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PRICE TWO CENTS.

STANDING OF THE STUDENTS IN THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE Entertainments Order of the Day

Unique Record Established By Hubert Dignan --- Three Years in the School and Has Not Been Late or Absent Once.

Not Considering Pay-as-You-Enter Car

It has been pointed out that the car relieves this pressure, and the com-

At present in cities such as Mon- troubled, except on occasions, with

cities on the American side, great dif- whether it would pay to make the

ficulty has been experienced in col- change. We are not considering it

Her injuries are very painful, but are burned before the taffy could be re-

Last evening Miss Mason had a be quite deep and very painful, but

One of the Grand Trunk passenger to see a light, and on investigating

Entertainment in Chalmers Church

and the Christmas cantata, "Winter- tor he presented, in a neat box with

land," which was ably carried out un- a nicely-worded letter of appreciation

der the supervision of Miss Mathieson, from the teachers of the school, a

tically destroyed.

coaches was destroyed at Lynden, a found the car in flames.

Brantford, last night, in a peculiar and save the car.

number of her friends in for a taffy expressed no danger of the outcome.

lecting fares, especially at certain now at all events."

is all right in very large cities where panies so far think it works well.

this term. tute for the fall term.

Class I. includes those who have obtained a standing of 70 per cent or over; Class II. between 60 and 70 per cent; Class III., between 50 and 60 per cent; Class IV., between 40 and 50 per cent; Class V., between 30 and 40 per cent; Class VI., below 30 per cent.

Class V. and VI. very poor work. In order to obtain the best results the teachers in seeing that their children attend as regularly as possible.

and as punctually as possible. In this connection it is interesting Ward, Margaret Lutman. to note that Hubert Dignan, son of Registrar R H. Dignan, now in the son. Upper School, has not been absent or late since he entered the Collegiate In. Mitchell, Mary Mitchell.

there is great crowding, but it is

not considered dangerous. Dr. J. B. moved.

small station between Hamilton and

wait for a while, lighted the lamps,

In a little while they were surprised ploding.

Campbell is attending her.

The following is the standing of the There are 125 pupils in the Collegiate pupils of the London Collegiate Insti- now who have not been absent at all

> UPPER SCHOOL. Senior Leaving, Part I.

Class I .- H. D. Johnston, Muriel Boyce, Mae Croxon, Flossie Percy Caverhill, Lena Dunn. Class II .- Pauline Dudley, F. How-Class I. indicates very good work, Jennie Cairneross, Olive Ward, Hilda deduction just how much Santa is go-Slater, Ella Campbell.

pupils should attend regularly and Mitchell, George Ellis, Cecil Holland, little systems will really absorb in the holidays. Margaret Scott, Rachael Jones.

Part II. Class I.-Christine Merchant, O. J. Class II .- Bertha Tait, Irene Steven-

King this morning. "We are not

Dr. Campbell declared the burns to

The rest of the train was cut loose

at once, and everything done to try

Water was scarce, and snow was

It is supposed that the fire was

caused by one of the tail-lights ex-

members of the school and Bible class.

handsome gift, which will be of much

The little ones now have an un-Class III.-Jennie Cairncross, Robert

nor teacher daring to molest them or to Miss Fay Northcott. So the children wandered home to-

'Rithmetic for a Whole

Fortnight.

The Christmas holidays officially

commenced this afternoon, when the

"kiddies" were sent home from school

and what with practices for Sunday

they love to linger before the win-

dows and figure out to a mathematic

ing to give them, and how much their

The only real joy-the joy of antici-

pation-is theirs, and books in these

moments are a delusion and a snare.

"Christmas, Ho!"

patient little students these days.

for a two-weeks' rest.

No More Reading 'Ritin' Nor day to their fond parents, to enjoy two weeks of a solid good time. Christmas is their day, especially, and, judging from the noise heard in thing," he adds, "is a tissue of lies." some quarters, it is going to be a very joyful season.

Entertainments.

There were entertainments in nearly all the schools this morning, and there will be more entertainments this afternoon.

When the sound of Christmas is The youngsters sang choruses, the present, the youngsters become restive, members of the board of education, at least some of them, made their annual school entertainments, and their own speeches, everybody said it was a entertainments, they are not the most great day, and the "kids" had a joy-

viting, especially the candy stores, and a great day. Christmas trees, and Santa Claus, were seen at some of the schools, and children also.

Special Programmes.

Teasdall, chairman of No. 2 committee of the bothd of education, and Secretary McElheran were present and

The Ross medal was also presented Continued on Page Eight.

Winding Up of Waggoner Ladder Co.

Christmas Holidays in the Schools

William Blakely, the young man who may also be charged with non-support. pleaded guilty to stealing a team of Two years ago he was sent to the horses and a robe from Byron Dawson Central Prison for a year on a similar last night the Waggoner Ladder Com- the company's solicitors, to the week- Liberal Club for the purpose of sideof Crumlin, came up for sentence this charge to that of which he was re- pany, Limited, of this city, a resolu- ly sittings of the high court on Sat- tracking Ald. Stevely, and that a commorning, but was again remanded. | cently found guilty. Yesterday, Blakely wrote Magistrate Peter Hridkos was found guilty of untary winding up.

wife and two children living in the Sunday, and was fined \$2 and \$1.85 cipiate the liquidation but the business Blakely stated in court this morning, Hridkos, it is stated, has been doing sufficient in the present state of the will be amply sufficient to pay all that he had not been living with them a regular Sunday business at his money market to make its operation creditors in full. for a couple of months, and his wor- restaurant in the East End, and the any longer profitable. The Canada The company's customers will be ship thought it advisable to see if he court warned him that he was llable Trust Company was selected for li- able to get their goods as usual for a to end. It was simply abricated by

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Love a letter, stating that he had a allowing his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying left his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying left his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying left his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying left his clerk to sell cigars on Nothing new has occurred to pre- will be continued in operation for ent citizens with the object of trying left his cit It is understood that the business some time so as to work off the assets to induce one of them to enter the of the company was found to be in- to the best advantage and that there field for mayor. The statement was

At a meeting of shareholders held made by Messrs. Blackburn & Weekes,

has been supporting them as he should. to a fine of \$100 if he repeated the of- quidator, and an application will be few months.

tion was unanimously passed for vol- urday for a formal winding up order.

Is P. C. Harry Down To Resign?

The Montreal street car, or "Pay-as- hours, and it is a known fact that the Acting Sergeant Robert Black conadopted by the London street railway. manner. The pay-as-you-enter car tinues to be the most interesting sugject of conversation in police circles. It was stated this morning that "We are not considering adopting practically of no value in smaller that sort of car here," said Manager either Policemen James Highstead or thing about the matter.

excellent authority that he will resign

At present in cities such as Mon- troubled, except on occasions, with treal or Toronto, and many of the overcrowding, and it is a question and the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the American side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the american side great different troubled, except on occasions, with a perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do not like on the perhaps over a dozen, deputies do

The annual tea of St. Andrew's Sab-, Mr. J. Stratfold made a good Santa bath School was held last evening in Claus. the schoolroom.

Horton St. Girl Burned at Taffy Pull Tea was served from 6:45 to gramme was rendered. Miss Edna Mason, of Horton street, pull. While engaged in making the

had her right arm and hand badly taffy, in some manner the dish conburned last evening during a taffy pull. anning the not syrup was very badly taining the hot syrup was overturned opened the programme with greetings from the church. Solos were rendered in excellent

style by Miss Jessie Mowat, Mr. Walter Nixon and Mr. J. Wilson. A Christmas cantata was rendered G. T. R. Passenger Coach Was Burned The children were well drill they sang some fine choruses.

The orchestra played several selections in a capable manner during the evening.

FACTORY BLEW UP

Palermo, Dec. 19 .- An explosion of gunpowder and dynamite occurred to-The coach was attached to the rear tried, but the blaze had gained too day in an arms factory here. Twentyend of a train, and the crew having to much headway, and the car was prac- five persons were killed and over one hundred injured. The inhabitants were thrown into a panic by the shock, | which smashed windows and caused several houses to partially collapse,

earthquake. Wild rumors followed fast upon the JAMES CASSIDY DEAD explosion, placing the members of killed and wounded into the thou-The annual entertainment of the an artistic appearance as they made sands, and troops were ordered out to Sabbath school took place last even- their appearance on the platform. Suping in the schoolroom of Chalmers per was served at 6:30 p.m. to the aid the firemen in clearing away the wreck and succoring the wounded. Sev- Was Well-Known to Londoners for Church, which was filled by a large which was heartily enjoyed by the eral houses that stood above the maggathering of interested parents and many young friends present. Santa azine fell and their destruction was others. The programme was most Claus was present and presented each was an emigrants' lodging-house, and interesting, consisting of several drills child with a bag of sweets; to the pas-

THE IRISH M. P. JAILED

The Northwest Meath Member Sentenced to Six Months.

nell, member of Parliament for Northwest Meath, who has been prominent in the cattle-driving campaign in the west of Ireland, was sentenced today tempt of court. Mr. Ginnell admitted Then after the trial he will, if found his offense in a recent speech, in which

The Home Office Consents to the Exhumation.

London, Dec. 20. - The home office has consented to the opening of the to Delaware several times, only to be tains a body or a roll of lead should be definitely answered. Prof. Augustide out to Delaware, where he was once more remanded to jail, which the Indian could have been given a London, will attend the exhumation, on behalf of Scotland Yard.

half of the school, by Mr. R. A. Little.

congratulated on the splendid success Mr. A. S. McGregor, superintendent of their part of the entertainment. jected to these men. of the school, made a very capable During the evening, Mr. C. Irwin, the chairman. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Ross, capable leader of the orchestra. was presented with a purse of gold on be-

The accompanists were Mr. C. E. in splendid style by the junior school. Wheeler, Miss Dearness and Miss Duff. The children were well drilled, and There was a very large attendance of parents and scholars.

GOV'T LEADERS TO TWENTY-FIVE DEAD ATTEND TARTE'S BURIAL

Montreal, Dec. 20. - It is announced that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Lomer Gouin, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. Mr. Brodeur and a large number of members of Parliament, will come to Montreal to attend the funeral of the late Hon. J. I. Tarte, which takes place tomorrow morning inducing the belief that there was an from the residence of his son.

A VETERAN CABMAN

The death occurred yesterday of James Cassidy, a veteran cabdriver,

had no relatives.

The funeral takes place from the Ottawa undertaking parlors of Smith, Son & Montreal Clarke, on Saturday morning, to St. Peter's Cathedral. Interment will be made at St. Peter's

MADE FOR CHILDREN

Case Set for Hearing at the Weekly High Court.

down for hearing at the weekly sitting of the high court for London to-In the matter of the estate of Peter

Petition of Canada Trust Company of infant children of Peter Yesbec. Cronyn & Betts for motion.

Mr. Wm. Gray writes The Advertiser from Toronto that he was not present at the Conservative meeting in this city last Friday night, as report-He wants a public retraction, and says if it is not made he will instruct his solicitor to issue a writ at once.

was an unintentional error to report that he was. As an absentee, howdescribe The Advertiser's account as H. D. Johnson, I. P. S., P. J. Thomp-"a tissue of lies." The Advertiser's version was substantially correct, and They become restive, and want to ous time. They were on exhibition a proof of the enterprise of its reporthave a good time. The stores are in- were these youngsters, and they had ers. It is surprising to find that Mr. Gray considers he has been libeled, because he was reported as having atin others the entertainment took other tended a palayer of Conservative manforms. There were presents for the agers. The Advertiser does not agree with much that is done by that body, but it is not prepared to say that a At the Lorne avenue school there man's reputation suffers through atwere special music and exercises. Dr. tendance at its meeting. It is no secret that a lively faction fight has been pridled license to catch on sleighs and addressed the children. The latter Mr. Gray himself would be the last look into windows, no truant officer also presented the MacRobert medal one to deny it. The Advertiser is very sorry, indeed, if he feels that his good name has been damaged by the statement that he was mixed up in ity of setting him right before the

> It was stated in the Free Press yesterday that meetings were held in the mittee waited on two or three prominthe Free Press to cover up the revolt against Ald. Matthews. ,

The removal of Mr. F. A. Jones from the position of deputy returning offipiece of small business on the part of place on the 14th of October last. shortly to engage in the hotel business Mr. Jones did not live in the polling Colborne street crossing. Chief Williams refuses to say any- subdivision where he was to act. The hollowness of this pretense is appar- shunting of cars. ent when it is known that several, live in the polling subdivision where they are to act. Further than that it foremost part of the train, which had defense. is said that Mr. Arthur Essery, one of the deputies, is not even a ratepayer, The training of the children was in or tenant, and is therefore incompet-7:45 the hands of Misses Dearness, Howie. ent to act as deputy according to law. o'clock, after which a splendid pro- and Perkins, and they were warmly But so far Mayor Judd has not ob-

NIAGARA POWER MEETING MONDAY

Officers of Municipal Association Will Be Present With Mr. Beck.

There will be a meeting in the east end hall next Monday night to discuss the Niagara power bylaw. number of speakers will be present, them will be several officers of the Western Ontario Municipalities' Association. Hon, Adam Beck will also be present. An invitation will be extended to those who oppose the by-

> THE WEATHER. TOMORROW-FAIR. FORECASTS. Toronto Dec. 20-8 a.m.

Fresh to strong southwesterly winds fair today and on Saturday; not much change in temperature. TEMPERATURES

Stations. Port Arthur. Cloudy Cloudy Father Point ..

The first column in the above table re cords the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous WEATHER NOTES.

The pressure continues comparatively low over the northern portion of the continent and high elsewhere. The weather has remained fair and moderately cold in Canada, with the exception of a few light local snowfalls in the lake region.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES. Minimum and maximum temperatures Dawson, 16 below-zero; Atlin, 20-30; Port Simpson, 36-42; Victoria, 28-44; Vancouver, 29-36; Kamloops, 12-48; Edmonton, 14-24; Battleford, 14-20; Prince Albert, 4-

24; Calgary, 10-20; Regina, zero-20; Winnipeg, 10-20; Port Arthur, 2-26; Parry Sound, 16-30; Toronto, 22-29; Ottawa, 10-28; Montreal, 12-26; Quebec, 8-22; St. John, 18-24; Halifax, 26-32. Local temperatures: Highest, 27°; lowest

LONDON MODELITES PASSED A VERY SUCCESSFUL YEAR

ed by The Advertiser. "The whole Results of the Examinations in Local and Strathroy Model Schools Made Public Today By Board of Examiners. Mr. Gray was not at the meeting: 1

the county of Middlesex, composed of son, I. P. S., S. S. Jones and C. B. Edwards, I. P. S., completed today the examination of candidates at the Lon-

don and Strathroy model schools. The result of the examination was very satisfactory, and reflects great credit on the work of the model school principals, J. H. W. McRoberts and Thomas Dunsmore.

All of the candidates of the London model school passed the examinations. London Model School. Candidates marked thus * have no

non-professional certificate. ** Candidate not of age. The candidates marked * * will be granted third-class certificates on completing their non-professional examination, and becoming of age. All the other candidates have

granted third-class certificates, valid for three years. The following are

Anna W. Cameron, Miss Olive E. Corbett, Miss Agnes Crosble**, Miss Doris Cuthbertson, Miss May Darch, Mr. Garnett H. Dickinson, Miss Hazel Douglass, Mr. Alex. M. Ferguson, Miss Laura Gay, Miss Mina George, Miss Edna O. Guy, Miss Nora M. Kinsella, **Miss Pearl Kestle.* Mr. Alex. C. Love, **Mr. John J. McGee,* Miss Gladys McKinnon, Miss Margaret Robinson, Miss Jennie A. Stuart, Miss Evelyn Weston, Miss Ethel Willows. Strathroy Model School.

Dorothy B. Dinning, Mamie Fletcher, Florence M. Gibson, Alma Lamont, Hettie L. Lockwood, Emma L. Mason, Margaret I. McDougall, Margaret Mc-Intyre, Edna J. McKenzie, Katie L. McKellar, Maggie McLean, Margaret Patton, Theresa Pegler, Maye Patton, Flora J. Roane, Dora R. Saxton, Lillie A. Traver, Edith A. Traver, Peter J. Ballantine, Clifford A. Lewis, William the successful A. Leitch, Lester McTaggart, Murray J. Mitchell.

Widow of Watchman Sues G. T. R. Mrs. Ellen Lamond Asks Damages

Colborne Street Crossing in October Last.

assizes was entered today, and is as was defective and grossly negligent. follows: Lamond vs. Grand Trunk, and that there should hare been a John Lamond, of Maitland street, the running cars. The appointment of a successor to Clarence Kelly will be the man for the place of small business on the part of place on the 14th of October last. Mr. Lamond had been a crossing watchman on the G. T. R., and was at the time of his death, stationed at the

or crossing the tracks. The cars were being moved by what is known as a "running shunt."

Alleges Negligence. The plaintiff further alleges that the The fifth jury case for the January street, which is a main thoroughfare, Ellen Lamond, widow of the late brakeman and a light at the head of

Mr. Lamond was a strong, healthy One is a sen of 36 years, the are grown-up daughters.

The defendant company sets up the The accident was caused by the claim that if the accident was caused by reason of any negligence of a per-It is alleged, in the statement of son in the defendant's employ, the claim, that the defendant company did defendant is not liable under the law. not comply with section 228 of the rail- Gibbons, Harper and Gibbons, for way act, in not having a person on the plaintiff; W. G. Biggar, Toronto, for

Accidentally Shot at Turkey Shoot Painful Injury To Mr. Fred. Payne

A Springwood Gun Club Man after shooting laid his gun down for Hurt, But He Will Recover.

Mr. Fred. Payne, a well-known loaded and discharged it.

member of the Springwood Gun Club, was brought to Victoria Hospital last Payne directly, but the bullet first night from Mount Brydges suffering struck another rifle and then glanced from a painful but not serious wound off, penetrating Mr. Payne's abdomen. in the abdomen, caused by the accidental discharge of a rifle yesterday ed by Dr. Mason, and Payne spent a

moment while he went away. While he was away another man came along and placed a cartridge in

the gun. When the first man returned he picked up his rifle not knowing it was The rifle was not aimed at Mr.

The bullet was successfully extractvery favorable night. It is not ex-The club was holding its annual pected that the injury will prove very

Medicos' Banquet Brilliant Affair Addresses By Mr. Willison and Others

in the Tecumseh

Two hundred students and guests spent a most enjoyable time last his initiation into the mysteries of night at the Tecumseh House, when journalism in the office of The London the medical students held their an- Advertiser years ago. nual banquet, and entertained as only medical students can.

After full justice had ben done to

law to state their position on the Splendid Affair Held Last Night an excellent supper, President Charles W. Sawers, in a short address, extended a warm welcome to all, and then called upon Mr. J. S. Willison, editor of the Toronto News, to reply to the toast of "Canada." Mr. Willison's Address.

Mr. Willison spoke humorously of

"London has grown since then," he said, "but I shall ever cherish the The students themselves were in memories of those days. The Western high spirits, it being their breaking- University was in its infancy then, up time for the Christmas holidays, and I am glad to learn of its steady and they succeeded in communicating growth. Its students are ever found their high spirits to everyone pres- among the foremost members of their profession when they graduate. On

Crane Reef or sprang a leak, and no trace of a yawi. Smith watched the schooner as she going under. struggled with the high wind and the heavy seas, which have been running for 24 hours, and saw the crew lower

Westbrook, Conn., Dec. 20. - While schooner went under. Capt. Smith beating up the sound from the east- says he believes the crew did not have ward, in an effort to reach Duck time to abandon the vessel. He immediately put out for the wreck in his Island for shelter, a heavily laden launch, and reched there twenty mintwo-masted schooner either struck utes after the schooner sank, but saw

sank today, two miles off this point. A fleet of stormbound vessels is The vessel is now lying with only her topmasts above the water. According nine schooners, an oyster steamer and a steam canal boat, which put in ing to Capt. Smith, the keeper of the there an hour or so before the schoon-Duck Island light, who saw the er capstzed. The canal boat shifted schooner roll over, probably the entire her cargo and was having a hard batcrew of the schooner perished, as no tle to keep afloat, reaching a sheltertrace of a man can be found. Capt. ed spot just in time to save her from

-Hon. Geo. W. Ross and Mrs. Ross a boat and make it fast astery. This are settled at the Alexandria Hotel, was about half an hour before the Ottawa, for the session.

Indian Is Having a Sleigh Ride Party Joseph Henry, a Muncie Indian, is the 26th of this month he will get still getting all kinds of free train rides another free trip to Delaware, after these days, and the county is paying be sent back here again.

The different characters presented service in his work,

enough stuff to furnish a flat and a jaunt down to Central Prison, Toron- trials. livery stable.

Mrs. Millikin and Mrs. Mapeltoft.

is accused of purloining a robe. George Gilders, of the same place, says Henry stole a large quantity of ulary are nosing around for additional wheat, a carpet, a bredspread, a pair evidence against the Indian. It is said of blankets and a few other things.

Matthews at Delaware. Then he received a ride to the county jail, where it is all about, and why he was not grave of T. C. Druce, in Highgate he has been enjoying himself im- given a hearing before one of the local Cemetery, and shortly after Christmas mensely, swapping stories with Noah, magistrates instead of being carted off the question whether the coffin conthe Indian accused of murder.

Yesterday he received another free remanded.

which he will, if committed for trial, to six months' imprisonment for con-

Henry is charged with stealing guilty, be given a nice little he commented upon the cattle-driving to, or the Kingston Penitentiary, ac-From John Switzer, of Delaware, he cording to the severity of the sen-In the meantime the county constab-

that a number of other charges will Henry was arrested several days ago be lodged against Henry at Delaware and brought before Squires Janes and when he comes up for a hearing. The Indian is now wondering what

mant another ride back to London. On hearing here just as well as not,

a number of emigrants were killed.

Dublin, Dec. 21. - Lawrence Gin-

TO OPEN DRUCE GRAVE

Many Years.

of this city. Mr. Cassidy was 83 years old, and up to about eight years ago was widely known among the citizens of London. He 'nad resided in the city for over thirty years, and as far as is known, Parry Sound.

WANT PROVISION

The following case has been set

Yesbec, peddler, late of Clinton Townexecutors of estate, and of Hume Cronyn, for allowance of maintainence

'OODS' FAIR

HEADQUARTERS FOR

Christmas Novelties SANTA CLAUS WITH US ON TOY FLOOR EVERY DAY THIS WEEK

Special Basement Sale Saturday 25c China Assortment

Gold Glassware 7-Piece Gold Water Sets, .\$2 50 7-Piece Gold Water Sets .. \$2 00 4-Piece Gold Table Sets .. \$1 75 4-Piece Gold Table Sets .. \$1 50 7-Piece Gold Berry Sets \$1 50 to \$2 00 Also a big range of 15c Gold Glass, including Nappies, Tumb-

lers, Mugs, Bon-Bons, Vases, Goblets, etc. at15c each Parlor Lamps Our Lamps are all this year's patterns and colors. See the

beauty we offer on Saturday at \$2 50 complete Others from .. \$1 00 up to \$7 50

China Department. The Art Room is fairly dazzling with lovely. China, Japanese, French, Austrian, English or American. Everything marked in plain figures and at a very close margin. Big 25c China Novelty Sale on Saturday. Don't miss it.

If you want something nice

and dainty for a gift, visit our

"Seal Brand" Coffee.

Dinner Sets 97-Piece Dinner Sts, regular

\$17 50. Saturday\$15 00 97-Piece Dinner Sets, gold-lined, sprig pattern, at\$3 75 set We have just opened up a handsome lot of LIMOGES HAND-PAINTED RAIL PLATES, fruit, game and floral decorations. Just the thing for Christmas, and marked very close, as they arrived

CHRISTMAS CANDIES

We are prepared with tons of the choicest Candles for the Christmas trade. All fresh, from the best factories. Our leader on Twenty-six lines of CANDY at 10c pound. Fifteen lines of Candy Also BEST MIXTURE in the city at, pound 10c

CHRISTMAS PERFUMES, 15c up to \$1 00. Put up in fancy

CHRISTMAS STATIONERY and Books, Also Calendars, Cards, Postcards, Photo Frames, Music Rolls, Bibles, Hymnals, etc.

GREATEST TOY DISPLAY IN LONDON ON SECOND FLOOR.

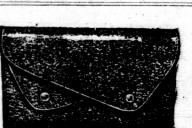
Everything in Toys, from a baby's rattle to a life-size horse. We have the greatest display ever shown in London. Don't miss seeing it. Sure to interest you if you are past the toy stage. 100 Boys' Sleighs, Saturday 50 Double Rocking-Horses, Saturday..... 75c each 1,000 Stiff-Covered Toy Books, Saturday 5c and 10c 50 Child's Blackboards at 45c, 75c and 95c 500 Dolls, dressed or undressed, at 15c and 25c each See our special in Child's Rocking Chairs, Saturday \$1 75 Baby Cutters, full size, nicely finished, at \$4 25 Some upholstered at...... \$5 95 each

J. M. THOMSON *******************



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Make the **Prettiest** Christmas Gifts and the Best



Ladies' Purses From 50¢ to \$5.00



Portfolios

Morocco and other leathers, from 75¢ to \$5.50

GENTLEMEN would like Military Hair Brushes, Suit-Cases, Dressing Cases, Club Bags, Crush Collar Boxes, Bill Folds, Bill Wallets.

Suitcases From \$1.50 to \$25.00

LADIES would like Dressing Cases, Card Cases, Purses, Portfolios, Wrist Purses, Alligator Satchels.

Dressing Cases

from ... \$4.00 to \$10.50

Ladies' .. \$4.50 to \$11.50

Gentlemen's

FOR THE CHILDREN.

Toy Trunks, School Bags, Purses, Writing Cases.

COMMERCIAL TRUNK CO. OPPOSITE McCORMICH'S

Announcement of the Appointment

brethren of the craft that R. W. Bro. was grand secretary. Ralph Leeming Gunn has been appointed to act as grand secretary in duties of a good Mason. He was

letter in memoriam of the late grand secretary:

It is my very painful duty to notify you of the death of M. W. Bro. Hugh death. Murray, our late grand secretary, He devoted his time and talents to

Bre. Murray was bern at Paisley, in 1860. He settled in Hamilton, where fully. e continued to reside till the time of

as worshipful master of that lodge and the Sunday school. in 1871 and 1872. At later dates he His life was blameless. For nearly was worshipful master of Wentworth half a century he lived in this city, John's Chapter, No. 6, R. A. M.; emin- He lives in the memory of those who ent preceptor of Godfrey de Bouillon knew him best. Preceptory, K. T.; thrice puissant grand master of Murton Lodge of Per- citizens who attended his funeral confection, A. and A. S. A.; most wise stituted an eloquent tribute to the sovereign of Hamilton Chapter of Rose memory of the friend and brother Croix; commander-in-chief of Moore whose loss we deplore.

deputy grand master of the eighth Ma- Heavenly Father. sonic district in 1877; deputy grand

Most Worshipful Grand Master A. T. | master in 1882 and 1883; grand master Freed of the Grand Lodge of A., F. of the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario, in 1884 and 1885. and A. M. of Canada, in the Province He was grand treasurer from 1891 to of Ontario, has officially notified the 1903, and from the year last named

Bro. Murray was active in all the succession to the late M. W. Hugh prompt in the performance of work Most Worshipful Grand Master peace, earnest in deeds of charity and and service, zealous in promoting Freed has also sent out the following kindness. He was an enthusiastic ritualist, conferring degrees in a most mpressive manner, and this work he continued almost to the day of his

which event took place by apoplexy on his fellow citizens in many capacities. Thursday, the 28th day of November, For many years he was a school trustee, and in the Art School, the library board and other positions of trust and Scotland, in 1843, and came to Canada usefulness, he served the public faith-

He was an earnest, consistent and active member of the First Methodist He was brought to light in Masonry Church, and there also he was an ex-Acacia Lodge, No. 61, in 1868, and emplary worker, both in the church-

Lodge, No. 166; first principal of St. where he was known and loved by all. The great concourse of Masons and

Sovereign Consistory and provincial We have committed his body to the grand master for Canada of the Royal ground, we cherish his memory in our hearts and confidently trust that

In Craft Masonry, he was district his spirit is in the safekeeping of our

JAPS REFUSE PROMISE IN

Tokio, Dec. 29. — Negotiations be- iting emigration to Canada. panese Government, which have been It is stated that the hitch arose over delayed by a hitch over details, will the desire of the Canadian Governbe concluded within the next few ment to secure a definite promise in days. It is understood that Minister writing, outlining the undertakings. Lemieux has finally agreed to accept This was positively declined by Ja-Japan's assurance that she will undertake the self-imposed task of him- of treaty rights,

Says Japan Would Give U. S.

Squadron the Heartiest

of We comes.

cording to an interview granted ex-

clusively to the Associated Press, Ad-

it is expected on this side in April or

May next. If it should ultimately

touch on our shores, we will greet them as friends, and give them the

"We entertain nothing but the kindliest feelings toward American

The news of the actual sailing of the fleet reached Japan yesterday, and

this morning it was published, accom-

to the Pacific and to the ports of this

country, if it be declared to extend the

"The fact that the fleet is sailing

towards the Pacific creates no excite-

ment here and Japan views in the

friendliest manner any action Amer-

ica may within the scope of wisdom

see fit to take in the disposition of its

naval forces, because Japanese per-

ple have absolute confidence in the

friendly attitude of the statesmen and

great mass of the people. We hope

that the fleet may have a successful

and safe voyage, and Americans

everywhere may rest assured that

should the fleet decide to visit the Far

East, at no place will it receive a

A GREAT GATHERING

Adelaide Stret Baptist Sunday School

Supper and Entertainment.

The annual supper and entertain-

ment of the Adelaide Street Baptist

Sunday school took place last evening,

and there was a great gathering of

the young folks and their friends. Con-

siderably more than 300 sat down to

the tables in the schoolroom, which

were bountifully laden with the choice

variety of refreshments which the

ladies of the church and congregation

are proverbial for providing. The fun

and feasting lasted for two hours, and

then the happy party moved up to the

auditorium, which was found none too

roomy for the throng that ultimately

crowded into the gallery, besides fill-

ing most of the available seats be-

After a hymn by the he and

prayer by Pastor Shields, Superintend-

ent J. W. Fuller, in a few timely re-

marks, opened the varied and lengthy

programme, consisting of recitations,

vocal and instrumental music, club-swinging, dialogues and drills. With

more than thirty numbers on the varled programme, and a correspondingly long list of participants, it would be

too much to refer in detail to each;

and where all did their best, and did

it well, it would be out of place to

make comparisons. The programme

was long, because each class in the

it certainly gave evidence that much labor, time and patience had been

spent in its preparation, and its ren-

dition reflected great credit on the

trainers and the trained. The music,

school wished to be represented, and

heartier welcome than in Japan."

attending the start.

trip in this direction.

TERRIBLE TOGO

tween the Canadian Minister of La- exact method of limitation will be left bor, Hon. Mr. Lemieux, and the JaGovernment.

pan because it would entail a sacrific

both vocal and instrumental, was excellent, while the drills by twelve young ladies were greeted with round after round of applause. Following the programme came the distribution of prizes to the large number of scholars who had been punctual in attendance and preficient

in memorizing texts of Scripture. ELECTROCUTED.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 20. - Howard West, alias Frank Earl, was electrocuted in the annext at the Ohio penitentiary early today for the murder Tokio, Dec. 19.—If the United States of Wm. Legg, a butcher, of Sydney, fleet bound for the Pacific should visit ed his innocence to the last. The con-Ohio, on April 20, 1997. Earl protest-Japan it will be heartily welcomed. Ac- demned man faced death calmly

miral Count Togo said: "I am very ness, and the application is easy and glad that the fleet has started for the the effect immediate. Pacific. If I am correctly informed,

panied by a description of the scenes Foreign Minister Hayashi voiced the White Malaga Grapes sentiment of the whole Japanese people today when he said to the Asso-Down to 15c per Pound ciated Press: "Japan will heartily wel-We bought the finest Grapes come the American fleet of battleships

we could get and they are well worth 20c or 25c pound, but they are yours at, per pound Oranges Never Were

So Cheap Fine Large Sweet Mexican Oranges. Regular 40c size for Regular 30c size for 20c California Seedless Oranges, per dozen ...20c, 25c, 30c, 40c Florida Grape Fruit, large size, each

Choice Eating Apples, peck, 25c Holly Will Be Scarce We have a limited supply of beautiful Holly, well berried.

per pound Holly wreaths, each . Red Bells, each 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c Christmas Crackers

Fun-makers for the children; just the thing for the Christmas tree; one dozen in each box, 25e and 40c Mincemeat.

Made by ourselves, of the very best goods, in the most cleanly manner. All ready for the Christmas pies. It will please the most particular; per pound 10c

New Nuts, Mixed Three kinds, Walnuts, Almonds and Filberts, pound, 15c Grenoble Walnuts, pound .. 20c Brazil Nuts, per pound 250 Pecan Nuts, per pound 25c Cranberries, quart, 13c and 15c Layer Raisins, per pound .. 20c Choice Eating Figs, pound, 121/20 Golden Dates, 3 pounds 25c Fard Dates, 2 pounds 25c

Section Honey, each .. 20c, 25c Christie's Short Bread, pack-Select Oysters per quart. 50c

John Diprose

Dundas and Ridout Streets. Dundas and Wellington Str.



Friday Dec. 20

STORE NEWS TODAY.

Store Open Tonight From 7:30 to 10 o'Clock Deliveries: 9 a. m., 1 and 4 p. m.. Closed From 6 to 7:30 p. m.

FORENOON SHOPPING

Come in the forenoon and see how much easier your shopping is done. You'll accomplish more in one hour in the morning than in two in the afternoon. You'll also gain the advantage of first selection of all money-saving offerings which are always laid cut in the morning, and

you'll also avoid the inconvenience which is experienced in the hum and bustle of the afternoon. But we must express OUR APPRECIATION of the GOOD HUMOR and CHEER-FULNESS of the CUSTOMERS, who seem just to understand the situation these busy days, and are showing every consideration for the salesclerks, who are doing their utmost to give EVERY ONE THEIR BEST ATTENTION.

Handkerchiefs in Christmas Boxes For the Children. For Ladies,

35c and 75c White, with pretty colored borders and colored initials.

All pure linen. Half dozen in box, for, only 75¢ Children's, all white, with white initial, three in box, for,

75c and \$1.00 Ladies' White Pure Linen

Handkerchiefs, initialed, half dozen in box, for, only \$1.00 Ladies' Plain Handkerchiefs,

For Gentlemen, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, full size, halidozen in box, for, only \$1.50 Men's Plain, All Pure Linen all pure linen, half-dozen in Handkerchiefs, half-dozen in

These are most popular Christmas Gifts. The fancy boxes are very attractive, and the quality of the Handkerchiefs excellent, and all pure linen. Don't wait until the last day if you want certain initials, some of the letters you require may be all gone. Select now, and if you wish, have your choice reserved.

Holly Handkerchiefs, Embroidered, Only 30c Each

These are very attractive and dainty. The most Christmas-like of all, with dainty sprays of holly in each corner. Only a limited quantity of these now in stock. Each..... 30¢

Ladies' Lounging Robes, \$4.00 to \$12.50

A handsome assortment in German Velour, in floral and Oriental designs, light and dark colors, from, each \$4.00 to \$10.00

Hand-Quilted Jap Silk Robes, in pretty shades of pale blue, pink, light gray, cardinal, and black, lined with self or contrasting colors, Some plain and others handsomely embroidered, from, each\$8.75 to \$12.50

Girls' Eiderdown Robes, warm and comfortable, in pale blue, cardinal and gray. Sizes for girls 4 to 16 years old. Price according to size..... \$1.50 and \$2.00

Ladies' Wapperette Kimonas, in paisley patterns. Splendid selection of colors, and extra value at, each\$1.35

An Extra Long Table Cloth for Your Christmas Gathering

We have just received some handsome new styles. Designs are entirely new, and Christmas season always brings a demand for the long-length Tablecloths. These new Cloths are 2 to 21/2 yards wide, and 31/2 to 4 and 5 yards long, at, each, \$4.75 and up, and Napkins to match all sizes.

Tablecloths and Napkins, for Christmas Gifts. We are showing remarkable values in all sizes, sets or single cloths.

The New Underskirting

Dresden Moreen, 27-inch, at 45c yard. Just in. See the new American Underskirting called Dresden Moreen. This will fill a long-felt want. The medium weight. Rustles like silk. Will . not crack or cut. In brown, gray, navy, green

STORE CLOSES Smallman & Ingram

fact they have lost only four prison-

The policy in regard to the county

FARM SYSTEM FOR COUNTY JAILS To Suffer From Headaches

Toronto, Dec. 19.—Provincial Sec- to rise higher. When they get to the retary W. J. Hanna is considering a top class they are given almost absoradical change in the policy in regard lute liberty, but notwithstanding this to the jails of the Province.

Mayor Coatsworth and Controllers ers by escaping. Harrison and Hubbard waited on the Toronto jail would be built out-Provincial Secretary Wednesday and side the city limits, and a large area discussed the question of the control purchased for the purpose of estabof the Toronto jail. From the remarks made by the Pro-

vincial Secretary it would appear that jails will also be changed. At many the former course will be adopted, not periods of the year these are comparonly with Toronto jail, but all the atively empty. The Government becounty jails throughout the Province. lieves that there are too many of The Provincial Secretary favors the them and the plan under considerafarm system of dealing with criminals, tion is to group them, having one large which has been adopted with so much one for several counties. The farm visited that institution and was much nection with these. than deprave the criminal.

in the lower ones given an incentive tem.

success in Cleveland. He recently system will also be adopted in conmpressed with the methods there, Inspector James L. Hughes, who is which had a tendency to elevate rather in California, has been asked by the

lishing the system here.

Provincial Secretary to visit Cleve-Under this system prisoners are land when on his return journey, and placed in different classes, and those report to the Government on the sys-

Makes Life Miserable. .

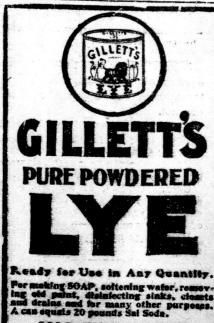
It takes a person that has had and is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbings, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, purely indicates that there is something the matter with the stomach or bowels. To the fact that Burdock Blood Bitters reaches every part of the system is due its success in relieving and permanently curing headache. It has proven a specific for the malady in all its forms.

Mr. Wm. R. Gilchrist, New Mills, N.B., writes: "I was troubled for years with constipation and headaches, but after using four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I am

Mr. John T. Kidner, Red Deer, Alta. writes: "I was troubled for several years with headache. I tried a number of remedies but they did me no good. I tried a bettle of Burdock Blood Bitters and it cured me completely."

For sale at all Druggists and Dealers.



E.W. GILLETT COMPANY

SOLD EVERYWHERE.

Petrolea, Dec. 19.—The inquiry into the ing of importance had been learned, explosion of nitro-glycerin which occur- though a couple of witnesses testified to red here on Oct. 17 adjourned from 10 having seen a square piece of timber, a o'clock this morning to 1 o'clock this part of the plant, burning immediately

THE PETROLEA EXPLOSION INQUIRY

afternoon. Joseph Rogers, provincial after the explosion. The appearance of coroner, of Toronto, presided, and Messrs. this stick showed it had been smoldering A large number of witnesses were sub. in question, asked by the counsel present, poenaed, and a number of them put in caused much amusement among many oil the box this afternoon and evening. Noth-producers present.

BELL ASK \$4,000,000 Pure Maple Sugar, per cake,

Olives, per bottle, 10, 15, 20, 40c Pure Coffee, best in the city 40c Buy your Christmas supplies at

TWO POPULAR STORES.

W. Hanna, of Windsor, and Jr C. Judd. for an hour or more. A number of questions as to the properties of the explosive they are very anxious to acquire the

That Is Price to Sell Out to the Manitoba Government.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 19.-President Sise, of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, continues in conference towith reference to the sale of the com-President Sise said, in reply to a ques- job. tion: "Yes, we will sell our system in Manitoba. If you have \$4,000,000 we

can talk business." Mr. Sise said he did not anticipate that the Bell Company would suffer by the introduction of the public system in Manitoba. The Alberta Government had started a public system After Dinner in that province, and the competition had not interfered with the Bell. In fact, it was connected with their system in many of the long-distance

The Government have made statement, but it is understood that !

Bell system in the province, as it would save them the great expense of duplication. If the Bell system is sold out in Manitoba there is no doubt that a similar proposition will be made to both Saskatchewan and Al-

Henry Williams, a negro, of Hamilton, was arrested for selling a forday with the Manitoba Government, eign laborer a little sack for \$5, to be worn about the neck, and which pany's line in the province. Today was supposed to get the wearer a

Chancellor Boyd, at Cobourg, dismissed the suit of the Judge Clark estate for \$500 damages for a nuisance in the form of an engine in Wm. Pratt's bakery.

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take

Hood's Pills

the best remedy for diarrhea.

Meeting

to discuss the

Niagara Power

Bylaw

present to address the meeting.

The public are requested to at

J. C. JUDD, Mayor.

sion of this important matter.

INSURANCE.

THE ARCHIBALD McPHERSON

INSURANCE AGENCY

FIRE, PLATE GLASS AND ACCIDENT.

the bylaw to speak.

Representatives of the hydro-

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS. No Advertisement Accepted Less Than

Fifteen Worde. Meetings-When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.

Articles For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodging, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements-First insertion, one cent & word; each subsequent insertion, onehalf cent per word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DEATHS. WALLING-On Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1907 in Denver, Col., Capt. S. A. Walling, in his 75th year. ALLISTER-At Buffalo, N. Y., on Dec.

1907, Peter B. Allister. Funeral private, from the residence of his son, Mr. Angus Allister, 624 York street, on Saturday, Dec. 21, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

SCHOLZ-On Dec. 19, 1907, at her residence, "Stone House," Stratford, in her 78th year, Jane Hill Scholz, widow of the late J. S. Scholz, and mother of Mrs. 8. J. Radeliffe, city.

Funeral from her late residence, Stratford, on Saturday, at 3 p.m.; service at

DELAY-In Chicago, on Dec. 17, 1907, John Maurice Delay, son of the late Daniel Delay, aged 43 years.

Funeral Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from 24 Blackfriars street, West London, to St. Peter's Cathedral Friends and acquaintances please accept this inti-260 mation.

AMMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND TONIGHT AND CUSTER'S | Matinee, 15c, 25c. Night prices, 15c. 25c. 35c. 50c. LAST Seats selling. FIGHT BEST MELODRAMA THIS SEASON.

BENNETT'S Two Performances Daily. Grand Comedy WELCH, FRANCIS & CO.,

In "The Flip Mr. Flop."
7-OTHER FEATURES-7 A turkey given away at every matinee

THE BIJOU DREAM

INAUGURATE NEW ENTERTAINMENT. Continuous vaudeville, moving pictures, vocal, instrumental, etc., etc.
SHOW LASTS ONE HOUR.

Liverpool, Deo. 27. Rates and sailing folders, at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond TO LET - A GOOD BRICK BUILDING. street, next Bank of Commerce.

AUDITORIUM EVENING FRED EMERSON BROOKS. Humorist and Entertainer.

SCOTLAND Spend New Year's in Scotland. New steamship Grampian, 11,000 tons, sails, Boston to Glasgow, Dec. 24. F. B. Clarke, igent Allan Line, Richmond street, next

Course tickets, \$1. Y. M. C. A. Course.

ONE-DAY DOG SHOW-LONDON CANINE Friday, Dec. 27, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. in the City Hall Richmond street tries free. Open to all recognized breeds. Dogs to be in charge of owner or care-taker, and provided with collar and taker, and provided with contact taker, and provided with contact chain. Entries received by the secretary, Dr. Fred L. Wood, up to Thursday evenwith collar and

VICTORIA RINK-SKATING TONIGHT Saturday afternoon. Corner Adelaide

SIMCOE STREET RINK (ENLARGED)-Skating tonight, also Saturday after noon. Band Saturday night. Good ice Phone 1608.

WESTMINSTER RINK - CADET BAND tonight. Grand ice. Admission: Ladies, 10c; gentlemen, 15c. Open afternoons.

ONLY EAST END ICE RINK-AFTER NOONS and evenings. Skating tonight 10c only. Children, 5c, afternoons 26u-xv

SKATING TONIGHT - LADIES FREE End Rink, corner York and Rectory.

PRINCESS ICE PALACE-GRAND OPEN-ING, Monday evening, Dec. 23. By per-mission of Lieut-Col. Reid and officers, Seventh Regiment Band, General admis sion, 15c; children, 10c. Gentlemen's sea-son books containing 50 coupons, \$4; ladies and children, \$3 50. Boxes, skates and straps for rent. Doors open at 7:30

SIMCOE STREET RINK (ENLARGED)-Skating tonight. Band Thursday night

JAN. 6, NEW DANCING TERM-BEGIN-NERS classes: Ladies, Monday; gentle-men, Tuesday evenings; children, Saturafternoon. Call or phone. Daytor

LEARN TO DANCE-PRIVATE LESSONS by R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue Season open. Call and register. 39tf

OCEAN TICKETS-MONEY EXCHANGED for steamship passengers. Gold, drafts, etc. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street. 2 MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES,

TONY CORTESE - ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers. Music furnished for all occa-sione. 161 Maple. Phone 1570. MEETINGS.

KILWINNING LODGE, NO. 64, A., F. AND A. M., Masonic Temple, this (Friday) evening, 7:30. Visitors velcome. J. S. Walker, W. M.; R. W. Glover, secretary.

TEACHERS WANTED.

TEACHER, WITH NORMAL CERTIFI-CATE, for S. S. No. 11, Westminster. Address George Marr, White Oak. 25n

LIVERIES AND HACKS.

POOLE'S LIVERY, TALBOT AND YORK-Rubber-tired rigs. good horses. Phone PIRST-CLASS RUBBER-TIRED RIGS AND

hacks. Phone 838. Ross Bros., succe to Hugh Gillies, 647 Dundas street. SLATE ROOFING.

BLATE BOOFING, ASPHALT, CEMENT York etreet, London. Water Scott, 804

MALE HELP WANTED,

AMBITIOUS YOUNG MEN LEARN TELEG-RAPHY—No other profession offers bet-ter opportunities. Railways are in dire-peed of telegraphers. Send for particu-lars. Dominion School of Telegraphy. 9 Adelaide east, Toronto. lars. Dominion School of Adelaide east, Toronto.

NERGETIC MAN, WITH GOOD REFER-ENCES, to take general agency of city for Continental Life Insurance Com-pany of Toronto; also other vacancies; good contract offered. Apply between 18 and 12, Bank of Toronto Chambers. 19tf ORGANIZERS WANTED, APPLY ALFRED

Tyler, 355 Clarence street. FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—NO WASH-ING. Apply 551 Waterloo street, city. 28c EXPERIENCED CAP OPERATORS AND

lining makers. Apply Tip Top Cap Company, 438 Talbot street, Greene-Swift

WANTED AT ONCE-GOOD COOK. APPLY WANTED-KITCHEN GIRL AND HOUSE-

MAID. Apply to Housekeeper, Victoria WANTED-AN EXPERIENCED GENERAL with good references. 498 King street.

FIRST-CLASS COOK WANTED. APPLY Royal Edward, St. Marys. FIRST-CLASS MILLINER WANTED. AP-PLY at once. Box 23. Advertiser. 27c

WANTED - AN EXPERIENCED COOK. Apply J. C. Duffield, 518 Queen's avenue. WANTED-SCRUBWOMEN. DISHWASH.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST-STRING OF GOLD BEADS, WITH gold locket attached, engraved "I. M. C.."
Tuesday evening, between Central avenue Maitland. Return to this office. 28u LOST-GREEN STRIPED BELT. WITH

watch and fob attached, this morning. Reward at this office. 27c FOUND, IN A DOWNTOWN RESTURANT -A sum of money. Owner may have same on paying expenses and proving the amount and day lost. Inquire at this

\$5 00 REWARD-LOST, LADY'S BLACK purse, on Thursday, on King street, between Ridout and Ridgeway. Return to

LOST-BLACK AND TAN FOXHOUND had collar on, with owner's name and address. Reward for return to 782 Richmond street. 24tf Richmond street.

BOARDING ROOMS, ETC. BOARDERS WANTED - BIG BELL Restaurant. All new rooms and beds. \$3 50 per week. F. G. Myers, proprietor. THE LEADER RESTAURANT - ACCOM-MODATION for any number of boarders. New rooms and beds. Good meals, all

HOUSES, ROOMS. TO LET. FIRST-CLASS STORE, DUNDAS STREET, central; splendid opportunity. Apply Knott & Sangster, 101 Masonic Temple.

hours, 20 cents. C. Myers, 143 King street

three stories, suitable for manufacturing; in business part of city.

Apply to N. Mills, 1 Masonic Temple,

COTTAGE FOR RENT OR FOR SALE-Near Normal School: moderate rent. In quire 154 Tecumseh avenue, or of Knott & Sangster, Masonic Temple. 25n TO LET-SEVEN LARGE ROOMS, SUIT-

ABLE for light housekeeping; over 78 Dundas street. Apply Western Real Es-23g SEW BRICK HOUSE TO LET, ON EGER-

TON street, south o ply 746 Hill street. south of Hamilton road. Ap-FOREST CITY UNION MOVING VANS, including Biggs' business. W. A. Brough-

TO LET - MODERN HOUSE, REPAIRED throughout; No. 442 Waterloo FINE NEW HOUSE, 496 OXFORD, THOR

OUGHLY modern, 4 bedrooms, double parlors, cpen plumbing, Pease furnace, veranda, etc. Apply 185 St. James street. PEOPLE'S MOVING VANS-LARGEST IN city. A. Henderson, corner Colborne and Chespside. Phone 1724.

WANTED.

TENDERS WANTED FOR PLASTERING small house. Apply Box 21, Advertiser.

WANTED AT ONCE-TWO UNFURNISHED rooms, with board. Answer Box 27. Advertiser. K. MILROY, MANUFACTURING JEW.

ELER, will buy old gold and silver cases. BOARD WANTED BY YOUNG LADY, BY first of year; East End city prefer Box 19, Advertiser. 27 27m

WANTED TO PURCHASE-TABLES, FROM to 8 feet long. Address Box 26, this

WANTED-SECOND-HAND TYPEWRITER. in good repair; state price and make 275 King street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PROSPECTIVE ALDERMEN - IF YOU want to get reliable outdoor advertising done, tacking up cards, house-to-house distribution, etc., phone 2710. The Expert

WESTMINSTER TAX NOTICE-I WILL Saturday, the 21st and 28th of December, to receive the unpaid taxes. By order of the council. E. S. HUNT, collector. 27u

SURVEYORS. F. W. FARNCOMB, CIVIL ENGINEER and surveyor, Bank Toronto Chambers

Richmond street. MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street. DENTAL CARDS. WOOLVERTON & BROWN, DENTISTS, 218

Dundas street, over Craincross & Law-rence. Phone 822. DR. S. M. KENNEDY, DENTIST-OFFICE, 212 Dundas street. Telephone No. 2634. DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST-SPECIAL

natural teeth. 1621/2 DR. BENTLEY, DENTIST, OVER SOVER-EIGN Bank, Dundas and Adelaide. Phone

STOCK BROKERS.

VANTED - LONDON AND WESTERN Trust Company's shares. John Wright stockbroker, London. Ont. Phone 693. GARMENT CUTTING.

OUR PUPILS ACQUIRE A THOROUGH knowledge of pattern drafting, and a skillful method of preparing designs. Can copy any style. Cutting School, 243 Dun-das street.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

CHRISTMAS TREES, ANY SIZE, IN
Norway spruce, I feet, 10c each; 5 to 6
feet, 50c each; larger ones if required.
Cedar, any size, from 6 feet to 20 feet.
Send in orders to the nursery. Phone
223, or general delivery postoffice, city,
for scaffolding poles and ladder poles
from 10 to 50 feet; 50c to 51 each; cedar,
hemlock and tamarack. Orders sent in
before March can be supplied and delivered; after that date, too busy to handle
same. Baker's Nursery, Eidout street
south.

\$85 WILL BUY THREE-HORSEPOWER gasoline engine. Apply D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond.

High-Grade Rubber Boots to fit anybody at the ROWLAND HILL

SHOE STORES Our prices are always the lowest. 189 Dundas St. 429 Hamilton Road. FOR SALE-ONE STANHOPE CUTTER; IN

use one season. 116 Elmwood avenue, city. 28u A GOOD, SOUND WORKING HORSE FOR A GOOD, SOUND WORKING AND Street. sale, cheap. Apply 652 Piccadilly street.

NANNY GOAT FOR SALE-GREAT PET. kind, will drive. 328 King street, or 28u

FOR SALE-PORTLAND CUTTER. IN-QUIRE at City Weigh Scales. FOR SALE-FINE CUTTER, NEARLY new. Apply 483 York street. GOOD DRY WOOD, \$2 PER LOAD; prompt delivery. Forest City Bent Goods Company. 585 Bathurst street.

FOXTERRIER PUPPIES FOR SALE-Three months old. Apply Box 20, Advertiser.

THE LIMITED CLUB RATE OF \$1 PER year for Canada's humorous weekly lasts the balance of this year. Send in your subscription. The White Lyre, Dineen building, Toronto.

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A Public vith blood. So startled and so astounded were the members of the House and the officials that for a moment no one offered to interfere and the leader of

the minority and the member from Missouri lunged back and forth between the desks, both swaying wildly 2nd. East End Town Hall on and each in apparent danger of going down. Europel—Eye, ear. nose and throat. 478 Monday Next, Dec. 23 Blood was flowing freely from a King street. Monday Next, Dec. 23 Blood was flowing freely from a gash in Mr. Williams' cheek when

wing suit effected a separation.

Popular Member of W. C. I. Staff Presented With Book Case.

electric commission and the Niagara Power Union will be Woodstock. Dec. 19.-Mr. A. M. overholt, the retiring mathematical naster of the Woodstock Collegiate Opportunity will be given any Institute, who leaves to take a similar R. station pen to meet the 2:30 position in the London Collegiate Inpersons opposed to the passing of stitute at the commencement of the a magnificent quarter-cut oak library boro and sank. table and five sections of a sectional tend and take part in the discusbookcase, with an address, at the first meeting of the Literary Society of the W. C. I. held this afternoon.

A CANUCK DESPERADO

Caught Attempting to Rob Bullion Express Car at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Charged with making a daring attempt to rob a car 05 Masonic Temple. Phone 754 on the Buffalo express containing gold cepted a call to the Devine Street bullion while the train was standing n the Reading terminal last night, William A. Hewitt, a Canadian, who GAGE on real estate. Macpherson & gave his address as 325 West Fifteenth compared with 931 in 1905.

Perrin, 57 Dundas street. street, New York, was today held in heavy bail for a further hearing.

The train had been made up and was scheduled to leave at 8:40 p.m. via the Reading Railroad and the Lenigh Valley. One of the express cars contained \$60,000 in gold bullion, which was being shipped by the Government

Hewitt, who is 21 years old, gives and refinement, who had adopted de-PRIVATE FUNDS AT LOWEST RATES | sperate methods to secure funds. He | wages totaling \$12,741 per week. was unarmed and had but 15 cents. The young man has a mother living opened, and it is said that it is the

WHITE OAK.

White Oak, Dec. 19. - Mr. Claude Learn surprised his friends on Saturday night by his arrival home from

past year. The Sunday school anniversary of the Methodist Church was held on Sunday. Rev. George Jewet, the pastor, preached in the afternoon, and Rev. C. E. Stewart, of the Western University, London, addressed a large and appreciative audience in the evening. The entertainment given in the church on There was a good attendance at the Monday evening was a great success, meeting. \$1 50 and spoke volumes for the work and The church was artistically decorated ward to secure the election of capwith evergreens, with here and there able men. a motto suitable to the occasion. The large arch laden with gifts presented a very pretty sight, indeed. The programme was one of the best ever given in this place.

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Abram B. Rabb is dead at Windsor, Montreal's civic budgets totals \$5,*

Nelson S. Barker, of Preston, in dead, aged 24.

Thos. Williamson, of Peterboro, is dead, aged 60. Thorold was snowbound on Sature

day and Sunday. Local option is a warm issue is Thorold Township. F. O. McGlennon, of Colborne, is

Guelph Board of Trade will support the Niagara power bylaw. First Presbyterian Church, Brocke ville, celebrated its 96th anniversary, The statue of the Queen, at Hamilton, will likely be unveiled on Jan

Samuel Shantz will be reeve of Waterloo Township unopposed, it is

said. Peterboro children are not allow-Assistant Sergeant-at-arm Sinnett ed now to sleigh-ride on the side-

sprang between them, grasped Mr. walks. DeArmond and held him back, while Ald. Sutherland and Ald. Gedder representatives and attendants fol- are the mayoralty candidates in St. Thomas.

A swindler posing as a priest has MR. OVERHOLT APPRECIATED victimized Montreal people with bad checks.

Marty Rowan, a well-known bookmaker, of Hamilton, is dead at New

Orleans. A new dam and timber slide have been built on Nogey's Creek, near Peterboro.

St. Marys citizens want the G. T.

The dredge Trent, of the Trent new year, was made the recipient of Valley Canal, struck a rock at Peter-Hamilton's unemployed have the op-

a.m. train.

city at \$2 per cord. Mr. M. S. Madole has been again chosen Liberal candidate in Lennox for the Legislature. The Hamilton Beach commissioners

are asking for tenders for installing

portunity of breaking stone for the

a waterworks system. W. H. Irwin, a Peterboro runner, claims to have chased and captured a fox by the hind leg. Rev. J. E. Holmes, of Lucan, has ac-

Methodist Church, Sarnia. The total number of fatalities to workpeople in 1906 was 1,107, as There are eighteen cases of small-

Christmas trade, it is said. The safest line of industry, accordng to the report of the Minister of Labor, is the printing trade. Mr. C. A. Jelly, a C. P. R. dispatcher

of Toronto, has accepted a position

pox in Stratford. The scare has hurt

with the Costa Rica Railroad. the impression of a man of education | During 1906 some 17,746 workpeo. nle in Canada received increases of The Leamington poultry show is

The aggregate loss of time in working days in 1906 by strikes was 490. 400, as compared with 284,140 in 1905, The Peterboro Canoe Company has just turned out a canoe barge, 40 feet Chicago, where he has been for the long, for use on the Lower St. Lawrence.

> The St Thomas local crashed into the rear of a Wabash freight at Glencoe yesterday. The damage was very slight. Hon. Adam Beck delivered a speech

on power in St. Marys last evening.

Montreal manufacturers have apability of the committee in charge. pointed business committees in each

> The two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Simmons, of Galt, who was severely burned last week, died Wednesday. The tug Escort, sunk off Port

Dalhousie, is reported to be settling

deeper in the sand and is half-turned

The arbitration to fix the price to be paid by Hamilton to the Cataract Power Company, for electric lights, began yesterday. Mr. Thomas Story, of the Potts-

on her side.

of sugar roll on it. Charles Menas, a Greek who came to this country ten years ago, and pushed a cart, is going home \$100,000 to found a bank.

Clark staff. Simcoe, had his arm

Huron, may enter the Federal arena, and contest the seat made vacant by the death of Mr B. B. Gunn. Nearly half the whole number of strikes in the Dominion in 1906 took place in the Province of Ontario. 61

out of 138 strikes having occurred

George Wrighton, the C.P.R. . rein-

Harry Eilber, M. P. P., for South

eer, sentenced at Kenora to three months for misreading an order and causing the Butler wreck, has been released after serving two months. In St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, on Sunday evening, a composition of

The distinguished-looking Italian in prescription pharmacy and any one can Montreal giving his name as Count mix them: Compound Kargon, one Gatteno, was arrested on a charge of ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one- stealing \$4,000 from a Philadelphia house. Miss Effie McCallum, of Gladstone.

was played by the organist, Prof.

previous to her departure for Omaha. Neb., where she will wed Dr. C. D. Mrs. Jackulett, wife of a settler waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the at Nut Mountain, Sask., got lost in the woods, and both feet were so

was tendered a handkerchief shower

Knives and revolvers were used by three Italians in a fight on a toms as weak bladder, painful, fre- Montreal street yesterday, and one Italian and two spectators are in

At Peterboro yesterday, Elyres, a palmist, was fined \$50 and costs, and Prof. Sheppard was committed for trial on a charge of fortune-telling.

Mr. John Peageau, of Windsor, was struck by a burglar on his front doorsteps. Mrs. Pageau turned on the lights on the steps just as her husband was struck down and the man

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THE INSURANCE BILL.

pared by the insurance commission. It business for some years to come.

tion was made to follow the lines of daily delivery of mail at every farmthe New York inquiry, which was er's door would be beyond the counada today who would introduce the ern people would be taxed to provide system of elective judges. It is much these facilities in the eastern to be regretted that in so important a provinces. be an imitation of the faults of the New York laws, or any lack of independent thought and action in Canada, or any fear of the ability of those engaged in the business of life assurance in Canada to work out the best

In Canada we have taken pride in the administration of justice and claimed that it was superior to that in' the United States. There has been an equal faith and pride in our banking system. In these there has been no imitation. So, too, with our educational institutions. The business and professional men of Canada are quite equal to those of any country. Why then, when dealing with the subproached fearfully, with the assertion that the men engaged in the business ferior to those in Great Britain, and therefore, that the freedom allowed in Great Britain, although admitted by those who make the assertion to be the best, should be denied to Canada?

troduced, it is a great mistake, Far

sound principles. Let there be freedom of action, and give the insurance tion, and the result will be in the best Interests of all concerned.

RURAL MAIL DELIVERY.

Conservative member for East Lambton, was speaking to his amendment mons in favor of rural mail delivery. sistant postmaster-general, who has in charge the rural mail delivery service of the United States, was made This report shows that at the formed tri-weekly, and on nearly all to establish rural delivery with more During the year 2,312 new routes were established and 350 discontinued, leaving the net increase in the number of routes in operation 1,962. The number of pelitions pending June 30 last was 1,404. Since that date 552 petitions established or ordered established. On Oct. 1, there were 502 cases favorably reported awaiting action, leaving the net number of petitions pending on

that date 880. The interesting part of the report, \$33,793,218, and for the

The London Advertiser Company, the service rendered. The adoption of such a service in Canada would impose a financial burden, under which don.

the country would stagger.

Only a day or two before Mr. Armwhich was supported by the entire Opposition. Inconsistency is perhaps as follows: Kingston, John A. Mac- father, entered the parlor at 12 o'clock too mild a word to apply to Mr. Bor- donald; Hamilton, Isaac Buchanan; to the strains of Mendelssohn's wed-The new insurance bill, which has den and his followers. They are not sincere when they are shouting for terialists. economy, or Government owernship, or is an improvement on that measure, rural mail delivery, or any other of but it still requires amendment. The the vote-catching devices of the so-House of Commons will not deal with called Halifax platform. No one denies a more important subject during the that there is room for the developsession, and it is well that the Gov- ment and improvement of the postal ernment did not hastily follow the service. The department has done recommendations of the commission- wonders in the past ten years in aters. Their proposals would have tempting to keep up with the growth wrought much harm, while the pro- of population and the extension of posed bill, with modifications, may be the boundaries of settlement. To bring made to suit the requirements of the a daily mail service within reach of every farmer is an ideal toward which It is unfortunate that the investiga- the Government should work, but the

entered into for reasons not existing try's financial resources at the present In Canada, and which disclosed objectime. The farmers of Canada are not tionable conduct in some companies asking for a measure which would there that had no parallel here. One increase the weight of taxation so of the greatest dangers to Canada is grievously. There is no popular dean inclination in some quarters to fol- mand for it. Indeed western members low American methods rather than ap- of parliament oppose the scheme as ply our own best judgment to our own it could not be carried out in thinlycircumstances. There are men in Can- settled districts of the west, and west-

A YEAR OF MINING HORROS.

The Pennsylvania tragedy yesterday swells the appalling record of mining horrors during the present year. It is estimated that the mortality resulting from these disasters during 1907 will approximate three thousand, the greatest death list in the history of mining. Not a month but has seen States or Europe. Yesterday's calamity makes the sixteenth in the United States since the first of January. This record is particularly startling in view of the fact that much has been done to lessen the hazard of the miners' occupation. Many and explicit laws have been passed with that object in carried on special care has been taken for the protection of workers in the

avail.

The question arises, why, in spite of all the precautions taken by legislatures and mine owners, do these distressing accidents increase rather than essen in number? Doubtless lack of truth. Unless constant care is exercised by the workers in the mines, the safety lamp, care in handling explosives, sufficient means of egress, vendepartment ample powers of inspec-tilation and all other precautions are flame, the girl, who was very pretty, thrown away. In some instances fail- murmured: that notwithstanding that mining About the time Mr. Armstrong, the machinery was never so perfect as ence of the year 1907 has shown that

Mr. Tarte was never bigger than when he confessed himself beaten and attended strictly to his own business But to the simple shepherds of the plain

The Conservative press of Canada thoroughly hopes that Mr. Lemieux has failed in his mission to Japan. Its interest in the yellow peril is simply a

Two leading Democrats had a free fight on the floor of Congress vestermode of warfare than slandering one another under the shelter of parlia-

Wilfrid Laurier on a stumping tour vantage over Sir Wilfrid-he would hear a lot of good speeches from straw. somebody else.

striking several minutes apart to the To pay carriers for the cur- neighbors ought to be in agreement.

The Christmas number of the Farmers' Advocaté is an attractive-looking being liberally illustrated. The clear shortage of teachers the board of educa-While there is, of course, vast dif- and concise statement of facts and toin has requested its common elementary ference between the population of this figures in connection with the Great country and that of the United States, International Live Stock Show at Chi- to increase the supply.

there is little difference in area, and in cago, in which Canadian exhibitors the carrying out of rural mail deliy- were more successful than ever, will ery system, area cuts a large figure. be read with interest by all classes. TWO EDITIONS DAILY - WEEKLY. For next year it will cost the United The current number fully sustains the States, according to estimate, close on well-earned reputation of the Farmers'

FIFTY YEARS AGO.

[From the Globe of 1857, Dec. 18.] Mr. Carling, the Ministerialist candidate, is undoubtedly elected for Lon-This result has been anticipated some time. London is a Tory one as popular ready to take his place. guests. Other members so far returned are Frontenac, Henry Smith; North Sim-

THE BELLS OF SHANDON.

[Father Mahoney.] With deep affection And recollection I often think of Those Shandon bells, Whose sounds so wild would In the days of childhood Fling round my cradle Their magic spells

On this I nonder Where'er I wander, And thus grow fonder Sweet Cork, of thee-With thy bells of Shandon. That sound so grand on Of the River Lee.

I've heard bells chiming Full many a clime in, Tolling sublime in Cathedral shrive; While at a glib rate Brass tongues would vibrate; But all their music Spoke naught like thine.

For memory dwelling On each proud swelling Of the belfry, knelling Its bold notes free, Made the bells of Shandon Sound far more grand on The pleasant waters

AN ESSENTIAL. [Life.]

Mrs. Bloodgood-Would you be willing to marry a nouveau riche?

> MAKING IT EASY. [Lexington Gazette.]

France has 19 divorce courts, Germany

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE. [Longfellow.]

On England's annals, through the long Hereafter of her speech and song. That light its rays shall cast From portals of the past.

A Lady with a Lamp shall stand In the great history of the land, A noble type of good, Heroic womanhood.

Nor even shall be wanting here The palm, the lily and the spear, The symbols that of yore Saint Filomena bore.

POOR GEORGE.

Pittsburg Dispatch. Miss Iva de Chipenham, a lecturer, of New York, holds that beautiful thoughts placed make beautiful faces and .figures, and

Chipenham, in an interview in Chicago, sideration. 'you cannot, perhaps, add a cubit to your shoulders, and sponge wrinkles away. "Our thoughts mold our faces, form our expression. Thus they give us away. They thought of a Chicago girl once gave her

winter evening with a young man. A fire of oak logs blazed in the grate, and, look-

'How divine, my dearest Hilary-"But the young man frowned and 'Hilary?' he asked. 'You mean George,

"The girl flushed and bit her lip. 'Oh, dear,' she said; 'how silly of me I thought this was Saturday night."

THE CHRISTMAS STAR. [Helena Coleman, in Christmas Globe,

Toronto. Not to the busy dwellers of the town, Filled with their dreams of state And pleasure, early, late. Nor to the mighty ones of far The self-sufficient great;

Who watched their flocks by night, The tidings came—the light Of that immortal star of love and pain Broke on their wondering sight.

Not to the busy throng upon life's street With restless, eager gaze, Threading the crowded ways-

Whose painful souls and pleasure-loving

Pause not for prayer or praise But to the watchers on the hills of peace Who, silent, look afar-Whose hearts as temples are Filled with the glory of a great release,

Shines forth the Christmas star. AS CLEAR AS DAY. [Punch.]

First Farmer-And wot's do 'ee give yur Second Farmer-Oh, I gies 'em plenty

when it's a bad year for straw? Second F.-Well, when it's a bad year for straw, well there ye be. First F .- Ay, that's right enough. Second F.-But when it's a good year for straw, and there's plenty o' straw about, well, there ye be agen. First F.-Ah, that's right enough

NOT ENOUGH SCHOOLMA'AMS.

[New York Sun.] There is a dearth of schoolma'ams the public elementary schools here. Although over 900 new teachers were appointed in October, there are more than 300 vacancies in the public schools today. In order to find the reasons for such

CARROTHERS-EAGAN

Wedding at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. James Eagan, Westminster.

"The Maples," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Eagan, Westminster Township, was the scene of a most interesting event at high noon on Wednesday, when their eldest daughter, Mamie Gertrude, was united in marriage to Charles N. Carrothers, a popular place, and it was only the talents and young farmer, of the same township. popularity of Mr. John Wilson that se- The ceremony was performed under strong's speech, Mr. Cockshutt deplor- cured it for the Liberal party. Mr. an arch of white bells and roses, by Communicate with the Circula- ed the present national expenditure, Wilson declined another nomination Rev. R. N. Barnby, B. D., of Belmont, and moved a resolution to this effect for private reasons, and there was no in the presence of about 75 invited

The bride, accompanied by he ding march, rendered by Miss Edna coe, Angus Morrison. All are Minis- M. Taylor, of London. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white silk mull, mounted on liberty satin and further enriched with exquisite real Irish lace and yolk sewn with seed pearls. Her veil was surmounted with orange blossoms which were worn by her mother on her wedding day, and she carried a beautiful bouquet of white

> The bride's sister, Miss May A., of London, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Aston Carrothers, of Toronto, cousin of the groom, was best man. The bridesmaid wore mauve silk peau de soie, mounted upon mauve taffeta, with trimmings of duchess lace and panne velvet and carried mauve roses. After a dainty wedding breakfast the happy couple left for western points, the bride traveling in a smartly tailored suit of brown broadcloth, with hat to match. The esteem in which the young couple are held by their many friends, was evidenced by the numerous and costly presents they

THE OTHER SIDE

Liquor Men Ask Government to Aid Them in Bylaw Case

Toronto, Dec. 19 .- Asking for what they consider to be only fair treatment, a deputation representing the liquor men of Collingwood waited en the Provincial Secretary this morning. Collingwood next January will be called upon to vote on a bylaw raising the price of liquor licenses to \$2,500. The Government have notified the total abstinence people that they will pay the costs of defending such bylaws when they are attacked, for the purpose of testing this law, and the liquor men consider that in such cases its catastrophe either in the United 28, England one, and the United States it is only fair that the Government should pay the costs, or part of them, of attacking the bylaw, since it is in the public interest that the law should be fairly understood. As the law now stands, municipalities may submit to the electors a bylaw increasing the amount which licensees pay to any sum, but the point has been raised that the fixing of an excessive figure may practically amount to prohibition. Such action has been regarded as being a breach of the licensing act.

In the case of Collingwood local option was defeated at the last poll by twelve votes. It was then proposed that the price of licenses should be raised to \$2,500, but the objection above mentioned was raised, and finally the amount of \$2,500 was decided The liquor men evidently intend to contest the legality of the bylaw, should it pass, and wish to be that ugly thoughts deform, even as un- the payment of expenses of a test case. The Provincial Secretary prom-"By taking thought," said Miss de ised to give the matter serious con-

EDISON ON KELVIN

Wizard Says That He Was the Master-Mind of Science

West Orange, N. J., Dec. 19 .- Thos Edison, in an interview, expressed great regret at the death of Lord Kelvin, who had been his friend for 5

"Lord Kelvin certainly had the master mind in science, for the world seldom sees such a man as he was," said Edison. "First of all, he was great as a mathematician, and then he developed into the greatest of scientists. I think it is safe to say that he gave more attention to such subjects as the power of the tides and the properties of the crust of the earth than any

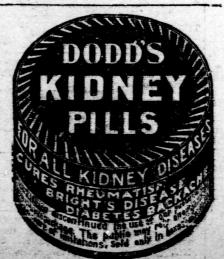
other scientist. "Kelvin may truly be said to have been the life and soul of the Atlantic cable, and they are still using the instruments which he invented so many years ago. It is a matter of history that he was also identified with practically all the other great cables which have been laid."

WITTE WOULD TESTIFY

Irritated by Statement of Kuropatkin in the Stoessel Trial.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 20. - Irritated at the testimony given at the trial of Gen. Stoessel by Gen. Kuropatkin, yesterday, Count Witte has addressed a letter to the court begging an opportunity to appear on the witness

Gen. Kuropatkin's testimony was t the effect that before the war with Japan he had recommended the abandonment of Port Arthur, and the re storation of the Kwang Tung Peninsula to the Chinese, who were to pay \$125,000,000 for it, and that he considered that the opening of Port Dalny destroyed the strategic importance of Port Arthur.



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Salad Bowls

Shaving Mugs

Ornaments

Mayonnaise Dishes Mayonnaise Sets Cake Plates

Card Tray Tobacco Jars Art Glass Flower Baskets Bouillon Cups Sardine Sets Cut Glass Perfume Bottles Biscuit Jars Celery Trays Almond Dishes Crumb and Brush Sets Antique Ornaments Sugars and Creams Chocolate Pots Candle Sticks

Bread Tray

Vases

Vases Baskets Trays Wall Placques Venetian Glass Smoking Sets Syrup Jugs Salad Bowls Rack Plates Spoon Trays Jewel Boxes Cracker Jars Candle Sticks Fancy Ornaments Comb and Brush Trays Chocolate Pots Egyptian Ware Card Receivers

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ifully finished taffeta silk, 20 inches wide; in dress

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Health of Canadian Women

A Subject Much Discussed At Women's Clubs-The Future of s Country Depends on the Health of Its Women.



Mothers a prominent New York doctor Ont., writes: told the 500 women present that healthy Dear Mrs. Pinkham :women were so rare as to be almost

of the condition of women. Yet how many do you know who are perfectly well and do not have some trouble arising from a derangement of the lemale organism which manifests itself in headaches, backaches, nervousness, that bearing-down feeling, painful or irregular periods, pelvic catarrh, displacement of the female organs, indigestion or sleepleseness? There is a tried and true remedy for all these ailments. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored more Canadian women to health regulates, strengthens and cures diseases of the female organism as nothing else neral debility, indigestion, and nervous than all other remedies in the world. It can. For thirty years it has been curing the worst forms of female complaints.

should be convincing. Mrs. Anna McKay of 326 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, Ont., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkliam :-"Being a mother of five children, I had had experience with the general troubles of my sex. I was lacerated when one of my children was born, and from that hour date all of my afflictions. I found that within a few months my health was impaired, I had fem the weakness and serious inflammation. I became weak and dizzy, but kept on my feet, dragging through my work without life or pleasure. A neighbor to write her for advice. The present who had been helped by taking Lydia E. Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Pinkham's Vegetable Compound insisted that I take at least one bottle. I did so and her decease, and for twenty-five years felt so much better that I kept on the treatment and it made me a strong and well woman. The few dollars I spent for the woman. The few dollars I spent for the cine have restored thousands to health. medicine cannot begin to pay what it was cine have restored thousands to health.

Held in the Y. M. C. A.

Building.

"Resolved, that we, the mission-

ary laymen and clergymen of the

city of London, go forth to our

various denominations and prom-

ulgate the work of foreign and

ed to communicate with Mr. F. S.

Brockman, international college

secretary of the Y. M. C. A., in

China, with headquarters in New

York, in reference to having him

address rallies of all the denomina-

tions of this city on the 10th and

17th of next month, at a meeting

devoted to the holding of meetings

for hearing addresses on the mis-

"That the week of Jan. 13 be

The above resolution was carried

missionary laymen at the Y. M. C. A.

every denomination was represented.

Mr. C. R Keenleyside occupied the

dinner many enthusiastic speeches

The addresses were entirely infor-

The Speakers.

place to be decided upon later.

"That the executive be instruct-

home missions.

sionary movement."

were delivered.

privilege of the floor.

At the New York State Assembly of Miss Helena McKinnon of Sand Bay,

"I consider Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the best medicine in the This seems to be a sweeping statement world for a woman sick and weak from exhaustion, irregularities and overwork. I have found from personal experience that it is all and more than it is recommended to be. I only wish that every sick wornan would try it, for it cured me of suppressed periods and irregularity, and has cured many of my friends of the same difficulty, in fact all who have used it have nothing but good to say of its efficacy. Please accept a grateful woman's thanks for all it has accomplished in my case."

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful periods, weakness, pelvic catarrh, displacements, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation, prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, Such testimony as the following hould be convincing.

Mrs. Anna McKay of 326 Spadina and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. No other medicine in the world has received such unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles. Refuse to buy

any other medicine, for you need the best. Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. The present her decease, and for twenty-five years Address, Lynn, Mass.

Canon Dann stated that in his opin-

subject. He would like to see meet-

at the various churches, and finish up

clared to be out of the question, first

and second, because of difficulty in

A Great Preacher.

"Not many churches have these en-

Monthly Meetings.

Secure a Chart.

brated speaker on foreign missions in

the persons of the Rev. Mr. Patter-

It is probable that Mr. Brockman,

who has spent fifteen years in China, will address one rally, and Dr. Smith

Ladies will be admitted to the

"Monthly meetings strike

fancy," said ex-Mayor Spencer.

with a grand rally.

this matter," he said.

could be indulged in."

son Smith, of Ireland.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds where Others Fail.

Resolution Adopted at Banquet Evans Davis, Rev. Dyson Hague, Rev. D. S. Hamilton, Rev. James Rollins,

Laymen Further Mission Movement

MEDICOS' BANQUET

(Continued from Page One.)

tario is growing, Canada is growing, and needs men, trained men-men such as the universities are turning In Canada there are no privileged classes. We have the men, good men, strong men, men who can and will develop and shape the nation's presenting the play numbers 40 peodestiny. Canada has a great future. We are pessimists if we do not know ed Indians, cowboys, scouts and solportunities such as our fathers never is carried by the organization. knew. Someone has declared that the mission of the United States is to vulgarize America. Canada must take care not to allow herself to be debased by copying American customs.

Pompous Excesses. "The extravagance of living, pomous excesses and barbarous display of riches form something full of warning to Canadians. All over the world America is typified by a slavish worship of money. This is fatal to its intellectual development. There is

a debasing professionalism in sport. It is infinitely worth Canada's while to take these essons to heart and profit by them. If in her early development we seize upon these fatal defects we will invariably follow in the footsteps of our neighbors, and in the course of a short time be even worse than they We need to preach the gospel of public honor and simplicity, and live

"We must cultivate a higher spirit. We are unfortunately so environed and surrounded by American materialism that we need the strength of the gods to emerge untarnished as a nation. Do not turn aside from public auty. There is still need for sacrifice and labor in behalf of the com-

"Everyone should take his full share in the responsibilities of government,

Dr. McKay, of Ingersoll, said he was glad to see that Canada was beginning to come to the front as a na-We are no worse Canadians because we love England, Ireland and Scotland.

Dr. McKay made a strong plea for conducting sports in an honest and straightforward manner. The city, he thought, could not possibly make any mistake in making the Western University a civic institution, and he would favor a Government grant also. Dr. McKay, in conclusion, spoke of

Dr. Eccles, in replying to the toast for the faculty, read a message of re- tractively is here shown. The shaping gret from Sir John Carling that he is so ingenicusly arranged that there

the great strides Canada is making.

the Medical School from its com- cut in square or round neck effect, mencement until the present time, and and the corset cover may be finished spoke most hopefully of its future. with hem or box pleat closing, and Dr. Hobbs, of Guelph, speaking for the graduates, outlined the difficulties with or without the sleeves and skirt the students had to face twenty years portion. A lace beading, run with ago, in a most humorous style, and his ribbon and outlined with a narrow

Sister Institutions.

Rev. E. B Lanceley, Rev. Mr. Mac- tions" was responded to by Mr. Fa- full at the waistline in the back. Ba-Kay, Mr. C: R: Somerville, ex.-Ald. der, of Toronto University, and Mr. tiste is the material chiefly used for Wyatt, ex-Mayor W. M. Spencer, ex- Cotman, of Queen's, both of whom these little garments, while finer ones Ald. Armstrong, Canon Dann, Rev. J. spoke briefly, conveying the best are frequently made of handkerchief G. Stuart, Secretary Wilson, of the Y wishes of the universities they repre-M. C. A., and Postmaster John Cam- sented to the Western, and wishing of 36-inch goods are needed. them all prosperity in the future.

The Undergraduates.

ion the clergymen should not be in Messrs. Ross and McMillan replied front in the missionary movement, but in the rear, urging the laymen on to to the toast of the "Undergraduates," and their remarks dealt with the lives of those young gentlemen in the early Chairman Keenleyside suggested a stages of their college career. week's campaign on the missionary The toast list was closed by Mr.

dress on the good qualities of "The to Ladies.' During the evening a number of The speaker suggested the Armories musical selections were rendered by as the rallying place, but this was de-Mr. Cyril Dwight-Edwards, who was because of lack of heating facilities, Wheeler. accompanied by Mr. Charles

Those Present.

J. H. Birch, M. D.; P. C. Banghart, "While in Washington a few weeks M. D., Dorchester; George A. Henry, ago," said Mr. Wilson, "I had the J. E. McGillicuddy, M. D.; W. M. ananimously at the banquet of the pleasure of hearing such men as Rob- Shoebotham, M. D., W. J. Stevenson. ert Spear, John Arnott and Wm. Jen- John D. Wilson, George W. Neely, N. nings Bryan, but none of these im- C. James; A. T. Hobbs, M. D., Guelph; Some sixty odd laymen and clergy-men of the city were present, and pressed me so much as Mr. F S. A. McKay, Ingersoll; J. S. Willison, Brockman." (Cries of "Hear, hear.") Toronto; F. R. Eccles, Rev. E. B. Noon-hour speeches were advocated Lanceley, T. K. Holmes, Rev. W. by the Rev. Mr. Davis, who declared Rutledge, Rev. E. H. Sawers, G. A. chair, and at the conclusion of the that when the Hon. Adam Beck want- MacCallum, J. Dearness, J. D. Balfour. ed votes he visited the carshops at D. M. Cameron, J. W. Crane, John A. ledge, J. Wishart, Dr. H. A. McCallum, "It is the working classes to whom mal, and everybody was given the we must look for assistance chiefly in Dr. William J. Fischer; Dr. W. E. Postmaster Cameron advocated the placing of weekly envelopes in the B. Gerrard, John Macpherson, James measure. Jarvis, W. C. Fitzgerald, C. B. Ed- senting the age. It is not necessary to son, Nelson George, T. Blake Ramsay, velopes," said he, "and the contributions could be easily doubled if they L. Anderson, Thomas R. Phipps, W. S. Rhycard, J. F. Duncan, R. Childs, C. E. Brown, E. F. Jeffries, H. C. L. my Lindsay, G. H. Farquharson, J. D. "At Collins, R. J. Gordon, A. T. Stockthese meetings reports could be ren- well, H. R. Stanfield, W. S. Hodgins, dered of the progress made during the James M. Taylor, W. H. McFarlane, past month, after which earnest prayer E. P. Bucke, W. A. Burgess, W. R. Marshall, A. E. Shore, W. H. McGuffin, H. J. Stephens, W. V. Harcourt, Ex-Ald. Armstrong suggested that Ira D. Cotnam, W. R. Fader, W. G. a chart such as used by Mr Campbell Hutchison, V. Trottier, A. R. McMil-White, at the recent laymen's meeting len, R. A. Worthington, L. E. Downing, Norman R. Henderson, W. A. "Figures go farther than mere state- Thomson, W. J. Tillmann, Dr. W. J. Weekes, T. A. McDougall, N. B. Al-Other speeches were along similar exander, R. G. Kelly, W. G. Russell, lines to the extracts given. All the M. D., A. I. Danks, M. D., J. M. Adspeakers expressed confidence that ams, M. D., H. Stevenson, V.S., Wm. the missionary work will receive much A. Martin, G. L. Clark, M. D., J. B. the missionary work will receive much greater support in the future than in John E. Kidd, Garee Poisson, H. C.

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Rev. E. B. Lanceley spoke briefly in reply to the toast to "The Learned riched with lace insertions. This reply to the toast to "The Learned riched with lace insertions. This Professions." trimming may, however, be varied to suit the individual taste. The body The toast to the "Sister Institu- portion is full in front and slightly linen. For the medium size 1% yards

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(Chapter 6)

Cutting Sewing

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meeting last evening. The was little do-

The matter of the appointment of a pended up to \$212,571 77. building inspector was discussed, but the committee did not wish to make an appointment until it was known what was Sidewalks . required of a building inspector. City Engineer Graydon was instructed

to prepare a statement of the qualifications required for the position. Manager King, of the London Street Railway, appeared before the committee regarding the use of cement filler in the

new Dundas street payement, but no action was taken. A statement of the local improvements Cooper, City Engineer Graydon and Secrefor the year was submitted.

The board of works held its regular | The sum of \$156,931 77 was spent in such The appropriation for the committee mounted to \$51,640, bringing the total ex-The summary is as follows: 37,514 07 Curbs and gutters

Total Appropriation Grand total Those present were: Ald Matthews (chairman), Ald. Rose, Ald. Saunders, Ald.

Addition To West London Church

The annual Christmas entertainment were ably assisted by the organist, Mr. of Kensington Methodist Sunday Albert Brewe. School was held last night, and took The Sunday School is growing rapthe form of a cantata, "Jolly Time idly and is much larger than it was illness to be present last night. A large evergreen arch was erected The officials have decided to build both teachers and scholars.

a year ago.

filled with all kinds of presents for a large addition to the church at once. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Freeman, had The entertainment was under the sufficiently recovered from his recent direction of the lady teachers, who illness to be present last night

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4. The church in Milverton asked to Synod of Huron Executive Makes proceeds to be applied on their new be allowed to sell their old church, one. Granted

5. St. James', Euphrasia, asked leave to mortgage for \$1,000 a building costing \$3,000. Granted.

will be invested and managed by the work if the material were provided. Trust and Guarantee Company of To- This was referred to the bishop, who ronto. This agreement was reached intimated that if proper arrangements yesterday by the synod executive, can be made a donation might be when the matter was thoroughly dis- given them from confirmation offerings.

Diocesan Commissioner.

was decided to transfer the funds to a trust company for investment, as it a rearrangement of the boundaries of was thought such an arrangement the parish, but it was decided to lay would be more profitable and better for the matter over until a subsequent meeting of the executive. Several applications for the con-

the Toronto company were considered meeting of the executive. the more favorable and were accepted. It was decided to prepare a leaflet The transfer will be arranged as soon for the guidance of clergy coming into as possible. The company will work the diocese, showing them their duties

vestment committee of the diocese. The attendance of representatives A communication was received from was good. the Diocese of Niagara regarding the establishment of a genral office for the W. LONDON BLAZE administration of the funds of the several dioceses, but the matter was referred to a committee for considera-

commissioner, reported that a considerable portion of his time had been taken up in securing subscriptions for the jubilee fund. He had met with Candle Left Burning Results in generous responses, in all the congregations he had visited.

Jubilee Committee. The jubilee committee, through the commissioner, made the following report and recommendations:

Archdeacon Young, the diocesan

1. That any parish that has not yet been canvassed or that has not made Mr. John Luxton, 14 Oxford street, West adequate returns should yet be can-

named by the bishop. It was stated that \$11,166 78 has been paid in for the jubilee fund. After deducting expenses of various burning. While away the shed caught

In the hands of the synod. Applications.

asked for leave to sell part of the rectory grounds. Granted. 2. St. James' Church, St. Marys, wiped out last night.

Popular Tales from the Norse and North German.

Knowles-The Dawn at Shanty Bay. London-The Road. Oppenheim-Conspirators. Ovenham-Giant Circumstances, Oxenham-The White Fire. Baldwin-A Popular Girl.

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asked leave to mortgage to the extent of \$3,500 to pay on their new school, 3. All Saints', London, asked permission to raise a further sum by mortgage to pay cost of their building. Granted.

6. The Indians of the Saugeen reserve asked for a grant towards erecting a church, they agreeing to do the

St. John's Church, Sarnia, asked for Archdeacon Young was reappointed tract were received, but the terms of diocesan commissioner until the next

under the direction of the law and in- regarding the various diocesan funds,

COW SUFFOCATED

Loss of Animal To Mr. John Luxton.

An incipient barbecue took place last evening at the rear of the residence of London, when a valuable cow was suffo-2. That the completion of the work cated by the burning of the stable where of the jubilee committee should be the animal was sheltered. The fire was delegated to a small committee to be quickly extinguished by Chief Clark with the chemical engine.

Mr. Luxton had been working in the kinds, a net sum of \$10,055 88 remains fire and was soon burning fiercely. The firemen were soon on the scene, and while they extinguished the fire, the cow was Applications.

A number of applications were presented.

1. St. James' Church, Stratford, O'Leary's cow that caused the Chicago day, Jan. 6. Hourly service between the content of the recommendation of the recommendation

The attempt to work up interest in This scheme is brought up every few honey-making. For example, in West years and the prospects of its success Norfolk 32 hives that in average years were greater on the last occasion than Blessings brighten as they rise

fire, he pats himself on the back to think London and St. Thomas. Every two that the whole of West London was not hours between London and Port Stan-

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*3:15 a.m., 8:50 a.m., *11:13 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., *6:25 p.m. Depart for the east-*12:14 a.m. *3:20 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., *11:23 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m., (Eastern Flyer).

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MUCH INTEREST is being taken in Woodstock over tonight's big infloor baseball game between London's champion Barracks team and the prides of the Woodstock "sojers." Twenty-five of the local soldiers accompanied the team to Woodstock today to root for a victory.

THE WOODSTOCK SENTINEL-REVIEW of yesterday sagely remarks that "the Hortons, a city league team in London last year, will enter a fast team in the O. H. A. this year."

Wonder how the Review cornered that scoop?

ON NEW YEAR'S DAY the London senior Y. M. C. A. basketball team will play Stratford here. The contest should be well worth while. . . .

THAT LITTLE SQUIB from the London Mail in reference to barring Flanagan's Irish-Canadians from the Olympiad next year has aroused a storm of comment. The Canadian papers are inclined to treat the matter as a joke, although the Toronto Telegram and a few others were sarcastic in

Through a misunderstanding an item was published in these columns yesterday which stated that Mr. Stanley Brent had been in charge of a branch of the Y. M. C. A. in Toronto. Mr. Brent writes as follows: Sporting Editor, The Advertiser, London:

Dear Sir,-In reference to an item which appeared in your sporting columns of yesterday's issue, I wish you would publish this letter in the same column, in order that it may correct the idea there conveyed, that I know anything about the Payne charges against Tom Flanagan, or the Irish-Canadian Athletic Club. I never was in charge of any branch of the Y. M. C. A. in Toronto, and never had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Flanagan till last summer, and am therefore not in a position to offer any opinion for publication, beyond the fact that the C. A. A. U. officials who know Mr. Flanagan and the situation thoroughly do not put much faith in the charges. Yours v STANLEY BRENT.

Answer-It is unfortunate that Mr. Brent was quoted as having been in charge of a Toronto Y. M. C. A. As to the Payne charges, his opinion was asked, and was given, practically as published yesterday.

THE TORONTO TELEGRAM JOKER is busy again: According to Mr. Creed, of Ireland, who, hearing of the great name made by Tom Flanagan and his Irish-Canadians, traveled all the way from Limerick to Toronto to throw in his lot with them, athletes in Ireland have only one ambition in life, to wit, and namely, to save enough money to get to Canada in time to take part in the athletic boom. Whereas they used to sigh, "Farewell, dear old Ireland, I am going to New York to be a policeman," they now joyfully bound aboard the ship to the tune, "I'm off to Canada to join Tom Flanagan."

JACK ROMBOUGH, who made Hamilton his home several years ago, Is located at Wingham, where he is preparing his grand old mare, La Point, 2:0934, by Five Points, for the winter campaign. Howard Willoughby is shaping up Black Bird, 2:114, by Aleyonium Boy, 2:174, and Nat Ray is drilling his fast pacer, John McEwen, 2:081/4, by Dr. John, and also Prince Greenlander, 2:091/2, the good trotter by Greenlander. Many of the local horsemen are also getting ready for action, and reports from the east state that more horsemen than ever from that section will jump into the game strongly when the curtain goes up. There is no question about the winter sport increasing in popularity, and this winter looks to be a recordbreaker.-Hamilton Times.

ough was the winning driver at the London June meeting last

THE COMING DOG SHOW of the London Canine Association promises to be a big success. The entries do not close until the 26th of this month at 6 p.m., instead of the 19th, as first stated. Entries are solicited from all quarters, and no dog of recognized breed will be refused admission. There are any number of fine dogs in this city, and the local showing

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All the natural cavities of the body-(nose, mouth etc.) are lined with mucous membrane. This membrane is very delicate. The least exposure irritates and inflames it,-causing it to pour out the fluid mucous. The first stage is a cold. The next stage is chronic cold or catarrh. Gray's Syrup prevents Catarrh because it breaks up the cold and cures the cough. Keep a bottle on hand this winter, to cure coughs and colds and ward off Catarrh altogether. Sold by all dealers. 25c and 5oc.

Relieves Colds-Hoarseness-Cold in the Head-Coughs-Bronchitis Asthma-Pain in Chest-Night Coughs-and permits Restful Sleep.

Archer's Share

Jimmy Archer, the Toronto catcher with the champion Detroit Tigers, fared exceedingly well this season, his share of the post-season games for the world's championship gate netting him \$1,900, which, in addition to his salary of \$1.800 for the season, left him enough to live on comfortably for a few

HYMAN HALLERS

Out of Three Contests on Liberal Alley.

The Ideals visited the Liberal Club alleys last evening, and were beaten two out of three games by the Hyman Hallers. The bowling was fair.

The honors went to that good old bowler, John Martell. He took high average, with away with the best single score-203. Jimmy Murray was in good form last blue ribbon class, and look like real game, so what's the odds? trundlers just now. McMurphy and Stone have been bowling well of late, but allowed the honors last evening to go to the ship" fame, played point for the Her-

rest of the team.

bowl much better games, although the second game gave tions, and they were. them a chill. The Ideals started after them rough in the last, and won. The Ideals are going to win them all when the Hyman Hall crowd go over to the Ideal alleys next week. The score:

Brock 154 142 152-448

Worrall	179	136	133- 448
McMurphy		159	122- 431
Stone		142	135-406
Murray		157	170— 456
Totals	741	736	712-2189
Ideals-			
Judd	162	109	135- 406
Humphries	130	147	163-440
Renton	107	122	185 - 414
McLaughlin	158	177	103-438
Martell	148	176	203- 527
Totals	705	731	789—2225
Totals	700	731	789—222

C. Scott is nominally at the head of the City League trundlers, although Benny Watterworth is the real leader, having participated in more games than Scott. Watterworth's average of 165 for 21 games comes pretty close to being firstclass bowling.

However, this was expected of Captain Ben, for he has always been recognized as a crackeriack bowler

The leaders are all within easy reach of one another, and in looking the list over we must not overlook the fact that Chester Sheere is some few pumpkins nimself, being but 23 pins lower than Watterworth.

The next three men are tied for fourth place in the percentage list, although the nonors should go to R. Graham, who has ment on the debate on the immigration the largest number of pins to his credit question at Ottawa expresses the sincere in the full quota of games, 21. belief that the Laurier Administration The Midgets must be awarded the bun

for team work, for three of its members will arrange a satisfactory solution. The Standard says: "We most cordially indorse are within the first six men on the list, Mr. Sloan's confidence that Sir Wilfrid although a Cub man is nominal leader and a Kidder man second. the situation, which demands the highest The Midgets take third and sixth places, statesmanship and diplomacy.' not allowing for ties in fourth, fifth and

sixth place. Bowling on the Ideal alleys will begin again on Jan. 6. The standing:

Games. Total.

C. Scott 19	3,154	
B. Watterworth 21	3,458	
C. Sheere 21	3,435	
R. Graham 21	3,431	
W. Primeau 18	2,931	
A. Sheere 21	3,418	
J. Wilson 15	2,354	
B. Smith 21	3,276	
J. Ross 21	3,272	
L. Lackie 21	3,084	
T. Dewan 21	3,207	
J. Mason 15	2,273	
G. Chittick 21	3,171	
C. Clarke 21	3,158	
J. Abram 18	2,703	
E. Moule 21	3,106	
B. Finchamp 20	2,949	
E. Robinson 21	3,053	
C. Burgess 15	2,158	
J. Hickey 21	2,913	
W. Lashbrook 21	2,909	
R. Brooks 12 -	1,666	
C. Gunn 21	2,869	
W. Casselman 17	2.308	
C. Ward 15	2.039	
J. McIntosh 15	2,033	
W. Colclough 15	1,987	
W. Craig 17	2.210	
K. Murray 15	1,735	
W. Murray 14	1,618	
H. Murray 12	1,224	
	Tota	P
Cubs		1

There is to be a two-men team series started next week on the Ideal allays, with some good men entered, and no doubt there will be some high class bowling.

W. H. Bell, B. Watterworth. Graham, C. Scott, A. Sheere, C. Sheere. W. Primeau, L. Lackie C. W. Norman, W. Colliough.

In the United States 100 inhabitants cultivate 290 acres of and, while in Europe the proportion h: 890 acres to druggist cannot be collected if more the 100 inhabitants.

Will Apply for Reinstatement Knox Is Canada's Greatest Athlete

Is Said To Be Able To Trim in Port Arthur, and has abstained almost wholly from athletics for several months Bobbie Kerr at the 100.

Toronto, Dec. 20.-To see Walter Knox a next year in England is the fond wish of are as follows: thousands of lovers of athletics in Canada, and there is just a bare chance that their Broad jump . wishes may be realized. Knox arrived in Discus Toronto yesterday, and will stay here for Pole Orillia, where he will spend Christmas. He then expects to take up his home in Toronto, and retire permanently from Visiting Trundlers Lose Two Toronto, and retire permanently from the record. him, thus losing to Canada perhaps the It will be remembered that Knox beat

may be able to induce the governors to take a lenient view of his case. Knox has been keeping in splendid shape all setson, and his marks in practice for member of the Canadian Olympic team some of the events in which he specializes

past. He has hopes of reinstatement by

the governing union, and will apply at

once for a re-hearing in the hopes that he

24.1134 12.51/2 13-pound shot 55.4 8-pound shot ... *This is said to be equal to Ralph Rose's

greatest all-round athlete ever produced Bobbie Kerr at the C. A. A. U. championship in the 160 yards, and he claims he Knox, since his disqualification by the can repeat the trick every time they C. A. A. U., has spent most of his time meet.

HERMITS WIN A PRACTICE GAME

The local hockey season opened last "roved" in the wrong spot at the right night when the Hermits met and de- time. John Marteil. He took night average, with a feated the Hardware Store Clerks by The rest of the Clerks he but their efforts were in vain. a score of 11 to 0.

vening and bowled a good score. Vic sided, but then it was only a practice with his little whistle, and "blew" Our old friend, Walter Craig, he of "intermediate football champion-

in his efforts to slam the Liberal bowlers, ladies.
and McLaughlin was also right along in Callahan took pokes at the puck in the row. Judd and Renton did not get goal for the Hermits, but had little to Craig; cover point, Woods; center, to the alleys right, for they can both do, while "Sammie" White, the doughty Dixon; rover, Youngs; left wing, goal tender for the Clerks, was the Nichol; right wing, Turner. The Hyman Hall quintet got away to busiest man in town. Pucks seemed

> Woods at cover, was an immense success, while Turner, Nichol, Dixon, and Youngs all contributed their little mite toward scoring a victory for the

point position for the losers, and did team in the city. Phone the Sporting not do half bad. Walsh as rover, was Editor of The Advertiser (phone 134). not so bad either, only he sometimes or see Arthur Keene, King street,

new men and planning out the line of

ability, which owners all over the country are complaining of, the Eastern League is

indeed fortunate in the strength and ability of the men it has secured to manage the various clubs on the circuit. They

NEED £800.000 SUBSIDY

Times Says Government Support Is

Laurier is able to deal successfully with

The Chronicle (Liberal) also takes this

view. The Morning Post remarks that im-

perial obligation does not seem to be a

valid defense for the Canadian Govern-

ment. Why should Canada be debarred

from adopting a policy similar to Austra-

A Wellington, New Zealand, dispatch

says: Premier Ward has urged the reduction of cable rates, and expressed a will-

ingness to co-operate with Australia in in-

augurating an independent service. He

would not rest satisfied until the all-red

route was accomplished, and Pacific steamers were as easily coaled as Suez

The Financial News, in a lengthy edi-

torial, praises the Canadian banking system, which is nullit secundus. It says its

recent hint that smaller institutions would

not be so rash is in no wise intended to

discourage the great expansion of business which is the legitimate boast of the

The Times, in an article on the all-red

route, declares that all difficulties can be probably overcome with good-will.

"We cannot too strongly emphasize the

fact that our Government pledged this country to the principle, and only an ab-

solute impracticability would justify its

abandonment" It estimates that the total

annual subsidy required would be £800,000,

whereof Britain would pay nearly one-

Railroad Reduced Rates.

On account of Christmas excursions

the Grand Trunk Railway System will

sell return tickets at the following

reduced rates: Single fare, good going

Dec. 24 and 25, returning on or before

Dec. 26, 1907. Fare and one-third,

good going Dec. 21 to 25, returning on

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Oysters served in nice style;

nice steaks, at Tecumseh Grill.

any Grand Trunk ticket agent. 27u

Quick-growing vegetation is a great

trouble to railway companies in South Australia. Some \$80,000 a year is paid

for removing weeds from the roadway.

In France the bill of a physician or

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or before Jan. 3, 1908.

than two years oid.

campaign for the season of 1908.

are as follows:

Buffalo-George Smith.

Baltimore-Jack Dunn.

Jersey City-Joe Bean.

Toronto-Mike Kelly.

Montreal-James Morgan

Providence-Hugh Duffy.

Newark-Walter C. Burnham.

Rochester-Al. Buckenberger.

The rest of the Clerks helped too. The famous Clarence Tait, of Port The game was overwhelmingly one- Stanley notoriety, was on the job himself quite frequently. (No flowers, please.)

acquired fame, while Lowrey had mits and scored an immense hit both "Long Bill" Macgregor beaten forty Humphries ably seconded John Martell with the players, the referee and the ways on keeping time. The lineup Hermits-Goal, Callahan;

As goal judges Martin and Turner

Clerks-Goal, S. White; point, running start, and won the first two to be coming at him from all direc- Boyce; cover point, H. Crummer; center, H. Parsons; rover, S. Walsh; left

wing, J. Walker; right wing, J. Clark. Referee-Tait. Goal judges-Martin and Turner. Timekeeper-Lowry.

Note-The Hermits are desirous of "Charlie" Boyce cavorted about arranging practice games with any

EASTERN LEAGUE DRAGGED 20 YARDS BENEATH A CAR MANAGERS CHOSEN Woodstock, Dec. 19.-George Grant,

yardman for the Grand Trunk Rail-The Eastern League managers have all clubs are now hard at work looking for

engine could stop. He managed to be the means of reducing this margin In view of the scarcity of managerial slide ahead of the wheels and thus of error to within 50 feet or less.

Yellow

Wrapper.

way at Woodstock, got caught under globe has not been arrived at within been selected, and the heads of the variors a freight car this morning and was 1,000 feet, but Nikola Tesla says that dragged about twenty yards before the his system of wireless telegraphy will



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Special attention has been given to the selection of our varied and novel collection of Christmas goods. Unusual styles and artistic effects have been particularly sought after, and we can now offer an assortment of interesting and beautiful goods, personally selected in the English, Belgian, German and French markets.

German Art Pottery

Reproduction of antique Egyptian pottery for which the German artists are so justly

JARDINIERES, VASES, LAMPS, URNS, and ODD-SHAPED ORNAMENTS. The prices are particularly low, ranging from 35¢ to \$3.50.

French Silk Embroidery

A small but wonderfully beautiful collection of the finest examples of French art needlework, showing specially the fine ribbon work for which the French artists are noted. EMBROIDERY PURSES.

CUSHION COVERS,

AND OPERA BAGS.

Antwerp Brass

A very large assortment of Candlesticks in odd shapes; Bowls, Jardinieres, Kettles, Jugs, Steins and Vases at all prices.

Antwerp Brass is a new feature in the Canadian market and is remarkable for the fine finish, the style and the comparatively low price at which the various articles are sold.

Beidermeier Glass Steins

The new German art in glass decoration, an attractive novelty for the dining-room or plate rail, each \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Bohemian Carved Horn Pipes

A decorative as well as useful article. Very attractive for den decoration, each \$1.00 to \$4.00.

A. SCREATON & CO.

Local Items

-Mr. and Mrs. A, K. Mihell, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fewings, of 568 Colborne street, left for home via Toronto last evening.

-Tomorrow evening Fred Emerson Brooks, the well-known humorist and entertainer, will give an evening's programme in the Auditorium. This is the second number of the Y. M. C. A. course.

Subscription Contest.

The subscription contest for The not close until Tuesday, the 24th inst., the hands of perfect strangers as at the Grand Central station this Boys must at once send in all orders George W. Perkins did yesterday when morning, bewildered and frightened. they have secured.

Still Going Up. Mr. Wilmer Nelles, son of Mr. J. A. Nelles, secretary of the board of trade, of the board of directors upon his that official's like a child. has been appointed accountant on the arrival from New York Grand Trunk Pacific, with headquarters in North Bay.

Death of Capt. Walling. Word was received in the city towhich took place in Denver, Col., on

Sister Seriously III. Mr. Henry Woollatt, of 228 Colborne street, received word from Harriston today that his sister, Mrs. William Fitzgerald, is seriously ill. Mr. Woollatt left for Harriston this morn-

ments have not yet been completed.

Advertiser's New Story.

Read the first installment in tomor-Advertiser, and is well worth the reading.

Mr. Hagerman Recovering.

recovering, although still confined to state. the house.

Wants More Men.

Mr. Terry King has returned to this city again and is endeavoring to secure twenty-five more men to work on the Central American Railways. It is stated that Mr. King has secured a number of men, several of them being from outside points.

Death of Peter Allister.

The remains of the late Peter B. falo last night. Mr. Allister lived in in a very chaotic state. I thought pared with November, 1906, while the Fred Galpin, Bert Corpe, Orville his son, Mr. Angus Allister. 624 York were. I met Cotter, and I should 074, while exports of coin and bullion

Died in Stratford.

The death occurred yesterday at her residence, "Stone House," in Stratford, of Mrs. Jane Hill Scholz, widow of the late J. S. Scholz, and mother of Mrs. esteemed. The funeral will be held in Stove Fell Over.

over the other day during school he was elected." hours and started a fire. The children were in the school at the time, but none were near the stove when it fell. All went out quietly and orderly and there was no excitement. The teachers in charge soon extinguished the blaze. There was no damage to the school other than a hole being burned in the floor.

Won the Turkey.

The winner of the Christmas turkey at Bennett's yesterday afternoon was Miss Perry, of 224 Central avenue. A singular coincidence connected with the presentation is that the winning number was 1706, the number of the box office 'phone at Bennett's. A turkey will be given away every afternoon for the remaining days. The show is worth going a long way to see, and when a turkey is offered, makes it doubly interesting.

Late J. M. Delay. The remains of John M. Delay, whose fleath occurred in Chicago, from pneumonia, on Wednesday last, were brought to this city last night. Mr. Delay was for many years a prominent broom manufacturer here, but some time ago removed to Chicago. At the time of his death he was president of the Chicago Broommakers' Association. The funeral will take place to St. Peter's Cathedral on Saturday morning, interment being made at St.

Peter's Cemetery. A Poor Feeder.

come up shortly, in which two West himself from the cab at Collinwood. London residents figure. Some time ago one of them loaned the other felow a horse for the winter, with no charge save the cost of the horse's feed. Not long ago the horse died. The owner of the horse charges that the other gentleman starved it to death, because fodder was so dear, and he threatens to sue him for the value of the horse. The matter has not reached the courts yet, but it is expected to do so shortly.

SUED FOR LIBEL

Action Taken Against Conservative Candidate for St. John + County.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 19.-William A. Quinton, steward of the Provincial Hospital for Nervous Patients, and a former member of the Legislature, has instructed John Kerr, solicitor, to begin criminal proceedings against A. A. Clarke, one of the candidates nominated on Wednesday evening in the Opposition's interests in St. John County. Clarke in his nomination speech made statements reflecting on Quinton, and insinuating that he had converted to his own use and profit hay, wood and other things cut on Government preperty. This gives a lively turn to local political affairs.

Meals "a la Carte" from 6:30 a.m. to 12 night, at Tecumseh Grill.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

ePLENDID GIFT FOR CHRISTMAS 25 pictures, framed, 22x28; bargain at \$2. 951 Colborne street 22c

THE P. M. IS TO BE INDEPENDENT

The Profit-Sharing Plan for Sing Sing Convict Amazed and avenue school. Employes Feature of New Owners' Policy.

Advertiser carriers and newsboys will a man meets so warm a reception at gray-haired man alighted from a train he met the employes of the Pere Mar- As the clamor of the street noises quette. They gathered at the sun reached his ears he shrank close to parlor of the Wayne Hotel to pay Warden Jesse Frost, of Sing Sing their respects to the new chairman Prison, and put his hand trustingly in

Mr. Perkins, who is a quiet, unfor the road under adverse cir- Volunteers of America. Wednesday last. The funeral arrange- cumstances, and wished to assure them he had no disposition to dis- another paroled prisoner. He was tions. Mr. Perkins, who is a great freed after he had served 22 years. believed in the profit-sharing plan, Like Hoffman, the noise and bustle of announced that as soon as the de-Marquette. Twenty-six out of the was: "It's very wonderful, very won-120 men present stood up when the derful." chairman asked how many had On the journey to Mrs. Booth's of-

Thinks Well of Cotter.

the intentions of the new owners were ly by Harold Booth, a son of Mrs. Mr. W. A. Hagerman, the well-known Mr. Perkins said the Pere Marquette Ballington Booth, who started with Mr. W. A. Hagerman, the went-and with the East would be run as a solely Michigan them soon after noon for the Booths' End, who had such a thrilling escape road, and that as a Michigan corporhome in Sparkhill, N. Y. There they from death the other day at Adelaide ation he hoped it would meet with the will live until places can be found for

After yielding the reins of power he held so well for two years, Judson THE TRADE RETURNS Harmon took occasion to speak of the manner in which the heads of the departments had co-operated with

"My wife laughs to this day when she thinks of my first meeting with William Cotter, the present president of the line," said the judge. "When I took hold of the properties, the C., H and D. and the Pere Mar-Allister arrived in this city from Buf- quette, as you know, things were London a number of years ago, and I would get hold of some good railwas a well known broker. The funeral road man to act as general manawill take place from the ressidence of ger for me, a chief of staff, as it street, on Saturday afternoon to judge that for at least five minutes increased by \$912,186. The duty colsized each other up. I came to the of last year.

BIG WHEAT CONTRACT

C. P. R. Will Ship a Million and a Half Bushels to Europe This Winter.

Fort William, Dec. 19.—Eastern lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway will be busy this winter The C. P. R. have made a contract for the delivery of 1,-500,000 bushels of grain to European markets this winter. The grain will be shipped via the all-rail route to St. John, where it will be taken to the old country as ballast in C. P. R. steamers. A large amount of grain is being shipped through here now.

BROUGHT HER THROUGH

Dying Engineer Sticks to Throttle Until Journey Is End.

minutes was dead. Krag was in his stricted to five days a week. usual health when he took his train out of Buffalo. His illness came after the train had left Erie. The engineer Rather an interesting case will had hardly strength enough to lower

THAW TO PLEAD INSANITY

Mattewan Asylum.

Prisoner Will Probably Be Sent to the

New York, Dec. 19. - The second trial of Harry K. Thaw for the mur- tion of the crisis will be found, have stock. der of Stanford White, set for Jan. 6, induced the opposing factions to diswill be cut short by admission on the perse a second time. Consequently part of the defense that Thaw was in- Artillery Square has been vacated and is visiting friends in Woodstock. sane when he shot White, and that he the disorderly villagers have returned is insane now, and has been insane from birth.

close to Thaw's new counsel, said to- of a sudden recall to arms. day: "Personally, I believe Thaw to be absolutely crazy. The second trial will be much shorter than the first." Thaw's lawyer expects to reach en agreement with the district attorney, by which his prisoner will be sent to Mattewan Asylum for the Insane. This step probably will be taken as soon as the jury is chosen and before the taking of evidence is begun. It is said that Thaw's wife may spring another surprise at the next

GOLD FROM SOUTH.

Boston, Dec. 20.—The steamer Cor- merce. ona, which arrived today from South American and West Indian ports, brought \$1,950,000 in gold for the Secand National Bank of this city. The gold was shipped from Montevideo.

REID AT NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 20 .- Whitelaw Reid, the United States ambassador to Great Britain, arrived here today on the steamer Mauretania.

LEAVES PRISON AFTER 47 YEARS

Scared By New York

Detroit, Dec. 20.-It is seldom that New York, Dec. 19.-A little, old,

The little, old man was Franz Hoffhe appreciated the services of the day, and today was brought to the ofday of the death of Capt. Walling, men who had worked so loyally fice of Mrs. Ballington Booth, of the

On the other side of Frost, walked turb them in their respective posi- Thomas Shea, whom the pardon board the city frightened him. Both men tails could be worked out, it would were as nervous as little children. All over: Myrtle Beamish, Marguerite be placed in operation on the Pere they could say in reply to questions Bowman, Freda Hunter, Dan Bowen,

men had luncheon, and then Warden Nicholson. When asked after the meeting what They were taken in charge immediate-Frost left them to return to Sing Sing.

SHOW A DECREASE

Ottawa, Dec. 20.-Trade returns of the Dominion for the month of November show that the prevailing financial stringency is beginning to have a month a decrease of \$3,621,469 is retotal exports decreased by \$2,455,769. Hughes. Exports of domestic products dewe did not say a word. Mrs. Har- lected during the month was \$4,940,mon was with me and she has often 522, a decrease of \$409,586, as comspoken of the way we two men pared with the corresponding month

by over eleven millions.

TOO MANY DIAMONDS

The De Beers Company Orders the Output To Be Restricted.

London, Dec. 20-The deferred dividend of the DeBeers Consolidated Mines, Limited, the diamond syndicate, was passed today.

Owing to the unfavorable outlook in the diamond trade the restrictions of purchases in America since the financial disturbances, and the dumping of large quantities of stones in recent Cleveland, O., Dec. 18. - Engineer DeBeers Company demoralized the months before the agreement with the Frank Krag, 50 years old, of Buffalo, market, the company has decided that N. Y., though ill and faint, stayed at it is necessary to strengthen its rehis throttle till he brought his fast serves in order to maintain prices. A Lake Shore train safely into Collin- telegram received from Kimberley towood yards this afternoon Then he day says the company has ordered stepped from his cab and in a few work in the diamond mines to be re-

PRIESTS INTERVENE

Persian Clergy Succeeds in Dispersing the Rival Factions.

Teheran, Dec. 20.-Another quick change in the situation at the Persian the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. capital has been brought about by the Dan Beagley. intervention of the priests, who with the promise that a satisfactory soluto their homes. The tents on Artillery Square, however, are left stand-A man connected with the case, and ing so as to be ready for use in case Methodist Church on Sunday even-

The members and the supporters of parliament have left the assembly building and the intention is the assembly to meet again in ordinary session tomorrow.

Nizam Es Sultan has succeeded in positions of minister of finance, minister of the interior, minister of foreign affairs, of justice and of education in the last cabinet, retain their portfolios. New men have been appointed to the positions of minister of communications, war and com-

TRAIN LEFT TRACK. North Bay, Ont., Dec. 20. - The C.

P. R. Soo Line train No. 8, due at North Bay last night at 8:50, was wrecked six miles west of here, the cause being the breaking of the middle axle on the engine. The entire

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Continued from Page One. to Master Gerald Pearson of the Tal-

ot street school. A splendid entertainment was also given this afternoon at the Empress

The Boyle memorial medal was presented at this school to Miss Amy S. Smale, who took a very creditable

stand in the examinations last sum-This was her first examination since coming to this country. The children gave somes plendid drills and chor-

All the other schools held exercises

would be moreacyfg zyfbayfg yf gyf

Separate Schools. The Sepearte Schools also closed today with special Christmas exercises. The children rendered excellent pro-Mr. Perkins, who is a quiet, unassuming gentleman, spoke feelingly and to the point. He said murder. He was paroled last Thurswas quite a number of the parents of the children present.

TALBOT STREET SCHOOL.

Grade VIII Honor standing - 70 per cent and over: Lionel Morley, Clair Slater, Thirty Bodies Already Recovered Verna Whitehead. Pass standing - 60 per cent and

Ted Braund, Addie Rennie, Eccie Mc-Leod, Cecil Major, Fred Butler. Fifty per cent and over-Clair Farr,

"Paying the Price," by Agnes C. Mit-affected him quite deeply and he the surface cars speeding along, as it Simpson, Olive Ellwood, Dorothy chell. This is one of the best fiction said he was well pleased to find the seemed to them, without any motive Smart, Helen Webster, Annie Burgess, power. At the Booth home the two Muriel Draper, Jack Jennings, Nat a terrific explosion, the bodies of 30

Wainwright, Reg. Doupe, Helen Vega, Helen Woolley, Kathleen Lashbrook, Stewart Huyck, Stanley Osborne, Kenneth McColl, Sterling Wallace.

Willie Corpe, Miriam Steele.

Grade VII. Hind, Ernest Little, Gordon Smythe, Grover Smythe, Allan Ferguson, Cleveland Mitchell, Philip Bartlett, Charl-Lily Dean, Gladys Dewar, Katie Dixon, Mills, Lessie Broderick, Jean Sears, considerable effect. For the last Frank Lewis, Jack Houston, Fred Galpin, Stanley Dean, Roy Goslin.

EMBRO OCCURRENCES

Church Realizes \$80 on a Banquet-Death of Mr. W. Middleton.

with the corresponding period of 1906, upstairs to the auditorium, where an stop the further sale of intoxicants increase, but net shows a decrease. Mexican Electric, bonds Exports of domestic products de- interesting programme of music and are being seriously considered. creased by \$1,867,861. Exports of the speeches was presented. The choir The Pittsburg Coal Company has not only an element to Smelters stock mine increased by nearly two millions, randered an anthem in good style and arranged to provide burial for all of price, but in cotton also. There is a Sao Paulo, bonds agricultural exports increased about Miss Spense contributed a solo, also the victims. A large number of cofsix and one-half millions, and exports Miss Irene Sutherland, of Tekamat, fins were ordered from Pittsburg last some western banks to reduce their of manufactures increased about one Nebraska, delighted her hearers with night. The blacksmith shop of the proportion of reserve. million. On the other hand, exports "My Rosary" and "The Bonnie Brier mine has been converted into a temof animals and their produce decreased Bush," responding to an encore. Ad- porary morgue and undertakers are dresses were given by Rev. E. D. Sil- being brought here from surrounding the Congregational Church; Rev. Jas. as they are brought out. Barber, of Knox Church, and Mr. Hew- It is believed that a majority of vicitt, representing the Shredded Wheat tims are Americans. Such of the forMay 104% Company. Rev. Spense, pastor of the eigners as belong to the Greek Cath- July Congregational Church, sang a solo olic Church did not go to work yeswith good effect. The ladies realized terday morning, that they might celethe sum of \$80 for the evening.

The death took place on Friday holiday in their church calendar. night, at his home on Huron street, of Mr. William Middleton. Deceased had

Miss Florence Middleton, of Toronto, the end of the workings. is visiting at her home.

Miss Winnifred Murray is spending

the week-end with relatives in Wood-Miss Nellie Boles, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Ross, of Winnipeg, Rev. Mr. Langford, of Dresden, a bright, earnest speaker, gave an interesting address on missions in the

Mr. James Tizzard, of Beachville, is visiting his mother and sisters here. Miss Ethel Sutherland, of Woodstock, was home attending the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Wm. Middleton. Miss Devina Munro is spending a

Woodstock. visiting with Embro friends last week, some hopes of eventually-finding a Moody, B. C., is spending a few days liver fermentations, developed into a with his mother, Mrs. Robert Aber- suitable injection through the inoculanethy. Mr. Abernethy leaves for the tion of sheep. He reports success in west again on Thursday, and will be several mild cases of cancer by means accompanied back by his mother, who of this treatment. will in future reside in the west.

WENT THROUGH ICE

Pembroke, Ont., Dec. 20. - Richard Richardson, aged 72 years, a respected drowned last night by going through the ice while crossing the river from Both died so ortly afterward at a hostrain left the track. No one was in- Chichester. The body has not yet been pital. jured. The track was cleared by 9:80 recovered. Mr. Richardson was unmarried.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

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OF 250 MINERS

From the Darr Collieries Near Pittsburg.

served the road for a quarter of a fice the two men gazed in amazement Mac Stewart, Verna Bridgman, John 200 or more miners who were made row's Advertiser of the new story, century. The result of his query at the elevated road, the subway, and Goudy, Kingsley Woolley, Vernona prisoners in the Darr mine of the Simpson Olive Filwood Dorothy Pittsburg Coal Company yesterday by this morning lie in the main en-Forty per cent and over-George trance, where they were laid during the night by the rescuers, until they President Lin can be brought to the surface. Some of the bodies are dismembered and Unclassified — Laura Thompson, mangled, and all are distorted by the agonies of violent death, and disfig- Potsdam. ured and begrimed by the concussion Honors-70 per cent and over: Mabel and the smoke and dust of the explosion.

Faint hope is cherished by rescuers ton Robson, Huella Douglas, Norman and friends and relatives that some of McCallum, Lorne Hamilton, Marjorie the men have survived the explosion Meek, Eardley McLean, Harry Plastow, and are awaiting release far back in William Molyneux, Roy Finch, Gower the mine. For this reason the rescuers did not take time to bring out the bodies as they were found, but pressed forward, to open a passage to and explore every section of the mine. The bodies located during the night will be brought out today as rapidly as possible, while the search con-

Carousing and Disorder.

The foreign miners, who escaped the disaster, made night hideous in their Embro, Dec. 19.—The complimentary work because of the holiday, and most on its earning on common stock and Ogilvie Milling com. sized each other up. I came to the conclusion Cotter was all right and that I did not need any other general fiscal year however the total imports. Church was held on Thursday and most custom of drinking to excess. Many that I did not need any other gen- fiscal year, however, the total imports Church was held on Thursday evening. Were intoxicated before the catastro- many months and has induced so much Toronto Railway.

Toronto Railway.

Toronto Railway. eral manager. I was not wrong. show an increase of \$27,762,684, the The church was taxed to its utmost to phe, and afterwards they put them-78th year, and was widely known and esteemed. The funeral will be held in thing about running a road. He did, for the eight months total \$41,112,459, gaily decorated for the occasion, and the death of relative or friend. All today. Currency premium ranges at Union Bank about one per cent but there may be Dominion Text the repast was fit for the King. Every- night there was carousing and disor- about one per cent, but there may be Dominion Textile, Exports, including coin and bullion, one was praising the manager for the der, at times bordering on rioting. The a more active demand from now on. earned the presidency and I do not totaled for the eight months \$191,878,- good things provided. After all had calling to the mine of a troop of the Cotaban and for four months show an Hayang Fleetrice The stove in St. Nicholas School fell think any mistake was made when state constability, as well as steps to October and for four months show an Havana Electric, bonds.

cox, of Toronto, a former pastor of towns to promptly care for the bodies

brate St. Nicholas' Day, an important July

Work of Rescue Slow. The rescuers report the interior of July been in poor health for over a year, the mine badly damaged. As they resident of Embro all his life, and for much of the bracing that has been some years was caretaker of the ceme- blown out, and a great deal of brat- January daughters, Mrs. Malcolm McKenzie, of the ventilation of the remote sections. January 6 67 Nauton, Alta.; Mrs. Alex. Kennedy and There is a shortage of many of the May Mrs. Alex. McKenzie, of Embro, and supplies needed for such conditions, Miss Florence, of Toronto, all of whom and the work of rescue will of neceshave the sympathy of many friends in sity progress slowly. The distance their sorrow. The funeral was held from the mouth of the mine to the Cemetery, services being conducted by about three miles, and it is thought Sao Paulo Tram 109% many of the bodies will be found near Twin City Railway

Miss Florence Middleton, of Tolonto, s visiting at her home.

Miss Ada Kirkpatrick, of Woodof men in the mine has yet been general Electric General Electric City Dairy, com. 30 stock, is spending a few days at the learned. Under the system of the Her many friends will be glad to to work. A miner is assigned a room know that Miss Mamie Kent, who was and given a check, but he may take president of the company, said today that he did not believe there were over 175 men entombed. He believes the explosion was due to gas.

FIGHTING THE CANCER

Berlin, Dec. 20. - Prof. Ernest Von Leyden, who recently has devoted himself entirely to the study of can-die yearly in Germany, has made a and to private sources, for the foundation of an institute of research.

Prof. Von Leyden recommends the formation of an international associforming a new cabinet with himself few days with her sister, Mrs. Bain, of ation in order that an exchange of results of investigation in the various Rev. E. D. Silcox, of Toronto, was countries might be had. He gives Mr. Emerson R. Abernethy, of Port remedy for the cancer by means of

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN STREET. Akron, O., Dec. 19.-Thomas Larrimore, 39 years old, shot his wife, formerly Mrs. Lillian Summerton, through resident of Allumette Island, was the head three times last night, and then put a bullet into his own brain,.

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after Mrs. Summerton's husband obtained a divorce. They did not live happily and separated. Larrimore left the city and returned only yes-

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terday to seek a reconciliation. The

dead man had relatives in Shelby,

...Halifax..... Liverpool

Today's Quotations and Prices On Montreal, Toronto, New York, Chicago Exchanges

H. C. Becher, stockbriker, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today: New York, Dec. 20.-Noon.-Union little village. They had suspended Pacific made a remarkable statement

The price of bar silver, now conceded

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker,

Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, Dec. 20.

Open. High. Low. Close. December 56% 56% 57½ 57¾ 58¼ 56% 57% 571/2 56% December 50% May 481/8 481/2 January 12 60 12 57 7 67 7 80 TORONTO. Toronto, Dec. 20-Noon Ask.151

Concumers' Gas Mexican L. & P. Nipissing Mines N. S. Steel, com..... Prairie Lands
Bank of Commerce Domiion Bank Bank of Nova Scotia Sovereign Bank Traders' Bank Central Canada Colonial Investment Huron & Erie

Bonds, 3,000, 500, 3,000 at 73, 1,000 at 7234: Consumers' Gas. 24, 10, 25, at 184; Sao Paulo, 25 at 1094; Mackay common, 5, 15 at 53; Mexican L. and P., 25, 15 at 44; Twin City common, 5 at 831/2; Dominion, ex-div., 10 at 217; Sovereign, 14, 16 at 100, ex-div today; Dominion Bank, 3 per cent; National Trust, 1% per cent; Sao Paulo Tram L. and P. Co., 21/4 per cent; Toronto

Electric Light Company, 2 per cent.

MONTREAL Montreal, Dec. 20-Noon. Bell Telephone Canadian Pacific Dominion Coal, com...... Dominion Steel, pfd...... Havana Electric, pfd... Illinois Traction, pfd... Lake of the Woods, pf

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Winnipeg Electric, bonds. Morning Sales: Shawinigan, 2 at 57; Toledo Railway, 150 at 94; Bell Telephone, 2 at 119½: Mackay, preferred, 10 at 60, 20 at 60; Power, 8 at 84½, 23 at 84, 5 at 83½; Mexican Power, bonds, 2,000 at 82: Mexican, 10 at 44; Rio, 7 at 33½; Bank of Commerce, 2 at 16; Twin City, 50 at 83; Detroit Railway, 25 at 34½; R. & O., 5 at 60½; Toronto Railway, 37 at 94, 1 at 94¼; Iron, common, 25 at 14%, 5 at 15; Rio, bonds, 1.600 at 72%; Switch, common, 20

Ogilvie, preferred, 8 at 113; Laurentide, 2,000 at 110. NEW YORK. Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker.

New York, Dec. 20. Open High Low 2 p.m. 9814 American Sugar Co. American Locomotive ... American Foundry ... 30%
American Refining Co ... 70%
Atchison, com ... 70%
Baltimore & Ohio ... 81% 3014 7212 7114 301/8 703/4 1934 3756 Brooklyn Transit ... Ches. & Ohio ... 3014
Chic. Great Western ... 714
Chicago & North ... 13513
Distillers ... 2834
Erie ... 1656
Erie, pref ... 25
Great North ... 35 Mexican Central..... 141/2 Missouri Pacific 48 4854
New York Central 93 9434
Northern Pacific 11654
Norfolk & Western 64 Missouri Pacific 40 8134 27 1434 1478 7234 10734 Southern Pacific.... 74 St. Paul. 10778 St. Paul. 10258 Union Pacific 11634 118 Central Leather 1634 1534 U. S. Rubber 1634 | nion Pacine | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 1975 | 116% 11756

Wabash, com 938 ... Wabash, pref. 18 ... 18 ... 56 ... 56 ... 56 ... 56 ... 56

ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, Dec. 20.-Wheat-Spot. No. 1 red western winter, firm, 7s 8%d. Futures firm; December nominal; March, 8s 1d; -Spot, prime mixed American.

new, steady, 5s 4d; do, old, firm, 5s 6d. Futures steady; January, 5s 31/2d. Peas-Canadian steady, 7s 9d. Flour-Winter patents steady, 30s 9d Hops (in London)-Pacific coast quiet, £2 Beef-Extra India mess firm, 96s 3d.

Pork-Prime mess western steady, 86s 3d Hame-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet Bacon-Cumberland cut. 25 to 30 lbs. quiet, 52s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs. quiet, 55s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 55s; long clear middles, ngm, as stock; lbs, no stock; do, 35 to 40 lbs, no stock; lbs, ho aloan backs. 16 to 20 lbs, firm, short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, first, 52s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady. 54s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady.

Lard-Prime western, in tierces, quiet 428; American refined, in pails, quiet. Petroleum—Refined firm, 7½d. Linseed Oil—Weak, 23s 9d.

Linseed Oil-Weak, 23s 9d. Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)-January -Firm; Canadian finest white new, 62s; do, colored, firm, 63s.
Tallow-Prime city dull, 29s 9d; Australian (in London), steady, 33s 3d.

April, 21s 6d. Turpentine Spirits—Easy, 33s 6d. Rosin—Common easy, 9s 1/2d.

Detroit Railway ... Dom. Coal, com... Dom. Coal, pfd... Dom. Steel, com... Dom. Steel, pfd... Halifax Railway ... Lliingia nfd... PREPARING FOR BUMPER MARKET Illinois, pfd. Weods, com. Laurentide Paper

Months Expected for Tomorrow.

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Friday, Dec. 20. Hay was not in as large supply as at yesterday's market, as there were only 15 yesterday's market, as there were only lo loads on the stand; although the quality was not of the best, sales were quite brisk and prices were higher, at \$15 to \$16 per ton. There should be a good demand for hay on Monday, as there will not likely be many loads offered next week.

The restaurants and hotelkeepers are making preparations to take care of the hig crowd of farmers and others who will big crowd of farmers and others who will visit the market tomorrow. sit the market tomorrow. Oats sold at \$1 43 to \$1 47 per cwt today.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto. Dec. 20.-The market is dull even for the season, and but for the steady vement of the coupy the attention and deafers. The trade in Ontario wheat quiet, but there is evidently a demand or flour, bids advancing to \$3 65. Prices are holding steady in the Winnipeg market. Rye is a little firmer, 80c being offered off the board. Prices are:

Wheat—Manitoba No. 1 northern, about Wheat—Manitoba No. 2 northern, \$1 13: nominal, at \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 13: nominal, at \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 13: nominal, at \$1 19; feed wheat, 61c to 52c, at lake ports:

Solve No. 2 feed, 51c to 52c, at lake ports:

Afternoon Sales: Bell Telephone, 8 at 1994; Textile, preferred, 10 at 80; Sao Niz Mexican, 10 at 454; R. & O. Navigation, 5 at 60%; Winnipeg, bonds, 1,000 at 100; Bank of Commerce, 1 at 160; Soo, common, 50 at 1974, 25 at 80; Woods, preferred, 4 at 102½; Merchants' Bank, 8 at 152; Textile, bonds, 1,600 at 80; Iron, common, 160 at movement of the western grain there Flour-Ontario winter wheat patents, for export, \$3 65 bid; Manitoba patents. special brand, \$5 80 to \$6; seconds, \$5 20; special brand, \$5 80 to \$6; seconds, \$5 20; strong bakers, \$5 10.

Barley—No. 1, 76c; No. 2, 68c to 70c outside; No. 3 extra, 65c to 67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 44c to 45c outside; mixed, 45c to 44c outside.

Peas—83c outside.

Rye—No. 2, 60c.

Corn. No. 3, vellow. American. 70%c to

St. Catharines
Rio Janeiro Tram...
Sao Paulo Tram....114
Twin City Railway. 831/2 Corn-No. 3 yellow American, 70½c to 71c, Toronto freights; new No. 3 yellow. 64½c to 65c, delivery after Jan. 1; new No. 3 yellow, kiln-dried, 66½c to 67c.

Buckwheat—62c outside.

Millfeed—Brag 413 to 220 in bulk outside. Winnipeg Railway Niagara Navigation. 105

Millfeed-Bran, \$19 to \$20, in bulk, outide; shorts, \$21 to \$22. Butter—Staedy; creamery prints, 28c to 30c; do, solids, 26c to 27c; dairy prints, 25c to 24c; do, solids, 22c to 23c; inferior,

Cheese-Very dull, at 131/4c to 13%. Eggs Storage, 22c; selects, 26c; new-laid, Hogs-Dressed steady, at \$7 50 to \$8; alive unchanged, at \$5 60 for selects.

SUGAR MARKETS. NEW YORK. New York, Dec. 19.—Sugar—Raw firm: fair refining, 3.30c to 3.35c; centrifugal, 96° molasses sugar, 3c to 3.05c. Molasses-Steady.

LONDON. London, Dec. 19.—Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 11s: Muscovado, 9s 9d; beet sugar December, 9s 8/5d.
TORONTO.

Toronto, Dec. 19.-Sugar-Firm; Montreal granulated, in barrels, \$4 40; yellow, \$4; Acadia, \$4 25; Ontario beet, \$4 25; in bags.

COTTON MARKET. NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 19.—Cotton—Futures closed steady. Closing bids: December, 11.05e; January, 10.35c; February, 10.49c; March. 10.58c; April. 10.62c; May, 10.54c; June, 10.64c; July, 10.59c; August, 10.39c. Spot closed steady, 20 points lower; middling uplands, 11.70c; middling gulf. 11.95c; sales, 3.050 bales. New York, Dec. 20.—Cotton—Futures New York, Dec. 20.—Cotton—rutures opened firm; December, 10.80c; January, 10.34c; February, 10.50c; March, 40.58c; April, 10.64c bid; May, 10.70c; June, 10.68c; July, 10.67c; August, 10.50c.

DAIRY MARKETS. CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 19.-Butter-Firm: cream eries, 20c to 281/2c; dairies, 18c to 25c. Cheese-Steady, 11c to 12c. NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 19.-Butter-Steady and unchanged; receipts, 5,144 packages. Cheese-Firm and unchanged; receipts,

OIL MARKETS

OIL CITY. Oil City, Pa., Dec. 19 .- Credit balances.

LONDON. London, Dec. 19 .- Petroleum, American refined, 7d; spirits, 71/2d. PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 20 .- Oil opened and

HAY MARKET. TORONTO.

Toronto, Dec. 19.-Baled Hay-Timothy is uoted from \$17 to \$17 50 per ton on track Baled Straw-Quiet, at \$9 50 to \$10 50 LIVE STOCK MARKET.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Dec. 19.-Canadian cattle are firmer, at 11c to 12'4c per 1b, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9'4c

CHICAGO. Chicago, Dec. 29 .- Cattle-Receipts, about 2,500; market strong to a shade higher; eeves, \$3 40 to \$6 15; cows and heifers

\$5 20 to \$4 75; stockers and feeders, \$2 30 to 10c lower: light, \$4 15 to \$4 421/2; mixed, 84 15 to \$4 45; heavy, \$4 15 to \$4 45; rough. \$4 15 to \$4 20; pigs, \$3 40 to \$4 25; hulk of sales at \$4 30 to \$4 40.

Sheep-Receipts, about 6,000; market was steady; natives, \$1 75 to \$4 30; westerns. \$1 75 to \$4 25; yearlings, \$4 25 to \$5 15; lambs, \$3 75 to \$6; westerns, \$3 75 to \$6.

BEAN MARKE IS.

DETROIT. Detroit, Dec. 20 .- Beans-Cash, \$2; Dec. and Jan., \$1 91; STOCK MARKETS.

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Amal. Copper 431/2	441/2	431/2	443/4				
Amer Lacomotive 361/	361/	3534	353/				
American Sugar 96	981/4	96	98				
American Smelting 70	711/4	697/4	703/4				
Anaconda 273/4	28	271	28				
Atchison 701/4	71	701/4	701/				
American Sugar 96 American Smelting 70 Anaconda 27% Atchison 70½ Baltimore & Ohio 81							
Brooklyn Transit 38%	381/4	371/2	373/4				
Baltimore & Ohio 81 Brooklyn Transit 38% Col. Fuel & Iron 19	191/8	183	185/8				
Chesapeake & Ohio. 30% Chicago & G. W 71%	71/2	71/4	73/				
Rock Island 143/4							
St. Paul1023/4	1031/4	1021/	1020				
Erie 16%							
Erie, 1st pfd 351/4							
Illinois Central 120							
Great Northern114	115/2	114	115				
Northern Pacific114%		1145 a	115%				
Mexican Central 14%	143/4	143/8	143/4				
Missouri Pacific 471/2	481/2	471/4	47/4				
Missouri Pacific 47% Kansas & Texas 25%	251/	243/4	243/4				
Kansas & Tex., pfd. 571/2 New York Central 937/6		923/4					
New York Central 93%	941/8	923/4	92%				
Ontario & Western 313/4		TO THE SECOND STREET					
Pennsylvania1111/2	112	1111/	111%				
Pacific Mail 25							
Pressed Steel Car 151/2							
Pressed Steel Car 151/2 Reading 931/2	941/4	92	923/2				
Southern Pacific 72%	73%	725/a	72%				
U. S. Leather 15	11		::				
U. S. Steel 25	261/4	253/4	25%				
U. S. Steel, pfd 87%	873/4	87%	87%				
Union Pacific116	117%	115%	116%				
Wabash, pfd 93% Western Union Tel. 5314	91/2	9%	91/2				
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Toronto, Dec. 19.

N. S. Steel & Coal. 55 N. S. Steel, pfd.....

Ogilvie com.

R & O. Navigation. 60
Rio Janeiro. 33½
Sao Paulo Tram. 114
Toledo Railway. 10
Toronto Railway. 94½

Molsons Bank Union Bank

Dom. Cotton, bds

Mex. Electric, bds.

Ogilvie, bonds Rio, bonds Sao Paulo, bonds...

General Electric

Dom. Steel, com.

Mackay, pfd. Mexican L. & P...

Niplesing Mines N. S. Steel, com. M. S. S.

Prairie Lands .

Sovereign Bank. Traders' Bank ...

Colonial Loan

National Trust ... Toronto Mortgage

Dom. Steel, bonds. Rio, bonds

Sao Paulo, bonds.

F. McAllister,

Wood, L. Talbot.

and 5 at 83%, 25 and 50 at 83%; Sao Paulo, 25, 25, 25 and 25 at 112, 25 and 25 at 111%, 25 at 1111%; Mexican L. & P., 10 and 25 at

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Senior Matriculation.

Passed-H. Metcalf, Clayton Eckert,

Honor Matriculation

English.

Class II.--N. Meldrum, J. McRae. T.

Class I.-J. Althouse, E. Harrison, H.

Dignan, S. Adams, G. Ellis, F. Gahan,

N. Meldrum, A. MacDonald, J. M.

Class II.-E. Harris, M. MacRobert.

Class I .- John Gibson, R. Hodge, T.

Althouse, S. Adams, H. Dignan, J. D.

Moderns.

Science.

Macaulay, E. Harris, G. B. Patterson.

S. Jones, J. McRae, R. MacRobert, T.

Middle Five.

sop, John Reynolds, Neil McCrimmon,

MacDonald, Pearl Nussbaumer, Grace

Seaborn, Rowena Gardiner, Dorothy

(equal), George Little, Charles Wort-

man, Earle Fuller, Hubert Galpin,

Faunt Jones, Douglas Blandford and

Class III.-Margaret Bell, Ruth Tait,

Bessie Hodges, Lillie Wooley, Wilson

Purdom, Reina Wood, Elmer Fether-

ston, Albert Hayman, Myrtle Nugent,

Anna Shuff, John Greer, Kate Lan-

Middle Four.

Class I .- Jessie Phoenix. Ora New-

Class II .- Florence Belton, Richard

Class III.—Robert Coates, Maebelle

Stuart, Harry McKenzie, Hugh Over-

end, Carey Black, Belle McLachlan,

Alfred Jones, Bessie Henderson, Ken-

neth Ingram and Frank Shaw (equal),

Class IV.-Russel Howie Leslie

Bowie, Irene Burns, Archie Woodward,

Rose Girard, Fred Blackwell, Marion

Wallwin, William Yealland, Donalda

Bawden, Blanche Rowe, Charles Mc-

Class V .- Isabel Craig, Grace Law-

Harold McPherson, Leslie

Fleta Banghart, Clara Bailey

Class IV .- Randolph Ramsay.

Turnbull, Thomas Murray.

McCann and Lawrence

easter, Marguerite Gauld.

vey, Bert Allison.

son, Barclay Fisher,

Mehan,

Class V.-Floyd Rowell.

John Cameron (equal).

Class H .- Hubert Eckert,

Class I .-- T. Bowman, R. Hodge, A.

Class II.-C. Duffield, R. Hardman,

Class I.-J. Althouse, L. Talbot, S.

Mathematics.

Bowman, S. Adams, G. B. Patterson,

M. Woods, A. Going.

McCrae, J. M. Wood.

McCrae, A. MacDonald.

Williams, L. Yorke.

History

Williams, A. Going, K. Lowe.

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City Dairy, com City Dairy, pfd.

Mackay, com.

Dom. Steel, bonds. Havana, bonds...

Textile, com.

Class L-Edith Liddicoatt, Margaret Greene, Lois Pritchard, Ray Birks, Jessie Grant, Agnes Caverhill. Class II.-Lydia Bryden, Fannie Westcott, Ella Jenkins, Dugald Crawford, Lulu Clarke, Lorne Dann, May LaMoute, Pearl Dundass, Harold Isaac. Class III.-Olive Whitaker, Fred Braithwaite, Gladys Abbott, Kathleen

Murray, Spencer Kipp, Gladys Baw-

Class I.—Bruce Johnston, Marjorie Plastow, Mildred Allen, Edna Lancaster, Norme Orme, Ethel Johnson, Myrtle Stephens. Class II .- Maria Ball, Olive Smythe, Ethel Stephens and Alma Bremner,

Class III.-Ethel Ram, Helen Mc-Crae, Marie Elliott, Pearl Silver, Eva Lancaster, Allie Wright, Margaret Bragg, Katie McPherson, Nettie Mc-Gill, Florence Fortner. Class IV.—Geo. Stanfield, Mary Flood, Maebel Nichol, Lizzie Duffin,

(equal).

Unclassified-Stanley Banford. Middle I.

Class I.-R. C. Copeland, Gladys Baker. Class II.-Verna Sutton, Myra Hennigar, Lillian McColl.

Class III.—Cyril McBride, Lorraine

Nixon, Jeanette Saunders, Harold Clark, Carl George, John Higgins, Charles Shiels, Sybelle Grant, Hubert Smith, Harry Anthistle, Clarence Whitehead. Class IV .- Maude Runians, Arthur

Carty, William Taylor. Class V.-Edgar Cook. Class VI.-Leland Walden. Unclassified-Kathleen Brodrick.

Lower X. Class I., over 70 per cent-Challoner Benson, victor Mooney, William Ford, Allan Macdonald, George Snaw, Ellis Stater, Fred Luney, Tom Walker, Herpert Mowat, Percy Scott, George Ironside.

Class II., from 60 to 70 per cent-Walter Shuttleworth, George Jewel, Eric Reid, Bert Shaver, Jack Hamilton, William Kennedy, Victor Sawyer, Raiph Slater, Richard Lee, George Taylor, Floyd Woodhull, Hugh Silcox, Q Isaac Hodgins, Leonard Jarvis, Floyd Banghari, Lorne Hayman, Hillard Stevely.

Class III., from 50 to 60 per cent-Lawrence Gillies, Roy Orr, Percy Pocock, Arthur Cole, Alex. Johnston, Harold Talbot, Hugh Dann, Harold | McPhillips, Stanley Mooney, Alfred & Pocock, Kenzie Leitch, Wilfrid Westland, William Tlerney.

Class IV., 40 to 50 per cent - Roy Q Ravenscroft, Bert Ravenscroft, Leonard Macdonald. Unclassified-Charles Deadman.

Lower IX.

Class I.-Eleanor Sifton, Vida England, Irene Chailener, Lillian Robinson, Hazel Tanner, Lillian Gray, Jeane Isaac, Jean Hutton, Gertrude Manning, Leah Thomas, Mary Maloney, May Mitchell, Jean Vining, Prudence Swanwick, Ada Wilson, Mary Ackert, Nora Afternoon Sales: Twin City, 5 at 831/2, 5 son,

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Class II.-Mary Graham, Stella Win-

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Lower VIII.

Class L.-Gladys Pulling, (Ruby Fortner, Madeline Grant). Class II.-Vera Hayman, Hilda Keene, Lauretta McLeish, Bessie Mc-Class I.-J. Althouse, S. Adams, H. Murray, Elfa Pettit, Lorina Bere, Dignan, G. B. Patterson, L. Talbot, F. Helen MacKenzie, Jean Nichol, Mar-Gahan, G. Ellis, E. Harrison, A. Mac- garet Cromble, Laura Cook, Leyden

Janes. Class III.—Isabel Davidson, Norma Crouch, Lillian Francis, Clarice Nickle. Edith Cambridge, Eva Lind, Ruth Taylor, Hazel Templeman, Bertha Legate, Lorna Egelton, Edna Baskette, Jean MacArthur, Vera Mennel, Martha Robinson, Bessie Taylor, May Leathorn,

Carrie Carrothers. Class IV.-May Caldwell, Elva Moyr, Gladys Wheable, Clarissa Mac-Neill, Edith Greer, Irene Boyden.

Form Lower VII. Class II .- Lenore Talbot, F. Gahan Class I.—Glen Pulling. Class I .- E. Harrison, F. Gahan, J.

Class II .- Norman Stuart, H. Tennent, George Jewitt, Everett Glen, William Moulton.

Class III.-Robert McDougall, Edward Dann, Allen Colerick, Tom Kingsmill, Cameron Brown, Ernest Weld, Cyril Murray, Fred Gillies, Harry Adams, H. Dignan, E. Harrison, J. D. Sing, Gerald Coughlin, Joseph Me-Laren, Vernon Beattie, Orval Culbert, Kenneth Bragg, Stuart Thompson, Ross McKay, Stanley Keyes, Norman Thompson, John Dale,

Class IV.-Llanerth Davis, Charles Macgregor, Stuart Gunn, Harold Legg, Frederick Kerr, Gordon McGuffin, Wilbur Gray, Wilbert Perkins, Joe Deane, Gordon Cooper, Frank McLean, John Class I.—Robert Boyle, Bessie Mos- Pope, Glencoe Pettit.

Class V.-Andrew Weldon, Raymond Ashwell Quarles, Geoffrey Wheable, Woollatt, Joe Legate, Hindley Beattie, Arthur Quick, Nettie Wilson, Keith Arthur Parsons. Lower VI.

> In order of merit-Gerald Pearson, John Barnard, Chester Welch, Arthur Birks, Arthur Lawson, Melville Jones, Lorne Firth, Harold Paull, Orval Upshall, Herman Ferns, Ray Henderson, Ira Sumner, Harry Ashplant, Gilbert Reynolds, Earl Edwards, Clive McAllister, Lewis Smith, Victor Wilson, James Weir, Fred Matthews, C. Richardson, Stewart Peace, Bernard Me-Dougall, Howard Leggett, Douglass Wright, - Robert McElhinney, William Davis, Ralph McPhillips, Timothy O'Leary, Louis Gerard, Fred Kings-

mill, John Harvey, (King Bartlett and

Will Wright), Eldon Garrett, Cameron

Grant, Andrew McGill, Roy Guest,

John Walton, Frank Doyle, David Lo-

gan, Clifford Patten, James Walden. Lower V. Class I.-Helen McMillan, Fay Northcott, Olive Ball, Amy Smale, Irvine, Bessie Roblin, Ada Stewart, Maud Plewes, Alberta Somerville, An- Beulah Youngs, Gwendoline Wood, abelt Legg, Helen Harvey, Marjorie Jessie Slater, Ruth Stevely, Margaret Tolhurst, Gladys Jones, Anna Eckert, Blizzard, Edna Darch, Gladys Harris, Clara Schmitt, Dora Kingsboro, Jean Mildred O'Dell, Gertrude Rennie, Pearl Raymond, Amy Mathews, Olive Craig, Stuart, Daisy Schram, Elsie Hedley, Rowntree, Beatrice Clive, Ethel Gar-Irene Anundson, May Jenkins, Irene nier, Winifred Harris, Effie Parsons. McGregor, Eva Baskette, Mamie Robson, Madeline McGinnis, Mollie Tier-



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Southcott. Lower IV.

Class I.-Edwin Gilbert, Ewart Remsby Wilson, William White. Mann, Harold Magee, Fred Bawden, Charles Coles, Clarence Sifton, Earl Smithson, Douglas Ewen, Roy Wright, Wilbert Nuttycomb, Ernest Smith, Roy O'Neil, Boyd Little. Class II .- Russell Croden, George

Vrooman, George Renton, Ivan Wilson, Irwin Marshall, Fred Wilson, Archie Wyatt, Jacob Falk, Alex. Wilson, Harry McIntyre, William Greer, Edgar Westby, Harold Weeks, Wilbert Rourke, Reuben Ardiel, William, McIntyre, Ralph Jackson. Class III.-Gordon Durban, Russell Curry, Joseph Griffith.

Class IV. - Ignatius Fitzmaurice Lawrence Stewart, Wilfred Mustard. Class V.—Russell Cutler.

Class I.-Florence Mosley, Marjorie Class II .- Jessie Morrison, May Jones, Verna Browniee, Iva Menhennan, Veda Carruthers, Ethel Carson, nick, Verna Livingstone, Daisy Austin, Edna Hardman, Violet Campbell,

Pearse, May Loney, Winifred Taylor, Fitzgerald, Maggie Crockett, Nina man, Floyd Rosenberger, Boyd De Hazel Smith, Katie Wyatt, Grace Birrell, Irene Topping, Lonna Edy. Class IV.—Ethel Taggie

Lower II.

man Smith, Dolph Coates, Wilfrid Woods, Grace Gartshore. Murdock, Frank Stewart. Class H.-Vaughn Schoolev, Elmer McNee, Oscar Thorn, Freeman Guest, Spettigue, Vera McKenzie, Marie Cor-Alex. Ross, Stanley Coyle, Clare coran, Libbie Rosenthal, May Dyson, Royden Clinger, Richard Booth. Class III.—Bert Parkinson, Ernest Gertrude McPherson, Inez Nixon, Le- head, Ella Ram, Mary Robinson, Rob-Bleuthner, Willie Binks, (Albert Egelton, Robert Watt), Widmer Ball, Norman Newans, John Webb, Harold

per. Leslie McGuffin, Robert Millard, Leonard Sanborn. Class IV .- Wille Spettigue, Vanstone, Robert Lightfoot, Whitton, George Evans.

Class V.-Charlie Scott Form Lower I. Class I.—Sophie Weismann, Edna McCallum, Ethel Lyons, Florence

Bamford Class II.—Agnes Murray, Smith, Aggie Foster, Violet Grant, Laura Rymill, Edith Maitland, Gwendelene Alexander, Irene Little, Helen Helen Fitzallen, Pearl Jones, Gertrude Ruse, Kathleen Smith

Class III.-Duchess Ferguson, Winnifred Lanceley, Antoinette Cortese, terson, Helen Stuart, Vera Shannon, guerite McBane, May Fraser, Gertrude Clark, Freda Alexander, Beatrice Thornton. Charlotte Gilbert, Leyden Sharp, Anderson, Agnes Miller, Fay Winslow, O'Dell, Fern Percival, Dorothy Tytler, Class

Barclay, Veronica Casey, Lola Allison, Craig, Harvey Green and Harold Mur-Class IV .- Yola Penhall, Geraldine Catalano, Orville Griffith, Harold Bow-

COMMERCIAL A. Class I .- Eva Sherwin, Edith Baker,

Class I.-Gordon Raymond, Nor- Ethel Armes, Susie Bickley, Ona Self. Grainger. Class II .- Mabel Snelgrove, Kathleen Cushing, Mollie Fisher, Mamie bur Knott. Vivien Ackland, George Steele, (Roy Burridge, George Aitken), Rhona Hiscott, Daisy Gilmour, Alicia Metcalf, Edith Emery, Carlyle Web-Element, Laura Brady, May Skinner, ster, Kate McRae, Josephine White-

ona Emery Class III.-Erie Weir, Mabel Neely, Mae Parsons, Venelia Tucker, Mabel man, Clifford Blackall, Gertrude Pel-Smibert, Harry Chapman, Ashley Coo- Ayres, Lilian Fowler, Kathleen Chad- ton, Robert Stephenson, Pearl Anderwick, Agnes McLean, Alice Garth- son, May Battensby, Ada Sampson waite, Evelyn Brown, Lorna Jeffries, George Lashbrook, Ethel Walters, Madeline Scott, Bessie Fishbein, Bea- Florence Carter, Charlie Smith, Jos-Fred trice Hale, Ella Stuart, Margaret Mc- eph Devine, Charles Ashton, Ethel Ilvena, Anna Lobban, Charlotte Wil- Jarvis, Willie Lee, A. B. Callahan, Olive White, Gladys Freeland, Sam son, Daisy Spicknell, Freda Morley,

> Hardie Class IV. - Amy McLeod, Nora Brown, Daisy Hennessey, Mary Owen, Lillian Brennan Class V.-Maud Locke, Anna Nes-

Alma Fletcher, Geraldine Burr, Sadio Logan, Ernest Shaw.

COMMERCIAL B. Class I. - Erdman Fisher, Harry

bitt.

Dowell, Violet White, Cecil Stilson. Class II .- Fred Shaw, Willie Brennan, George McFadden and Elmar James, Harry Secord, Willie Sum- left London, while under surveillance, Leila Murdy, Maggie Shiels, Isabell mers, Margaret McGuire, Stuart Lash- for America. McKenzie, Bertha Fraser, Genevieve brooke, Frank Evans, Willie Morkin, It is believed, however, that no such Class II.—Mona Hughes, Meta Pat- Wanza Jones, Helen Hamilton, Mar- McEvoy, Jessie Johnstone, Mildred Elmar Brady, Kathleen Bradish, Jetta request has been made up to the pres-

Prodgers, Beulah Winder Class IV.—Cecil James. CALDWELL'S CASE.

Class III .- Hance Henry, George

dv. Walter Chalcraft. Roy Pepper, Jim

Class IV.—Harry Leckie, Harold

McGuire, Alex. Doyle, Norman She-

hy, Ralph Sumner, Robert Sherlock

Wilfred Brennan, Leslie Walker, Jas.

Class V.-Fred Mitchell, Gordon

COMMERCIAL C.

Class I.-Clifford Richardson, Wil-

Class H.-Lorne Linfoot, Neva Her

ert DeHart, Willie McGeoch

Wolfe, Charlie Blake, Fred Davis.

London, Dec. 20. - The London auhorities decline to say definitely whether or not they will ask for the extradition of Robert Caldwell, who appeared as a witness for the prosecu tion in the Druce case, and who later

Class III.—Annie Phipps, Willie the question under consideration.

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PRACTICAL FURRIER.

City and District

-Mr. Ed. Fletcher, of Winnipeg, is spending the holidays with his parents in this city.

-Rev. J. E. Holmes, of Lucan, has received and accepted a call from the Charles Methodist Church, Sar-

-Mr. Joseph Dambra, the Richmond street tailor, states that he has a two-year lease of his present store, and is not contemplating removal. -Mr. J. Oberne, general superintendent of the local division of the C. P. R., was in the city on a tour of in-

spection this morning. -Next Sunday the St. Johns Methedist Sunday School will hold the anniversary at 2:30 and 7 o'clock. Mr. Wilber McRoberts, principal of the Model School, of London, will conduct County Bldgs., next Court House, London the services. On Monday evening a fine entertainment will be give in the

-The election of officers for Local Union, No. 381, of the United Brewery Workmen, took place on Tuesday evening, and the following were chosen to direct the union during the next six months: President, H. Slingo: vice-president, F. Smart; financial secretary, J. W. Mann; secretary-treasurer, W. Kilgallin; trustees, J. Pym, R. Annett; tyler, J. Pym; auditors, T. A. Sutton and A. Pearson; delegates to the Trades and Labor Council, T. A. Sutton, S. H. Wood and H. Slingo.

More Recruits. Fifteen more men have arrived at Wolseley Barracks during the past two days from Toronto Chimney Fire.

The fire brigade responded to a chimney fire last night at 9 Empress avenue. No damage. Sold the Property.

Mr. George T. Hiscox, of this city, has sold his property near O'Dell's hotel in Westminster, to Mr. John Munro, of Westminster. John Tom Moved.

John Tom, of 3121/2 Dundas street, will move on Saturday to 3081/2 Dundas street, where he has formed partnership with Wah Lee Bank Clearings.

Local bank clearings for the week ending Dec. 19, totaled \$1,247,784, a decrease of \$3,274 as compared with the same week of last year.

Bring in the Orders.

Newsboys who have been working on The Advertiser subscription contest must bring in all their orders properly signed at once so that they may receive credit for same. Closed for the Winter.

Mr. Hugh M. Douglass has removed all his live stock from the Fraser Heights, Port Stanley, to London, and has shut up the big hotel for the win-

Indorsed the Movement. At a well-attended meeting of the

Synod of Huron, held yesterday afternoon, the laymen's missionary movement was discussed, and the proponed measures to be adopted were most heartily indorsed. Dr. Beal Returning.

Dr. Norman H. Beal, who has been absent from the city during this year, taking work in the London, England. hospitals, and visiting other medical centers in the old world, is returning by the steamship Mauretania, which

Lad Injured. A painful accident happened at the Colborne street school yesterday afternoon, when Russell Legg, an 11-year-old boy living at 235 York street, fell from the top of a fence and dislocated the bones of his left elbow. The in-jury was dressed by Drs. Mason and

has arrived at New York.

End of Fishing Season. The fishing season at Port Stanley

still a few of the tugs going out and getting fair catches. Capt. Berry has made his last trip, bringing in all his nets, and over a ton of fish, as a windup to a successful season in the Nettie B.

Port Stanley Breakwater. The Government has decided to

adopt a mass concrete superstructure for the breakwater now under construction at Port Stanley, so, as to provide against the heaviest storms which this structure may be subjected to. The contractors, Messrs. Haney & Miller, ceased work for the season on Wednesday evening last, and are now engaged in hauling out their scows and putting away their plant for the

Passmore-Nicol.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the manse, Blenheim, by the Rev. Geo. Gilmore, when Miss Ella Nicol, of Morpeth, formerly of Toronto, and Mr. Wm. Passmore, a prosperous farmer, were united for life. The bride was becomingly gowned in a traveling suit of brown chiffon broadcloth, with hat to match. After a honeymoon spent in Chatham and other points, Mr. and Mrs. Passmore will be at home to their

Divinity Examinations.

The divinity examinations, which have been in progress at the Western University for several days, closed this morning, and the results will be made known in a few days. The faculty has decided in future to hold final examinations at the beginning of the spring term, and the first will be held on Jan. 8. Students successful in passing this examination will not need to write on their fall work at the May examinations. In this way it is believed more work can be covered in a more effi-

cient manner. Pleasant Party.

A very enjoyable time was spent last evening at the residence of Mr. Wm. Pate, in South London, when a Christmas party was given in honor of the birthday of Miss Pate. A number of Miss Pate's young friends were present and the evening was passed most pleasantly. A programme of musical selections was rendered, and at a late hour the party broke up. Post in Good Time.

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