer.

Treasurer—W. J. Kitchen.

Executive Board—F. Floyd, James McCormick.

Sergeant-at-Arms—George B. Dayton.

Delegates to Labor Council—James McCormick, John T. Robinson, Ed. Martin.

PRIESTS MAKE CHOCOLATE

Poor Parish To Be Maintained by Labor of Clergymen.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The abbe of a parish in the suburbs of Paris has converted himself and his assistant priests into a commercial firm to manufacture chocolate with the trade mark, "Our Lady of Work."

"In this way," the abbe explains, "we hope to maintain Roman Catholicism in a parish of 40,000 souls, not one of whom has a centime beyond the daily wage for manual toil. Not one is able to pay a centime for the church's services at a marriage or burial."

The same disastrous situation confronts hundreds of parishes in even smaller and poorer places than where the priests are going into business for religion's sake. Religion is practically obliterated under the separation law, which is now being slowly put into effect.

All sorts of plans are suggested to meet the difficulties precipitated by the sudden separation of church and state in a country whose whole religious system and practice for centuries was organized on the basis of a clergy salaried by the state.

Count de Mun, for instance, proposes a holy war of passive resistance. But this would end inevitably in bloodshed and violence. Some bishops, it is said, but it is believed most of them will recognize that in time the new system can be made to operate as advantageously here as it does in America and England. The Pope thus far remains silent, as to the course to be followed, but he is known to be indignant at the impotence of the Catholic leaders in France.

FOOLISH TO DIE, SAYS WRITER

You Merely Overcome "Death Instinct" and Have Perpetual Life.

London, Jan. 28.—"Why Die?" is the subject of a mysterious booklet by "Cornwall Round," published Saturday, in which the author professes to have discovered the secret of perpetual life.

"The very fact that a person is willing to die," says the author, "is ignorance, he has in some way mismanaged his bodily affairs," Mr. Round declares.

"What everybody has to do, we are told, is to 'overcome the death instinct.' One of the ways this can be done is by 'writing on incense paper.' 'Health is natural,' or some other affirmation which you wish to impress on yourself, ignite the paper, and hold yourself in a mentally relaxed, passive condition, then the perfume will tend your mind."

"When man has learned to overcome his death instinct, and so prevent the senile changes which lead him to his involuntary suicide, there will still remain microbes, wild animals, accidents, and the violence of his fellow-man."

"As to the microbes and the wild animals, the stronger in body and more alert he becomes the better able he will be able to resist them."

"Let us avoid reading tales that end tragically or witness maudlin dramatic tragedies or, in fact, such material views of life. In fact, such material views which is the expression of morbid minds should be, as noxious drugs are, marked with a poison label in the interest of the unwary."

YANKEE GAMBLER HAS LUCK

Many "Systems" Worked to Break the Bank of Monte Carlo.

Monte Carlo, Jan. 28.—Mr. Darnborough, the American gambler at the Casino, has once more miraculously entered on a run of luck. Not long ago he had won \$140,000 at roulette, but he was not content with this, and quite recently lost nearly all his winnings.

He stopped playing for a time, but he has now resumed and in one day this week cleared \$40,000. The record for one day was made by the famous "Wells of Monte Carlo," who "broke the bank" and took away \$60,000 as a single day's winnings.

Mr. Darnborough's "system" is extraordinary. One of his great theories is never to place his bet before the ball is set rolling, because he believes that the croupier can regulate the ball's movements. But he invariably stakes on the same numbers, and the croupier therefore would always know beforehand what to do.

Another gambler who is creating interest here bases his play on the movements of the planets, each of which has a number. The inventor is followed by many other gamblers, but the planets hitherto have been unkind, and all his followers have lost.

Another gambler, the Russian revolutionary leader, occasionally appears at the roulette tables. He is a very cautious player, and risks only a few shillings. He attracts a crowd whenever he appears, especially if by chance he takes a seat at the table where one of the many Russian grand dukes is already playing.

QUESTION DID NOT GO

Miss Fay Refused to Answer Query About a Suicide.

Another large audience went to the Auditorium to see Anna Eva Fay on Saturday evening, and once more the wonder-worker gave a mystifying performance.

Particularly in the last part of her performance does Miss Fay get her audience interested. Questions of various kinds were asked, and quickly answered. Anyone was at liberty to write down any question, and Miss Fay, though sitting under a white sheet at the time, calls out the name of the questioner, reads the question (although it is written and in the possession of the audience), and answers each as her powers direct.

Some very amusing questions were asked. One young lady, in answer to a question as to when she was to be wed, told to ask the young fellow sitting beside her. Another wished to know "when he was to propose."

Miss Fay intimated that "she came very near proposing two weeks ago when he had his arm around you in the parlor."

One question which Miss Fay was not allowed to answer by her manager was in reference to a suicide. She told one gentleman when she stole his harness, which had been stolen some weeks ago, and the gentleman from the audience, seemed quite relieved when she was over, so eerie it all seemed to them. The performance is well worth seeing.

KING ALFONSO'S WOOING

Takes His Fiancee for a Ride In His Motor Car.

Blairitz, Jan. 28.—King Alfonso arrived Saturday morning. Shortly afterward he rode across the frontier into Spain. The inhabitants of Fuenterabaja gave the royal couple an enthusiastic reception. They brought out their ancient banners and fowling pieces and fired a feu de joie. The King and Princess shook hands with everyone they could reach.

The King yesterday presented Princess Ena with a heart-shaped pendant set in diamonds.

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The Druggist's Help

When sick you want the best physician, and the best physician requires the aid of the best druggist. This store exemplifies all that is latest and best on the professional side of pharmacy.

Those who are careful in their drug buying, who want to feel secure, can find good reasons for bringing us their prescriptions.

Strong's Drug Store

184 Dundas Street.

Strong's Baking Powder is made for those that want the best. Strong's Cook Book has some new recipes you'll like. Free. Get one.

STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becher, stock broker, next Free Press building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today:

New York, Jan. 28.—Noon. — After the opening the market was held in check by heavy selling by the same brokers who were supposed to have partially liquidated the large bull account last week. However, the support in some cases was remarkably good, notably in U. P. and Copper. As to the latter, the talk is very bullish, owing to the circulation of rumors that all the differences between Mr. Heinze and Mr. Rogers have been settled, and only some minor details remain to be arranged before the announcement would be forthcoming to the public. Strength of United Copper on the curb was taken as a confirmation of this story. Reading was at times under pressure, and there seemed to be but little demand for it. Later when the market rallied it joined in the upward movement. A prominent operator whose presence on the exchange is only occasional took large blocks of Anaconda. The same house, who sold Southern Railway heavily last week took 10,000 shares today. It is said that a large western speculator is bearish, and room more inclined to sell stock on rallies and buy them on the breaks. Sales to noon 637,800.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 28.—12:30 p.m. Off.

Canadian Pacific ..... 173 1/2

Duluth, pd. .... 41

National Railway ..... 25 1/2

Toronto Railway ..... 114 1/2

Twin City Railway ..... 119

Bank of Montreal ..... 82 1/2

Halifax Railway ..... 110

Toledo Railway ..... 37 1/2

London & North Western ..... 87 1/2

Montreal Power ..... 28 1/2

Domestic Steel, com. .... 29 1/2

Mackay, pd. .... 81

Domestic Steel, pd. .... 12 1/2

Lake of Woods, com. .... 9 1/2

Ohio Traction ..... 9 1/2

Nova Scotia Steel ..... 7 1/2

Montreal Telegraph ..... 16 1/2

Bell Telephone ..... 43 1/2

Ogilvie Milling, pd. .... 43 1/2

Mackay, pd. .... 82 1/2

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Lake of Woods, pd. .... 11 1/2

Laurentide Paper, pd. .... 11 1/2

Colored Cotton ..... 12 1/2

Montreal Cotton ..... 12 1/2

Domestic Textile, pd. .... 106

Bank of Montreal, com. .... 129

Sovereign Bank ..... 144 1/2

Bank of B. N. A. .... 140

Molson Bank, com. .... 27 1/2

Bank of Toronto ..... 24 1/2

Merchants' Bank ..... 166 1/2

Evening Wear

We are showing a very desirable lot of material in wool, silk and wool, and silk, at very much lower prices than other houses are asking. It will pay you to see what splendid values are to be had at this store.

Wool Albatross, special at.....39c, 50c Colors—black, cream, sky, champagne, pearl.

Lovely line of Crepe de Chenes. ....50c, 75c Colors—cream, sky, reseda, pearl, black.

Fine Eoliennes, extra value.....50c, 75c Colors—pearl, black, sky, cream, reseda.

Beautiful Silk Warp Estrellas, very special at \$1.25 Colors—black, champagne, sky, pearl.

Cravanette Bargain.

5 pieces 60-inch Cravanette Raincloths, splendid quality; colors, gray and fawn; worth \$1.35, for \$1.00 yard

25c and 30c Corset Cover Embroideries are very special values and selling rapidly. You should share in them while they last.

50 pieces New Dress Muslins in some very beautiful designs and colorings, very dainty French effects that stamp the designer as an artist, and all at moderate prices, 12 1/2c, 20c and 25c. See them while the choice is good.

10 pieces New Box Cloths, all desirable shades and won't last long at the price, now 50c. Would not be dear at 75c.

See our Print window. The nicest lot of GOOD prints ever shown in the city, and selling beyond all expectations.

R. J. Young & Co.

summers' Gas, 20 at 208; Twin City, 4 at 119; 50 at 119; 15 at 119; Nova Scotia Steel, 25 at 208; Mexican Stock, 25 at 284; Canada Permanent, 50 at 127 1/2; London and Canada, 5 at 106 1/4; 14 at 106; Sao Paulo, 25 at 25 and 55 at 143 1/4.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, for the Advertiser.

Chicago, Jan. 28.

Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.

May ..... 84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2

July ..... 82 1/2 82 1/2 82 1/2 82 1/2

Sept. .... 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2

Oct. .... 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2

Nov. .... 30 1/2 30 1/2 30 1/2 30 1/2

Dec. .... 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2

Jan. .... 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

Feb. .... 7



C. N. SPENCER STOCK BROKER. Street, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash on margin. Phone 180. Office, Market Lane.

DEATH OF JAMES SMART

Prominent Brockville Man and Manufacturer Passes Away.

Brockville, Jan. 29.—After a residence here of nearly half a century ex-Sheriff James Smart passed away Saturday evening. Born in Scotland in the year 1818, he came to Canada in early life, taking up his residence near Ottawa. Later he was a resident of Kingston, Sarnia, and also spent some time in California, being a manufacturer in Sacramento. He was a warm personal friend of the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie. Mr. Smart made Brockville his home nearly half a century ago, and was one of its pioneer businessmen, having established the town's biggest industry, which still bears his name, the James Smart Manufacturing Company.

In 1884 he retired from business and was appointed sheriff of the united counties of Leeds and Grenville, which office he resigned in 1898. He married Miss Egan, of London, Ont., who survives him. He also leaves a family of four—Hon. James Smart, ex-minister of public works for Manitoba and ex-deputy minister of the interior for Canada; George B. Smart, of the Canadian Immigration department, and two daughters. Some ten years ago Mr. Smart suffered a painful injury by falling on the street, and had since been confined to his house. The funeral will take place on Tuesday.

TREE AS "NERO"

London Actor-Manager's Production Makes a Great Hit

London, Jan. 28.—His Majesty's Theatre was besieged by eager throngs booking ahead for seats for Beerbohm Tree's great production of Stephen Phillips' blank verse play of "Nero," which was seen for the first time on Thursday night.

FLAXSEED

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Flaxseed—Northwest, \$1.12; southwest, \$1.05; May, \$1.15.

OIL MARKETS

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 27.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.58. Oil City, Pa., Jan. 27.—Credit balances, \$1.55; shipments, 100,000 barrels.

DAIRY MARKETS

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 27.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 18c to 22c; dairies, 18c to 20c. Cheese—Steady, 1 1/4c to 1 3/4c.

NEW LINER A BEAUTY

The C. P. R. Empress of Ireland the Finest of Ships.

Glasgow, Jan. 27.—In the presence of an immense number of people at Govan, on the Clyde, today, was successfully launched the magnificent new Canadian Pacific steamship the Empress of Ireland, built for the Montreal, Quebec and Liverpool trade. Mrs. Garcia, wife of the managing director of the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company, officiated at the christening ceremony, after which the guests adjourned to the company's board room, where sumptuous luncheon was enjoyed, followed by speeches, in the course of which the C. P. R. Company received the warmest congratulations upon the happy conclusion of the day's function, and the addition to their large fleet of this magnificent steamship, and her sister ship, the Empress of Britain, now lying in the fitting-out basin of the Fairfield Company. The advent of these steamships in May next, representing as they do the most advanced type of modern shipbuilding, will mark a new epoch in Canadian shipping.

GOVERNMENT WAS WARMLY CRITICISED

East Middlesex Conservatives Not Pleased With Whitney's Distribution of Patronage.

The East Middlesex Conservative Association held its annual meeting on Saturday afternoon, President Glass in the chair. Officers were elected, resolutions passed and speeches made by prominent Conservatives.

GIRL SWINGS FROM LIVE WIRE AT FIRE

Julia Sylvester's Plucky Actio Thrills Hundreds of Spectators.

New York, Jan. 26.—A two-story building at No. 238 Fifteenth avenue, Newark, burned at 9 o'clock last night, and during the progress of the fire the four-story apartment house at No. 236 Fifteenth avenue was in great danger. Julia Sylvester, a 17-year-old girl, lived with her brother on the fourth floor. He had gone out and taken the key, so she could not escape. She threw up the window and stood on the ledge. The crowd below saw her. "Don't jump!" they cried. "Stand still till the firemen help you."

GREAT BRITAIN NEEDS RUSSIA

Preponderance of the Latter in Europe Would Insure Peace in Asia.

Paris, Jan. 29.—Nothing has recently attracted greater attention in the diplomatic world than a work just issued by the well-known political writer, Andre Cheradame on "The World and the Russo-Japanese war." The author draws up a highly suggestive balance sheet of profit and loss for the great powers, and his views in regard to a necessary readjustment of the balance of power in Europe are among the soundest yet advanced publicly. He points out that while England's position has greatly improved in Asia it has become more doubtful in Europe where she finds her requirements constantly opposed by those of Germany. The latter would wish to see Russia cease to interest herself in European affairs, and become victorious in the Pacific. England, on the contrary, needs a Russia who would renounce her preponderance in Asia, but would consolidate a powerful position in Europe. England has no interest in provoking war between France and Germany, but if such a war were to break out, her vital interests would oblige her to support France as she formerly supported Prussia against Napoleon. She would be blind to her own interests if she did not stake her last man, and her last shilling for that purpose.

GOOD NEWS FOR THE TEACHERS

Whitney Says That Pay Will Be Increased—Foy's Serious Charge.

Kingston, Jan. 29.—Announcements by Premier Whitney as to the policy of the Government on several questions of importance, the promise of Hon. Mr. Foy that the public is to become acquainted with "some things discovered at the Parliament buildings," the retelling of several alleged scandals were the features of the eleventh-hour rally held in the town hall here Saturday night in the interests of Mr. D. M. McIntyre, who opposes Mr. E. J. B. Pense, the former member, and the present Liberal candidate in the bye-election. Legislation to increase salaries of teachers to make monopoly in school books impossible, and to improve the primary schools was foreshadowed by Mr. Whitney, who also outlined the principle of the Government's pulpwood policy.

MISS FAY TOLD OF MISSING MAN

Relieved Mind of Anxious Lady by Telling Whereabouts of Husband.

The wonderful powers of Miss Fay were amply proven to one family in London last week through the knowledge imparted by the seer to a lady whose husband had been missing for some time. The lady in question was Mrs. William Lumley, of Thamesford, who had come to this city early in the week, later to be joined by her husband, who had decided to remove to London, where he had secured a position. Lumley left Thamesford on Wednesday, after drawing nearly \$100 from the bank, and when he failed to put in an appearance at the house where Mrs. Lumley was stopping, the latter was naturally anxious. She knew not what to do, and she had grave misgivings that Mr. Lumley had met with foul play.

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East Middlesex Liberals Hold Their Annual Meeting

Elect Officers and Express Confidence in Leader Laurier—Many to Attend Banquet.

The annual meeting of the East Middlesex Liberal Association was held in Sherwood Hall, Richmond street, on Saturday afternoon, and it proved to be one of the most enthusiastic in the association's history. There was not a polling subdivision in the riding that did not have a large number of delegates in attendance. Mr. J. L. McDougall, the president, of this city, occupied the chair, and after some recapping business called for the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President—Mr. E. Douglas, Iderton. Vice-President—Mr. Peter Anderson, Westminster. Secretary—Mr. Jared Vining, London. Treasurer—Mr. A. Bailey, West Nisour.

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Wood's Fair. Best Cold Blast Lanterns, Price 35c. Best Cold Blast Lanterns, Price 35c.

Graniteware. We want all the ladies of London to see our new line of Graniteware, manufactured by Kemp & Co. of Toronto, the leading graniteware makers of Canada.

New Dinner Sets Just Arrived. Several crates of new Dinner and Tea Sets from the famous pottery of Alfred Meakin have just been put into stock.

Nickel Tea Kettles, Price \$1.00. It pays when you are getting a Tea Kettle to buy the best; the Copper-Nickel Kettle will outlast any other two kettles and always look well.

WOODS' FAIR. Dog Collars, all sizes, 10c, 15c and 25c each. J a r d i n e r e s, all prices, See our 35c line.

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London, Jan. 29.—Here are two sides of gay, sad, Imperial London, taken at random from the Sunday press: The magnificence of modern London luxury almost surpassed itself when 30 men sat down to dinner at Prince's restaurant, Piccadilly. The dinner was given by Dudley Decker to George Flett, on the eve of his departure for Japan. A room in the restaurant was transformed into a picturesque tent. Under the instructions of a theatrical costumier, the walls were curtained with white satin, and the ceiling was concealed by three huge Japanese flags.

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**BRIDLE OF HORSE HAIR**  
Clever Work of a Convict Received by a Londoner.

Auctioneer A. M. Hunt has a very fine curio in horsehair work, which has a touch of mysterious romance about it. It is a woven horsehair bridle, the work of a convict in the penitentiary at Deer Lodge, Montana. Shortly before Christmas, Mr. Hunt received a letter from a man signing himself C. G. Hurst, stating that he is well acquainted with the auctioneer, and begging that Mr. Hunt do him a favor. The favor he asked was that he might be permitted to send Mr. Hunt a hair bridle, the auctioneer to sell it and return the proceeds to the prisoner to aid him in getting a pardon. Accompanying the letter was a beautiful watchguard of horsehair.

Mr. Hunt was interested in the prisoner from the fact that he claimed to have been born on the old Brook road, seven miles from Guelph, and that he had an uncle and aunt in London. The auctioneer at once wrote back to send the bridle to London, promising to sell it for Hurst.

Saturday the bridle arrived. It is really a work of art, a color scheme in the pattern being followed which is very beautiful. The ground work is of white hair, and it is decorated with red, blue, yellow and green. It is not a mere toy, by any means, but is pronounced by horsemen to be twice as strong as any leather bridle. Even the rosettes are composed of woven horsehair, with a glass center.

As to the value of the bridle, no one in these parts is prepared to say. But it is said it took the prisoner three months and a half to make it.

The man frankly admits that Hurst is not his right name, remarking that he is keeping his identity a secret, so as to protect the good names of his relatives. But he pleaded with Mr. Hunt to get all the money possible out of the bridle, so that he may use it in an effort to secure a new trial. He does not admit his guilt, nor does he deny it. Neither does he say what the crime is for which he was convicted, but he does admit that he is in for a lengthy term.

Mr. Hunt has the bridle on exhibition at his office on King street.

The late Baron Alphonse Rothschild used to say long ago that the days of the millionaire in Europe were about over, but he left a fortune of, approximately, \$190,000,000.

The International Italian "King Humbert prize" of 2,500 francs for the most important contribution to orthopedic surgery has been awarded to Dr. Oscar Culpin, of Heidelberg.

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**THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY**

On and after Feb. 1 a sub-office for the receipt and delivery of letters, newspapers, etc., will be opened in Mr. W. Longhrey's store, Peterborough. A locked postoffice letter box has been set up at Mr. D. Lester's store, near the Grand Trunk station, for drop-letters, which will be collected daily at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

The employees of Mr. John Shelden, cartage agent of the Grand Trunk, enjoyed their annual supper last evening at Mr. Webb's hotel, Wellington street, where it has been held for a number of years. Mr. John Grey occupied the chair, Mr. J. Stewart the vice-chair.

The county council resumed its sittings at 3 p.m. Mr. William Reid, editor of the Farmers' Advocate, was heard before the council in relation to agricultural matters. The treasurer's statement, showing the amount paid in the County of Middlesex during 1879 for the apprehension and conviction of horse thieves, was submitted, the following constables each receiving the reward of \$100: Robert Miller, R. Miller, Henry Groves, Robert Orr. Total, \$400.

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dollars in aid of railways, reserving to the Legislature to be elected the precise disposition of that money. How nice this would be! Sandfield could go to the country and say: "Look here! I have \$1,500,000 already voted; and it will be distributed only in those constituencies which send me supporters." Sandfield is sitting on a barrel of gunpowder, and we expect he will blow himself up yet.

**LONDON AND DISTRICT**

—Miss Kate Belton, of Buffalo, is spending two weeks here.

—Mr. Charles Murray, city, is shortly to remove to Fort Erie.

—Mrs. MacQuinn, who has been visiting her daughter in Nebraska, for a year, has returned home.

—Mr. C. B. Keenleyside will conduct missionary services in the Cobourg Methodist Church on Sunday.

—Saturday next the Feast of St. Blaise will be celebrated in the Catholic churches of the city. On that day the annual blessing of throats will take place.

—Ald. McLeod, of Hamilton, accompanied by his bride, was the guest of Fire Chief and Mrs. Clark over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod left for Hamilton this afternoon.

—Rev. W. T. Hill, rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, has been confined to his bed for some days suffering from bronchitis. His condition is reported today as greatly improved.

—Mrs. John Herron, of Winnipeg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Lochead, 479 King street. Mrs. Herron spent the last six weeks with her daughter, Mrs. R. T. Orr, at Stratford, and will return to Winnipeg on Monday.

—Chicago British-American: Ex-Captain Joseph Williams died the other day at his residence, 3553 Prairie avenue, in this city. He was formerly of London, Ont., while friends live also at Wexford, Ireland, and in Quebec.

—It is understood that Mr. John McCool, the high school teacher who has secured the inspectorship of East Bruce, will not commence his duties until April, and will consequently remain in the employ of the local board of education for some time yet.

—The marriage is announced of Mr. Wm. Perkins, molder, of 655 Queen's avenue to Miss Bridget Eileen McF. Clark, 1001 Waterloo street, city, at All Saints' rectory, by Rev. T. B. Clarke. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins will make their home at 655 Queen's avenue, city.

—A quiet wedding took place recently, when Mr. James Lynch, of Main street, Ingersoll, was married to Mrs. Margaret Elliott, Inkerman street, city, at All Saints' rectory, by Rev. T. B. Clarke. The bride was supported by Mrs. Minnie Fischer and Mrs. Thomas Eccles, of Inkerman street.

—The wedding took place on Dec. 27, at St. John's Church, Perth, Ont., of Mr. James Carlisle and Miss Florence E., daughter of Mr. Thomas Ophielus Clegg, of that place. Mr. Carlisle was at one time a resident of London, and is now in the royal mail service in England.

—The residence of Mr. Cameron McIntyre, of the 5th concession, Lobo Township, was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on Tuesday evening last, when the members of the camp of the W. O. W., of Lobo village, with their wives and daughters, numbering about 60, assembled to accept the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre. Speech-making and games were quite the order of the evening, which included also a dainty supper. All enjoyed themselves well. Before departing the company wished long life and good health to their kind host and hostess.

but with marvelous success. Views were shown of classes all over the country being taught subjects, which to most men are denied, such as mechanical drawing, design, commercial branches and many others. Mr. Frank Clegg, boy soprano, of Toronto, was present, and sang "A Dream of Paradise" (Gray), very beautifully. It was announced that next Sunday, Dr. Roland Dwight Grant would be the speaker, and that on the following Sunday the meeting would be in the Grand Opera House with the famous Sam P. Jones as speaker.

**THE WEEKLY HIGH COURT.**

At the weekly sitting of the high court this morning, Chief Justice Falconbridge presided. In the case of Pegler vs. Watson, Mr. Coleridge, for the vendor, Pegler, moved under the vendor and purchaser act for order that vendor has fully answered the requisition of the purchaser, Watson. Judgment reserved. Mr. W. A. Proudfoot, for purchaser.

**ANNIVERSARY ENDED**

**Special Sermons Mark the Week's Closing at St. Paul's.**

Special sermons marked both morning and evening services at St. Paul's Cathedral yesterday. They closed the very successful anniversary week of the cathedral. In the morning Rev. Wm. Clark, Trinity College, Toronto, gave a very able sermon.

In the evening Rev. Samuel S. Mergins, rector of St. Joseph's, Detroit, was the speaker. His subject was "The doors to the divine light, or the means open to the entrance to God." Just as a house has many doors and one main entrance so has a man's life several ways by which that man may be approached and but one in becoming acquainted with that man it is possible that a person could approach him in several ways, but there was one way that was nearer than all the others. With some men you had to appeal to their intellectual nature. They think the same perhaps as you. God could find his entrance to that man's soul only through his intellect. With others their emotional natures had to be appealed to, others had to be approached through a temperamental door and still others through the practical door.

Mr. Mergins spoke then of the doors to the divine life. He said millions of people had found God through the door of nature. They had seen God in the clouds, the sea, the river, the trees and through the door of reason, although this was a most difficult door to enter. A far greater number had known God through the door of inspired literature—the Bible—but the greatest, grandest door of all was that of the incarnation, the revealing of God in humanity. God comes to the truest sense through humanity. The life of a strong upright man was a revelation of God. The greatest, the highest, greater than the greatest, the most profound his hearers to look more to the men and women about them than they might see God in man.

**TURNER'S WORKS ON VIEW**

**Valuable Collection of Pictures From Queen's Shown at Y. W. C. A.**

At the Y. W. C. A. parlors yesterday afternoon there was an exhibition which appealed to every lover of art in the city, and one which nobody interested should have missed. At considerable expense and trouble the beautiful collection of paintings of Turner, which belong to Queen's University, Kingston, were brought here and very artistically arranged. Over twenty of the artist's works were shown, and the exhibition afforded a rare treat to Londoners. Aside from these paintings, there were many rare curios from different parts of the world, such as ferns, seaweed, weapons of war from Australia, and shells. Dr. Woolverton kindly loaned many things from his collection. Mrs. (Rev.) Collins is directly responsible for bringing the Queen's collection of Turner's works.

**Under Chicago's Streets.**

Chicago, Jan. 28. — Applications will be made to the city council tomorrow night by the Chicago Central Subway Railway Company for a 50-year franchise for a new subway system for passenger traffic under Chicago's downtown streets.

**Teller Has Smallpox.**

Theford, Jan. 28. — Mr. McArthur, teller of the Sovereign Bank here, was taken down with smallpox yesterday, and moved to an isolated building.

**Experience Is Sometimes a Dear Teacher.**

So many parents of young children do not realize the danger from croup until they have had the experience of one severe case in their own home. To be awakened in the middle of the night by the peculiar rough cough and find their little one suffering from a fully developed attack of the croup and nothing in the house with which to relieve it is a lesson never to be forgotten. A good remedy at hand is of incalculable value in a time like this and nothing better can be obtained than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has been thoroughly tested in hundreds of cases and not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the first symptoms appear it will prevent the attack. The fact that this remedy contains no narcotics makes it perfectly safe to give to the children. For sale by all druggists.

**U-All-No After-Dinner Mints.** Per box 30c. Smythe's, Hyman and Richmond streets. Phone 1251.

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**MISS BOOTH IN RAGS**

**Novel Method of Arousing Sympathy for London's Poor.**

New York, Jan. 28.—Dressed in rags, Miss Eva Booth, commander of the Salvation Army, spoke for two hours in Carnegie Hall last night on army work in London. The toes of her stockings protruded through a pair of slippers which were tied with strings and a yellow handkerchief was about her throat. The sleeves of her dress were so worn that both elbows were plainly seen every time she made a gesture. Much of the time she had a gesture in her eyes. The hall was packed, and hundreds of persons were sent away, although more than 1,000 were permitted to stand.

**UE AND GRAY TOGETHER**

**Civil War Veterans Attend Funeral of Late General Wheeler.**

Washington, Jan. 28.—With full military honors the body of General Joseph Wheeler, the veteran of two wars, a former representative in Congress and a retired officer in the United States army, was laid at rest today in the National Cemetery at Arlington. He was spot selected for his final repose, lies on the grassy slope in front of and to the right of the historic Lee mansion, and is regarded as one of the most beautiful sites in the home of the soldier dead, as it overlooks the nation's capital across the Potomac.

Homage was paid by the blue and gray. Veterans of the two conflicts in which General Wheeler distinguished himself as a gallant soldier and a dashing cavalry leader, personal friends, representatives of the two branches of Congress and citizens joined with the nation's military in paying tribute to the dead general.

**BRITISH GUIANA UNEASY**

**Part of Disloyal Black Militia Disbanded—White Troops Wanted.**

London, Jan. 28.—According to reports from Georgetown, British Guiana, there is still a feeling of unrest, despite the suppression of the riots and the arrest of most of the ringleaders. The British warship is still in the port here, and is likely to remain for some time. A new volunteer corps about 200 strong, and consisting largely of Englishmen and Portuguese, has been formed for defensive purposes. Part of the black militia, which proved disloyal, will be disbanded.

**SLICK ONE AT ST. THOMAS**

**Works Off a Forged Check and Steals a Bicycle.**

St. Thomas, Jan. 28.—Saturday night a young Englishman purchased a \$13 suit of clothes from Hugh McPherson, presenting a Merchants' Bank check for \$36.75, purporting to be made by George Adeock, a clerk in favor of Fred Marriott. He received the clothes and change, and shortly after the check was discovered to be a forgery. The same man shortly afterwards went into J. Mickleborough's and purchased a black check for \$56.50, purporting to be signed by Ralph Crocker, florist. Being suspicious, identification was asked for, and the man left the coat and check, saying he would be back in half an hour, and in the meantime they could find the genuineness of the check. The check was a forgery, and the man never returned. He stole a bicycle, from in front of J. McManus' store a few doors away and made off.

**ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.**

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1 pair Irish Point Curtains, regular \$3 50, for, per pair ..... \$2 50

2 pairs Bobbinet Curtains, regular \$5 00, for, per pair ..... \$3 50

1 pair Ecu Irish Point, regular \$6 50, for, per pair ..... \$4 35

1 pair Ecu Irish Point, regular \$5 00, for, per pair ..... \$3 50

1 pair White Irish Point, regular \$5 00, for, per pair ..... \$3 75

1 pair White Irish Point, regular \$5 00, for, per pair ..... \$3 75

1 pair White Irish Point, regular \$6 00, for, per pair ..... \$4 00

1 pair Red Applique Curtains, regular \$6 50, for, per pair ..... \$4 00

1 pair Brussels Net Curtains, regular \$8 00, for, per pair ..... \$4 50

1 pair Brussels Net Curtains, regular \$6 00, for, per pair ..... \$4 75

1 pair White Irish Point Curtains, regular \$8 00, for, per pair ..... \$5 25

1 pair Battenburg Curtains, regular \$9 00, for, per pair ..... \$6 00

1 pair Battenburg Curtain, regular \$10 00, for, per pair ..... \$6 50

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Circular Pillow Cotton, 46 inches wide, very fine and soft; regular 25c, for

**15c yard**

Men's Extra Heavy Molekin pants (pants style), lots of pockets regular \$1 00, for

**75c pair**

All Pure Wool Volls, 46 inches wide, in black and blue; regular 37½c, for

**25c each**

40-inch extra heavy material for aprons and skirts, with and without borders; regular 15c, for

**11c yard**

Black Tights for ladies and misses, all quality, fine and heavy; regular 75c and \$1 00, for

**49c pair**

Chambray Finish Flannelette, in stripes and checks, wide width; regular 10c, Special

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**MEN'S GRAY LAMB CAPERINES, EXTRA LARGE SIZE, AT QUALITY, SATIN LINED, REGULAR \$8 00**

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**47c each**

Ladies' Tweed Walking Skirts, all pure wool material, correct style, regular \$3 00,

**for \$1.99**

Men's Lined Molekin Gloves, with cuff; regular 50c, for

**29c pair**

Extra Heavy Cotton Elderdown, for kimonos, in blue, gray; regular 25c, for

**17½c yard**

Men's Wool Fleece-lined Undershirts, will not knot in washing; regular 50c, for

**37½c each**

Boys' Fancy Tweed Caps, in light and dark patterns; regular 25c and 35c, for

**10c each**

White Canvas Gloves for house-cleaning, all classes of work; regular 10c, for

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