THREE CENTS.

Finger Prints Show Criminal Record of London Prisoner

AIR LINER **CARRIES 8** TO DEATH

London-to-Paris Express Crashes Shortly After Leaving Croydon Aerodrome.

BURSTS INTO FLAMES Pilot and All Passengers Are Killed When Motors

Cease To Function.

Associated Press Despat Croydon, Eng., Dec. 24.-Eight per sons were killed when an aeroplane

passengers. way to Paris for Christmas, were well in the air when the machine suddenly banked over Purley Down, in a gust of wind, went into a nose dive and burst into flames through the explosion of the gasoline tank. All eight in the machine were burned to death and the machine was completely destroyed.

Helpless To Aid.

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There were two women among the passengers, five men passengers, including Dr. Borbosa Lima, a Brazilian, and Cedric Trudgett, representative of the Chilean Review, and the pilot. An eyewitness of the tragedy watching the plane, said he noticed it was flying low, that it suddenly banked, cleared a nearby house and then staggered in the air. Almost immediately a gust of wind caught the plane, its tail shot up, it went into a rose dive and fell like a stone. Immediately the machine touched the ground it burst into flames.

"I ran to the spot," said the eyewitness, "but by the time I got there witness, "but by the time I got there whole machine had burned away. The only things I could see uncongred were the two wheels of the

In to the spot." said the eyewitness, "but by the time I got there the whole machine had burned away. The only things I could see unconsumed were the two wheels of the under carriage. In the wreckage, I could see the charred remains of bodies—that of the pilot in front.

"All the passengers must have died instantly. Their clothes were gone and their bodies were black."

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Fire brigades from Purley and Croydon hurried to the spot, but Croydon hurried to the spot, but were unable to arrive in time to be of any assistance. Even when they reached the machine the firemen could not approach because of the flercely burning debris. The crowds of people which ran to the scene shortly after the accident, also could do nothing to aid the imprisoned passengers. They could only watch the flames. The only thing left to do when the flerce blaze subsided was to take out the charred bodies. These were removed to the police mortuary.

Many Londoners took the journey from old London to Paris and back and several expressed the opinion today upon hearing of the disastrous accident outside Croydon field that the aerial route was far from safe.

Two citizens experienced a slight mishap on a trip from Paris to London when the plane in which they were riding turned on its nose during an ascent.

Although no one was hurt eight occupants of the machine were badly shaken up when a tire on the wheel carriage punctured as the plane was bumping along the ground in ascent the machine was turned

on its nose.
Other Londoners were badly frightnel. For two hours the machine was driven with no apparent destination and when the clouds lifted the plane was headed in the opposite direction to which it was originally travelling and was almost 100 miles out of its

RAILWAYMEN BLAMELESS IN SOO LINE DISASTER

Associated Press Despatch.
Stevens Point, Wis., Dec. 14.—railroad
employees responsible in any way for
the safety of the Soo Line passenger train which plunged into the Chippewa river at Chippewa Falls last Saturday afternoon, killing eight persons and intring seven others, were exonerated by ce of railroad and state offi-

the said after the conference that the investigation had shown the wreck was due to a broken bolt in a switch, caused

NEW DRINKING FOUNTAIN.



BALLOT BOX DECIDES CONGREGATION'S FUTURE. morning. The plane which crashed was the big air express from London to Paris. It fell shortly after leaving the aerodrome and burst into flames, killing the pilot and all seven as a mindividual unit, shall book because the shown a typical polling the city, in which, throughout the shown in the foreground a member taken to decide whether the congregation, as mindividual unit, shall be shown in the foreground a member to St. Andrew's congregation casting poll secretary, and John Lochead, respectively.

ONTARIO WILL NOT

Clearing Main Arteries

saying that he was snow-bound in London and could not get through.

FLIGHT CALLED OFF.

BARRETT DENIED MONEY

Recent Zoo Killing May Be Connected With Latest

STATE CASE NARROWS IN \$50,000 BLACKMAIL

Four Now on Trial for Alleged Extortion From Victor

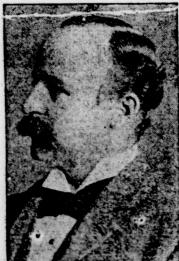
who are on trial for alleged extortion of \$50,000 from Victor A. Searles, an artist, who has been shown by testimony to have drawn a check for that amount that was cashed by Wm. J. Corcoran, former district attorney of Middlesex county, the principal defendant.

The prosecution then rested its case, and Corcoran announced that he would offer no defence.

Those against whom the charges were dropped were Michael J. Lyons and J. Warren Kane, alleged to have been in the employ of the blackmail ring that forced payments amount-

ring that forced payments amount-ing to thousands of dollars from ing to thousands of dollars from wealthy men compromised by women lures of the gang. Whatever Kane and Lyons did was on orders from Corcoran, the district attorney said.

LAW LIBRARY TO CLOSE. The Middlesex law library, situated at the court house, will close at 12 "All my customers have clock each day during the sh



CHIEF JUSTICE ANGLIN. business takes them to judi- cil has been approved by King inquiry cadquarters.

Fireman Hurt In Dream Jump

Associated Press Despatch Jersey City, N. J. Dec. 24. — Thomas Steel, a fireman, is in a hospital suffering from injuries received as a result of a dream in which he answered an alarm and jumped out of his bedroom window on the second floor of his nome into an air shaft, in the be-lief he was "shinning down" the oole in his fire station.

M'COY IN JAIL AS JURY GETS YULETIDE HOLIDAY

State Demands Verdict of First Degree Murder in Closing Arguments.

Associated Press Despatch.

Los Angeles, Dec. 24.—"Kid" McCoy sat in his cell in the county jail
today while the jury which will determine his fate on a charge of killing
Mrs. Theresa Mors was liberated until

the former publist's OF DELOW 7FDO HEDE Arguments in the former puglist's trial were completed in superior court late yesterday with the prosecution demanding a verdict of first degree

murder.

In his closing argument Deputy District Attorney Ostrom declared it was not pleasant, on the threshold of Christmas, to be demanding the death penalty for any man, but "if we have not law enforcement, what is to become of us?"

Made At Banks

Local Managers State Christ-

Local Managers State Christmas Business Exceedingly

Good.

London bank managers state that merchants have enjoyed excellent Christmas business, judging by the size of their bank deposits.

Local Managers State Christmas Business Exceedingly

The latest word held a note of exultation. It came from Atlantic City, and was received by William McPhilips Company over the radio. The speaker was rejoicing over the fact that while London, Ontario, was suffering a low temperature of 25 below zero and the people were frozen in Atlantic City was enjoying the balmiest of weather.

size of their bank deposits.

"All my customers have been making large deposits, especially during the last week," stated one well-known manager. "The jewelry idea for their own amusement, and belief. A few days ago when the first snow flurries were melting on the sidewalks here, a man got out of a year ago."

Atlantic City was enjoying the balmiest of weather.

The peculiar thing is that the Americans appear to create the funny idea for their own amusement, and belief. A few days ago when the first snow flurries were melting on the sidewalks here, a man got out of a Detroit motor car and walked into a telegraph office and despatched a wire.

SHIP FROM VANCOUVER HITS PANAMA BANK

Associated Press Despatch. Panama, Dec. 24.—The steamship Angle-Egyptian, from Vancouver for Gibraltar, with wheat, struck the east bank of the Panama canal at Lapita Point yesterday, and is now beached at Gamboa. She will be returned to Baiboa

IN JUGO-SLAVIA CHARGE

Associated Press Despatch.

Geneva, Dec. 24.—No answer has been received by the League of Nations from Jugo-Slavia with regard to the raids in Albania. The latter country recently requested an inquiry into the alleged Jugo-Slav raids in Albania the latter country recently requested an inquiry into the alleged Jugo-Slav raids in Albania the latter country recently requested an inquiry into the alleged Jugo-Slav raids in Albania territory.

FLIGHT CALLED OFF.

Associated Press Despatch.

Alarge box of fruit arrived at the jail this morning from French & Co.

While the Salvation Army has supplied each prisoner with a large bag containing candies, nuts, oranges, apples and bananas.

The latter of the day and the size of the peace.

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London Criminal Record of Prisoner Is Furnished City Police.

GIVEN SHORT TERM

Second Case of Identification Carried Out by Harpur.

Through the finger print system of dict of guilty. Hight was given life identification, the long criminal reimprisonment, while Mrs. Sweetin was given 35 years in the penitenthe local police court a few days ago was given 35 years in the peniten to serve nine months for having narcotic drugs in his possession, has been
revealed to the police. Fiannigan will
probably have to complete terms in
three Canadian prisons upon the expiration of his term in the county
jail

in the past fifteen years.

Flannigan's finger prints were taken by police constable Walter Harpur, head of the local bureau, soon after he was convicted by Mag-istrate Graydon. Flannigan assured the court that he had never been in jail before, and for this reason he was given a minimum actions and the court that the had never been in jail before, and for this reason he was given a minimum actions and the court that the had never been in jail before, and for this reason he was given a minimum actions and the court that the had never been in the court that he had never been in jail before, and for this reason he was given a minimum actions and the court that the had never been in the court that he had never been in jail before, and for this reason he was given a minimum actions and the court that the had never been in the court that London's Offer To Aid in was given a minimum sentence under infliction of the death penalty upon the narcotic drug act.

Forwarded Prints.

cent wondering as to how Canadians ever come out of their winter alive. The deep forests covered with a heavy mantle of snow, and the prowling wolves certainly must play have with the proc. Canadians. JAIL GUESTS TOMORROW

Dinner Lineup at the County Bastille Will Be Weighty One.

CITIZENS KIND

Vegetable Soup

snow flurries were melting on the sidewalks here, a man got out of a Detroit motor car and walked into a telegraph office and despatched a wire saying that he was snow-bound in Mince and Apple Pie Crackers Cheese Cafe Noir Fruit, Nuts and Cigars

No, friends, this is not the menu IN MINE WORKERS' ROW

Canadian Press Despatch.
Halifax, N.S. Dec. 24.—In the supreme court here yesterday Mr. Justice Nellish dismissed the claim of Silby Barrett to funds amounting to about \$65,000, paid to the dismissioners at the Middlesex county and the dismissioners are the Middlesex county in the store of the second of the second

Point yesterday, and is now beached at Gamboa. She will be returned to Balboa for remairs.

Part of the cargo was ruined by water and the remainder is being unloaded into count from the treasury of District 26. United Mine Workers, when Interactional President Lewis deposed the McLachlan-Livingstone executive and set up a provisional executive with Siby Barrett as president. The funds siby Barrett as president. The funds will now await claiming by the newly elected executive of the district.

LEAGUE'S ANSWER AWAITED

LEAGUE'S ANSWER AWAITED traction when the zero hour arrives at 12 noon.

A large box of fruit arrived at the

PASTOR HIGHT IS GIVEN LIFE; MRS. SWEETIN 35-YEAR TERM

Pair Are Found Guilty of Poisoning Husband of Woman Prisoner.

BOTH ARE UNMOVED Jury Deliberates For Eleven Hours Before Reaching

Verdict.

Associated Press Despatch Mount Vernon, Ill., Dec. 24.-The jury trying Lawrence M. Hight and Mrs. Elsie Sweetin for the poison murder of her husband, Wilford Sweetin, early today returned a ver-

continuously during the night and this morning except for a short time for breakfast. The jurors stated after the verdict that the jury had been unanimous for finding both defendants guilty from the ballot. this morning except for a short time for his part in the for breakfast. The jurors stated as an escaped prisoner of the Fort William industrial farm, and a man who has served fourteen jail terms the been unanimous for finding both deben unanimous for finding both Only two of the jurors had favored Hight. None voted for the hanging

of Mrs. Sweetin.

REP. FRED BRITTEN Illinois whose demand for an -Jap conference of white people



when the fierce blaze subsided was to take out the charred bodies. These were removed to the police mortuary.

LONDONER'S CLOSE CALL.

The Paris-London air express is undoubtedly not safe, according to Londoners who took the fant two of the six defendants across the English channel this summer. The air journey from England to France proved extremely popular attitude warred him his for France proved extremely possible and person of travel.

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prominent.
A report submitted to the grand jury by doctors who analyzed Mc-Curdy's vital organs disclosed that large quantities of arsenic were found. Evidence in his possession. ndicated that poison was adminis tered on two occasions. He has found two possible motives, he de-clared, but he refused to divulge

BIAN TROOPS TAKEN IN CAPTURE OF CROUMA SERBIAN TROOPS TAKEN

sued by the Albanian consulate here alleges that Albanian government troops retaking Crouma, in the Kostates. sovo district, from the insurgents Snow has fallen in Ontario and West-captured a detachment of Serbian regular troops with field and machine guns from the Serbian arsenal.

FIFTEEN MEN GET JOBS SHOVELLING SNOW, ASHES today were:

Fifteen men who have been apply- Calgary 13 ployment bureau were given jobs this morning by citizens shovelling snow and carrying out ashes. They are hoping that the snow will soon be 12 feet deep, and will keep on getting deeper all the time.

Cargary

Winnipeg

Port Arthur.

Parry Sound.

Toronto

Kingston

Ottawa

Montreal

ANOTHER J. P. IS NAMED FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY St. John

bordering on the Pacific elicited a quiet rebuke from both President Coolidge and Secretary of State present from the Ontario government

H.H.COUSENS

Former General Manager of Toronto Transportation Commission Being Trained for Post.

WIDE EXPERIENCE

Beck Said To Be Greatly Alarmed Over Impending Power Shortage.

The frequent expressed fears of friends of Sir Adam Beck that some

buted to the premier was quite plainly made came to light here today
with the added declaration that the
man in training is Henry Herbert
Cousens, who resigned the post of
general manager of the Toronto
transportation commission last April
to accept apopintment as vice-president of the Brazilian Traction Light
and Power Company's properties
with headquarters at Rio de Janeiro,
If Mr. Cousens receives the appointment, and it is not doubted by
Londoners in touch with the provincial government, he will leave
control of a corporation with a capi-

Clearing Main Arteries
Is Declined.

The Ontario government does not intend keeping open provincial greade east of London this winter. In a letter directed to W. P. Near, city engineer, this advice was given today by W. J. Squiree, deputy ministeer of his winter of the province the use of city snow-plows in helping to keep main and the corresponded exactly with under three alianes. It is the former of the province started at the beginning of the corresponded exactly with the province started at the beginning of the corresponded exactly with a display of emotion.

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The Weather



low over the great lakes and on the Atlantic coast, and quite

The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. High. Low. Snow

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Cloudy LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest tempera-

Boys and Girls,

Everywhere.

Shack.

Ravenna, Mich., Dec. 24.-Muskegon

POSTAL RECORDS BROKEN TUESDAY

Busiest Day in Local History Whirls 137,900 Letters Through Machine.

Yesterday was the busiest day in Over 137,900 letters went through the Declares Pilgrimages Next automatic cancelling machines. The number does not account for bulky letters, which ran into many thousands, nor for the thousands of parcels, big and small, which went

through the mails.

IN \$190 THEFT, REMANDED

John Blake, who was arrested a week the Canadian bureau of municipal re-



feere from "The City That Never eps," a drama of night life on eadway now showing at "The Capoadway now show now show now show now show now show now show no

HOLY YEAR OF '25 HERALDED AS POPE GREETS CARDINALS

Gay Red Stamps

Are All Gone

Christmas Reception Unusually Quiet as Jubilee Is Imminent.

PONTIFF VIGOROUS

Year Will Aid Universal Peace.

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Postmaster T. Duncan said today hat the mail is moving freely in the cardinals today by Pope Pius in order that they might present their usual Christmas greetings to the cardinals today by Pope Pius in order that they might present their usual Christmas greetings to

John Blake, who was arrested a week the Canadian bureau of municipal response by Detective-Sergt. Harry Down and Detective Thomas Bolton on a charge of misappropriation of \$190 from Vacuettes, Limited, Toronto, was remanded for another week to stand summary trial. When he appeared in court a week to the charge of the board's affairs following the trial. When he appeared in court a week ago he pleaded not guilty to the charge, and elected trial by jury.

tion of the board's affairs following the Brittain survey, made it necessary to rewrite the regulations in their entirety.

rewrite the regulations in their entirety. This task was passed on by the board to Dr. Brittain, with the feeling that, having previously surveyed the entire local situation, he could best revise the rules as they should be revised.

The original survey by Dr. Brittain was made at a cost of \$1,550. Of this amount the bureau lopped off \$60, the balance being paid by the chamber of commerce and the board of education, being split on a one-to-two basis. The \$1,000 paid by the board was charged equally to the public schools, collegiate

OFFICIALS CELEBRATE. While 12,000 children of the public and secondary schools of the city are just in the midst of a vacation that

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL FUNERAL OF M. O'HEARN Rector, The Very Rev. Dean Tucker, D.D., D.C.L IS HELD THIS MORNING

Time, Railway Officials

Report Today.

Assistant, Rev. Gilbert O. Lightbourn, M.A. CHRISTMAS DAY 7, 8:30 and 11 a.m., Holy Communion 11 a.m., Preacher: The Lord Bishop of Huron Christmas Services — 11 a.m.

or Interest Coupons Payable Jan. 1st?

Organ Prelude: Pastoral Symphony Handel (from Messiah). Choral Service in F.

Anthem: Hallelujah Chorus from Messiah Handel HARRY T. DICKINSON, Organist and Choirmaster.

Are You Holding Bonds

You can deposit or invest your

January bonds and coupons

NOW with the Huron & Erie

and thereby save for yourself

many valuable moments during

the first week of January, which

usually is the busiest time of the

RULES TO FAVOR THE PEDESTRIAN

Proposals To Widen Street Intersections Not Approved

TRAFFIC PROBLEM

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Dec. 24.—Many of the Christmas letters which go out of Ottawa this year will be robbed of festivity through the fact that a shortage of the gay scarlet three-cent postage stamp, now current, has compelled the authorities to put on sale a left-over supply of the dun-brown threes of a previous issue. These sparrow-colored wisps of paper of a previous Proposals to widen intersections and cut street curbs are not meeting with unanimous approval, and it is likely that members of next year's traffic and works' committees will lend atention to the problem of the vious issue. These sparrow-col-ored wisps of paper of a previous year are legal tender today and pedestrian more than ever before Recent surveys have shown that the

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Postmaster T. Duncan said today that the mail is moving freely in solite of the last grand rush to get Christmas parcella grand parcella.

There is English mail American mail and Canadian mail by the truck and warpen load ail rardy in But the trains as the grand grand grand load grand grand load grand gran

ochools and four secondary schools under his charge.

Superintendent Robinson's department is charge as a suways to make hay while the sun has aiways to make hay while the sun has address. Pope Pius distributed to all those present medias commemorating jubilee year. The medals have on one hate sun operation, by means of which the jublic will be kept apprised of the H. E. P. C. attitude on various maters. A suggestion has been made that Sir Adam Beck should periodically talk hydro to "his public" in the same manner as Sir Henry of the same manner as Sir Henry The C. N. R. stations are now assuming a place with the broadcasters of front rank on the continent. They usually finish their nightly programs with the announcement that "This is radio station CNRO (or whatever it happens to be), radio station of the greatest railroad system on the continent, the Canadian National railways, at Ottawa." Last night Moncton, N.B., Canadian radio's farthest east, came in like a bell on London sets.

LAND P. S. SCHEDUE

LINHINDERED BY STORM

The C. N. R. stations are now assuming a place with the broadcasters for liquor placed with the eight government dispensaries in the eight government dispensaries i

All Trains Are Running On According to the L. & P. S. railroad officials, traffic has not been affected by the snowstorm of last night, all trains being run on schedule. The passenger cars have been filled to capacity during the last week or so and it is expected that the largest crowd will pass over the line this afternoon and tonight. Two, and sometimes three, cars had to be used lately where one would usually be sufficient.

Though the fact was not announced the Niagara generating plants of the commission were under serious pres-sure for the first time since the post-The funeral of Michael O'Hears, vell-known in London, was held this vell-known in London, was held this of water alloted to Ontario by international treaty was in use.

The load now is growing at the athedral, where requiem high mass at 9 o'clock by Father vas sung at 9 o'clock by Father vas sung at 9 o'clock by Father vas of 50,000 to 60,000 hp. a year, which in itself is said to be sufficient to provoke a serious shortage within war industrial boom on Friday las was sung at 9 o'clock by Fainer
D'Donnell.
The bearers were Frank Smith,
The bearers John Gleeson, M.
James Murray. John Goeson, M.
Coke, W. Casev and John Cox.
Interment took place in St. Peter's
Interment took place in St. Peter's
Cemetery, Father O'Donnell conducting the service at the grave.

Which in itself is said to be sumicient to be sumici reason, Sir Adam is now reported to be straining to secure from the provincial government funds required for immediate commencement on construction of a 100.000 h.p. steam plant other unit will be built at Port Stanley to serve Western Ontario hydro municipalities if a greater amount of water generated power is not in the meanwhile obtained.

FOREST CITY MAY BOAST NEXT BOY PREMIER

Many of the trains are running in two sections and some in three. Bad weather and heavy traffic has made it impossible to keep to schedule.

The C. N. R. and C. P. R. are running number, "The Barber Shop," which was a take-off on "Shall I Have It Bobbed or Shingled?"

Rev. John Richardson was the chairman of the evening, and Festus rowd in Toronto before midnight. It will leave at 8 p.m., and make immediate stops. The Chicago train this afternoon is running in three sections.

CONTRACTOR TO SECTION 100 PREMIER

London has every prospect of CONTRACTOR IS PRAISED tario boys' parliament meeting in Toronto tomorrow and succeeding five days in the election of Frank Adams.

Mr. Adams is the leader of the Advance party and is one of the leading C. S. E. T. workers in the province of Ontario.

Board of education officials this morning expressed unqualified approval of the work of John Putherlibough, contractor for the new Empress public school.

Senior Inspector V. E.

George Norman, of Talbot street east, St. Thomas, reports that the road from Aylmer to St. Thomas is a sheet of ice and that lovant of the work and the speed with which it was completed."

road from Aylmer to St. Thomas is a sheet of ice and that lovers of skating would be able to cover the whole distance on steel. Mr. Norman remembers years when the road was covered with a foot of mud at this time of the year.

SPEEDERS FINED.

Three speeders and two drunks deposited fines amounting to \$70 to the police court clerk this morning. They all pleaded guilty to their charges and promptly paid up before court opened.

WENGEANCE" DEVENNEY

LEAVES FOR HOME PASTURE

Al "Vengeance" Devenney, the popular office secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

Al. left for a week's holldays at his home in Ottawa this morning. Since the police court clerk this morning. They all pleaded guilty to their charges and promptly paid up before court opened.

The members of the Wortley Road Baptist church of the Wortley Road Baptist C

Lovingly

SANTA CLAUS

1924 Dec. 24 Bedtime

WESTWIND UNION

TELECRAM

When you go to bed tonight be sure to leave

best he can and please don't have the wind blow. If you've a chimney I'll be down while you are off in slumber town, but if you've

down to Ottawa to see if something can be done for bigger, better stockings--rubber maybe would be best--for if they'll stretch

I'll do the rest. Too little space is shocking. I've sent a message to the schools

and asked them to suspend their rules and have no school on Friday, for this, I think,

you will admit that one is not so fine and fit the morning after pie day. Unless it should be snowing hard please put a carrot

in the yard for my old reindeer Skip. My

sleigh is packed so full of toys and other

of warning before you slice that Christmas

cake just say a rhyme for stomach ache and

you'll feel fine next morning.

things for girls and boys the load would sink a ship. There's love enough to reach around from Halifax to Owen Sound. And just a word

some sort of light burning in the window and kindly ask the weather man to do the very

got a kitchenette just leave a tiny crack for me, and in the morning you will see that Santa Claus does not forget. I'm going

by the primary and beginners departing the death of Aubrey Forrest Blauvelt, 14, son of Floyd Blauvelt, a farmer living near here, whose body was found in a deserted shack near the farm home late yesterday.

The boy apparently was strangled.

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The was found with his mark caught.

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The was found with his mark caught. He was found with his neck caught in a rope, his knees touching the floor. In view of the fact that the rope was too long to permit the body the mission band recited the 24th psalm and books of the New Testandard and some strength of the floor. No extra conductors have been lieves cannot be averted because of delay in commencing the development of the St. Lawrence river.

Though the feet was to the the beautiful to swing free, officers are inclined ment, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and books of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and the complex of the New Testament, and the complex of the New Testament, and the complex of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and the complex of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and the complex of the New Testament, and gave a chorus, "The Gleanton and the complex of the New Testament, and the complex of the Ne

to swing free, officers are inclined to believe that perhaps the boy might have been the victim of foul play. Examination of the body by Dr. W. H. Thenie of Ravenna has failed to reveal a mark or bruise of any kind.

HEAVY HOLIDAY TRAFFIC DELAYS MANY TRAINS

Ice-encrusted trains bearing evi-

Ice-encrusted trains bearing evidence of plenty of snow on the runs are arriving here with full loads of passengers, express and mail today. Practically all trains are a little late owing to the heavy Christmas traffic.

Many of the trains are running in Many of the trains are running in Sacrifice, Service and Worship. At

gram. However, Mrs. Bryce, who supervised the program, is to be given a great deal of credit for the success of the event, and the time and patience she exhibited in arranging such a delightful entertainment. She was assisted by the teachers of the school. FOR WORK ON SCHOOL Board of education officials this

EMPRESS AVENUE Y. P. A. The regular meeting of the Empress avenue Y. P. L. was held last evening under the direction of Jack Smeltzer, chairman of the citizenship advance party and is one of the leading C. S. E. T. workers in the province of Ontario.

He is an active member of Dundas Centre Methodist church, is grand practor of the Nikator Tuxis club, and mentor of the Gordon trail ranger camp.

He was mentor at the provincial C. S. E. T. leadership training campheld at Beausoleil Island, Georgian Bay, last summer.

ROAD OF ICE.

BOUNDAME OF CONCERT.

violin obligato.

During the business session further plans were, made for the coming league anniversary.

WORTLEY ROAD CONCERT. The members of the Sunday school of the Wortley Road Baptist church

News From City Churches

CHALMERS CONCERT.

A concert of much merit was put on last night at Chalmers Presbyterian church by the members of the Stunday school It graped with the "What Christmas Means," by Blos-Sunday school. It opened with the "What Christmas Means," by Blos-Christmas hymn, "O Come All Ye som Moore's class; recitation Faithful," followed by a welcome given by Ruth Caniff and Billy Swanwick. A delightful program was given and included the following numbers: Chorus, "Christmas Time," which primary and health of the p county officials today are investigat-by the primary and beginners depart-Our King," by Miss Wade's class

ercise, "Freely Give." by Messis.

Monk and Johannes' classes; offering and announcements; chorus, "The Message of the Christmas Day," ly school; recitation, "The Night Before Christmas," by an old lady; the distribution of candy bags, followed distribution of candy bags, followed and an order-in-council was passed and an order-in-council was passed

BOY FOUND NEAR DEATH WHEN WAGON HITS SLED

With Dog-Team—Is Badly Frozen.

Canadian Press Despate

Grand Mere, Que., Dec. 23.—Showing several cuts and bruises about the head and all but frozen to death, the 10-year-old son of Alphonse Lahaie 10-year, and all but frozen to death, the land the control of the Christmas holiday.

"But," in the words of Manager E. V. Buchanan, "the power house was found lying on the road on Sat- will not.

fellow, it appears that he had started out from his home some distance from Grand Mere, with a dog-team, the Christmas business this year. from Grand Mere, with a tog-ten and some purchases here and started to return home. When about half way he was struck by a horse-drawn vehicle, knocked out of his sled, and rendered unconscious. The larger wagon continued on its way When the dog and empty sled arriver

DANCES TO PROVE YOUTH. FALLS 30 FEET TO EATH

Special to The Advertiser.

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Des Moines, Dec. 23.—Stumbling while attempting to execute a dance on a railway bridge, Frank Jefferson, 62 years old, a carpenter, fell 30 feet to his death upon the ice of the Raccoon river here last night.

Jefferson, with his wife and a number of friends, were on their way to the home of an acquaintance. Members of the group told police that Jefferson was attempting to prove to them that he was "not as old as he looked." by executing a jig on the hurch he looked," by executing a jig on the

AUTO STEALING MORE PREVALENT

Ten Motor Cars Taken From London Streets Within Two Weeks.

Automobile thieving has become nore prevalent in London during the est few weeks than heretofore, acording to the police. As many as ten motor cars within the last two weeks have been stolen from downown sections of the city.

Last night, a delivery truck owned by Hockin Bros., grocers, 112 Dundas streets, and its contents of about \$300 worth of groceries, was stolen during the absence of the driver at the corner of Maple and Talbot

Police gave chase, but were unable to overtake the stolen auto. Early this morning it was found abandoned with the groceries taken at the corner of Alfred and Pall Mall streets. Another automobile owned by J. F. Tanton, 551 Waterloo street, was taken, while parked on Clarence street. It was a gray touring car with license number 275,408. Police have not as yet received clues which might lead to the apprehension of the thieves.

APPOINTMENTS WILL NOT BE PERMANENT

New Year's Plans Explained by Senior School Inspector Greer.

Senior Inspector V. K. Greer stated this morning that no permanent ap-pointments are being made to the public school staff at the reopening of the schools in January. Inspector Greer said further that

Inspector Greer said further that the inspectors are recommending to the board the temporary appointment of about six teachers from the occasional or substitute staff.

Miss Gertrude Jeeves, who has been acting as substitute nurse during leave of absence granted to Miss Amy Blair, is being recommended to the board for permanent pointment, owing to Miss Blair's resignation.

resignation.

Miss Hilda Slater has been transferred from Tecumseh school to Empress school, where she will have charge of the new sight-saving class being organized at the beginning of

the new year.

Miss Gretta Nickle has been transferred from Ealing school to Trafal-gar school to have charge of a new auxiliary class there.

Resignations from the staff which

GOVT. WORKERS HERE

Checks To Cover Adjustment Come to Forty Federal Tax Employees.

and an order-in-council was passed on the 10th of that month.

Forty employees, mostly girls, benefit in the offices here. Three or four men received increases. The suma are retroactive to April and mark the gradual fusing of the tax departments. The increases were confined averaging the lower-paid workers.

Struck When Returning Home

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POWERHOUSE ONE UTILITY TO WORK ON CHRISTMAS

urday last some miles outside of this town.

From the story given by the young

The hydro shop, georgeously decorated, has been open evenings, the same as the downtown storys, during the past week for the conveni-The hydro shop, georgeously dec-

MRS. HUNT IS ONLY TRUSTEE TO TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

Mrs. John I. A. Hunt will celerate Christmas Day tomorrow as the nly school trustee to have taken the ath of office for 1925. Though Clerk Sam Baker sent out he notices to the successful candl-lates last week, notifying them that ne oath must be taken within a period of twenty days, Mrs. Hunt has o far been the only one of the six ecently-elected trustees to respond

apparently been too busy with Christ-mas business to take time to com-plete their qualification for office by taking the oath are: S. F. Lawrason, W. G. Murray, F. H. Greenlees, N. F. Willmot and J. T. Bowman, M.D.

WELL-KNOWN HORSEMAN IS HONORED BY CLUB

James McCartney of this city, one of the best known horsemen in Western Ontario, was presented with a substantial purse last night by members of the "Currycomb club," who gather at Mr. McCartney's office

on frequent occasions.

The presentation and address were made by D. Graham and Steve Ellis, who extolled the many good qualities of Mr. McCartney. Some 35 members of the club were present.

"Older than the Dominion of Canada" Four Branches in London: Dundas opposite Rectory Corner Elmwood and Wortley

Richmond Street opposite Postoffice Market Square

HUME CRONYN.

You receive from this old institution good rates of interest.

31/2% and 4% Deposits

51/4% Debentures

year for financial institutions. Our tellers also save for you further valuable moments because they pay out cash-in addition to accepting deposits-at each savings window.

Any officer of this institution will be glad to attend to the details of opening a Savings Account in your name.

The Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation

T. G. MEREDITH, K.C. President.

General Manager.

UNEMPLOYED LIST GROWS IN TORONTO

Total Out of Work Numbered by Thousands-Aid Is Planned.

Canadian Press Despatch Goronto, Dec., 23.—With 6,000 names on the lists at the head office

names on the lists at the head office of the unemployment bureau here, and with several thousand reported by the trades unions as out of work, the unemployment situation in Toronto has become acute.

Despite the fact that word has gone out from the bureau that there is no prospect of employment opening up before the spring, every effort is being made to provide relief for the workless. Lists are being prepared for snow-shoveling gangs, and when work is available the men will be paid at the rate of 60 cents an hour. According to present arrangements this relief will be only for marginal transport of the source of the spring that the state of the sum of

TORONTO TRADE BOARD WIRE YULE GOODWILL

London Chamber of Commerce Recipient of Season's Greetings.

The following Christmas greetings were received at the London chamber of commerce this morning from Toronto board of trade:

President Charles M. Iredale, Western Ontario united boards of trade.

of our province.
R. H. STAPELLS,

President board of trade. The reply forwarded to Toronto was

as follows:
R. H. Stapells, president, board of trade, Toronto, Ont.
Officers and members of the Western Ontario united boards heartily reciprocate season's greetings, and indorse your desire for more complete

NEW SCHOOL EQUIPPING

Every effort is being made to complete and install the furniture of the new Empress public school in readiness for the opening of school on

nounced today by Senior Inspector V. K. Greer.

LESS FREIGHT PASSED THROUGH SOO CANAL

Caradian Press Despatch. Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 24. The total movement of freight through the canals here during the navigation season just closed aggre-gated 72,037,390 short tons, according to figures announced today by the United States engineer's office. The figures compare with 91,379,658 in the 1923 season.

AS HE QUITS SING SING stock at \$50,000

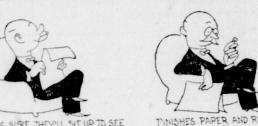
Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 24.—Release from Sing Sing prison on parole this morning after serving nine months for third degree forgery, Wm. H. Anderson, former state superintenden of the anti-saloon league, was im-mediately arrested on indictments charging larceny and extortion.

ATTEND CHRISTMAS TREE.

Members of the Salvation Arm rps at Tecumseh and Edward streets held a successful Christmas tree last night at the citadel. There was a varied program of musical

The London No. 1 band of the Salvaton army has been chosen to play the Christmas carols in Victoria par

BEDTIME STORIES - SITTING UP.



WELL WELL HE COULD HAVE SWORN THE NEW YEAR IN - HAVEN'T HARD. LY MISSED A YEAR IN ALL THE BARELY NINE TIME THEY'VE BEEN MARRIED



IN HALF AN HOUR ONLY REMARK IS THAT REGULAR NIGHTS THEY'D BE IN BED BY NOW



SOME TIME LATER STARTS SUDDENLY AWAKE AND EXCLAIMS HE ALMOST WENT TO SLEEP - MUST BE MOST MIDNIGHT. CLOCK REGISTERS 10.45



EYES GLUED ON CLOCK

C McClure Newspaper Syndicate

NOW, AND SO GOODNIGHT!

AT 11 30 AGREE THAT THEY'RE

WILLING TO CALL IT A YEAR RIGHT

GORMAN-ECKERT CO. BANQUETS SALES STAFF

WHEN THE NEW YEAR RINGS IN

THEY CAN JUST HOP IN AND BE

REMARKS THEY COULD PLAY DOUBLE

SOLITAIRE ONLY HE'D HAVE TO CLEAR

OFF THE TABLE - HARDLY WORTH

Wm. Gorman Predicts Business Improvement in Address of Welcome.

Gorman-Eckert Co., Ltd. banquetted its sales staff, accounting department and department heads unity of effort next year.

CHARLES M. IREDALE. night in the Indian room of the Tecumseh house.

Twenty-seven atended the banlet. An address was given by the IS NOW BEING RUSHED

Officials Confident Empress
Building Will Be Ready
January 5.

Dresseffert is being made to come. esident, William Gorman, by way

First, 1520, H. Finne, 7 Barrington avenue; 2, 907, Mr. Watkins, 86 Maple street; 3, 3367, A. Watson, 10 Briscoe street; 4, 2212, R. James, 664 community district work.

Marshall street; 5, 2409, Mrs. Crosby, 149 Central avenue; 6, 2351, J. W. beginning the first polynomial of the community district work.

Besides the business session the boys will be entertained by the To-149 Central avenue; 6, 2351, J. W. Thomas, 746 Queen's avenue; 7, 1481, G. Cody, 353 King street; 8, 882, 6 Walker, 17 Briscoe street; 9, 825, J Fletcher, 812 Adelaide street; 10, 803 Fletcher, 312 Adelaide Street, 19, 308; F. Wilson, 263 Wellington street; 11, 2506, S. Rankin, 13 Eric avenue; 12, 1532, Mr. Frayell, 617 Dundas street; 13, 1130, Mrs. D. Sharp, 1046 Dundas street; 14, 471, Mrs. Jeff, 70 Joseph-

ne street .- Advt. M'CLARY CO. PRESENTS TURKEY TO EACH FAMILY

The figures compare with 91,379,658 in the 1923 season.

Obituary

MRS. MARGARET WADE.
The death of Mrs. Margaret Wade occurred yesterday in the city at the age of 52 years.
She had resided in Sarnia for the greater part of her life, where her samily was well known.

Following the usual custom, the Manufacturing Company by companying the usual custom, the McClary Manufacturing Company by companying the usual custom, the McClary Manufacturing Companying the Usual Custom, the McClary Manufacturing Companying the Usual Custom, the McClary Manufacturing Companying the Usual Custom.

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O.T.A. AS FEDERAL ISSUE **EXCITES TORY CHIEFTAINS**

Theft of Trees Rouses Farmers

Special to The Advertiser. Stratford, Dec. 23.—Bushowners are complaining that local citizens are helping themselves to Christ-

mas trees.

The trees that are cut will be in The trees that are cut will be in their prime in a few years. The average age of a Christmas tree is about 10 years. Some of the farmers who try reforestation are disheartened by finding that their best trees have been cut for yuletide decorations. Representative M. C. McPhail says that citizens should use consideration and get their trees from the farmers, who will use care in selecting the trees will use care in selecting the trees to be cut.

Fire Destroys Stovel

Building At Winnipeg

Canadian Press Despatch.

The funeral will be held from Oatman's funeral home to St. Patrick's church, interment taking place in St.

Peter's cemetery The date has not been set.

ANDERSON REARRESTED

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FIRE DESTROYS STOVEL

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Winnipeg. Dec. 24.—Fire of unders of the old U.F. O. The fourth of the control of the old U.F. O. The loss is estimated at about \$150.

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The loss is estimated at \$100,000, and stock at \$50,000.

Turkey Weighing 54 Pounds Brought Big Price of \$3.78

Report of Liberal "Wet Platform" Causes Conservative Panic.

STORY IS TOLD

Party Scouts Believe O.T.A. Vicar Condemns Main Issue in Next Election.

tario are agog with excitement over a report brought in by party scouts at Ottawa and Toronto, and since communicated here, to the effect that the Ontario temperance act has been selected by the Liberals as the main arena of war for the next federal general election.

eral election.

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Following are the winners in the Christmas drawing conducted by the Intercept of Interce

conto Rotary club at the King Edward hotel. They will also meet at the Central Y. M. C. A. for dinner where they will be addressed by prominent speakers.

Columbia, that they will carry the prairie provinces by patching up a settlement with the Progressives, that Quebec will remain traditionally anti-Conservative, but that in the Maritimes the Conservatives may do a little better than hald their own prominent speakers.

CAPTAIN DAVIS CAMPAIGNS
TO KEEP POT BOILING

Maritimes the Conservatives may do a little better than hald their own ground, due to dissatisfaction over the policies of the Canadian National Railways, and the pressure that American tariffs have put on agriculture and coast fisheries.

While busy shoppers make their way from store to store the spirit of Christmas fills the air for the Salvation army bandsmen go from corner to corner playing old familiar hymns and carols.

Captain Burt Davis, a cornet play-

campaign in Ontario could be

ountered.
Liberals here laugh at the Conervative panic and deny all knowldge of such a plan. A federal genral election within the next six onths would not be surprising to

PATROLMAN KILLED. New Orleans, Dec. 24.—Jacob Uhle, traffic policeman, was shot and killed erning by a bandit who re street branch of the

BUSY WALL STREET GLOWS C.N.R. FAST TRAIN WITH CHRISTMAS ARDOR IS DERAILED

Engineer and Firemen Slightly in Front of Stock Hurt in Accident Near Exchange.

Canadian Press Despatch. National railway train No. 1, bound from Montreal to Vancouver, was derailed at Woodlawn, 28 miles west of Ottawa, at 2:55 a.m. today, Engineer Cauvreneau and Fireman Deevey of Ottawa were slightly hurt, but no passengers were injured. The engine and tender and seven cars left the tender with the content of banner markets, Wall Street settled down to celebrate Christmas yes-

Ottawa.

TUESDAY WILL SEE STILL CASE DECISION

Two Londoners Appear in St.

Conservative chiefs of Western On- Rev. A. Wellesley Orr De-

on Monday night at the Olympic thearter and made her smiling exit on the arm of the leading man. She collapsed in the wings and died eight will get an even break in British collapsed in the wings and died eight ing their order will carry the hours later from cerebral hemorr-entertainment at the armories urday.

Ships Seeking Lost Schooner

Yuletide Spell Catches Crowds

CHEER PREVAILS

Toronto, Dec. 24.—When Canadian Millions of Dollars in Bonuses Distributed by New York Houses.

and tender and seven cars left the rails, all remaining upright with the exception of the engine and the express car.

The sleeping, dining and observation cars were taken back to the Ottawa terminal, where the train was detoured via Renfrew subdivision and North Bay for the west.

An official statement regarding the accident was given out here today by C. G. Bowker, general manager of the central region of the railway.

TUESDAY WILL SEE and tender and seven cars left the terday with a show of spirit and good

Many firms began by holding informal open house as soon as trading closed at 3 o'clock. Many played host to their

A. Chumska in Belleville Hospital After Attack, While Roommate Is Held.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Belleville, Dec. 23.—Provincial and city police have so far to probe der.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Belleville, Dec. 23.—Provincial and city police have so far to probe der. city police have so far to probe to the bottom of a case, which arose over a fight between two foreigners late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the head by a carpenter's hammer, late yesterday, in which Alex Chunska, 40, Rumanian, was hit on the Clarence street citadel today to see if they could get help. The lobby was filled with an eager crowd, while several hand seled out.

It was announced at noon that the Rumanian's skull had been battered in two places, with four square inches of skull splintered, lower left jaw shattered and on top of the jaw shattered and on top of the provide for the Clarence for the Clarence for the city down the city for the Clarence for the city for der.

Mans data the Clarence for the claws in the timmines will the top with a code, while several hand seled out.

It was announced at noon that the Rumania

a skating party has been arranged for this evening.

Although the boys and some men of the town have been skating for kicking in the stomach administered lindicated in a table with the past four years is

Oswald and Eggnog Defy Jail Cells, Walk To Liberty

of mumps, Londoners generally are enjoying good health this Christmas. Reports from the city health offices today indicated that there is little contagion at the present time and

police say it was the boldest and post desperate escape ever perperated.

Hall happened this way. The respectively as the boldest and post desperate escape ever perperated.

Lucas and McCullough to escort them the bound has the boat has tilled. The post-The desperadoes were none other through the local bastille. The ofnewspapermen, on whom Londoners lepend to get their police reports beyond day.

The chaggined reporters remained

Associated Press Despatch. Associated Press Despatch.

Philadelphia, Dec. 24.—An appeal for information regarding the whereabouts of the British schooner Fieldwood, bound from Nova Scotia for Philadelphia with a cargo of lath and two weeks overdue, was sent to ships at sea last cargo of lath and two weeks overdue, was sent to ships at sea last night by a local radio station at the request of the British consul. The schooner carries no wireless. The Fieldwogd, a three-masted vessel, sailed from Harrisborough, N. S., Nov. 22, and was last heard from at Vineyardhaven. Dec. 7.

at Vineyardhaven, storms having delayed its progress.

Needed Yet.

own employees.

The exact amount of the bonuses spread about in Wall Street this Christmas may never be known, because of the reticence of various houses in discussing amounts. It is known to run into mullions, and to represent all degrees

I homas Court This Morning.

Special to The Advertiser.
St. Thomas, Dec. 21.—The trial of R. S. Rawlings and Robert Cartlidge, Londoners, on a charge of conspiracy in placing a still of the farm of Benjamin Blackstock, Southold station, proceeded at the courthouse here this morning before Judge Ross.
The morning was largely taken up with evidence for the defence. The stated that the case, was an important one, that the evidence was an important one, that the evidence had been contradictory, and that if found guilty the men should be severely punished.
Rawlings was released on bail of the reticence of various houses in discussing amounts, it is known to run into millions, and to represent all degrees of heartiness, from one week's salary to 100 per cent of a year's salary.
The stock exchange gave 4 per cent of annual salaries; the Consolidated stock exchange from one-half week to three weeks salary; the Curb exchange set aside \$10,000 cash for its employees.

MAN LIVING THOUGH

SKULL IS BATTERED

The citizens toward the Christmas relief work which is being carried on.
The army is still \$400 short of what is needed to distribute the necessary for the city. The officers hope that be three weeks salary; the Curb exchange for the desired amount.
This is the busiest day of the year at the Salvation Army headquarters.
Butchers are busy cutting up and wrapping roasts of beef, soldiers gre checking off the names of worthy in the week to the city. The officers hope that be the city. The officers hope that be city. The officers hope that be city. The officers hope that is needed to distribute the necessary for the city. The officers hope that be city. The officers hope that be city. The officers hope that be city. The officers hope the city. The o Despite the rush everything is done and orderly and systematic way, ach person will receive approxitately the same gift. Adj. Spooner, Despite the rush everything is done in an orderly and systematic way. Each person will receive approximately the same gift. Adj. Spooner, Brig. McAmmond, Commandant Hurd, Captain Hawkes, Lieut, Dickson and other officers make a personal check of everything that goes into a parcel. It must be right. The people have given good money for the

Charge of Murder.

Associated Press Despatch.
Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 24.—James
L. Asher, prohibition agent, known
as the "lone wolf," was acquitted
by a jury in the federal district
court of charges of second degree murder and manslaughter in con-nection with the death of Peter Yancauskas, a saloon keeper. Counsel for the commonwealth of

New York, Dec. 23.-Members of at | 30 New York, Dec. 23.—Members of at 20, the figures dropped from \$62.least 10 families, all residing in 100.016 in 1920 to \$7,729,887 in 1924. Brooklyn, are in a serious condition today as a result of ptomaine poisontoday as a result of ptomaine poisoning. The victims believe it was figures for November, 1921, are \$9,-caused by cream pastry, which they say they bought from a local baker. 771,522. The figures for 1923 are not caused by cream pastry, which they say they bought from a local baker. Thirty-five cases have been reported to the department of health whose officials are conducting an investigation. tion into the matter. The bakery

was ordered closed. NORTHRUP MAY RESIGN.

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Special to The Advertiser.
Ottawa. Dec. 23.—In the event
Deputy Clerk Beauchesne being a
pointed to the position of chief cle
of the Commons in the place of b
B. Northrup, whose early retireme is expected, it is stated here that the deputyship will be filled by Percy D. Wilson, barrister, of the firm of Honeyweil, Caldwell & Wilson of

CAROLS AT WESTMINSTER.

Gossip Around The City Hall

put on in its place. There is not a great deal of hauling to be done on the job, as workmen are making use of earth which comes from cutting of earth which comes from cutting

WRECKAGE FOUND

Wheelhouse From Ill-Fated Ship Discovered on Beach Near Wiarton.

Canadian Press Despatch. Owen Sound, Dec. 24.—Captain Clyde Galligher, of St. James, Mich., and his cousin, Mr. Greene, have returned to Wiarton from the Lake Huron shore and report that they found the wheelhouse of the ill-fated steamer Clifton, which was lost on Sept. 21. The discovery was made

at Eagle Harbor, near Tobermoray. When they found the wheelhouse, the certificates of the first and second mates of the steamer were still hanging on the wall and these were removed. ARMY BUSY SENDING
FOOD TO CITY'S POOR
Citadel Is Hive of Industry
This Morning—\$400 Is

Ing on the wait and these word of the distance and Mr. Greene walked the shore all the way from southampton to Tobermoray, a distance of about 80 miles, and most of the distance the country is uninhabited. They came here from Michigan in search of the body of Captain Galligher's brother, who was master of the steamer Clifton. In this they were unsuccessful, but they saw great quantities of debris from the Clifton scattered along the shore.

The Christmas pots have been kept polling. The Salvation Army office AT PARLEY UNCERTAIN

Australian Cabinet Thought Too Delicate To Leave Leaderless.

Associated Press Despatch. London, Dec. 24 .- The Australian ommonwealth's attitude towards the proposed imperial conference in Lonproposed imperial conference in Local don in March on the peace and arbitration protocol, according to the Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Sydney, is that the Australian gov-ernment's views can be stated ex-

in the Australian government, the in the Australian government, the Telegraph's Sydney correspondent says, is not favorable to Premier Stanley M. Bruce going personally to London to take part in the conference, especially as the deputy leader of the government in the house of representatives, Hon. E. C. G. Pake, treasurer, will be on his way to Canada very shortly, and the delicate structure of the composite cate structure of the composite cabinet makes it difficult to delegate the leadership of the house to some

Doubtless Premier Bruce would arrange to go to London, the correspondent adds, if questions of grave international or imperial importance should demand his presence there.

FARM PRODUCT TRADE WITH STATES SLUMPS Increased Tariff Brings Biggest

Decrease in Exports in 1921. Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Dec. 24.—The extent to

924, this figure dropped to \$3,935,-

The decreases apply to almost very item of the list, but are most pronounced in cattle, wheat, flour

and meats. JOHN M'KAY, THAMESFORD.

HURT WHEN AUTO DITCHED Thamesford, Dec. 23 .- A bad accident occurred on Sunday morning. skidded from the road and overturned in the ditch. In the car were John McKay, Senr., Mrs. George McKay, and Mr. and Mrs. John McKay, and STER.
sung at tomorrow was pinned under the car, and but bruises and a bad scare, The car, which was new this summer, was badly damaged. The top, windshield, one light, radiator and hood were broken.

Wallaceburg, Dec. 23.—The death ook place of Mrs. Jennett Bailey,

Asked this morning if any accurate report of the city's financial position could be given before the and of the year. City Treasurer Bell stated that there was little likelihood of such a statement being ready. Several of the departments are resorting early that surpluses will be shown, while, on the other hand, late expenditures have been done or the content of the content of the city's financial position could be given before the or four hundred thousand which a statement being ready. Several of the departments are resorting early that surpluses will be shown, while, on the other hand, late expenditures have been done or four hundred thousand which as the content of the city's financial position could be given before the or four hundred thousand which a statement being ready. Revision of costs of laying content of the departments are resorting early that surpluses will be shown, while, on the other hand, late expenditures have been down by the efectorate, but it is felt by some citizens that made up on time. Ordinarily the made up on ti

orting early that surpluses will be shown, while, on the other hand, late expenditures have been heavy, particularly for relief work.

Erection of a new cilchall is being mooted as an election issue for mext year. A year ago the question from the truck and a box carrier tabulation shows a further saving.

Would be quite adequate for the city's needs.

Revision of costs of laying concrete walks in London this year. As year ago the question of costs of laying concrete walks in London this year. As year ago the quite adequate for the city's needs.

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Revision of costs of laying concrete walks in London this year. As flows that more than six cents a son, Challes, survive. The fundral was held from her dicated that the saving had been gineering department's sprinkler one of five cents a foot, but late one of five cents a foot of costs of laying concepts.

What is considered to be the largest curkey raised in Western Ontario was weighed on the local scales by Market Clerk James Dean in the Market Clerk James Dean in the The rays large.

en was the owner of the Cadillac this morning by a bandit the Frenchman street by The next largest turkey that Mr. Marine bank of \$13,000.

ree last night at the citadel. There as a varied program of musical ambers, dialogues, and recitations.

WILL PLAY CAROLS.

The London No. 1 band of the Saltan army has been chosen to plate christmas carols in Victoria par night, when citizens will assemble sing Christmas songe and hymns

Wear 1900.

The next largest turkey that Mr. Dean has heard of was one raised at Chesley. Ont., this year, which weighed 45 pounds alive and 36 known here of the alleged offer of the then munificent sum of \$13.78.

Mr. Dean says that he has weighed Mr. Dean says that he has weighed the turkey was raised by a but the turkey was raised by a lat the turkey was shipped from lating the owner of the alleged offer of the New Haven and Hartford Railway head lanworth and was shipped from over 600 turkeys were on the square lanworth and was shipped from language.

Bunished. Rawlings was released on bail of \$3,000, the same as before today's session, while Cartlidge was unable to get securities to go his bail and will therefore spend Christmas in

GERTRUDE LYNCH DIES.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Dec. 24.—It was announced today that Gertrude Lynch, leading lady in burlesque, died Tuesday in St. Mark's hospital. She was apparently in perfect health, played her part to the last sentence on Monday night at the Olympic theatre.

HOLD ENTERTAINMENT

Associated Press Despatch.

Although the boys and some men of the town have been skating for died as the result of a beating and died as the result o

Members of the sergeants' mess of the 7th Canadian Fusiliers are hold-

Half an hour after being lodged in jail, two adventurous citizens broke through their cell doors and non-chalantly walked out into the street before the eyes of police officers this prograing.

If all happened this way. The content is the street before the eyes of police officers this prograing.

The two men are well known to the olice. They have even been known borrow cigarettes from Chief Birland Inspector Nickle. Their ager-prints, in fact, are all over the life's solid mahogany desk.

Inspector Lucas seeing this flagrant breach of iail regulations, unlocked the door and the young men passed out to ief's solid mahogany desk.
Inspector Lucas and Sergeant Mcliberty.

"It was a clever escape," Sergeant
"It was a clever escape," Sergeant
McCullough remarked, "but the next
McCullough remarked, "but the next

Hospitals and Homes Receive Their Share of Christmas Cheer.

THINK OF OTHERS

Christmas is to be a happy event in the institutions and public homes of London. And this is possible because the men and women of London have the right Christmas spirit. They are not satisfied merely with a joyous Christmas at home, but they must out and see that others less fortunate are having a real Christmas at home, but they must out and see that others less fortunate are having a real Christmas too.

mas, too.

The soldier patients at Westminster hospital are having a very special Christmas message this year. For tonight over the radio will come a special soldiers' concert from Ottawa. There will be a medley of war-time songs played by the Chateau Laurier prehestra, humorous numbers by a high-powered radio outfit to the hospital, so that the men there may receive this message. A further gift for Christmas week will be the loan of a radio outfit from the Reliance

The radio message will be re-The radio message will be received from Ottawa during a concert which will be given at the hospital by the Brunswick trio. A great Christmas tree will have a prominen place, laden with gifts for the merfrom the Y. M. C. A., the Red Cross

The singing of Christmas carols a

Last night the children of the staff Last night the children of the star and patients had their Christmas tree and supper. The hospital orchestra was in attendance and a delightful program of music provide. A special Christmas dinner will he provided today for the patients who do not spend the holiday at home.

At Children's Hospital.

Christmas carols. At midnight high mass will be celebrated in the hos-pital chapel by Rev. Father Valen-tine. This will be followed by the distribution of gifts by Santa Claus,

row. he Christmas atmosphere will where prevail at Bethesda hospital, where the wards have been beautifully dec-orated. Special Christmas menus will be given tomorrow and gifts dis Christmas Day, while a very special family Christmas is planned for the Ronald-Roy Gray home.

At the Aged People's home there to distribute

At the Aged People's home there will be a Christmas tree in the morning and a real holiday dinner with turkey and plum pudding. At the Victoria Home for Incurables there will be special Christmas treats and entertainments

there will be special christmas treats and enjertainments.

The children of the Proteslant Orphans' home usually spend Christ-mas in friendly London homes. But they are to have a Christmas dinner they are to have a Christmas liner at home, too, and will hang no their stockings tonight to watch for Sania ident Ebert brought against Editor

Claus. At Mount St. Joseph, the Christhas celebration will be opened with Zeitung a provincial newspaper, the midnight mass tonight, followed by Magdeburg court today sentenced Christmas tree and a visit from Rothgardt to three months in prison. Santa Claus tomorros morning. Christmas at the Ontario Hospital

Facts About **Optometry**

NO. TWENTY-THREE. Can a child have any other defect of vision besides far and near-sight? Yes, astigmatism, which How can astigmatism be

Only by an examination. Can this defect be automatically overcome in children as can far-sight? Yes, and that is where the difficulty arises. Be ence may not be sus-

What causes astigmatism? An imperfection in the curvature of the eyeball. See next article.

Continued Saturday. London Optical Co. Richmond Stree Dominion Savings Building A. M. DAMBRA, Optometrist

LEBRURE LEBRURE

Life

Life is a golden stair: Perhaps! But it is steep: At each step we relinquish there What we would keep.

Lift is a lilting song: But as we sing
The voice breaks, or the tune
goes wrong
To everything.

Life is a garden gay:
Perhaps!
But the wind blows,
And every leaf is reft away From every rose.

Life is a barren plain: Perhaps!
But oh! the sky—
The chining stars—the rushing rain— The moon on high!

-Katharine K. Bowker in Na-tional Life of Canada.

MR. AND MRS. LAWSON MARK GOLDEN WEDDING

Bruce Street Home Will Be

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hutty othy Edwards, Ruth Beamish, Alice Lawson, Bruce street, is en fete today for the celebration of their golden house making admirable witches. for the celebration of their golden wedding anniversary. Many friends are extending congratulateions. A reception is being held during the afternoon

MIDDLEMISS ENTERTAINMENT.

CLUB NEWS

A very successful Christmas enter-Middlemiss town hall under the auspices of S. S. No. 19, Middlemiss, The children had been carefully trained by the teacher, Miss Hobbs, and pre sented an attractive program, which included reading by Miss Olive Hobbs of London. Santa Claus was present

SUIT AGAINST JOURNAL

Associated Press Despatch Rothardt of the Mittel Deutsche Zeitung, a provincial newspaper, the

Rothgardt to three months in prison Despite this judgment, Ebert, the PARTITION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTIES OF THE PAR wing to the court finding that Eber d urged the munition court, had committed high treason.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

New York, Dec. 23.—Cedric, Liver-col: Cameronia, Glasgow; Min Southampton, Dec. 23. - Majestic

WOMEN and THE HOME

HOLIDAY CONCERT AT ST. MARK'S

Anglican Young People Pre-sent Rev. A. L. Beverley With Gift.

One of the most delightful and entertaining of Christmas concerts was put on this week by the members of the intermediate and senior departments of the Sunday school of St. Mark's Anglican church. On Monday evening, Edmond Webb. superintendent of the school, acted as chairman, and Rev. A. L. Beverley took the chair on Tuesday evening.

The program consisted of seven numbers, all of which were very cleverly arranged. The first was called "Santa's Trained Animals." with the following boys ably acting is a series of small celebrations. The institution is so large that there are many trees, while all the wards are beautifully decorated. The day will be opened with the singing if carols by the nurses.

Called "Santa's Trained Animals." with the following boys ably acting their parts: A. W. Lancey. Gordon Hodgins, William Godfrey, Dick Tasker, William Coleman. George Garrett, Norman Edwards, Fred Northey, Chester Stevenson and Meredith Marshall. The next item was a hoop drill put on by the was a hoop drill put on by the Misses Grace Rigby. Helen Frederick, May Whitworth, Erma Reynolds, Gladys Thorn, Lorraine Colbert, Dorothy Crouch, Maud Crooke,

MARK GOLDEN WEDDING

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Dorothy Crouch, Maud Crooke.

"Cora's Christmas Visitors" was a delightful two-act play, with the following players taking part: The Misses Elma McClelland, Queenie Misses Elma McClelland, Queenie Misses Elma McClelland, Queenie Misses Elma McClelland, Queenie Mitter Fredin, Florence Hutchings. Ellen Rose, Ethel Sutton and Virginia Sloan. "The Witches' Frolic," which followed after Cora's guests, was a delightful number, with Dorothy Edwards Ruth Beamish, Alice

Misses Isabel Crooke, Edna Crooke,

Secretary and the London Health association of the London Health association for the secretary of the London Health association for the secretary of the secret

A feature of the evening was the presentation of a gift to Rev. A. L. Beverley, the rector, from the Ang-

ean young people's association of treat of candy and the presenta-

My Best Dish

DATE LOAF.

One heaping cup of dates stoned and cut in half. One teaspoonful taking soda sprinkled over the dates. mixture and one-half cup of walnuts.
One-half teaspoonful of salt. Fold in beaten white of egg. Bake in slow oven about an hour. If the loaf is baked in small round baking powder tins, sliced and spread with cream cheese, it forms an attractive accompaniment to afternoon tea.—Amy Campbell, London.

Miss Dorothy Henderson, Dundas street, will be a Christmas guest with her father.

Miss Dorothy Henderson, Dundas street, will be a Christmas guest with her street, will be a Christmas guest with her street. She is leaving the form of the same will be a Christmas guest with her daughter, Mrs. P. R. Goepel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McConnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Taylor, and Mrs. I. P. Taylor, and Mrs. I. P. Taylor, between the same will be a Christmas and the street, will spend Christmas and the New Year holiday with friends in Toronto.

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Southamnton, Dec. 23. — Majestic, New York.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES HELD.

Special to The Advertiser.

Wallaceburg, Dec 23. — The Christmas and Winnines is wholly a church on Study severy detail that makes for the distinct of the Continue of 35 voices, The service consisted of the Cantata "Life Eternal," and the solo parts we taken by Mrs. W. H.

Michell, Mrs. A. B. Carscellan, Miss color parts and alourist sleeping cars, coaches, and also D. Martin, D. Shaw, E.

U. Dickenson and Norman Ayres, and the shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the choirs and Miss Elsis Shaw organist, delivered a sermon or "I am the leadership of Professor Isaac Newton, by Mrs. Allifered the World."

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is shown above in the attractive Oriental costume which she was wont to wear when in China with her foster parents—a white woman and her The holiday spirit will prevail at the Byron Sanatorium. Special Children will make up the happy party the Byron Sanatorium. Special Children will make up the happy party the members of the Red Cross Society and the Ladies' Auxillary to the London Health association. And there will be a special dinner for the nations who spend the day in hos-

John street are spending the Christmas holiday with relatives in Cleveparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Braithland.

spend Christmas with his mother, Burwell street.
Mrs. Richard Booth, Wellington Messrs. Regina

Strathroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Scarff and sons, of
St. Thomas, will be week-end guests
with Mrs. S. C. A. Whitman, Waterlog street.

loo street.

spend Christmas day with their daughter, Mrs J. C. Nicol, and Mr. Billy and Kenneth, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Keyes and George Nicol, in Toronto.

was generated by the Harris of Toronto will be guests with Mr. and Mrs. George Tupholme, Hamilton road.

Mr. Norman C. Dawe of Winnipeg is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. George Tupholme, Hamilton road.

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waite. Lorne avenue, for the Christ Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Baker and Mr.
Richard S. de Courcy of Detroit will
be holiday guests with Mr. Reuben E.
Short.

Mr. Roy Hutchinson of Detroit will

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Mrs. Mrs. McWica

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spend the week-end with Rev.

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Messrs. Reginald and Ernest Apple-Messrs. Reginald and Ernest Apple-yard, of the university of Western Ontario, are holidaying with their Charles, will visit Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Callow of Toronto during the holidaying with their parents, Canon and Mrs. Appleyard, in Woodstock.

Mrs. Mary E. Tracy of Talbot street left last night for New York,

oo street.

Mr. Albert E. Templar, of the National academy of design, New

day season.

Mr. Hilton Culbert of Chicago is spending Christmas with his parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Culbert, Kensing-ton avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlton and Mrs. Rev. H. K. L. Charlton and Mrs. Charlton are Onondaga rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cleminson with their spend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlton, at the Onondaga rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Birks and sons. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Birks and sons

TREAT MOTHER'S FRIENDS WITH UTMOST DEFERENCE

Must Men Be Kept Guessing BE POLITELY ALIVE To Be Kept in Love?

entertaining a holiday house party at their home on St. James street. The guests include Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. Margaret Black, and Mr. Hugh Black, of Rockwood; Miss Lois Black, of Niagara Falls, Ont.; and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Suter, of him interested in a woman? Why The members of the Players' club can't a girl be admired, or loved for herself and not for her fickleness of the University of Western Ontario held their Christmas meeting that keeps a man tearing his hair tario held their Christmas meeting last night at the home of Miss Margaret Jordan, "The Granges." A Christmas story was read by Miss Helen Talbot and acted in pantomime by a group of the club members, including Miss Jordan, Gerald Jordan, Miss Marie Loughlin, Miss anxious over their failure to call. In other words I did not keep them Florence McDonagh and Fred Hal-lett. At the supper hour Mrs. A. D. Jordan presided over the coffee cups

A SKEPTICAL YOUNG LADY.

recently enjoyed by the patients of the Westminster hospital, when the members of the occupational therapy staff entertained for them in the

phries' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D

Johnston, and Miss Pearl Johnston, of Niagara Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Hix of Niagara Falls are also holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Humphries.

Prof. and Mrs. A. D. Robertson are

a prettily appointed table.

A delightful Christmas party was

recreation hall recently. Much of the program, which was well presented, was given by the men and outstand-

ing in the entertainment was a camp

fire scene. It included a quartet rendition of old camp songs to a mandolin accompaniment, and the fine

Percy Brighton contributed a pleas-ing vocal solo, and Mrs. Ballantyne and Mrs. Newhouse also sang de-

Chatham.

You can lay down no general rule on the subject because all men do not feel alike about it. Some men like women who are uncertain, coy and hard please, while others prefer the woman who throws herself at their heads and who flatters their vanity by making them feel that she is in love with them. So whether it is the part of wisdom to keep a man guessing

or not depends upon the man.

dolin accompaniment, and the me setting of fir trees and fire was arranged by the men. After the program a dance was enjoyed, and the evening concluded with a delicious Christmas supper provided by the occupational aides, assisted by friends from the city. Mrs. I. P. Marlatt was the hostess of a delightful shower yesterday afternoon, when she entertained at her home on Wortley road in aid of the Christmas tree for the babies' ward at the children's shelter. The rooms were gayly decorated in red and green, and poinsettias made a color-

> But there are other men who never think of being in love with a girl until she shows that she is flattered and pleased at their attentions, and that she is in love with them. So you have to study your man and adapt your technique to his individual idiosyncrasies. DOROTHY DIX.

It is a shame the way the average girl is forced to cut her

financial teeth on the thin pock-

etbook of a young husband. It is hard on her, and it is cruelty to dumb animals to the man be

cause he cannot afford to have his small salary wasted by a young and untrained wife who has no more idea of the

of a dollar than she has of the

theory of relativity.

DOROTHY DIX.

UNSETTLED WOMAN.

That is a question you must settle

for yourself. No other human being in the world can tell you what you should do in such a situation. You know your husband's character, and

judge how sincere his repentance is,

and how much faith is to be put in his promises, and whether he has the

It may be that the shock of losing you, of finding out that you had the nerve and courage

to leave him when he mistreated

you, brought him to his senses.

It may be that his loneliness when he found that he had lost

his home, and his wife, and his

child made him realize the

blessedness of family life, and that he will be careful not to

In many cases divorce brings a

how much they really care for each

other, and their remarriage are ideal-

jeopardize that again.

and Mrs. Newhouse also sang de-lightfully. There was a generous shower of gifts, particularly fine con-tributions of bibs and bootees coming from the classes of Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Boughner and Mrs. Collamore. Dear Miss Dix-My mother never me in any way now to manage as to get the most out of the money as to get the most out of the money I spent, so since I have been married I have just blundered along, ried I have just blundered along, sign that a young person is priggish; generally making a mess of things. My table money never holds out, my allowance never holds out, and yet

a probe into allegations that a Toronto candy company had endeavored
to evade the minimum wage legislations. Methods of evasion, sensational
tions. Methods of evasion, sensational
tions against the

Special to The Advertiser. Strathroy, Dec. 23 .- The death oc straturoy, Dec. 2. The card of curred early this morning, at her nome, of Mrs. Sarah McGugan, wife of Alan McVicar of Caradoc, in her

year. rs. McVicar was born in Caradoc, and had lived there all her life. She over again for the sake of our daughwas the daughter of the late Mr. and ter. Do you think a man can change Mrs. Neil McGugan, both of whom and do right in such a short time? were pioneer settlers in the township from Scotland.

Survivors are the husband, four children, John and Aggie at home Neil and Daniel of Colenso, Sask. In

The funeral will take place on strength to hold to a good resolution

Special to The Advertiser. Wyoming, Dec. 23.—Mr. "Slim" cott has returned from northern entario, and is visiting friends in

Mrs. A. Brittain, the able leader of the work of training the various groups for the Presbyterian concert Thursday night, was taken seriously I the previous day, and was una supervise the work of that even- man and woman to the knowledge of Owing to the slippery rails all

trains yesterday were late, both east and west. The roads and sidewalks of town for the last two days have been one large skating rink, school buildness and buildness of towns on howesheld buildness.

Dorothy Dix But Don't Make Them Feel As If They Were "Old

BY JULIA HOYT.

The question of young people's be-havior to their mother's friends de-pends to a certain extent on the age of the mother and, consequently, her friends. It is needless to say that other hand it is very irritating to the latter to be treated as really old ladies and gentlemen when they are not. (In no place in this article do mean children when I speak of young people. Rules for them are naturally quite different. I am speaking merely of young girls and boys.) Some young people seem to be able to show lack of respect and, at the same time, make their parents' friends distinctly realize that they consider them uninteresting old beo-ple, not worth bothering about. This is not only unintelligent, but very short-sighted for, if young people would only realize it, older people can be of great value and help to younger ones.

Has Gone Out of Fashion. Of course, young people should always rise when older people enter or leave a room, and should remain standing till they sit down. The old idea that "children should be seen but not heard," has pretty much gone out of fashion after they have reach-She also queers her game if she calls him up on the 'phone and tries to make dates with him. Nothing bores him so much as having a wo-bores him so much as having a wo-bore capacity for conversation. But should not be arrogant or forward. No matter how strongly they may feel a superior knowledge (as most young people do), the tactful and

were gayly decorated in red and green, and poinsettias made a colorful table center. Miss Emery and Mrs. George Wenige presided over the teacups, while Miss Kompass was the teacups, while Miss Kompass was the tearoom hostess, assisted by the little Misses Minnie Westcott, Margery James, Clara Boughner, Edith Essex, Lenora Luney and Mildred Essex. During the afternoon Mrs. Percy Brighton contributed a pleas-

pression a certain young girl made on my mother when she took the trouble one day at a dresmaker's to cross the room and say, "How do you

Gain Much by It. Young people do not realize how much they gain by a little thought and effort in these respects. Older people immensely appreciate good manners and consideration from handle money. She never showed me in any way how to manage so knows, simply because she is inter-

my table money never holds out, my allowance never holds out, and yet I never have anything to show for what I have spent. I want to be a mean that a young person is priggisd; it is merely intelligent.

If older people are coming to a meal, the young people should always try to be a little ahead of time. Unless they have a really excellent ex-

what I have spent. I want to be a good and thrifty wife, but I simply don't know how. My husband is the best of men, but he won't help me, best of men, but he works and that when he works and the reason young people must not keep their elders waiting is the same as the reason for the rule that people with the reason young people must not keep their elders waiting is the same as the reason for the rule that people was the reason for the rule that people was the reason to the reason that we have a set of the reason that th was coming in from the country to dinner given for Secretary of State ansing. My train was two hours Lansing. late, and though it seemed to me I fell into my clothes. I arrived just as the guests were going in to dinner. To make it worse, I was the youngest person in the party.
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BUY HER A BAG.

Special to The Advertiser. New York, Dec. 23.-Last call for Dear Miss Dix—I am a woman 35 years old with a daughter 14. I divorced my husband two years ago.

Now I have a chance to marry an monoy left on a bag," beaded, in silver or gold frame if they had that much gifts in the department stores sent Now I have a chance to marry another man, but my former husband wants me to remarry him and start they had that much money left, or of suede studded with rhinestones and artificial jewels in they had not.

CLOTHED IN SHEEP SKIN. Special to The Advertiser. New York, Dec. 23 .- The difference between the smartest winter sport ket and the truck driver's favor-garment is largely a matter of at auto manufacturers call "reare better able than any one else to band.



The tonic and laxative effect of Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets will fortify the system against Grip, Influenza and other serious ills resulting from a Cold.

The box bears this signature 6. M. Grove Price 30c. Made in Canada

WOMEN and THE HOME

DRESS By MARY MARSHALL

Trim Jacket Looks With Admiration on the Pompadour's Voluminous Velvet Riding Habit.

The many shipperd cost and checked in desired and described in the new styles brought and the major of the minimal cost with a shipper state of the special state of the minimal cost with the state of the special state of the minimal cost with the state of the minimal cost with the mini

Little Joe Otter's Children Find

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DARKENED WINDOWS

By CORNELIA KANE RATHBONE.

The Cane Taps Again.

For the next few days, Graham puzzled over the conundrum which Flint had given him to solve: Way Estelle Hurst had led to them as to her actions on the night of the murder. If Evadne, too, fiad not testified falsely that night, the puzzle would have been simpler. Who was it whom both the women were trying to shield—themselves or some other? But only one person could be guilty. Why, then, had both women lied? As tar as Graham could see, everybody was lying—himself included. He tried to remember all that Flint had said about motive. The words came to him, but the power to apply them was not his. Flint's theories sounded simple enough when he expounded them, but that sort of thing, Graham saw his opportunity. No sooner had the man turned an unsuspecting back than, without a moment's reflection he pushed the door open and slipped in. Giancing down the street as he did so, he thought he knew, standing on the corner. But when he looked again nobody was thered. The same rank odor which had permeated the empty house he and Flimt had visited assailed him now as he entered. He hesitated a moment. In his inmost heart he knew that he was "butting in" again where Flint had warned him to keep out. But he went on. To lose a chance of recovering Philippa's bracelet just on account of the corner of the cor

those devils, or they'll get him, say those devils, or they'll get him, say the trees, the palms stir gently to the trees, the palms stir gently to the trees, the palms stir gently to the warm breezes, and "where the warm breezes, and "where the get a word with Marie, but her reget a word with Marie, but her report made him more, rather than less, uneasy. Not in body, but in soul she was ill, the Frenchwoman explained. Since the tragedy of the children she had done nothing but weep and pray, weep and pray.

The success of the St. Lawrence ing Kid McCoy and Willard Mack project are unreatening to fight the deeper Hudson clause in the bill. They assert that the movement for the deepening of the Hudson river between Albany and New York is, in fact, an attempt to block action on the St. Lawrence plan and to force the tragedy of the children she had done nothing but weep and pray.

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Ween and pray.



GETS AS LITTLE AS LAW WILL ALLOW.

citement, and the mystery surrounding her absence had been most disappointingly dispelled. She had gone, the world was told, to spend a few days with her dear old governess, and had been taken III. The news of her father's death had been kept from her. All quite simple. "Those outrageous newspapers! Nobody is safe from them!" cried the world.

With Estelle's return a gloom settled upon the already dreary house.

Evadue's eyes grew more tragic. Denis, all smiles at first, became anew worried and anxious; Marie lifted her hands to heaven and gave notice. Flint, too, though Estelle was not responsible for that, was for the first time on edge. He and Breit-may never at olds. The inspector.

The marriage in 1921 of the late ment, Gompers at that time was leader, just published, shows that be samuel Gompers, internationally famous head of the American fedbrach of about one-third famous head of the American fedbrach of the world.

WITH NANAIMO ROBBERY

Raid by Canadian Officials

Nets Ringleaders in Bank
Holdup.

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Montreal Official Makes Suggestions On How To Stop Vice.

THAMESFORD SCHOOLS

ARE VISITED BY SANTA Thamesford, Dec. 23.—The a hristmas tree was held in St ew's Church on Friday ev

Cuticura Soap and Ointment

SITES INSPECTED FOR WINTER SHOW

Committee Will Make Report To Directors at January Meeting.

TO PROVIDE QUARTERS.

Toronto, Dec. 23 .- The Ontario gov

(\$255252525252525252525255 Makes a Family Supply &

If you combined the curative properties of every known "ready-made" cough remedy, you probably could not get as much real curative power as there is in this simple home-made

as there is in this simple home-made cough syrup, which is easily prepared in a few minutes.

Get from any druggist 2½ ounces of Pinex, pour it into a 16-oz. bottle and fill the bottle with syrup, using either plain granulated sugar syrup, design and appropriate of the syrup. This Pinex and Syrup preparation

mever spoils.

This Pinex and Syrup preparation gets right at the cause of a cough and gives almost immediate relief. It loosens the phlegm, stops the nasty throat tickle and heals the sore, irritated membranes so gently and easily that it is really astonishing.

A day's use will usually overcome the ordinary cough and for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma, there is nothing better.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and has been used for generations to break up severe coughs.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont





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Preston and Niagara Falls Tie With London 75's For Top Rung of Big Six

Crippled Stratford Team Goes Under To Big Roar Six

Niagara Falls Opens Season With 4--1 Victory Over

COLE STANDS OUT

PHIL GRANVILLE TO WALK
AT NEW YORK MEET

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, Dec. 23.—The FinnishAmerican A. C. games, January 6.
featuring the great European distance runner, Paavo Nurmi, are taking the color of the Olympic contests. Three nations, including Canada, have entered men who appeared in Paris for the two-mile walk. They are Philip Granville, Canada; Harry Hinkles, United States, and Mike Fekete of

Charlie Stewart Jumps At Last

Orients To Present Fast Cage Five

Senior O. A. B. A. Entrants Rounding Into Shape.

Poke and Cross Checks

Peterboro hockey club, winners of the Sportsmen's patriotic association series, whose victory over Parkdale was of the unexpected variety. The Petes defeated Soo Greyhounds, Allan cup holders, Saturday in the final game for the trophy. From left to right: Top row—Josh Craig, executive; F. E. Conver, secretary; Salmon, Foley, Joe Dwyer, McLeod, Collins, Parker. ront row-Ranger, Bailey, Burgess, Halpin, Rose, R. M. Glover, past-

On the Side Lines

Even the word of the O. H. A. executive that the main standing of the times a fixed for Polyania, to Pete Bellefeuille's reinstatement came from the north has not dulled the at other times a fit companion for a suspicion hereabouts that the move was the result of Stratford mandid hypochondriac.

There were times when he wontions. The fact that the president of the O. H. A. is a Stratford man did tions. The fact that the president of the O. H. A. is a Stratford man did not apparently direct the rancor of local fans Classic City-wards, for some unknown reason. It's a tribute to President Easson. Probably the feeling aroused locally against Stratford may be somewhat softened by the Falls defeat of the Indians last night.

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A RUMOR.

The fact that the floor of Westminster rink is covered with frozen snow.

I had my file to five over again I would be a surgeon instead of a ball player. I think I could have done a great deal of good in surgery. I would then have been of some dear. The fact that the floor of Westminster rink is covered with frozen snow and water gave rise to the rumor yesterday that the old structure was after and Bob, a college.

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THE FORWARD PASS.

The Intercollegiate rugby union is flirting with the idea of mild form of the forward pass for introduction into the Canadian game, and choose a time when American coaches are coming to the decision that the play is a time when American football. Any restricted form of the pass would have to be behind the line of scrimmage, and would mean a form of basketball before every play got into action. The forward pass as used in America, it is claimed, has given too much of a basketball touch to the American game.

Lateral pass formations if studied might be created which would be a sufficient threat against the highly perfected defence of the Canadian game. We know food down there and we know how to relax. There is not the

Stove Leaguers' C-h-a-t-t-e-r

meeting and denied that he was "kicked meeting and the meeting an

His Moods

By H. G. SALSINGER.

Changing Moods.

Kaleidoscopic Changes-Heights of Optimism-Depths of Pessimism.

"Thirty-five is the age limit for professional basebail men in the big A leagues." he said at 32. When a man reaches that age he loses his ginger, his pep and his speed. I am not at top form now. Since 1914 I have gradually let down.

"After a ball player reaches 30 he becomes methodical. I have become methodical and today I find myself doping out each play before I make it, with a view to conserving as much energy as possible.

it, with a view to conserving as much energy as possible.
"Most of the success I am having is due to psychology. I apply it constantly. For instance, when the Tygers are leading and the opportunity presents itself, I often take chances, making a freak play or stealing a base when there is no necessity for it. I create a series of mental hazards for the opposing team that causes the player to fumble

mental hazards for the opposing team that causes the player to fumble nine times out of ten on a similar play that may follow.

"When I was in the flush of youth I could play all day and all night without tiring, but now I find that as the years creep along my stamina weakens. I can no longer make the plays I used to make."

Grows More Difficult.

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mortal, it became more and more difficult to stir the embers.

"Baseball is a hard, nerve-racking life when you play the game for all it is worth. There is no rest when you are weary and the travel is tiresome."

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He wanted to have time to read. He likes books, as he likes pictures and music and other works of art. In books he appreciated fine phrasing. The play of words has a fascination for Cobb.

And he likes biography. He has read nearly all the biographies of Napoleon. He has engaged in reading the biographies of the illustrious Bonaparte during the winter seasons. The greatest character in world's history, in Cobb's opinion, was Napoleon, with Julius Caesar next. And it would be difficult to say that his biographical study did not have pow-

Preston Riversides Defeat Green Shirts In Fast Mix

Will Order Gene To Defend Title

DEFEAT PARKDALE

Greys Run Wild in Third Period To Make Score Ty Cobb; Remaker of Baseball 6--1.

CANADIAN PACIFIC. SPECIAL TRAIN SERVICE FOR CHRISTMAS. The

Kitchener Sextet Goes Down 3 to 2 in First Big Six

GRUELLING CONTEST

IS STAR AT SYDNE

Remains at Wickets For Two Hours and Fifty Minutes.

What better **Christmas Gift?**

What gift that will bring more pleasure to the recipient? What gift that will be a better proof of the donor's good taste than a genuine, old reliable

Kola Briar



This Chistmas, Kola Briars are offered in more attractive attire than ever; protected by a soft bag which preserves the fine polish of the briar and packed in a cheerful, tasty gift box. A special personal greeting card designed by an eminent European Artist adds the finishing touch adds the finishing touch.

At all good tobacconists and most drug and depart-

ONE DOLLAR Beware of Imitations!

Look for the Kola trade mark on every genuine Kola Bries

Orth Says---

-We Apologize! Our doors were only open one minute in every twenty. We are sorry it was necessary to do this and regret our store was not larger. We could only handle one-twentieth of those who wanted to get through our doors.

In appreciation, we are continuing our Sale, and would ask all our patrons to call within the next 8 days during our Fire Sale.

ORTH, Limited

DUNDAS STREET AT CLARENCE



Montreal Pros Extended To Limit To Nose Senators Out 2-1 At Ottawa

Victors Put On Defensive Throughout Third Period BILL IS EXTENSIVE

Walker's Quartet

of Three Wins Plus 16.

OWEN SOUND TO ENTER

HAVANA RESULTS

Benedict Saves Situation by [Stopping Fusillade of

PARKES IN LINEUP

Race Results

hini), 9 to 5, 4 to PADDOCK AND MURCHISON ant, 104 (Swander), 5 to 2, 6 to 5. TO MAKE TOUR OF WORLD

ma, 112 (C. Lang), 1 to 5, third.

um, Yoshimi, Cimarron, and Purity also ran.
SEVENTH RACE, mile and sixteenth:
Margaret Ware, 110 (Leibgold), 13 to 10, 2 to 5, 1 to 6, won.
Blanche Mac, 102 (Garrity), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, second.
Loveliness, 107 (Shanks), 1 to 2, Clock Stocking, Rosa Yeta, Sepl

TIA JUANA RESULTS

FIRST RACE, 5 furlongs: Marie Maxim, 107 (Thomas), \$9.80, \$4, 40, won.

me 1:94 4-5, he Nephew, Beth Paige, Meddling l, It, Vibrator, Virginia Morse, Tessie Honest George, General Average,

ng Leader ran. SIXYH RACE, mile and 70 yards: The Falconer, 112 (Griffin), \$6, \$4.60, 80, Won. Full O' Fun, 104 (Craig), \$10.20, \$4.20, Seth's Memory, 102 (Hoagland), \$3.40.



CHRISTMAS SOCCER

General League Shakeup Expected in Yuletide Encounters.

Is High at L.C.C. Winning Four Make Top Score



Two Women As Candidates For School Board-Three For Reeveship.

Sarnia, Dec. 23.-Nominations for reeveship, council and school board of cluding two women, today, Nominations are: Reeve-Wm. Barrett, Wm. Darbyshire, J. Mara. Council-D. K. McDonald, Wm. Carr, D. Greenwood, P. R. Bray, Wm. Darbyshire, Ed. Mensley, A. Dunham, E. Goodley, E. SENIOR NORTHERN SERIES

Duncan McLaren Was Ill For Several Months-Slept For Two Weeks.

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Dec. 23.—Duncan Mc-Laren, aged 56 of lot 8, concession

5. won.
e Campbell, 115 (Smth). 4 to 5, 2, second.
estwood Boy, 110 (Albiker), 1 to 4, 1 me—1:17 1-5.
indocstan, Pilades, Recoup, Needy, nos also ran.
SCOND RACE, 6 furlongs: orenne, 107 (Elston), 3 to 1, even, 2 won.

SECOND RACE, 6 furlongs:
Corenne, 107 (Elston), 3 to 1, even, to 2, won
Beg Pardon, 115 (Pernia), 7 to 10, 1
0, 3, second.
Time—1:16 4-5
Daddy Wolf, Conceal, Zuneile, Thesaly, Remily also ran.
THIRD RACE, 6 furlongs:
Hutchison, 115 (Ball), 5 to 2, 4 to 5, to 5, won.
Locarno, 110 (ANen), 1 to 2, 1 to 4, tecond.
Forty Two, 105 (Powers), 4 to 5, third.
Time—1:17 3-5.
Without, Biddledee, Seba, Swim, Lank tkso ran.
FOURTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
Hullo, 107 (Neal), even, 1 to 3, 1 to 6, won.
War Garden, 115 (Noe), 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second.
Kidnap, 102 (Elston), 1 to 3, third.
Time—1:16 3-5.
Tom Saunders, Ponce, Shafe, Gonwithm and Mess Kit also ran.
FIFTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
True American, 112 (Eames), 5 to 2, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, won.
Muskallonge, 110 (McLaughlin), even, 1 to 2, 2 second.
Annie Lyle, 111 (Domlnick), 1 to 6, third.
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WILL TRAIN THE KING'S HORSES. his majesty, with his apprentice, W. Alford, who may be the king's light-

England Warm For Christmas

vals of weak sunshine. As Christ-mas falls on a Thursday, there has been a general resolve to close the stores from Wednesday night until Monday morning. Arrangements are being made for the opening on Saturday of the sections of the stores concerned with the supply of household foodstuffs. The newspapers will

Mensley, A. Dunham, E. Goodley, E. Haslip, C. C. Newberg, J. R. Mc-Clerster, S. Earl, D. J. McRury, E. Blackwell, A. Blackwell, Chas. Kemsley, A. Bannister. School board—D. J. McRury, W. J. Finch, Mrs. J. Hambleton, H. Stephenson, R. Burgess, H. Croley, J. Walter, W. Huggins, Mrs. J. McRury, Geo. Dennis,

TO VISIT WARDSVILLE. Special to The Advertiser.

Glencoe, Dec. 23. — The senior classes of the Methodist Sunday school will go to Wardsville on Friday, 26th, and give their numbers that were so successful at their own concert in the opera house here on Friday, 19th.

Miss Grace Hill Appointed To Industrial Department in



Reserved Wave Length Fixed and Special Hours Arranged.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Canada has taken the lead over the other dominions in reserving a special wave for interdominion amateur work; and the radio branch of the department of marine and fisheries stated today that a wave length of 15 metres is being reserved for Canadian amateur trans-

WOODSTOCK 'Y' WORKER HAMILTON ASSISTANT

Ambitious City.

r a number of years as office as- the heads of committees will remain stant in the local Y.M.C.A.. Miss as they are.

Apples For Scotland. Grace Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Hill, has been appointed assistant industrial secretary of the Hamilton Y.M.C.A. Miss Hill has to Glasgow, Scotland. The heads of the Glasgow, Scotland.

Y.M.C.A. work here for the last three or four years.

Word reached the city today of the death in California yesterday of Fred A. McIntosh, a former well-known resident of this city, and brother of Harry McIntosh, coal merchant. Mr. McIntosh was born in Seaforth about fifty-one years ago, but came to this city when a lad. After leaving here he became quite well known in mining city when a lad. After leaving here he became quite well known in mining city on the control of the contents. The apples were in fine condition when opened fresh as the day they were packed.

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CHRISTMAS CHEER IRISH STAND INVOLVES WHOLE BRITISH EMPIRE BASKETS PACKED

BY DURANT MOTOR CO.

Former Athletic Star Appoint-

ed Special Representative

in Canada.

Special to The Advertiser.
Paris, Dec. 23.—President Cooldge will abandon his post.
Russia will change its govern

England will witness a tremen

ous growth of socialism.
The king of Italy will have many

Spain may revolt against the di-

rectorate.

Those are the principle phophecies for 1925 issued today by Mme.
De Teleme, self-styled "phophetess of the stars."

Two Hundred and Fifty Homes Will Be Visited On Wednesday Night.

COMMITTEES BUSY

St. Thomas, Dec. 23.-The commi ees in charge of the packing and ssembling of the baskets of Christnomes, are busy at the Grand Central Hotel this week. Mrs. W. Folland is in charge of the assembling of the 250 or more baskets, and is supported by a capable committee familiar with he needs of the families on the list, and they measure the goods accord

mas cheer on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Assisting Mrs. Folland in the packing are Mrs. Collins and Mrs. J. Stewart. Mrs. R. J. Dunsmore has completed the purchasing, assisted by Mesdames Lamont. D. Meadows, D. H. McIntyre, E. A. Horton, J. Farrell, W. B. Jennings, J. Stott, N. Murray, L. Precoor, Plastow, D. Miller, Galloway, Roberts and Wat-

Board of Education.

The organization meeting of the school board will be held on Friday evening. January 2, in the city hall at 8 o'clock.

With the at 8 o'clock.

With the exception of Chairman Harvey, the personnel of the board is unchanged. George Haynes of the vocational committee is the new member. A. W. Baines, who has intimate knowledge of the working of the school board and of the new school question, is spoken of for the chairmanship. In the term which has just closed, he was chairman of the finance and supply committee.

The chairman of the building and grounds committee will be an important position to fill this year. In all probability Architect D. R. Franklin will ask for a small building committee to act in conjunction with himself in building the school. The chairman of this committee will probability at the bolimino of Canada, Limited.

Mr. McLean has been stationed in London for a year and a half as factory representative and district organizer for the Durant Company, and will take over his new duties on leave the various units of the British Empire with the league and, in the judgment of officials at Geneva, may be settle how much independence of action can be expected from the domination will take over his new duties on leave the various units of the British Empire with the league and, in the judgment of officials at Geneva, may be settle how much independence of action can be expected from the domination will take over his new duties on leave the various units of the British Empire with the league and in the judgment of officials at Geneva, may be settle how much independence of action can be expected from the domination will take over his new duties on leave the various units of the British Empire with the league and in the judgment of officials at Geneva, may be settle how much independence of action can be expected from the domination will take over his new duties on leave the various units of the various units of the strength of the various units of the strength of the various units of the strength of the various units of the pire with the league and in the judgment of officials at Geneva, may be settle how much independence of action can be expected from the domination will be a supplied to the various units of the strength of the various units of the various units of the various units of the various units of the strength of the various units of th

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BROKEN LEG IN FALL

No Right To Speak.

Irishmen contend that no agree-ment exists authorizing britain to speak for Ireland or the other dominion will district organizer of the McLaugnin district organizer of the McLaugnin Motor Car Company, in London.

BROKEN LEG IN FALL

And I work and I work

eastern standard time, and every succeeding Wednesday at the same hour, ally folcan dian amateurs will be together on the air and trans-Canada traffic will be moved.

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great has the strain become on the stamping machine that an improvised water cooler has been attached to the mechanism. The wide variety of envelopes has made stamping a diffi-cult work, and many thousands of cards have to be stamped by hand.

Council Meeting.

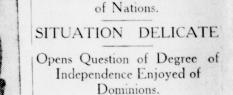
The city council will hold their wind-up meeting on Friday evening of this week, according to an announcement made by Mayor Sloggett today. The inaugural meeting of the council will be held during the second week of January. In all probability Woodstock, Dec. 23.—After serving week of January. In all proba

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consisted of solos, duets, recitations,
choruses, piano solos, piano duets,
drills, monologues, and ended with a
play entitled "Dickie's Stocking."
Rev. C. Tavener gave a short address,
Proceeds were \$18.



Ireland Openly Defies Great

Britain Before League

LOOKS TO CANADA

Officials at Geneva Expect Canada May Join in Protest.

Geneva, Dec. 23.—The delicate problem of the relations between the component parts of the British Empire has been raised anew by Ireland throwing down the gauntlet of diplo

be the precursor of similar movements by other parts of the empire, espe-cially Canada and South Africa.

Question Is Deep. ust closed, he was chairman of the inance and supply committee.

Trustee Pearson's name was menioned, but at the closing meeting ast week, he declined the honor most emphatically.

The chairman of the building and arounds committee will be an im-

ronto.

He is one of the most popular automobile men in Ontario, and his promotion will be a source of satisfaction to his many friends in this city and district.

Mr. McLean will be succeeded in London by W. F. Wheaton, formerly district organizer of the McLaughlin Motor Car Company, in London.

Britain's initiative concerning Reland, it is thought, will furnish a subject for debate at the forthcoming imperial conference, which at its last meeting laid down the principle of diplomatic independence of the component parts of the empire with mutual consultation as the guiding rule in foreign policies.

No Right To Speak.

Conadian Press Despatch.
Regina, Dec. 23.—Believed to have been dragged to death by a horse.
Redel Bach. 24, was found dead, 18 miles southwest of Maple Creek yesterday. The finding of the dead man partially clears up a mystery which has surrounded his disappearance since last Thursday.

The body was frozen stiff, while a gaping wound in his head suggested the probability of his being thrown from a runaway horse and dragged to death.

Don't Buy a Suit or Overcoat until our FIRE SALE of High-Grade Clothing, JANUARY 3, 1925.

DUNDAS STREET AT CLARENCE

Rarebits

By Rex

THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS.

He is coming 'cross the prairie,

Hear that jingle, jingle, jingle-

Santa Claus is here again.

He is winging, ringing, singing,

To the city and the glen,

And tonight when all is quiet

In a tiny baby sock

not get a prescription.

bottle of hair tonic.

he buys one.

With his message of good cheer.

And make young the hearts of men;

To the lowlands and the wildwood,

He has come to gladden childhood

I shall greet him in the hall

Reindeer, cutter, gifts and all.

And I'll stuff his gorgeous presents

While old Santa watches gladly

With his eye upon the clock,

Then the chink of ancient glasses

And you'll hear our voices crying:

Will be sounded through the maze,

"Here's to childhood's happy days!"

When you are devouring the succulent turkey

and spilling the cranberry sauce tomorrow, my

friends, pause for a moment and think of those

You can tell whether your gift to father was

This is about the time for girls to hang their

Speaking of modest people, how about the young man who sends pictures of himself to his

Useful gifts are all right. But the line was

In the old days men used to be ruined by

Some men are born great, some achieve great-

One way to enlarge your apartment is to have

Some women have a better ear for gossip than

TABLOID DRAMA. "I was never so insulted in all my life, Maisle.

London Will Sing

custom followed in many lands, of singing hymns

and carols. The Salvation Army band will lead

the music, choirs of the city are to attend as well

HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING.

Verse I.

Hark! the herald angels sing,

Glory to the new-born King;

Joyful all ye nations, rise, Join the triumph of the skies

Peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled.

With th' angelic host proclaim, Christ is born in Bethlehen.

Hark! the herald angels sing,

Gracious bond of earth and sky,

Born that man no more may die, Born to raise the sons of earth,

Hail, the son of Righteousness! Light and life to all he brings,

Ris'n with healing in his wings,

Hark! the herald angels sing,

Born to give them second birth. Hail, the heav'n born Prince of Peace!

Glory to the new-born King!

e other organizations.

drawn too fine when a friend of ours sent us a

As he shuffles down the chimney,

He is speeding o'er the plain,

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When Sir Adam Retires.

Sir Adam Beck has stated both in public and privately to his friends that the time is not far territory, and that has seen the men of that distant when it will be necessary for him to district go out and make the name Petrolia resign from the chairmanship of the hydro- known in nearly all the oil-bearing countries of electric commission of Ontario. His health is the world, is one of the turns of business that not what it was a few years ago, and Sir Adam when one looks heat the bistory of the less regrettable. chose a sphere of public service that from the past and present, and notes the wrecks piled start called forth the united and untiring opposi- along the road, a record of fifty-five years, termition of those whose devotion to private interests nated by an orderly closing of the institution stood in danger of being seriously disturbed. It such as is being done in the case of Vaughn & was only recently that the remark was made at Fairbank, marks a business chapter that reflects Ottawa that Sir Adam had no friends in either credit on those who in all those years have been political party there or at Toronto, a remark responsible for the management. which in itself might be taken as a compliment, but indicating a course that was not an easy one

With Sir Adam's retirement in view, the an awful last-minute rush on liver and tripe. matter of supreme importance to the municipalities is how the hydro-electric system shall be managed. It can do one of two things:

(1) Be managed and controlled by a commistit only once. sion on which the municipalities shall have sufficient representation to secure their interests, or

government department, and become part and sun can we stick a pair of skiis? parcel of the political fortunes of the party in

municipalities in Ontario that are taking power the cold in Winnipeg, a million dollar extension from Niagara and elsewhere and distributing it to the central heating plant will be built. to the users; these municipalities exercised the Anancial risks; the province pledged its credit on a platform of "Pure Water and Pure Beer." for the sale of the bonds, but has never had to Accent on the last four letters of the last word. put up a dollar for forfeiture of these securities. It is the municipalities that would be looked to for higher rates if serious alterations had to be United States has been killed, his plane going made in the system, and it is the municipalities wrong in a storm. The quest for speed continues that receive back any accumulated surpluses. to make its levy on human life. Right now, it is understood, there is a surplus of about \$500,000 on hand, which will go back to valuable asset they own, and the municipalities marry. He should move to United States, and music. cannot afford to lose sight of the fact that the in a short time he could marry them both.

schole business is their property. That is why it becomes so very important that the municipalities should see to it that the future course of management is definitely fixed, so that when the time does come for Sir Adam a widow of 31 has made a fairly good match on to retire as the dominating figure in the direction less. of affairs, there shall be no possible question about the property being recognized as a municipal undertaking and not as a department of the

or so ago, when a delegation from the municipal stead of driving people crazy the puzzles drive eve. It promises to be one of the notable comassociation, representing the real owners of Hydro, asked Premier Ferguson to place ex-Mayor Maguire of Toronto on the hydro-electric representative of the munic palities. The government did not take action, and gave as a reason that it would prefer several names being submitted, so that it could have a choice in the matter. That attitude at once raises the point mentioned above as to whether the municipalities, and not the government, have their own business.

tination in this matter opens another question. officials of the Spanish war office and an editor He is quite well aware of the fact that Sir Adam from Madrid are on his path seeking for a duel. intends to resign in the not distant future. If Ibanez in the meantime is seriously wondering he can leave matters in abeyance until that if the man knew what he was talking about when time, and not have the future course of hydro he wrote that the pen is mightier than the sword. definitely defined, would it not give him the opportunity he seeks, with Sir Adam out of the way, to make such appointments as suited the government only, and move toward a policy that would bring the entire undertaking directly under the control of a political party?

The government found in hydro a very convenient election issue at the last provincial contest. It was not a wise move because the supporters of hydro are not in any one political The undertaking was made possible in power and cheap light came together, not as and when he spoke he belched out fire. For Joe the first place because men who believed in cheap politicians, but as interested, public-spirited be looked just like a plate of boiled and salted D they were in earnest, and by their votes in the sore from shoppin' in the Christmas rush. various municipalities pledged their credit to scattered all over the province, some of them his stuff and pourin' out his hymn of hate—he'd for them. The saving sentiment is not confined If would be absolutely out of the question to monkey and the cow was dead; and for his wife on the basis of it being a plank in any political and neat, instead he grabbed a set in which his

It is on account of the situation outlined above that The Advertiser believes the interested had to fix them up, so for her dad he'd gone and municipalities should move now, firmly and grabbed the last remainin' shavin' cup—it had has stood since it was organized. By his candiunitedly, to make sure that a policy is adopted a crack along the side, it really was a Christmas dature the course of the mayor and the majority and made certain that will secure for them fright, and decent whiskers mowed from this of the city council and the school board was pu official and unalterable recognition of the fact would wizzle up and die of fright. that the great hydro undertakings are the And for the mother of his wife, she'd landed property of the municipalities interested, and just today at noon, and Joe he dashed and got effective campaign. In this campaign Graves had that they shall never become part of the political for her a nifty bottle of perfume. The stock was to bear the brunt of various dissatisfactions. machinery of any Ontario government.

A Landmark In Petrolia.

The passing of the firm of Vaughn & Fairand the oil-bearing district around it.

of Major C. O. Fairbank, has none of the ear- all.-ARK.

marks of a bank of the present age. Were it not or a fairly massive brass plate telling the name of the institution, one might pass it by as a schoolhouse of a former generation. No imposing front, no stone columns, no marble floors, a substantial box stove serving as the heating C. A. M. VINING.
Managing Editor plant, yet in that place millions of dollars have passed in and out. In there could be written the history of the oil industry of Ontario, of the days of gushers when money was abundant, and of the days when prices for oil dropped so suddenly that the bank had to summon all its resources to help the producers to hang on for a favorable turn in the market. It was a local bank that was ready to stake its fortunes on the success of local enterprise, a feature too often missing in the methods of today.

The withdrawal of such a firm as Vaughn & Fairbank after a career that has been for over half a century intimately associated with the history and development of its own town and

Note and Comment. Turkey at 45 cents a pound is liable to cause

two unfortunate families in this city that could

Two Toronto young men went down to the lalee and had a swim the other day. They did a success or not by taking note of what part of the turkey he gives you.

mistletoe and invite their boy friends around for It's not much of a trick to hide a pair of (2) Be allowed to pass over as a straight cuff links until Christmas, but where under the a rehearsal.

As further proof of the fact that they do feel friends as Christmas presents.

Toronto has a mayoralty candidate running

drink. Now it's cross-word puzzles. Another pilot in the air mail service of ness and some grate upon you. the three rooms made over into six.

Orangeville man's sanity is unbalanced bethe municipalities. The system is the most cause he does not know which of two girls to

> It turns out that Samuel Gompers cut his After lettin' Jack take me to the movies three wife off from all but her legal share in his times in succession he only give me a box of property. It will be around \$10,000, and many

San Francisco public library has such a run on dictionaries by cross-word puzzle workers that hymns that will be sung when Londoners time limit of five minutes has been set. In- turn out in Victoria park at 7:30 on Christmas

Toronto's mayor was hoisted to the top of the tallest building in that city so that he night put up a new flag. It is always well to Hamilton Herald.

Not quite right. Toronto's mayor did not rise to the occasion. He was risen.

Vicente Blasco Ibanez, Spanish author, is in the right to name a commissioner to manage a heap of trouble for an article he wrote about King Alphonso of Spain and the men around Premier Ferguson's preference for procrashim. Ibanez is at present in France, and two

Joe's Shoppin'

I met Joe Cowhide on the street, not carin where he went or how, his eyes was bulgin' from his head, the sweat was parked upon his brow.

Joe says look out and let me past, I have no time to gas with you, I've sixty-seven things to before this blinkin' day is through,

I seen Joe two hours later on a-lookin' like nack for hire, his whiskers stood upon their end, oatmeal mush, his corns was bent, his bunions

For Joe he was a foolish gent who'd left his Christmas shoppin' late, and now he was a-doin' bought a drum for little Ben, it had a dint upon It would be absolutely out of the question to be had some gloves, he wanted them both trim mists were returned, says:

wife could easy warm her feet. His wife's folks was a-comin' too, so Joe he

all picked off says Joe, I simply had to pay and take, we sniffed it and it was much like vanilla

in a picnic cake. load of stuff, I know durn well when Joe got bank, private bankers of Petrolia, marks the home they'd start and use him sort of rough. closing of an institution that for 55 years played For Ben will spot that dinted drum, and Sue a large part in the development of that town she'll wail about the cow, they'll take that giddy shavin' mug and crash the thing upon his brow The bank building, which stands at one end And when his wife she gets them mitts she's of Petrojia's main sireet, almost opposite the certain sure to start and bawl, and in this gladhome of one of its founders, now the residence some time of year Joe Cowhide won't be glad at

To the Editor

Two Years at Normal.

Teacher Says Proposal Would Not Be in Best Interest of the Schools.

From the wind-swept Arctic Circle, From the northlands, black and drear,

teachers, but such a fact is not alarming, since such conditions inevitably kill themselves by their own extravagance.

The great pendulum of time will swing the water, as the health department is under their control.

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The great pendulum of time will swing the water, as the health department is under their control. to the other extreme, and that, too, without man's interference.

"Two years is merely nothing in the lives of young people," says the casual onlooker, but two years means success

posibilities of wealth, fame and social distinction may be acquired. The teaching business in comparison is insignificant, since it affords no fields of months. cant, since it affords no fields of wealth and prestige.

It is interested in learning with penings in connection with water service.—Ed., Advertiser.

A man usually thinks he can afford a car until

water supply for human consumption.

Of late there has been too much corrective matter being placed in the drinking water, which is causing people who unfortunately have artificial teeth to get cankered gums and mouth that is caused by the action of the medicating matter coming in contact with the vulcanized rubber in which the artificial teeth are set, thereby giving a great deal of stress and diswater supply for human consumption, as he had done, and the result was

the artificial teeth are set, thereby giving a great deal of stress and discomfort to people of this city who have to have artificial teeth.

This will be a great blow to the dental profession, for on the other surely neglected to consider the merits of our present system.

I admit that there is a surplus of I admit that there is a surplus of the water being medicated the but such a fact is not alarm-

valuable space, I remain, AN OLD CITIZEN.

Springbank Drive, city. Note.—Inquiry at the waterworks department brought the information or failure, wealth or poverty, in the department brought the information elec-trick department elec-department elec-trick department elec-department elec-en-department elec-en-depa lives of some who are east on their own resources. An additional year at normal may lose to the world many born teachers.

There are many business courses the length of which is less than two years, and which open up vaster possibilities to the student, surpassing school teaching. And again, two years on any professional course is very considerable, and in this field of profession great possibilities of wealth, fame and social

befective, youthful energy with turn of professional activities, and leave the public schools at the mercy of the age and teachers, who cannot inspire their pupils with the vigor of the age and ideals of modern times.

The surplus of teachers is good, since it standardizes the salaries and holds them at a minimum. Normal graduates are well educated, and the surplus can be utilized in offices as escretaries and bookkeepers.

It is true that there are many in normal schools who are not natural teachers. But this condition might be corrected by culling the unfit and giving them credit for time spent in the work.

By go doing the said students might be eliminated, and in time a new era of efficient teachers would grow up, which with only one-year course at normal and would reflect credit on Ontario schools.

A READER.

Arkona, Dec. 18, 1924.

Water and Teeth.

Old Citizen Says Medicating Water Injures False Teeth—Department Doubts It.

Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir.—Allow me space in the column of your paper to speak on the practite in voxue by the health department of this city in medicating the late of this city in medicating the column of this city in medicating the column of this city in medicating the column of this city in medicating the late of the public schools who designed to the column of the public schools who are not natural teachers. But this condition might be corrected by culling the unfit and giving them credit for time spent in the work.

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St. Catharines, Dec. 23.—Sherif and three have since died

NEW CANADIAN PACIFIC-TO-RONTO TO WINNIPEG-

361-4 Hour Feature Service.

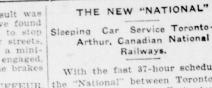
The new daily 251-4 hour Toronto to Winnipeg service just inaugurated by the Canadian Pacific Railway not water service.

Should the two-year course become effective, youthful energy will turn to professional activities, and leave the public schools at the mercy of the aged public schools at the mercy of the aged Clutch Out Makes Skidding More Clutch Out Makes Skidding More only establishes a record in fast, con-Clutch Out Makes Skidding More
Certain.

The Editor of The Advertiser:

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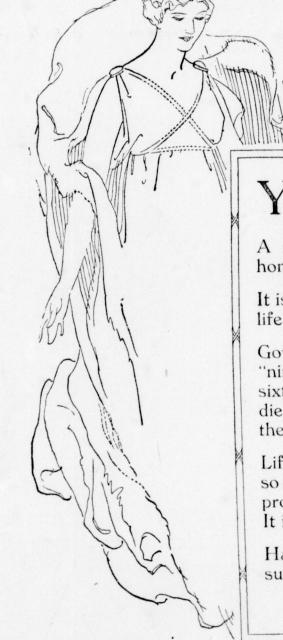
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COCOA

is better because it is made of better beans by a better process and has a better flavor than other kinds.

WalterBaker&Co.Limited

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The Love that never Dies

Your Family

A mother and children bereft of home is life's most pitiful drama.

It is enacted all too often because life insurance had not been provided.

Government statistics show that "ninety-five per cent of men at age sixty are dependent." Other men die without leaving anything for the support of their families.

Life insurance has been evolved so that a man may arrange his life's program to provide for his family. It is scientific, safe and sound.

Have your wife and children sufficient life insurance protection?

—Life Insurance Service



Editorial Opinion

PUBLIC WANTS ECONOMY

IRING the recent municipal elections in Ontario the voters defeated so considerable a number of bylaws for borrowing and spending money that it caused comment, and was used as a warning to governments, provincial and federal, to keep their outlays down or it would be worse to Ontario. In recent municipal elections in Cal-

"Commissioner Graves, running for re-election, was the representative of the policy of consistent and careful economy in civic administration for which the civic government association o the test of public approval. This policy was challenged by Mr. Adshead, a candidate of good parts, who, personally, conducted a dignified and Economies that involve curtailment of street car services and so on are not popular. The service tax had aroused some ill-feeling. The clinic matter diverted votes to Adshead. Nevertheless So Joe he went a-puffin' on a-hangin' to his the total of all this sentiment, combined with the solid Labor vote, was not enough to offset the larger body of opinion that firmly believes in and supports the policy of reasonable economy that is so necessary for the city."

> Should Mind Their Own Business. Several boxes of ties intended for distribution among employees of a Toronto firm were stolen and recovered. This seems to be one of those cases where the police shouldn't be so darn efficient.—Hamilton Spectator.

Mannequin Weds; Animal Ambulance; School-girl Mayoress



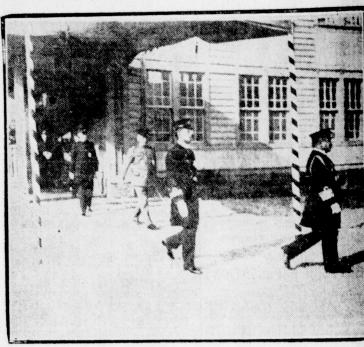
Rupert Hughes, well-known novelist and movie director, and Elizabeth Patterson Dial, movie star, are to be married early next year, according to her relatives. This will be Hughes' third matrimonial adventure



This golden eagle, pet of a Colorado man, proves to be the tamest bird of the species in the country and is not the least bit camera-shy



Miss Betty Howlett, the twelve-year-old mayoress, has just returned to school in Leicester after undergoing her civic duties in London, where her father is the mayor of Richmond. She is the youngest mayoress in England



The Prince Regent of Japan visits the naval college at Tokio for the annual commencement exercises. H.R.H. is the second



The schooner "Ptarmigan" of the Topographical Survey of Canada is shown in the harbor at Lockhart river at the east end of Great Slave Lake



Here's introducing the leading lady, "Miss Blanche Bailey," as portrayed by J. D. Barrett of Yale University in the play the college gave in New York



Maya, as she is known throughout Europe, the world-famous London mannequin, has secretly married Harold Baker in London, who is said to be a Canadian doing business in New York



R. P. Tolman, curator of graphic arts at the Smithsonian Institute, Washington, is shown reading a letter of forty-four words, which is so small it is contained in the eye of a needle



An Indian mother and child are shown resting for dinner while en route with pack horses to another part of the country. This photograph was taken in Northern Alberta by the Topographical Survey of Canada



When some irregular local police mutinied at Gardai, India, they took possession of a block house and defied the world. A small British gun, however, upset their calculations and they were captured



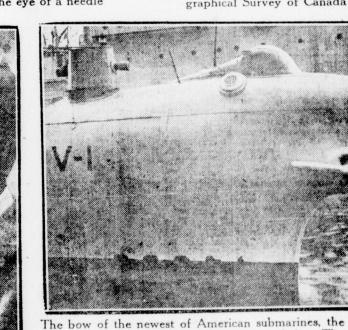
The Duke of Sutherland, one of the best known of England's titled men, is at Montreal, Southern France, seeking a divorce. It is reported that he will marry a prominent American girl



The society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals now has an ambulance in New York City equipped for emergency operations on dogs and other animals



Dr. J. H. Jeans of the Royal Astronomical Society, London, comes forward with the startling idea that there is life on the planets adjoining the sun in the same proximity as the earth



The bow of the newest of American submarines, the V-1, has the appearance of the head of a giant whale. The undersea dreadnought is now in New York, being made ready for its trial trip to Portsmouth



Another wealthy young man has chosen a beauty from the "Follies" for his bride, the happy young woman being Mae Daw, wed to Graveraet Young Kaufman, son of Louis G. Kaufman, president of the Chatham and Phoenix National Bank, New York City



Here is the best women's rowing crew in France. The girls are from Saint ernin and recently won the championship against the fastest teams in the countsy



Baroness Massola Talicarne, a true type of Italian beauty, poses in the old sedan chair that was used by her grandfather. The baroness has often been cited for her charm and beauty



Gwendolyn La Gallienne, wife of the famous violinist, Andre Polah, daughter of the celebrated poet, Richard La Gallienne, and sister of the prominent actress, Eva La Gallienne, is seeking fame in her own right as a sculptress. She is shown in her Paris studio

Bullish Operations Resumed in Several Groups on Wall

ALCOHOL DIVIDEND BETTERS EXPECTATIONS

Exchange

FLOUR

SUGAR

PROVISIONS

Arsociated Press Despatch. Chicago, Dec. 24.—Provisions were easier in the absence of any aggressive buying.

Associated Press Despatch.
Liverpool, Dec. 23.—Hams—Long cut.
12 to 16 lbs, 109s; American cut. 12 to 16 lbs, 111s.

Control of the press Despatch.
Mining—
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String Control of the press of the p 12 to 16 bs, 1098; American cut. 22 to 36 lbs.
16 lbs, 111s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut. 22 to 36 lbs.
88s 6d: Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75
lbs, 102s; clear bellies, 14 to 29 lbs,
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UNLISTED STOCKS.

5% RENEWAL LOAN.

5% REFUNDING LOAN.

losing quotations: Dec., \$21.80; Jan., 20.80; March, \$20.10; May, \$19.25; July, 18.75; Sept. \$18.65.
Spot coffee quiet and unchanged.

BEANS

BUTTER AND EGGS

MISSIONARY IS HONORED

BY CHURCH IN KINTORE

Kintore, Dec. 23.—On Wednesday

CANTATA IS PRESENTED BY SCHOOL IN ST. MARYS

brought back any funds from the United States. "I didn't ask any," she explained.

NEW YORK CURB

OIL

WEEKLY BANK CLEARINGS

POTATOES

TWO ARE INJURED IN FALL

very bad fall at the C. N. R. station evening the designation of Miss been done."

In March, 1918, he found that the

bis head so that he was rendered unconscious.

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DULUTH'S RISE Montreal

Toronto Stock Exchange Closes at 12:30 to Open Friday Morning.

BANK KEPT GOING

Former Vice-President Describes Transactions Conducted by M. J. Haney.

Canadian Press Despatch. crown counsel, R. P. Gough, vicepresident and director of the Home Bank, which suspended in 1923, now standing trial on charges of making

camp."
"Was Cooper Mason qualified for

"Was Cooper Mason quanted 15th the managership?"
"Now I would say no, but the criticism then was against his father. General Mason."
"But Cooper Mason was manager of the Toronto branch and the criticism was aimed at it because the large loans were there?"
"Yes. I know that now, but I didn't know the big loans were tied up there then." Gough admitted that MacHaffie had Dec. ... May

Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, Dec 23.—The tone of the heese market was firm, with little usiness passing. Finest westerns, Se to 18½c.

Was Nearly Crazy.

"They had me nearly crazy, Mc-Haffie and Haney, coming to me complaining about each other," said Gough.

Gough stated that he had letters from McHaffie telling that unpaid interest was being added to accounts, but from other sources he had received a denial of this. Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Dec. 23.—Cheese—Canadian nest white, cwt, 99s 6d; do. colored, wt. 98s 6d.

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"Do you still believe in Mac-Haffie?"

throwing him onto the ground, when he slipped and fell on his chest, bruising it badly and affecting his heart.

Dr. Hotson while making a professional call slipped and fell, cutting his head so that he was rendered unconscious.

POPE PIUŞ TO PROCLAIM

HOLY YEAR TODAY

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took place in the Presbyterian church. The designation service was read by Dr. Macdonald. Rev. R. P. McKay of Toronto gave a splendid address, and presented Miss Armstrong with a Bible on behalf of the presbyterial. Mrs. Ballantyne of London gave a short address, and presented Miss Armstrong with a short address. and presented Miss Armstrong with a short address. and presented Miss Armstrong with a short address. Special music was given by the choir.

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That knowledge, with the Mac-Haffie letters, should have made you brick up your ears a bit, shouldn't it?"

"If Haney was getting part of the profits and the bank part, then you on't think he would tell mt, do you?"

"Are you saying Mr. Haney did the presbyterial. Special music was given by the choir."

"Well, why say it?"

There was no reply the was Not Confidential.



GAVE HIS LIFE FOR A CHRISTMAS TREE.

Thousands of people attended the funeral of 7-year-old Ernest Elvish of Fort William, shown on the left in the above photograph. Seldom has a city been stirred as deeply as Fort William was over the tragedy which overcame the little boy while he was searching for a Christmas tree a

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WHEAT INSPECTIONS.

associated Press Despatch.

GRAND DUCHESS CYRIL

IS HOME FROM STATES

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago. Dec. 2.

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There never was such an inspection.

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There never was such an inspection.

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago. Dec. 2.

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Turnips, per bu. 45 to 50

Honey, Wholesale:

Eoney, 5-ib pails... 50 to 75

Honey, Retail:

Honey, 5-ib pails... 60 to 85

Dairy Products, Retail:

ows, fat, cwt...... 4 00 to 4 50 Dressed Meats, Wholesale: a odts—No. 2 feed, 1 feed, 2 feed, 2 feed, 3 feed, 68% (1 feed, 68% (1

FEW CATTLE ARE

Calves at Toronto Yards Bring Steady Price With \$12.50 For Tops.

Thousands of people attended to state the large of making false statements of the bank's affalse statements of the bank's and the more valuable and in the woods from the bent was not every active, and the finding of the body.

Crain Markets

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Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, Dec. 23.—Hay. No. 2, per ton, carlots, \$14 to \$14.50.

LINSEED Associated Press Despatch Duluth, Dec. 23. — Linseed: Dec., \$2.95; Jan., \$2.96; May, \$2.97.

WHEAT INSPECTIONS.

EGG MARKET REVIEW

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—There are practically no new developments in the egg situation. Ontario country shippers are paying extras 55c; firsts 44c and seconds 32c, and have made sales extras 52c; firsts 50c; seconds 38c, f.o.b.

Toronto—Market firm; jobbing specials, 72c to 73c; extras 68c to 70c; firsts 44c to 45c; seconds 38c to 39c.

Montreal—Firm and unchanged.

Winnipeg—Market firm; jobbing extras 70c; firsts 56c; seconds 42c.

Saskatchewan—Retailing storage extras 55c to 60c; firsts 50c to 55c; seconds 40c to 59c.

low.
Calgary—Jobbing firsts \$13.50 per case;
pullet extras from British Columbia
\$16.50 per case.
Vancouver — Market steady; jobbing
extras 56c to 58c; firsts 52c to 56c; seconds 47c to 50c.
St. John, N.B.—Storage firsts, jobbing,
58c to 60c.

Chicago—Spot 50c to 56c; Decembers 38¼c.
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ST. MARYS IS SUED

John Thompson Asks Salary For Month or Damages As Alternative.

Special to The Advertiser. St. Marys, Dec. 23.—The town clerk was today served with a writ by Sheriff Billings, issued by R. Haristone, acting on behalf of ex-Night Constable John Thompson, who is suing the town for salary for the month of December, amounting to \$70.90 or \$200 damages. He was dis-missed Nov. 30.

Council Meets.

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A special meeting of the town council was held tonight to consider the finances of the year 1924. There will be an overdraft this year of approximately \$4,467, not including the So-Cosy debenture of \$2,350, which had to be met by the town this year. The overdraft consists of committee overdraft of \$1,247, second failure of the road-oil account to balance by \$900, and also of the failure to include public school debenture of

Debenture Payment. The overdraft in committee work is accounted for by extensive road building. The current overdraft amounts to about \$30,000, consisting of the \$4.467 and debenture payments of 1924, which amount to \$25,000. of 1924, which amount to \$25,000. These are due Jan. 12, but will be included in next year's estimates.

CROWS NEST RATES

Another Conference Will Be Held by Ministers at Ottawa Today.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Another attempt to arrive at a decision on the Crows to arrive at a decision on the Crows
Nest Pass rates will probably be made
by the cabinet tomorrow. Yesterday's
lengthy meeting broke up without a
decision having been reached, and it
is now regarded as probable that a
meeting will be held tomorrow. Current rumor has it that there is a decided divergence of opinion within
the ranks of the government on the
matter. The western ministers, it is
reported, are a unit in demanding reported, are a unit in demanding that the appeal of the prairie prov-inces be upheld and the judgment of the railway commission upset, while some of the eastern ministers are opposed to such a course.

WHIPPING THREATENED

Magistrate Gundy of Windson Gives Warning To Two Men.

Special to The Advertiser. Windsor, Dec. 23.—Whipping sentences will be dealt out to wife-beaters hereafter, Magistrate William E. Gundy of Windsor has warned.
He sounded his warning in the cases
of Ernest Talbot, 214 Aylmer avenue,
and Albert Scram, 781 McDougall
street, charged with wife-beating.
Scram pleaded guilty to attacks on
his wife when he became drunk. He was released on suspended senten through the aid of Adjutant Walla Bunton, Windsor Salvation Arn officer. Talbot was remanded for trial within a week.

HOTEL CLERK CHARGED **WITH DEFRAUDING BANK**

John Baird, Hamilton, Placed On Trial—Branch Manager Testifies.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Hamilton, Dec. 23.—John V. Baird.
hotel clerk, charged with theft, receiving and conspiracy by the Union Bank, was placed on trial before Judge Gauld this afternoon. John F McLelland, manager of a branch of the Union Bank, now held on a charge of theft, testified against Baird, and when his cross-examination was completed the case was enlarged until Jan. 5. Baird's ball of \$25,000 was renewed. McLelland on the stand admitted that his accounts at the bank showed a shortage of \$60,000, and he declared that a great deal of this money had been lost in horse-race gambling, and Baird received it.

Paint pleaded, not guilty to the sentiments and feelings; science refers to the sentiment and feelings; science celved it.

Baird pleaded not guilty to all three counts when arraigned.

Pope Recovers From Influenza

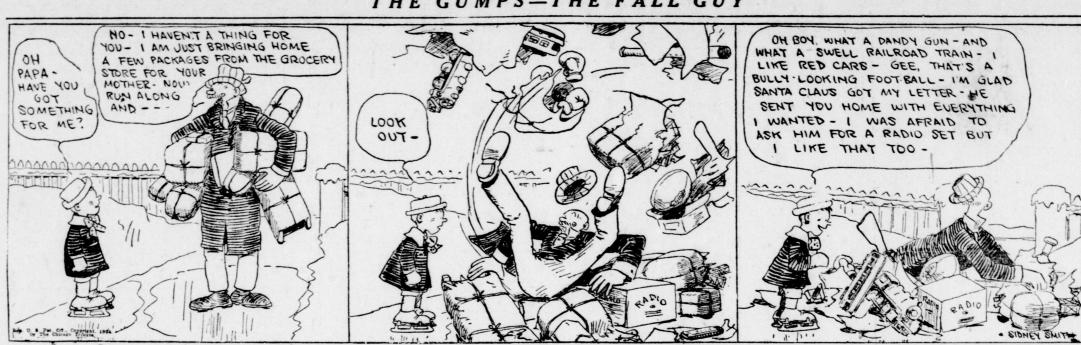
Pontiff Receives Christmas Greetings From Cardinals.

Special to The Advertiser. the cardinals, expressed hope that the holy year would bring peace among the nations, a peace unwritten in treaties, but in the heart of the

The pope, replying, said he hoped the jubilee would mark a return of world-wide peace, not only among individuals, but among nations.

PILGRAMAGE TO ROME IS PLANNED BY MARX

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Luther Burbank Upholds Darwin

Special to The Advertiser.
Santa Rosa, Cal. Dec. 23.—
Luther Burbank, world-famous plant scientist, is today included in the ranks of the evolutionists.
In an address here last night the sage of Santa Rosa continually coupled science and religion, took a friendly rap at those who oppose the Darwinian theory, and incidentally disagreed with the view held by William Jennings Bryan, outstanding enemy of evolution.
Contrasting science and religion, Burbank explained that "religion

Burbank explained that "religion refers to the sentiments and feel-ings; science refers to the demon-strated everyday laws of nature.

ings, at which it has taken evidence regarding the prices of foodstuffs i general and in regard to the wheat, flour and bread trades in particular. The commission has not heard evidence in respect to meat, and no scheme for licensed imports or control of supplies has been submitted so far.

SEAS SWAMP SEAPLANE KILLING FOUR PEOPLE

Associated Press Despatch. Rome, Dec. 24.—Pope Pius XI., who has been suffering from a slight attack of influenza, was able to be up today. At 12 o'clock he received greetings from the cardinals.

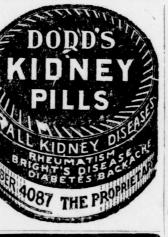
Cardinal Vanutelli, spokesman for the cardinals expressed hone that laval air station landing.

GLENCOE PRESBYTERIANS PREPARE FOR UNION VOTE

Special to The Advertiser Glencoe, Dec. 23.—Municipal affairs are still quiet. More interest is being taken in church union. A meeting of the congregation is to be held on Dec. 30 to determine the form of Associated Press Despatch.

Berlin, Dec. 23.—Chancellor Marx and Cardinals Faulhaber of Munich and Schulte of Cologne are among the prominent German catholics who prominent German catholics who live indicated their intention of king a pilgrimage to Rome during only year."

On be used for the voting. Opinion seems to be pretty evenly divided. The anti-unionists have a committee with S. Irwin as convener, while Geo. F. Munroe is convener for the committee in favor of union. Meetings have been held in the interests of both sides. ests of both sides.



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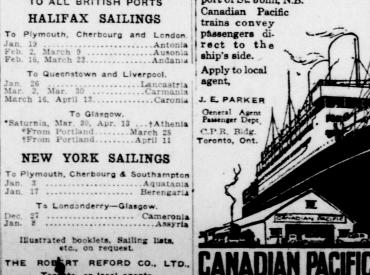
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(Eastern Standard Time.) WEAF, NEW YORK-492. No broadcasting today. WNYC, NEW YORK-526. -Christmas night program;

Brooklyn Strand. WJZ, NEW YORK-455. WJZ, NEW YORK—000.

7 p.m.—Levitow's orchestra.

8 p.m.—Mixed quartet.

8:30 p.m.—Belleclair trio.

9 p.m.—Christmas program.

10:30 p.m.—Waldorf orchestra.

WGBS, NEW YORK—316.

3 p.m.—Dickens's "Christmas Carol,"

Triangle Players.

6:30 p.m.—Roborn's orchestra.

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6:30 p.m.—Roborn's orchestra.
8:30 p.m.—WGBS dramatic critic.
9 p.m.—'Gift of the Magi.''
9:30 p.m.—Christmas carols.
10 p.m.—Christmas verses.
10:30 p.m.—Harold Noble, tenon.
11 p.m.—Plecadilly program. 11 p.m.—Piccadilly program.
WOR, NEWARK—405.

WIP. PHILADELPHIA-509. 3 p.m.—Christmas matinee. 6:07 p.m.—Coogan's orchestra, 7 p.m.—Uncle Wip's roll call. 8 p.m.—Philadelphia police band. p.m.—Marburger's orchestra. WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395. 8 p.m.—Christmas concert.
WCAE, PITTSBURG—462.

WCAE, PITTSBURG—462, 9:30 a.m.—Christmas services. 3 p.m.—Christmas concert. 6:30 p.m.—William Penn grehestra. 7:30 p.m.—Uncle Kaybee. 8:30 p.m.—Christmas concert. p.m.—Christmas concert. KDKA, PITTSBURG—326. KDKA, PITISBURG—20.

10:30 a.m.—Christmas services.

3. p.m.—Musical features.

6:15 p.m.—Little Symphony orchestra.

7:30 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claux.

7:45 p.m.—Christmas music.

p.m.—Little Symphony orchestra. WRC. WASHINGTON—469. 6:30 p.m.—Ten Eyek trio.
8 p.m.—Christmas cantata, "The Hope of the World," by WGY Double Mixed quartet and WGY Concert orchestra.
11:30 p.m.—Boisclair, organist.
WGR, BUFFALO—319.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD—337. 6:30 p.m.—Reisman's orchestra. 7:05 p.m.—Stories, features. 7:45 p.m.—Rector's orchestra. 8:15 p.m.—Lina Jeffcott, soprano. 8:30 p.m.—Estey organ recttal. 8:45 p.m.—St. John's choir WEEI, BOSTON—303.

WTAM, CLEVELAND—390.
6 p.m.—Lombardo's orchestra. WMH. CINCINNATI-309. wmh. Cincinnali-309.

8 p.m.—Christmas address; vocal
duets; Ruth Hahn, soprano; Emma
Grace, contralto; Grace Shibler, mezzosoprano; Luke Ehrgott, violinist.

WLW, CINCINNATI-423.

WLS, CHICAGO—345.

12 (noon)—Walther League choir.
6:30 p.m.—Ralph Emerson, organist.
7 p.m.—Lullaby time.
7:15 p.m.—Christmas cantata, "The Coming of the King."
KYW, CHICAGO—536.
2:35 p.m.—Christmas frolic.
8 p.m.—20 minutes of good reading.
8:20 p.m.—Musical program.
10 p.m.—"Evening at home."
WCBD, ZION—345.
8 p.m.—Zion Junior Choir; Celestial Bells; String quartet; Brass quartet; trio, soloists, in special Christmas program. WCCO, MINN .- ST. PAUL-417.

WHAA, IOWA CITY—484. 8 p.m.—Mrs. Lawyer, contract KFKN, HASTINGS—291.

9:30 p.m.—Lyric Glee elub. WHB, KANSAS CITY—411. WDAF, KANSAS CITY-411. 5 p.m.—Nighthawk frolic. KTHS, HOT SPRINGS—375. p.m.—Organ recital; Christmas

8:30 p.m.—Organ recital; Choncert, Davis orchestra.
WMC, MEMPHIS—500. 8 p.m.—Bedtime stor. 8:30 p.m.—Chisca orchestra. WFAA, DALLAS—476. Edmund Boettche

WBAP, FORT WORTH-476. 7:39 p.m.—Mrs. Cooley's artists.
9:39 p.m.—Fred Wagner, guitarist.
(Pacific Coast Standard Time.)
KGO, OAKLAND—312.
4 p.m.—St. Francis orchestra.
8 p.m.—Christmas program by KGO
Mixed quartet and intrumental trio.

p.m.—Halstead's orchestra. KPO, SAN FRANCISCO—423.

KHJ, LOS ANGELES-395. KFI, LOS ANGELES—469.

7 p.m.—Christmas play. 7:30 p.m.—Instrumental trio. 8 p.m.—Song recital. 8 p.m.—Song rectual 10 p.m.—Chorus and organ. KGW, PORTLAND—492.

12:30 p.m.—Civic Club conce 1:30 p.m.—Christmas carols. 3 p.m.—Organ recital. 4:30 p.m.—Concert program.

6 p.m.—Olsen's orchestra.
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BLACK—MACPHERSON—At London, on Saturday, Dec. 20, Margaret, eldest daughter of Mrs. Agnes MacPherson and the late Duncan MacPherson of Dunwich, to Archibald Elgin Black, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Black of Dutton.

BEL—At his late residence, Pipe Linc Rd., on Dec. 22, 1924, Sextus Abel, beloved husband of Elizabeth Abel, aged 48 years.

Funeral services on Friday, Dec. 26, 10 a.m. Interment in Strathroy metery on arrival of the 11:50 C. R. train.

N. K. train.

RAHAM—In Detroit, on Dec. 23, 1924,
Catharine, relict of the late William
F. Graham, formerly of London.

Funeral notice Friday.

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McVICAR—At Caradoc, on Dec. 23,
Sarah McGugan, beloved wife of
Alan McVicar, in her 67th year.

Funeral will take place from the
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at the house at 2 p.m. Interment at
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pleace accept this intimation.

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TWO CITIES FALL TO REBEL FORCES

Scutari and Alessio Are Captured After Two-Days'

Fighting.

Associated Press Despatch Belgrade, Jugo-Slavia, Dec. 23.-The capture of Scutari and Alessio. 17 miles from Scutari, by insurgents after two days' hard fighting, is confirmed by newspaper despatches just received Former Prefect Bayrovitch of Scutari was killed.

A flerce struggle is reported in the region of Elbassan, which was attacked by a column of insurgents debouching from Alvona, and also in Mourit Pass, nine miles from Tirana. There the insurgents last night captured four field guns and six machine

Former President Ahmed Zogue, who is directing operations agains: Tirana, was yesterday 15 miles from the capital.

WINS BY STRATEGY. By HIRAM K. MODERWELL. Special Cable to The Advertiser and the Chicago Daily News. Copyright.

Tirana. Dec 22.-The success of present attack on Albania is due the strategy of Ahmed Bey Zogul. who a week ago launched three diff who a week ago launched three dif-erent attacks at widely separated points. These drew off the small Albanian standing army, which tried to repel the invaders. And mean-while the main attack developed against the Dibra sector and the in-vaders had pushed on half way to Tirana before the Albanian reserves could mobilize and concentrate their

M. de Schoen. (the German ambaseador to Prance), could not say when the ultimatum to Russia expired. Evidently the Germans arm to susued at the notice station. But folk still so to the Dundas street pile to seek licenses. They are ruided that some day the name "licenses" will be removed.

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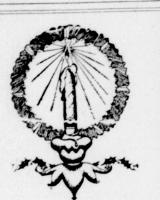
What Britain's Ambassador Saw in the War.

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Will Add Three Miles of Concrete To Hyde Park Highway.

The suburban road cor meeting at the county buildings yes terday afternoon passed estimates the work in London district for 1925

totalling \$90,095. estimated cost of three more mile pavement on the Hyde Park highwa thich possibly may not be approved by the provincial government owing to an agitation on foot to have the fifth concession of London township paved as far east as the Proof Line road instead of the Hyde Park highway which approaches the city from

The estimates must be approved by Middlesex county council at the January session, before the commission can proceed further with the work outlined by their engineer. Charles Talbot, at yesterday's gathering.

The cost of the estimated program, including paying operations to the

including paving operations, to the county, would be \$19,428.50, and the same for the city. The provincial overnment would assume the balance of \$51,238.

of \$51,238.

The net cost without the pavement for suburban roads would be \$19,320. Of this amount the city and county would each pay \$5,273.50, and the Ontario government \$8.773.

The upkep of the Sarnia gravel road, should the paving not be authorized, is estimated by Mr. Talbot at \$5,225.

The upkeep of the Pipe Line road is fixed at \$1.800, Wellington road, \$1,265; Adelaide street, \$2,390; Hamilton road, \$2,780, and River road, \$5,860.

\$5,860.

Those present at the meeting were Chairman E. S. Little, Wm. Fuller, J. L. Robson, Joe Winters and Engineer Charles Talbot.

SOCIETY FOLK TO LOSE

Many Lines Agree to Abolish

CROSS WORD PUZZLE NO. 61

How well do you know the plays of Shakespeare? In this unique and tertaining puzzle there are four eight-lettered words and four sixtered words symmetrically arranged, each of which is the name of a character in one of Shakepeare's plays. The cross words are miscellaneous, but the Shakespearean characters form a border, as it were, around the composition. In case the newcomer has difficulty with several, here are 15 horizontal, shy, and 21 horizontal, huss. Vole is 4 vertical.

Each number in the puzzle indicates the position of the first letter of Each word reads from left to right (horizontal) or downward (vertical) according to position. Lettered in correctly, words that cross will inter-

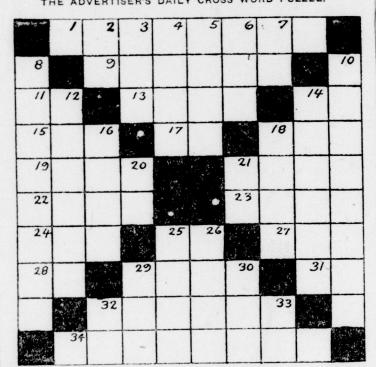
lock.

Each number in the white squares also refers to a definition in the accompanying table.

Each definition suggests a word possessing the exact number of letters

to fit the white spaces alloted to it. Each white space is to receive one letter only. Words starts only in

THE ADVERTISER'S DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE.



HORIZONTAL

22 Knowledge
gained from
tradition
23 A comic strip
igure
24 A writing fluid
25 Exist
27 Extinct wingless birds
28 Initials of a
great city
29 Shakespearean
word meaning
"wall"
31 A position on a
baseball team
(abbr.) baseball team
(abbr.)
32 Romeo's sweetheart
34 A foolish officer
in "Much Ado

BALDWIN GOVERNMENT

Party Journal States Militarism

Gaining Since Tories Took

Command.

show that with a thoroughbred Con-servative government in Britain, mili-tarism is raising its head, and im-

ialism is again seeking to indulge

the Anglo-French alliance, the estab-lishment of an imperial council at London, and the alleged denial of

2 Three-toed sloth 3 London Mission-

sor." 12 Cleopatra's

Merry Wives of Windsor" 16 Uncle to King Richard II 18 A Latin pro-20 An English pronoun The king (abbr.) A root A large Ontario

VERTICAL.

Wall Street Bankers Tie Up

policy of hoarding gold too expensive or to heart failure, but believes gas and that America would either have to inflate her prices or else get rid of three devices.

the superfluous gold. the value of sterling and other European currencies has risen remarkably

dislike of the new Baldwin administration in Great Britain and warns South Africans to "be on guard." The paper comments as follows:

"Events of the last two months show that with a thoroughbred Conservative government in Britain, millitarism is rather its head and imported gold is having its natural effect of increasing the creation of

credit by American banks.

In the twelve months ending November 14 last, the loans, discounts and investments of member banks of

The new credit has been mainly tion here today. The acclamation in-London, and the alleged denial of Ireland's dominion status in connection with the treaty creating the Irish Free State, the Deburger concludes: "Baldwin's attitude—to these matters is a warning for us to be on our guard. From this Conservative government we only can expect curtailment of the rights which we already enjoy."

Mother of Six Is

Burned To Death

June.

The new credit has been mainly utilized not in loans and discounts, but in foreign investments which could not easily be turned into cash. American banks are thus being driven to tie up their funds in European enterprises, because their only alternatives are to leave their funds idle or else use them for increasing credit in American trade, which would inflate American prices.

This new policy of the American banks is a very good thing for Europe and, by assisting the European recovery, it will also be advantageous in the long run for the United States.

Burned To Death

PREFERENCE ON SHIPS House Destroyed by Early STROKE PROVES FATAL Morning Fire. TO SCHOOL EMPLOYEE

Scenes Accompany Long-Threatened Ejections by Officers.

ONE ARREST MADE

Associated Press Despatch. London, Dec. 23 .- There were stirring scenes at Dalmuir and Clydebank, Dumbarton county, Scotland, today when long-threatened evictions for non-payment of rent took place. In connection with the Dalmuir evictions some ugly rushes occurred, but only one arrest was made.

A body of eviction officers, acting n behalf of the landlords, escorted by about sixty policemen, timed the first about sixty policemen, timed the first ejection in Dalmuir so well that the night patrol employed by the non-paying tenants to warn the rentstrikers of the approach of possible "evicters" had withdrawn and the tenants had been lulled into a false security for the night. Howover, the alert tenants quickly realized the situation, and at once they summoned assistance by the ringing of hand-bells.

bells.

Immediately men, women and children rushed to the scene from every direction. When they observed the evicting officers they made a rush at them and the attendant noise attracted still another crowd. The police, however, promptly stopped the rush and pressed back the intruders.

A press photographer appeared on rush and pressed back the intruders.

A press photographer appeared on the scene when the excitement was at its height. He at once started in to take snapshots of the crowd, but this roused the hostility of the gathering and a rush was made at him. He was carried off his feet and severely his head.

The police at this juncture pressed The police at this function besset forward and took a hand in the proceedings. It was then that the arrest was made. The streets were cleared by the police shortly afterwards. Then the eviction officers proceeded with their work of dispossessing represents.

ing non-paying tenants.

The first house was cleaed within half an hour. The evicted tenants and their supporters remained in the vicinity, however, and the whole area was seething with excitement. The was seething with excitement. The presence of the police, though, had a restraining effect on the dispossessed tenants and their sympathizers. Five evictions were carried out a

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Staples Discovered Lying Near Gas Stove.

Special to The Advertiser. Petrolia, Dec. 23. — Mystery sur-ounds the death of Mr. and Mrs. W. Staples, well-known residents of Pe-Funds in European Enterprises.

By HENRY SOMERVILLE.
Special Cable to The Advertiser by Staff Correspondent. Copyright.
London, Dec. 23. — Since Britain lynded the American debts and cause. London, Dec. 23. — Since Britain funded the American debts and caused a tide of gold to flow to the United States, it has been confidently expected by the British treasury and by bankers that the States would find a policy of hoarding gold too expensive

three days.

Both were well known here, and
Both were well known here, and These expectations have been realized during the last few months when Staples was a Labrador fisherman

Associated Press Despatch. Cape Town, S. A., Dec. 23.—The Deburger, the government party organ, today very frankly states its dislike of the new Baldwin administration in Great Britain and when the dollar is usually at its highest point. GIVEN ACCLAMATION

Dr. George H. Jackson Returned For Third Term in Office.

Special to The Advertiser. Port Stanley, Dec. 23.—Dr. Geo. H. and investments of members bards of the state of the federal reserve system rose by the federal reserve system rose by over two billion dollars. Nearly all reeve of Port Stanley during 1925, having been accorded an acclamatical and the alleged depial of this increase has taken place since

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ASK DEATH PENALTY FOR HIGHT, SWEETIN

State Demands Extreme Sentence in Trial of Ex-Pastor.

Spanish Author Would Cross Swords With Alfonso, Whom He Attacked.

DRAWS LINE AT TWO

Declares He Will Not Accept the Many Other Challengers.

Associated Press Despatch.

Mentone, France, Dec. 23 .- "Alfons and Primo de Rivera, whom I have attacked in my writings, are the only two men I will fight in a duel." Vicente Blasco Ibanez, the Spanish author, made this declaration to the press today when informed of the numerous challenges emanating from Spain from various personages mentioned in his book, who are desirous of seeking satisfaction by arms. "I need not fight all these people to

prove my courage," Ibanez continued "I have already fought nine duel either with pistols or swords, and two of my opponents were seriously wounded, one of them being at the point of death for several days." The writer remarked that he had received no official challenges either directly or through third parties offi-

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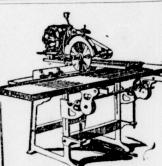
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New York, Dec. 22—Leading rame.

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