

Special Offering of Lace Edge Handkerchiefs for Xmas Gifts.

It's not too early to think of Xmas gifts. Buying some today, a few tomorrow, and so on, and you have your presents bought without feeling it a task.

- 1/2-inch lace edge, with double row of hemstitch in center. Only .12c
1/4-inch lace edge, with corners of lace insertion. Only .20c
1/2-inch lace edge and corners of lace insertion, very pretty set in. Only .30c

Good Health and Physical Perfection.



The lady who values good health and physical perfection finds in the W. B. Erect Form Corset an ideal corset.



OUR JACKET STYLES ADMIRABLE BY ALL.

- Some few do buy their jackets elsewhere, but they regret it when they see our styles. It's worth your while to come here before you buy. Following are values that you'll do well to secure now while they are in stock.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, 149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

own goods at the same time as he was selling the tobacco company's. Mr. Davis would not accept him as a consignee unless he ceased the manufacture of cut tobacco, but eventually he was allowed to become a consignee, and at the same time to sell cut tobacco of his own manufacture.

Same Brand on Market. He manufactured a brand of rouge and quassel, and the tobacco company which he sometimes got a discount on the market, although his was already on. There was a good demand for the tobaccos of independent manufacturers, but he was only allowed to sell the company's cigarettes.

Examined by Senator Belque, K. C. witness stated that he manufactured Canadian tobacco only, his production of cut and roll being about 25,000 pounds a year. His trade was increasing each year, but he became a consignee of the American Tobacco Company, although he was not prohibited from selling his own and other cut tobaccos, he was only allowed to sell the company's cigarettes.

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LIVED A JEKYLL AND HYDE LIFE SIDES IS HEARD

Duplicity of a Bright Young Philadelphia Lawyer. Mr. Davis Again a Witness Before Tobacco Commission.

A GAMBLER POSING AS A SAINT DEALERS ALSO ON THE STAND President of Concern Says Consignee Contracts Are Not Limited Provided Distribution Is Large Enough.

Cincinnati, Nov. 19.—A New York special to the Inquirer says: Freely admitting his identity, as Frank C. Martin, who was a bright young lawyer and rising politician when he fled from Brooklyn eight years ago, accused of obtaining what was said to have been \$30,000, but which Mrs. Caroline Barry, his former friend and victim, now says was nearly \$70,000 a man who has lived in Philadelphia for eight years as Judge Franklin Stone, and who was recognized in New York Saturday, asserts his entire ignorance of the crime with which he is charged.

He declares the culprit was the chief clerk in his law office, on whom all the duties devolved because he himself was so engrossed with horse racing that he neglected his business. This clerk, whose name he refuses to divulge, was in ill-health, and when he was thought to be dying he confessed his sin to Martin, first extracting a promise that his revelations should be held secret.

When he suddenly left Brooklyn he was so strong politically that it appeared he might wrest the Democratic leadership of Kings County from the veteran Hugh McLaughlin. In Philadelphia he led a dual existence. To those who knew him and his wife and two sons socially he was the ideal family man, his occupation being that of a capitalist, a broker or a banker. A church member he was liberal in his contributions to charity, and was believed by some to be a millionaire.

None of his Philadelphia neighbors, who esteemed Stone highly, could tell exactly what was his profession. They all saluted him as Judge, and he was generally known as such, most of his letters bearing that title. While many believed he was a lawyer, others had the idea he was a banker, and again, the few who knew him to get an occasional trip to Europe, remaining abroad several months on each journey, had heard he was an importer of wines and liquors. They also heard he was gambling trips by steamers, and in foreign cities. By all he was rated as a very wealthy man; many believed, indeed, he was a millionaire.

In his home life, Stone was compelled to be on his guard constantly. He had a telephone in his house, its use was confined to sending messages to the outside world. Never were any messages received by it in the house. Frequent endeavors to get in communication with any of the inmates over the wire only elicited the reply: "I cannot get them; they do not have a telephone." Never left his home until almost noon daily. At 7 o'clock he was back for dinner. He and his wife went driving in a stylish turnout, and they gathered nearly every evening, and there was every indication that they were happy and care free.

Through the door of the house none passed whom he did not wish to see. His associates of the under world did not dare to seek him there; when the door closed behind him he was the master of the house. He was never rest out except from his busy brain. Sometimes he would venture to the door to see some caller he thought he knew, and then between the parted portals of the dining-room, a woman's pale, worried, haunted face would appear. The wife was watching the visitor, anxious to know whether what she feared had fallen at last.

Queer Reason for Suicide. Married Man Shoots Himself Because Woman Would Not Wed Him.

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—At the inquest over the remains of Thomas E. Cooke at Masson, John Rheau, called as a witness, stated that Cooke had been coming fairly steady to his house to see his daughter. The girl had told him to stay away, but he continued coming. Two weeks ago he came and proposed marriage to the girl and was refused, and he then threatened to shoot himself. Saturday night last he came and again proposed, but was again refused. Bickering followed, so he said she would never see him again, as he was going to shoot himself. As Cooke's body was found a few hours afterwards, no further witnesses were called, and the jury brought in a verdict of suicide while laboring under temporary insanity. A request was made on behalf of Mrs. Cooke for the body, and it was interred in St. Stephen's Cemetery.

Cancer Ate Right Cheek. A Distressing Case Completely Cured by the New Constitutional Treatment After Plasters Failed.

When the New Constitutional Treatment was started its beneficial results soon became apparent, the cancer ceased to spread, the tissues became healthy and commenced healing, till, in a comparatively short time, the disease was cured completely, and, we may say, permanently, for there has been no recurrence in the past three years. A complete account of this case will be found in our book "Cancer, Its Cause and Cure," which will be sent to anyone on receipt of two stamps.



Hurried Luncheon Nothing is so handy as Boveril

The evils of hurrying over or putting off one's meals are manifold: headaches, nervousness, depression, and a host of all impaired digestive powers, are nearly always the results of this irregularity.

BOVERIL

TOITINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

Byron, Nov. 18.—Rev. Mr. Fisher, of Lambeth, will preach in the Methodist Church here next Sunday evening. Mr. Edgar Griffith, of Toronto, is spending a few days with his parents here. Mrs. Herrington, who was taken from here to Victoria Hospital last week, is doing very well.

LAMBETH

Lambeth, Nov. 18.—Mr. Wm. Routledge has returned from Edmonton, N. W. T., where he has spent the last couple of months in the coal fields. Mr. J. W. Hicks, merchant tailor, of Gloucester, paid a flying visit to the village last week. Lambeth people are eagerly awaiting the long-talked-of electric railway, which at last appears to be making considerable headway.

HARRIETSVILLE

Harrietsville, Nov. 18.—A large and appreciative audience assembled at the literary recital in the public hall at Harrietsville on Friday evening last. Miss Ethel M. Marsh, B.E., a graduate of Ralston University, Washington, D. C., made her debut in the recital as an elocutionary entertainer. The highly favorable impression which she made will assure her of a prominent position on future occasions.

Demand for Farm Laborers.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—Efforts are to be made by the Ontario Government to relieve the embarrassment suffered by Ontario farmers because of the scarcity of labor. It is intended to work in conjunction with the Dominion Immigration officials in England to secure young men desirous of settling in Ontario. A system of distribution will be arranged through the Farmers' Institutes. An office will be opened at the union station here. The exodus of young farmers' sons and farm laborers has been quite extensive from Ontario to the north and west. The crops in these parts of Ontario have also been increasing, as shown by this year's Government reports.

Alleged Grand Trunk Deal.

Montreal, Nov. 19.—G. T. R. officials refuse to make any statement regarding the acquisition by the Grand Trunk of the Detroit and Toledo Short Line for \$15,000,000. They will neither confirm nor deny the report.

General Joubert's silver-fitted jaunting car, which was captured in South Africa, is now at Woolwich Arsenal.

Advertisement for Sunlight Soap, featuring the text 'Prof. W. Hodgson Ellis, Official Analyst to the Dominion Government, reports that Sunlight Soap contains "no unsaponified fat,"—that means no waste.'

WHISKARD'S Three Busy Stores 228, 230, 232 Dundas Street

COME TO THE Clearance Sale

MANY lines clamor for special mention, but only a few can be accommodated. Make up your mind to see the bargains for yourself. Let your watchword be "Economy" and come to our Great Clearance Sale.

Millinery. A SMART array of emphatically good offerings for those who readily appreciate positive reductions in prices and are prompt to take advantage of them. There'll be quick buying in this department until the lots are cleared out. Ten per cent off, remember.

Undershirts and Underwear. THE qualities are worthy—unusually so—you'll be impressed with them. Genuine economy in the prices and the 10 per cent off as well.

SPECIALS.

YOU can save money on each one. That's the sum and substance of the whole matter. Ten per cent off.

MRS. MOLINEUX'S ACTING LAST DAY OF TEDDY'S HUNT

Apparent Anxiety for Husband Was Part of Play. Now His Life Is Saved She Seeks To Be Divorced.

Sloux Falls, S. D., Nov. 19.—Mrs. Roland B. Molineux's arrival here and her announcement that she is seeking a divorce from the man recently freed from prison after two sensational murder trials, have created a genuine sensation. Mrs. Molineux registered as "Mrs. L. C. Johnson," but when her identity became known through a telegram she said she had no reason for keeping her identity or the object of her coming a secret.

HON. FREEMAN TALBOT WRITES OF EARLY LONDON

Interesting Paper by One of the City's Veteran Old Boys. Recollections of a Time When Population Was Counted by the Dozen.

The meetings of the Historical Society, one of which was held last night at the Public Library building, continue to be extremely interesting. Dr. Cl. T. Campbell's paper, which was read at the previous meeting and dealt with the history of London before the building of the courthouses, was followed last night by another excellent prepared paper by Hon. Freeman Talbot, a Londoner of the very early days, who has lived for nearly the past half-century in Western Canada. His friends in London, of whom there are many, will be pleased to see in this paper an evidence of the unimpaired vigor of the remarkable intellectual strength and wonderful memory with which Mr. Talbot has been endowed.



HON. FREEMAN TALBOT.

more to advance the growth of the town and the prosperity of the country than any man, living or dead. He caused to be built a plan and a road from London to Hamilton, an excellent earthen road from London to Windsor and another to Sarnia. It was he who erected the piers of Port Stanley and a canal connecting Rondeau and Port Stanley, on all of which works more than \$400,000 was expended on these works the late Sir Casimir Czoski was chief engineer.

EXPRESS TRAIN DERAILED

Well-Known Horseman Killed and Brakeman Badly Hurt. Madison, Conn., Nov. 19.—Samuel Crumenden, a well-known horseman, of New Haven, was killed, and Joseph Lockstrom, of Auburn, R. I., a brakeman, was injured by the derailment of an express freight train on the Shore Line division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, yesterday.

ST. THOMAS RAILWAY

City Council Decides to Operate the Road—Mortgage Foreclosed. St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 19.—City Engineer James A. Bell was given power by the city council at a special meeting held Monday evening to repair the street railway and secure supplies in readiness for operating the road by the city. The agreement between the city and the contractor was, on motion, rescinded, the mortgage foreclosed, and the city is now in legal possession.

GIRL MURDERED BY A WOMAN

The Terrible Deed of a Madly Jealous Wife. PROMPT ARREST OF ASSASSIN

"I'm Glad She's Dead," Were the Woman's Words, as She Finished Her Terrible Work.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 19.—One of the most sensational murders in the history of Rochester was committed yesterday at 543 Court street. The victim was Miss Florence McFarlin, a music teacher.

INDIAN CHARGED WITH MURDER. Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 19.—A special dispatch says that Ely Farmer, an Indian, living in the town of Carleton Place, Cattaraugus County, was arrested and taken to the county jail at Little Valley last night, charged with murder. His arrest is the result of an investigation into the death of Emma Shongo, whose body was on Oct. 15 found under a stairway in a heap of rubbish at Vaughn's Hotel, in Carleton Place.

FATAL DUEL

Deep River, Ind., Nov. 19.—As a result of a duel over a game in a saloon here, William Blyth was fatally and Henry White badly wounded. Both men used long knives, and fought until each was covered with wounds, and both finally dropped exhausted from weakness and loss of blood.

Advertisement for Ombriidge's Lung Tonic, featuring a horse and rider illustration and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

Of benefit to the Consumptive. "Nothing you can say is too good. My wife, far gone in consumption, has received more benefit from it than from any other medicine she has taken." Mark Jackson, High street, Birmingham.

Advertisement for Santa Claus, featuring a map of the world and text about receiving gifts from Santa Claus.

Advertisement for Woods' Air, featuring a tree illustration and text about its benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for New Calendars, Dinner and Tea Sets, and China Specials, listing various items and prices.

Advertisement for Wood's Fair Tar Soap, featuring a bar of soap illustration.

Advertisement for Dr. Kennedy & Kergan, featuring a portrait of a man and text about their medical services.

A large vertical advertisement listing various services such as Money to Loan, Medical Cards, Dental Cards, Legal Cards, and Business Cards, with contact information for various professionals.

The qualities by which Carling's Ale and Porter have won distinction are absolute purity and perfect and thorough aging, both in wood and in bottle.

F. H. BUTLER, STOCK BROKER. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or on margin.

TODAY'S MARKETS. OTHER MARKETS ON PAGE 5.

Table of market prices for various commodities including sugar, flour, and oil. Columns include item names and prices.

store, 50c. Oats—No. 2 white, 55c.; No. 3 white, 54c. on track. DETROIT. Detroit, Nov. 19.—Wheat—No. 2 red, cash, 80c.; Dec., 80c.; May, 80c.

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

Strong's Baking Powder. Defies all honest competition. Manufactured and Sold by W. T. Strong & Co. Druggists.

WEATHER BULLETIN. Wednesday, Nov. 19. Sun rises, 7:16 a.m. Moon rises, 9:18 p.m.

TALES OF LONDON TOWN. Miss Margaret Cook is seriously ill at her home, Richmond House.

INDOOR BASEBALL. The Wesleyan Athletic Association has organized an indoor baseball team.

SCHOLARS ENTERTAINED. The primary and intermediate schools of the Wesleyan Center Sunday School were tendered their annual treat last evening in the auditorium of the school.

Radcliffe Ready for Business. Nelson, B. C., Nov. 19.—W. Radcliffe, the office manager, has arrived to make preparations for the handling of the business.

HOCKEY. Emile Lang, formerly of this city, now of Winnipeg, is applying for reinstatement by the O. H. A. He was disqualified on the Lindsay charge.

Refused to Sell Coal. Toronto, Nov. 19. The city official who is in charge of the coal yard reports that he could not get any of the city's new customers while the demands of their regular clients are still unmet.

Winnipeg in Wellington. Wellington, Nov. 19.—Owing to uncertainty in lake navigation continuing many large contracts for hard coal for Winnipeg and the west have been cancelled and the price has again jumped to \$13.50.

Hesperia, Nov. 19.—This locality is experiencing another epidemic scare owing to a case which has developed in Fuellech, three and a half miles east of the town. The victim is Lewis Knack, a thrasher, and the attack is a fairly severe one.

ADKINS', East London. Marriage Licenses issued.

COAL SITUATION IS FAR FROM REASSURING. Dealers in This City Can't Get One-Fiftieth of the Amount Required.

Any one who has the notion that all is serene in the fuel business will have that idea abruptly shattered before very long unless it changes considerably from what it is now.

CZARINA'S LIFE NOT A HAPPY ONE. Has Many Enemies Among Her Courtiers.

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HOPE TO FEEL A HEALING TOUCH. Fifty Crippled Children Taken to Cornell—Only Congenital Cases Presented.

New York, Nov. 18.—Fifty crippled children were taken by 200 mothers and friends to the Cornell University clinic at first avenue and Twenty-seventh street yesterday afternoon.

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THOUGHT IT WAS A FAWN. Instead They Had Captured a Pugnacious Doe. Two London Hunters' Adventure on a Muskoka Lake.

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DINNER TO MGR. FALCONIO. Farewell Demonstration in honor of the Apostolic Delegate.

Prominent Canadian Clergymen and the Premier Take Part.

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THERE is a "best" way of doing things. There is a "right" way to make SHORTCAKE. OURS is made that way. Name on every piece. Take no other. GEORGE PETERS. The Richmond St. Confectioner.

Barley 10 per cent of the children in Britany can speak or understand French.

Permanent Cure for Neuralgia. Experienced sufferers state that no remedy relieves neuralgia so quickly as a hot application of Polson's Nervine.

A Red Hot Season. During the hot summer season the blood gets overheated, the drain on the system is severe and the appetite is often lost.

The detachment of Northwest Mounted Police, which accompanied the Doukhobors to their villages, has returned to Regina.

Water doused in the bath softens the powder at the same time that it disinfects it.

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Foul, Loathsome, Disgusting Catarrh! Secure Relief in 10 Minutes And a Radical Cure. Does your head ache? Have you pains in your eyes? Is there a constant itching in the throat? Is your nose offensive? These are certain symptoms of Catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrh Powder will cure most stubborn cases in a remarkably short time.

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MONUMENT ASSURED. Daughters of Empire Take Definite Steps to Erect One. A special meeting of Daughters of the Empire held yesterday afternoon at Northmeier's, was largely attended, and was important in that a definite plan was adopted.

THE DAWSON ELECTION. Vigorous Campaign in Progress—Ross Likely to Win. Dawson City, Y. T., Nov. 19.—The election campaign is growing in interest. Feeling is running high in some sections and personal encounters are not infrequent.

Judge Us Furniture. BY OUR MISREPRESENTATIONS OF ANY KIND ARE NOT PERMITTED IN THIS STORE. Furniture advertised as Oak is Solid Oak throughout. We handle a full range of OFFICE FURNITURE... Roll Top Desks all sizes; Flat Top Desks in Elm, Black Ash, Soft Maple and Quarter Cut Oak, golden finish; Ladies' Desks in solid Mahogany, Quarter Cut Oak and Birch, mahoganyed; Writing Tables for commercial colleges.

Tax Notice. City of London, 1902. Ratepayers are hereby notified that the Third Instalment of Taxes is now due and must be paid.

On or Before 30th November. An additional charge of Five Cents on the dollar will be imposed by Ottawa on all overdue taxes. Come early and avoid the rush.

The Famous "Humphrey" Gas Arc Lamp. We have them. Over 100 installed in the city, giving perfect satisfaction. Sturdier and more efficient than an electric arc, at one-third the cost.

City Gas Co. 301-12

The Chinese drink their finest teas with feelings akin to reverence. This may seem strange to anyone who has not tasted Blue Ribbon. Put up Black Mixed & Ceylon Green



He smiled as he read something of her thoughts; then Miss Kavanagh's voice interrupted him. "Come, Belle," she said. "Robert is going to carry you to the carriage; but let me put this wrap around you. You are not used to the weather, as well as I never could, only my clothes cling to me rather uncomfortably. Miss Belle said with a light laugh, but rising as she spoke and submitting to be wrapped in an elegant white lap-cover which the coachman had been sent to get, and which had the letters 'K. L.' in the form of a monogram embroidered in gold upon it. She flitted refused to be carried, and walked to the coach without even being helped.

Kenneth accompanied them, and waited until they were comfortably seated. Just as they were about to start Belle leaned out of the window and said impulsively, while her large blue eyes were fixed earnestly upon the carriage. "Mr. Keith, I want you to remember that I shall always be your friend for what you have done today, and you will be mine, won't you?" "I am sure I shall be very happy to regard you as my friend, and I will be glad to answer, bowing and smiling, but with a quick glance at Miss Kavanagh, who seemed to be absorbed in arranging another robe about herself and Belle, and did not appear to have heard what had been said.

"Will you come to see me some time?" persisted the child. "We live at No. 85 avenue," Kenneth repeated, without committing himself, as he saw a frown in Miss Kavanagh's eyes. "I will not forget the number," she said. "He lifted his hat and was about to bow himself away when the woman leaned toward him and said: "Will you give me your address, Mr. Keith? I think I may like to communicate with you by mail."

Kenneth mentioned his place of business, saying that a letter would reach him there. Then she nodded him a state-ly adieu. Belle tossed him a little kiss, the coachman touched his horses with a quick glance at Miss Kavanagh, who seemed to be absorbed in arranging another robe about herself and Belle, and did not appear to have heard what had been said.

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"Young Napoleon's" Collapse. New York, Nov. 18.—Ronald F. Brennan, 23 years old, who rose in two years, from the position of an office boy to that of president of a trust company cannot procure them. Every-thing in the shape of a barrel con- tains a high price, the most dilapidated bringing 35 cents each. Farm laborers also are extremely scarce.

LONDON TEAM WILL GO TO PETERBORO SATURDAY

Toronto Has Defaulted and Will Not Play Forest City. Many Canadian Winners at the New York Horse Show—Notes of Sport.

TORONTO HAS DEFAULTED. Gordon Crawford, of the London Rugby team, said yesterday that the Londoners will go to Peterboro. Notwithstanding the opinion that London may have of the union for requiring them to play the final game for the intermediate championship of the Province in Peterboro, they are determined to ignore the disadvantage at which they have been placed. It is their intention to take a strong team down east and put up a heavy fight for the game.

The secretary of the O. R. F. U. has formally notified Manager George Black of the Londoners that the action of the executive on Monday night, and has advised him that unless he were notified to the contrary by 4 p.m. yesterday the Londoners would go to Peterboro on Saturday.

Had the Toronto not defaulted, they would have had to play off with London on Saturday afternoon. The Londoners realize that in going against the Peterboro they are up against a tough proposition, but they are having hard practices and fully intend that the Londoners will be successful in it will at least not be their fault.

PLUCKY MCGILL PLAYER. Montreal, Nov. 18.—One of the McGill football team, Wright, who played among the wings in Saturday's match with Queen's College, Kingston, went through half the game with a broken collarbone, although the fact was not discovered until afterwards. The Londoners realize that in going against the Peterboro they are up against a tough proposition, but they are having hard practices and fully intend that the Londoners will be successful in it will at least not be their fault.

FAVOR THE BURNSIDE RULES. President Ballantyne and Secretary Woodworth, of the Ontario Union, are enthusiastic supporters of the Burnside rules, and they intend to make a strenuous effort to have the union adopt them wholly or in part at the annual meeting, which will be held shortly. Mr. Ballantyne thinks that the game is far faster and better all round, and that the reduction in the number of players from 15 to 12 is calculated to increase the number of teams in the junior and intermediate series.

THEY WANT HARDISTY. The Argonaut's great boater of the pigskin, Hardisty, is wanted, and wanted badly, by the manager of the All-Canadian team, which will leave for a tour of the United States in this month. Secretary Merrick, of the Argonaut Club, has received a number of telegrams and letters from the east, urging him to make an extra effort to induce Hardisty to play with them. It is not likely that Hardisty will consent, but the chances are that Darling, Henderson and, perhaps, Britton, will represent the Argonauts on the team. Only two players from any one club will be taken along, Britton may not catch a place.

FREE KICKS. Christy Methewson has been released by the Pittsburgh Pirates. The return game between Galt and the University eleven will probably be played in Toronto next Monday.

THE TURF. THE NEW YORK HORSE SHOW. New York, Nov. 18.—The officials of the National Horse Show Association received congratulations today on the large attendance at the show yesterday, the crowd being so large last evening that the success of this year's exhibition was assured.

BECK'S DUNKIRK A WINNER. New York, Nov. 18.—In the jumping class at the horse show here yesterday the well-known Canadian horse, Dunkirk, owned by Adam Beck, of London, was awarded the trip to Europe and the "Pepper's stable," and Fred "Pepper's" stable, was highly recommended. These are very strong horses among the jumpers, who were represented by a good class of horses in the trip.

CRESCUS' CAREER. Chicago, Nov. 8.—A complete history of Crescius, the champion trotter, is given out for the first time by George H. Ketchum, breeder and driver, and is as follows: "I was led to buy Mabel, Crescius' dam, through my negotiations as a 4-year-old step a mile in 2:27, which I then considered a very wonderful performance. Shortly after I purchased Crescius, the following year Mabel was bred to him. Crescius was the resulting foal.

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RAIN AT BENNING. Washington, Nov. 18.—The rain of last night and this morning made the track very slippery and held the afternoon race.

merely held jointly by Alix and Directum. His "Amora" made a splendid followed. His recent work in Memphis, when he made the mile in 2:00 flat, is still fresh in mind.

VANDERBILT WINS \$53,139. Paris, Nov. 18.—W. K. Vanderbilt comes ninth on the list of winners on the French turf in 1902. His winnings amount to \$53,139.

TOPICS OF THE TURF. Never before were there so many horses being prepared for the winter racing carnival on Richmond avenue, Buffalo, as at present. Mr. A. E. Ferrer, of Buffalo, has been making his share of the race-down on the New York speedway the past week. His mare Rosalie, 2:12 1/2, is one of the queens of Harlem way.

Mr. C. J. Hamlin, the "grand old man" of the trotting kingdom, was out to Village Farm the other day looking over the stock. Mr. Hamlin does not go to East Aurora as often as formerly, but about once a month visits the breeding place in which he has so long been interested. Until a month ago he went to the farm regularly every Wednesday. He will spend the winter in Florida.

SELLING AT LANTONIA. Cincinnati, O., Nov. 18.—Despite the sloppy condition of the track, three favorites managed to get home in front at Lantonia today. The favorite, a choice in the third race, for 2-year-olds, gave his backers a scare. He was ridden by C. C. Conroy, 2:12 1/2, and made a decision by a nose. Weather cloudy and cool. Summaries:

First race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—(Kendrick) 2 to 1, 1:30. Second race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—(Cincinnati) 2 to 1, 1:30. Third race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—(Kendrick) 2 to 1, 1:30.

San Francisco, Nov. 18.—Raining at Lantonia today. Summaries: First race, 4 furlongs—(W. J. Do.) 10 to 1, 1:15. Second race, 1 mile, selling—(Dublanche) 4 to 1, 1:45. Third race, 5 furlongs, handicap—(Kendrick) 2 to 1, 1:30.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Gregor K. badly beaten in his last previous start, met the snap-back today in the third race at Lakeside, and made the trip cheap. Although an additional five pounds had been added to his weight, he led throughout and crossed the winning line a long head ahead of Jove. Weather clear and cool.

BASEBALL. IRWIN WILL SUCCEED DOOLEY. Montreal, Nov. 18.—Montreal will have baseball next year, and Charlie Dooley will have nothing to do with it. This is the result of the annual meeting of the Montreal baseball club on Saturday evening. When the members met the chief subject to discuss was the ownership of the franchise. Chas. F. Dooley, who had a big share in it, announced that he would be unable on account of his employment by the United States Government as an immigration agent, to be connected with the club. Then he made an offer to the club of his interest in it. The other members of the company very much appreciated what Dooley had done in giving them the first chance, and they considered his offer fair enough. Though the deal is not closed yet, it is sure to be in a few days.

INDOOR BASEBALL. SEVENTH REGIMENT LEAGUE SCHEDULE. Following is the schedule of the Seventh Regiment Indoor Baseball League, the first game of which took place last evening between "A" and "B" Companies: Nov. 18, Companies A vs. B; Dec. 2, E vs. F; 4, F vs. A; 9, A vs. C; 11, B vs. D; 15, C vs. B; 18, D vs. F; Jan. 1, E vs. A; 6, F vs. B; 8, A vs. D; 13, E vs. E; 15, C vs. F; 20, D vs. A; 24, E vs. B; 27, F vs. C; 29, A vs. E; Feb. 3, B vs. F; 5, E vs. A; 10, D vs. B; 12, E vs. C; 17, F vs. D; 19, A vs. F; 24, B vs. A; 28, C vs. B; March 8, D vs. C; 8, E vs. D; 10, F vs. E.

HOCKEY. WILL ENTER TWO TEAMS. Waterloo, Ont., Nov. 18.—The Waterloo Hockey Club annual meeting was held last evening, and was well attended. Last year's report was very satisfactory. The club will enter two teams in the Western Ontario Hockey Association.

NOTES. They had the first skating of the season in Winnipeg last Wednesday. Brandon, Man., will have a new hockey rink with an ice area of 75 by 180 feet, and accommodation for 2,000 spectators. The rink will cost \$10,000. The Ingersoll Colts baseball team was such a success it has been decided to call the hockey team "The Colts," also.

CURLING. THE WINNIPEG BONSFIELD. Being advised that the Scottish tourists will reach Winnipeg Feb. 4, the Manitoba curlers will open their bonspiel Feb. 4 or 5.

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