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30TH YEAR

ELECTORAL CHANGES

The British Electorate is Not Stampeded by Either of the Political Parties—Premier Asquith's Burden, if Anything, Has Been Increased.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—(New York Sun Cable.)—John Bull finished making a record Saturday of the fact that he does not alter his political opinions within the short space of a single year. That is really about all there is to say as to the result of the farcical unnecessary election which has just been finished. John Bull could not have expressed himself with more remarkable clarity. He returns a house of commons adjusted almost to a hair's breadth to the same political proportions, but he manages at the same time to rebuke those who compelled him to make a superfluous use of the franchise by substantially reducing their popular majority throughout the country.

A short month ago the leaders on both sides and the entire press of the country agreed that Great Britain was plunging into the most momentous constitutional crisis of this generation and that the most vital interests of the empire were involved in the outcome. It looked at that moment as the Premier Asquith and his coalition, following the failure of the conference on the reform of the lords, would secure a substantial addition to its strength which would enable it to carry out the most radical schemes of this generation. Then, owing to the prompt Unionist proposals of genuine reform of the upper house, there came an sudden change in the aspect of the situation that the shrewdest observers on both sides were convinced that a great reaction was in progress.

Electors Kept Their Heads.
Never was apparent confusion worse confounded and never did the British or any other electorate keep its head more calmly. It refused to be stampeded. It refused to relieve its representatives of any of their recently conferred responsibility for governing the country. The verdict tells them plainly to take up the task which is no more difficult here than in France or Germany, where parliamentary government is also by groups. "Democracy is not in danger, attend to your business as administrators of the government, that is England's cool, unperturbed message to Mr. Asquith and his associates in the last fortnight's polling.

First and foremost its effect will be sobering to both sides. It will call a halt in the fierce extremes of a struggle which has developed un-English features of bitterness and method. It will do more, it will bring an immediate manifestation of one of John Bull's less familiar but closely inherent characteristics, a final compromise in a useless or losing quarrel.

No political compromise ever offered a better opportunity. Mr. Asquith can triumph in his policy in the new parliament in only one way, the passage of a measure which will bring an immediate manifestation of one of John Bull's less familiar but closely inherent characteristics, a final compromise in a useless or losing quarrel.

On the other hand nothing could be easier or more practical now than to reach a quiet understanding with the opposition whereby the administration could be carried on for the next six months and the Nationalists deprived of the power of upsetting the government during that interval. It is more than probable that some basis of genuine reform of the lords may be hit upon which will prevent the bitter clamor, however democratically constituted, of real power.

Such is the spirit of the English political world at the present moment. Practical developments cannot be expected until some time after the Christmas holidays. No one of course is entitled to venture any definite forecasts, but there is no mistaking the tendency of events.

The Unionists captured in Saturday's voting the St. Andrew's district, reducing the net coalition gain to one. The results of eighteen pollings held Friday show the return of five Unionists, seven Liberals, one Laborite and five Redmonites. The Liberals gained a seat at Ebury, in Oxfordshire, where their candidate was elected by a majority of 81. The Unionists carried this district in January by a majority of 85.

Gen. Booth Wants Carnegie's Money

Salvation Army Leader Would Like to Found a Great "University of Humanity" in Cause of Peace.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—General Booth, of the Salvation Army, is deeply stirred by Carnegie's gift of \$10,000,000 for the promotion of peace.

"What would I give for \$10,000,000 to help us win true peace?" he cried. "How would I spend it? That is no new question. We, year in and year out, have pondered it, wondering where and whence the millions will come. There are so many schemes and possibilities, but if they are to be effective all must begin with the one beginning, a university of humanity. This university for a beginning should have two centres, London and New York. It would be an institution to which the lowest, the humblest and the most degraded would be brought, that they might be taught. The greatest and only abiding lesson would be forgetfulness of self.

"In these universities I would give men of healthy bodies the means of healthy work. I would see that the money was not spent on the few alone. Around each university I would have one thousand halls which, by their brightness, would attract each their thousands. There are so many ways of spending money in the direction of peace and yet making it productive that I cannot recount all. I only wish Mr. Carnegie would leave me a chance."

UNKNOWN MAN SUICIDES AT BUSY STREET CORNER

"Sick—Broke—Just Booze," Said Note—Walked to Hospital to Die From Carbolic Acid.

"Sick."
"Broke."
"I will cross 'the divide' for my Xmas."
"P—Booze, just booze."
This note, written in a splendid hand, was found in a little note book in the pocket of a tall, fine-looking, middle-aged and well-dressed man, who ended his life rather strangely Saturday night.

He was found sitting on the sidewalk beside the bank office on the southwest corner of Queen and Church streets, by P. C. Taylor, who, noting a peculiar odor, asked him if he had taken carbolic acid.

"Don't say anything," returned the man, rising to his feet. He walked with the constable to St. Michael's hospital, which is but two blocks away. He didn't speak another word, and died in about twenty minutes.

The laundry mark, "E. N.," on the collar and shirt band may lead to his identity. The last initial may be N. or R. or K. The body was removed to the morgue. It is that of a man of about 35 years, with a fine head of grey hair, grey eyebrows, and black moustache streaked with grey. The eyes were a light brown. His height would be about 5 feet 11 inches and the features were rather sharp.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS

J. B. Giles Defeats C. T. Guid for the Presidency.

MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—Polling one of the most keenly contested elections in the history of the Dominion Commercial Travelers' Association. J. B. Giles was last evening declared elected president, receiving 1981 votes, against 1709 cast for C. T. Guid. The membership, 7097, is an increase of 27 over last year. Sir Thos. Shaughnessy and Mr. Hays will speak at the annual dinner of the association to-morrow evening at the Windsor.

TRAITED WITH SELF-INTEREST

How the British Press Views the Free Trade Declarations of Delegation of Canadian Farmers.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)
LONDON, Dec. 18.—Referring to the farmers' delegation to Ottawa as an effective answer to the demand for protection, The Morning Leader says that when the colonies grasp the weight of the burden, which fanatical and commercial imperialists are endeavoring to fasten upon the British poor, they will, in Milner's elegant language, "spit such policy out of their mouths."

The Morning Post, disregarding Balfour's pledge that colonial corn would be admitted free, argues that for a variety of reasons Canadian grain growers now prefer the free trade price in the English markets rather than the slightly lower price as a consequence of the duty levied on wheat by a preference against the foreigner.

The Poor English Consumer.
"It is a pity," the paper says, "they thought it worth while to base this renunciation on a profession of disinterested concern for the poor English consumer, who has a legislature of his own, quite capable of protecting his real interests. It seems to be the force of the bad example set during the Lancashire cotton spinners have hardly yet abandoned the miserable pretence of their insistence that India's claim for protection is inspired by selfishness. The poor English consumer had have to pay more for his meagre garment."

WINNIPEG CARS RUNNING ONLY MINOR TROUBLE

Strike Breakers Will Replace Volunteer College Workers To-day—No Night Cars.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—The feature of the street car strike to-day was the arrival of sixty strike-breakers from Toronto. These men, the company claims, are all experienced operators and are not imported from the United States.

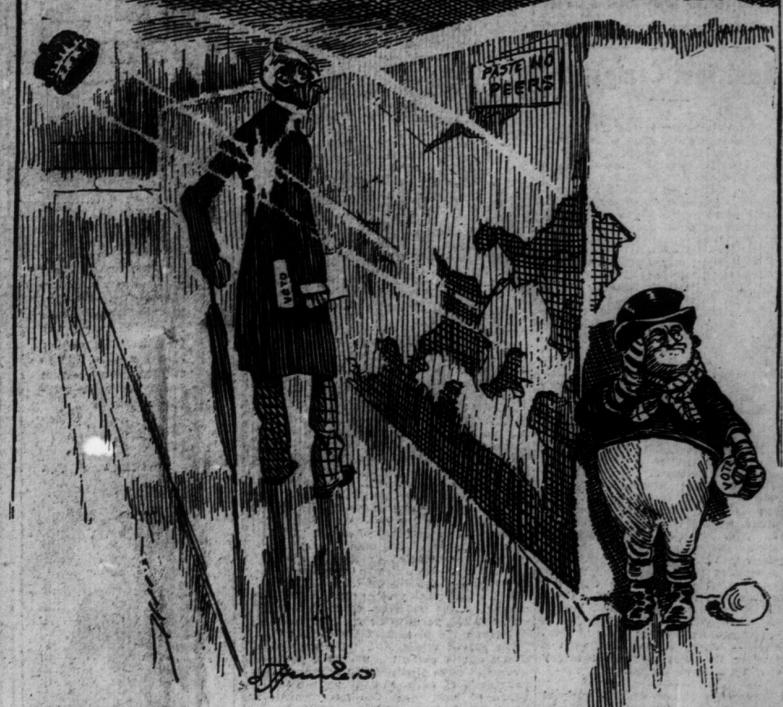
It is expected that they will be put to work to-morrow morning unless the strikers give in before the time set by the company for resuming work—Tuesday.

MARRIED BESIDE BIER

He Was to Have Been Best Man at the Ceremony.

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., Dec. 18.—Miss Leah Updyke was married to Pearl S. McCaa here to-day in the room in which her brother, Roger Updyke, lay dead. He was electrocuted at a manufacturing plant. The dead man was to have been best man at the wedding. At first it was intended to postpone the ceremony but it was finally decided that they would be following the wishes of the brother if the wedding took place upon the date set. The Rev. C. H. Pyke was overcome during the ceremony. The funeral of Roger Updyke was held in the afternoon.

SHOCKING DISRESPECT



HIS LORDSHIP: As our American friends would say, "Now what d'you know about that?"

FILL UP THE VACANT ZONE

There was a big delegation of farmers from the Canadian West at Ottawa last week, asking for tariff reduction and for public ownership of terminal elevators. It was so "weasy" (so cheery) if we may coin a word, so insistent, that the idea was forced on one that the country was growing apart, rather than together, and that it might require two parliaments and two policies to satisfy the needs of all.

We have no fear of the future; but the situation is one that calls for statesmanship beyond. Absolute regard for one's own local interest, or for one's province, must give way to statesmanship if it be of high class and the right kind. Here is where the danger may be dangerous. We propose to leave the questions at issue at Ottawa alone in this article; but we wish to refer to certain things that might be done that would lessen some of the distinct lines of cleavage between us and the west.

The most significant one to our mind at the present time is the rocky and sparsely inhabited zone from the Ottawa to the Manitoba line—all New Ontario, in fact. Certainly it is not all rocky, much good land exists there, but it is intractable in look, rocks prevail in many places, it is covered with trees. What, are trees a drawback? Yes, for a while, when at the entrance to a prairie country. The first settlers, and the settlers ever since, have skipped the country about Lake Superior for one reason, in order to get to the plains. Who'd clear a farm that didn't need to? Why content yourself with chopping ten acres in two years, when you can plow and sow 250 acres the first year? So the people passed the bush and went to prairie.

And it is this rock and bush that has developed people more or less different in the east and the west.

And inasmuch as the unsettled belt belongs to Ontario, one great duty this province owes to the federation is "to connect up" the two ends. How? By building or aiding the building of more railways than Algoma and around Lake Superior and toward Hudson Bay. The Dominion must also help, as it has helped. The National Transcontinental will be at Cochrane (which really means in Toronto) in 20 months. The great lay belt in this district must be opened up for farmers and settlers. Railways will bring in people. The conditions of taking up land must be modified in the interest of the settler. The railways that have yet to be built might be given adjacent land if they'd undertake to put settlers along their lines. The government might make liberal terms to the Salvation Army on condition of putting settlers into the country. It might pay the province to help the settlers with their first clearance and in getting up a house and a start with stock. If we might make a suggestion to Sir James Whitney, it would be to find an energetic young man and put him in charge of a department of colonization, situated in the west. He might double up two of the old departments with advantage in order to float out a bustling department of colonization.

The mines promise to call for thousands of workmen. They will help to fill up the country and to sustain the local farmers. Encourage mining.

So conserve the waterpowers and the supply of pulpwood that an immense pulp and paper industry may be created. There is no need to strip off the pulpwood—handle it so that it will reproduce itself as fast as cut.

Ontario can do a lot more than she has done, and we suggest to Sir James that he deserve a still greater reputation, based on what he will do to join the east and the west together.

But the Dominion can also do much. Let it encourage manufacturing in the towns. Port Arthur and Fort William may yet be great centres of industry. But they must have a factory population. The nickel industry is a growing one, and the time is near at hand when the work of refining the nickel must be kept in Canada by a prohibitive export duty. There is a national as well as a provincial reason for such a policy.

IT WAS A CANARD

Story That Bridge on Hudson Bay Link Had to Be Abandoned Denied.
SASKATOON, Dec. 18.—The report from Prince Albert that the bridge over the Saskatchewan River on the government Hudson Bay Railroad at the Pass has been abandoned by the department of colonization, owing to their inability to find a solid bottom, has been branded as a canard of the worst sort. An excellent bottom has been struck at less than fifty feet, and the work is progressing satisfactorily. It is stated here that the yarn was started by parties in Prince Albert whose interests would be furthered by a delay of the work.

WALIKE TALK FOR A PEACE MEETING

President Taft Urges Policy of "Wise Military Preparation" and Talks About Necessity of Fortifying the Panama Canal—Would Not Prevent Maintenance of Neutrality.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—President Taft, addressing the closing banquet last night of the American Society for the Judicial Settlement of International Disputes, allayed "the so-called war scare which has furnished pabulum for the newspapers during the last few days." He declared that "there is not the slightest reason for such a sensation, because we are at peace with all the nations of the world and are quite likely to remain so." He said his purpose in outlining the preparedness of the United States for war "was a peace meeting," was to show by contrast the great worldliness of the movement for a permanent court of arbitral justice and universal peace.

The president urged that a policy of "wise military preparation" be pursued. He emphasized the fact that the American people never would consent to the maintenance of a standing army sufficient to cope with that of the great regular army, the improvement of the national militia, the passage of the present volunteer bill, to go into operation should war be declared, and the passage of a law, now before congress, providing for a force of additional officers, who will be "able in time of peace to render efficient service in driving the militia of the states," and, finally, the accumulation of great arms ammunition "to equip and arm the force we could select under our colors in an emergency."

War Not Yet Improbable.
President Taft asserted that the best method of ultimately securing disarmament among nations is the establishment of an international court, and the development of a code of international law. He declared that the country had not reached the point where war is impossible, he cited the Panama Canal question. He said: "Take this question of the Panama Canal. We are to have a property, which, when completed, will be worth \$400,000,000—at least, it will cost us that. It has been built not only to furnish a route of communication, but also to bring our eastern and western seaboard closer together, and secure us the military benefits, enabling our naval fleet to pass quickly from the Atlantic to the other. Now the works of the canal are of such a character that war vessels might easily put the canal out of commission."

"We are authorized to protect the canal and we have the treaty right to erect fortifications there. Fortifications are the best and most secure method of protecting this canal against the attack of some irresponsible nation or armed force."

Will Not Prevent Neutrality.
"It is said that some nations realize the canal, and, by inducing all nations to agree not to attack the canal, secure its immunity from injury. But the trouble is that nations are quite as likely as men to violate their obligations under great stress like that of war."

The fact that we fortify the canal will not prevent us from discharging all international obligations that we may have in respect to it, but it will enable us to defend ourselves in its possession from the act of any irresponsible force or nation that might prevent our maintaining its neutrality, if that is wise and right.

In deprecating the idea of a war scare, the president said a little more forthrightly, and we shall have all of the army and all of the munitions and material of war that we ought to have in a republic, situated as we are, three thousand miles on the one side and 5000 miles on the other, from the source of possible invasion.

A Long Step Forward.
The president commended the association on Carnegie's gift of \$10,000,000 for peace, and continued: "If now we can negotiate and put thru a positive agreement with some great nation, to abide the adjudication of an international arbitral court in every issue which cannot be settled by negotiation, no matter what it involves, whether honor, territory or money, we shall have made a long step forward, by demonstrating that it is possible for two nations, at least, to establish, as between them, the same system of dispute process of law that exists between individuals under a government."

CHILDREN'S FURS

Furs for the children at this season of the year are a necessity. The wee kiddies going to school these sharp, frosty mornings want to be warmly clothed, and yet they do not like to be bundled up too much. A set of furs will keep the little girl warm and will not interfere with her freedom when playing. A fur muff, muff and gauntlets will complete her attire. They are made from soft, fleecy furs, such as Iceland and grey lamb, thibet and rabbit skins. The Dineen offering affords you a splendid choice. Every garment is well lined, and being made in the firm's workrooms, is a sure guarantee that they will be right in design and will wear like fur. A Dineen handles everything in furs. A gift selected here will be appreciated at Xmas. Write for catalog.



HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

STRUCK BY FADIAL CAR

Fatal Accident on the Burlington Beach Line.

HAMILTON, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—A man who gave a name which sounded like Edward Keller, died at the city hospital at 5 o'clock this morning, as the result of injuries sustained thru being struck by a radial car on the beach last night. The accident occurred in front of the power house near Burlington. The deceased is thought to have been under the influence of liquor and to have endeavored to halt the car while standing too close to the track. Nothing is known of his relatives. An inquest will be held.

James Hughes, a well-known man in Toronto last night, some years ago conducted a dry goods store in this city, and was afterwards a traveler for the W. E. Sanford Co. He was an active member of Centenary Church in its early days. The body will be interred on Tuesday afternoon.

Joseph Easton was arrested today on a charge of threatening to kill Alex Lincoy near the steel plant. John Langley died at his residence, 45 Alkman-ave., this afternoon, aged 71. He leaves two sons and seven daughters.

About 300 members of the eight Masonic lodges in this city attended divine service at Centenary Church this afternoon, in celebration of the feast of St. John. Rev. J. V. Smith and Rev. E. B. Lancelotti conducted the service, and Rev. W. J. Smith preached the sermon.

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Travellers' Certificates. Commercial travellers' certificates for 1911 can now be had from Fred Johnson, room 5, Federal Life Building.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF ELEVATORS.

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—The executives of the Grain Growers' Associations of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, will have a conference with the premier and Sir Richard Cartwright Monday afternoon, regarding their proposal to have the government own and control the elevators. It is understood that Sir Richard Cartwright's bill dealing with the matter will be submitted to the delegation.

Dufferin School Awards. The presentation of the Dufferin medal to the winner for 1910 and a copy of the life of Lord Dufferin to each of the winners of the medal for the past seven years, donated by Lady Dufferin, will take place in the kindergarten room of the school on Tuesday at 2:45 p.m.

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HAMILTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY

HAMILTON HOTELS

HOTEL ROYAL. Every room completely renovated and newly carpeted during 1910. \$2.50 and up per day. American Plan.

Municipal Campaign

The movement in support of the Dufferin-streets bylaw is gathering momentum daily and, with the effective organization work actively in progress, there is good reason to hope for an issue satisfactory not only to Rivendale, but to all citizens who have studied the situation carefully and will perceive the genuine value of a thorough extension from the seventh ward to East Toronto.

There is solid encouragement in the fact that a year ago, with no concerted effort whatever outside of the first ward, the ward voted well over 7000 votes. Believing that all that is needed is a stronger campaign of education, supporters of the project are arranging for a series of meetings throughout the city and the distribution of thousands of circulars. Gatherings will probably be held in St. Paul's Hall, Brockton Hall, and the East Toronto and West End Y.M.C.A. buildings.

H. R. Frankland, who is one of the leading advocates, says that he has observed a "wonderful change" in the attitude of many prominent citizens since the vote of last January. The reason is that they are better acquainted with the merits of the bylaw. Ald. McBride gave expression to a like feeling at a recent meeting of council. When it is considered that in 1909, of 20,000, the majority was over 4000, it can be seen that the turn-over required is not large. Then, as a result, it is to be remembered that a bylaw which can "come back" after a defeat is nothing new in civic history. The trunk sewer bylaw met with a reverse in 1907, but was subsequently carried by a large majority.

A favorable factor is the support which is likely to be called forth by the good roads bylaw. Thousands of voters will probably couple the two in an affirmative vote. As St. Clair-avenue and Danforth-road are to be widened, each to a width of 100 feet, it is obvious that the viaduct is needed as a connecting link. The arteries would then be enabled to traverse St. Clair-avenue from the western city limit into Rosedale and thence across the viaduct to the broad stretch of Danforth-road, which is, uninterrupted, run to East Toronto and the Kings-ton-road.

The dearth of candidates for the mayoralty who can be considered serious contenders prompts the query why the city should be put to the expense and trouble of an election, the outcome of which is beyond the shadow of a doubt. Almost every year, the comedy element in introduced by some individual or other who has to depend for votes mainly on the mistakes of flurried electors.

Two suggestions are offered as a remedy. One is that a candidate be required to present a petition, signed by 1000 voters, before he can be nominated, and the other that a forfeit be deposited as in the Dominion parliamentary elections. Probably in some cases a provision that a candidate must obtain 10 per cent. of the vote cast for the winner or lose his deposit would be a deterrent.

On the whole, the board of education elections promise more excitement than those for city council. The return to the ward system of electing trustees charges the situation with uncertainty. Dr. Ogden, who has been on the board for nearly 20 years, announces that, unless he is offered a seat in the fifth ward by acclamation, he will retire. Dr. McKay and W. O. McTaggart are candidates in the ward.

None of the old members are seeking re-election in the first ward. The contestants in this far are Charles Doughty, a business man, prominent in the local Conservative organization, Dr. G. J. Steele, W. W. Hiltz and Dr. W. L. Addison.

In the second, R. R. Davis and Dr. W. F. Bryans, old members, are opposed by Dr. John Noble and W. H. Shaver. Alex. C. Lewis, a well-known newspaperman, is making a strong bid in the third against C. A. B. Brown and Clara Brett Martin. He is getting excellent support. Mr. Lewis has a practical knowledge of the city's public schools and is not a faddist.

R. D. Airburn is opposing L. S. Levee and W. H. Smith in the fourth, and Dr. John Hunter is battling in the sixth with W. W. Hodgson and Dr. Conboy, present members. R. G. Agnew and J. A. Ellis are having a duel in the seventh.

LIGHTING AERIAL PATHS.

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—Germany is now considering the question of lighting aerial thoroughfares. Experiments at Jochims'thal, near Berlin, have shown that small captive balloons can be used to provide airmen with light. Street lamps afford terrestrial lightings and buoys regulate maritime traffic. For this reason, it is argued, that the airman should have lights.

The balloons used in the experiments varied in size. The largest had a diameter of eight feet and the smallest three and a half feet. They were lifted with electricity which was conducted by wire communicating with the earth. These lights were visible for six miles.

Five Pats for House Lighthouses. LONDON, Ont., Dec. 18.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the water commissioners this afternoon the floor space charge in connection with house lighthouses was abolished and a flat scale of per kilowatt hour substituted less ten per cent. for cash for commercial and store lighting. No meter rent will be charged.

Western Ontario Travelers. LONDON, Ont., Dec. 18.—At the annual meeting of Western Ontario Travelers' Association, Saturday, at the request of the Eastern Passenger Association, that transferring of certificates be discontinued, was refused.

The following directors were re-elected: H. H. Revell, W. R. Grant, G. M. Adams, C. Currie, R. B. Wanless, A. E. Cowley and G. C. English.

INVITED THE FARMERS AND GAVE THEM NOTHING

Premier's Treatment of Big Delegation Has Resulted in a Lot of Dissatisfaction.

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—The capital has been practically deserted by members of parliament and the five hundred farmers who thronged the house of commons last week and asked Sir Wilfrid Laurier for redress of their alleged grievances, have also departed. They came to Ottawa at Sir Wilfrid's own suggestion, and they have gone away almost empty handed.

No matter how radical were the demands of the agriculturists and the premier's voice is heard in these words on Friday, "In the west your ideas are far more advanced than those of the east—the government was cognizant of the fact before their arrival. The memorials presented were but an amplification of the arguments made to the premier when touring the west last summer, and at that time he gave the grain growers the understanding that he could not give a decision until he had consulted his colleagues. He invited them to send a deputation to Ottawa and to choose men from every branch of the grain industry, and their operation in order to discuss the matters at issue with the government."

Sir Wilfrid's reply to the deputation was an non-committal as his speeches in the west. He pointed out that the Hudson Bay Railway was being built, but as to government ownership, said it "is not altogether in my line. But I think I can go that far. Government operation of the matter as to which we shall give all due weight to your representations."

The terminal elevator question is still unsettled, but the government has been seized with the urgency of this demand, and a number of the members of the executive committee of the Canadian Agricultural Council will go over the provisions of the act and their association. Also under the spell of Sir Wilfrid's eloquence the farmers at first were enthusiastic, perhaps before they reach Winnipeg the elation of the hour will have passed away, and their avowed desire not to make the matter a party issue will have changed. Many traveled thousands of miles at considerable expense to wait on the government. They return to their homes with only a promise of "due consideration."

Meanwhile, Sir Wilfrid is said to be of opinion that the farmers' organization do not represent any voting power, and will waive the question under the pretext, "My colleague, Mr. Fielding, the minister of finance, is not here."

KNOCKED OVER TURNKEY AND MADE GOOD ESCAPE

Burglar, Sentenced to Three Years in Kingston, Breaks Out of Welland Jail.

WELLAND, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—Claude Dickout, aged 30, sentenced by Judge Wells last week to three years in Kingston Penitentiary, escaped from Welland Jail at 11:15 this morning. He walked out of the main entrance of the court house. Had the earth swallowed him, his escape could not have been more secure. Dickout was being carried out of the court house by a rush for the door, knocking the turnkey over as he passed. The door leading from the court to the office was ajar. The fugitive pulled it to after him. In the 30 or 40 seconds it took Mr. Mains to unlock the door, Dickout got away without fear. The police were on the St. Lawrence street, and the frontier force promptly notified to be on the alert, but thus far all efforts are unavailing.

Dickout was arrested for burglarizing at Ridgeway. In giving evidence, Judge Wells made scathing reference to the young man's life, to which the young culprit returned a bland smile.

AN ENIGMATIC OBSERVATION

Sifton Refers to Members "Who Had Been My Political Friends."

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—Some comment has been aroused here by an enigmatic observation made by Hon. Clifford Sifton, in his address on conscription, before the Canadian Club, Saturday. Mr. Sifton was speaking of the contest in parliament over the St. Lawrence Power Co., and the proposal to the St. Lawrence power, and observed that the bill had been supported by "many members who were my political friends."

The remark here is construed as a suggestion that he no longer is an out and out supporter of the Laurier government.

Millions Starving in China. PEKIN, Dec. 18.—Winter is intensifying the famine in Yanktsiang districts. The authorities are endeavoring to suppress the sale of children, which has been so extensive as to be estimated at over a million. The majority of these are girls. The roads are dotted with starving and dead.

Caught on the Fly. Seeing a man break thru the crowd in front of the star Theatre Saturday night and bolt up the street, P.C. Lawlor gave pursuit and arrested him. Some of the crowd ran up and declared they had snatched a dollar bill from the man. The prisoner gave the name of Thomas Ashcroft, 30 Trinity-street.

Struck by Hot Rivet. NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Dec. 18.—John Logan of Cippawa may lose the sight of his left eye, as a result of being struck by a hot rivet from the Ontario power plant yesterday. A rivet was accidentally dropped by a man working on a trestle above Logan.

Dr. Martel's Female Pills

SEVENTEEN YEARS THE STANDARD

Dr. Martel's Female Pills

FAIRWEATHER'S FURS

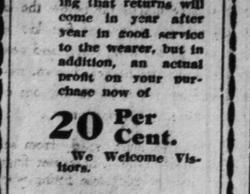
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But Commented Instead on Bank Manager's Investment—Lindsay Trial Drags On.

LINDSAY, Dec. 18.—(Special.)—The Crown's case against McGill, Coulter and Fleury, former employees of the Farmers' Bank of Canada, charged with conspiracy, was not finished on Saturday when the court rose at 12:15. Judge Harding complained of feeling unwell, hence the early adjournment. The case goes on on Monday at 2 p.m.

In some quarters it is remarked as strange that W. R. Travers, general manager of the Farmers' Bank of Canada, has not been called as a witness. Travers has been subpoenaed by the defence, and as the defence has not begun its case, except under cross-examination, he has not yet been called. He is present during the sessions all last week and was armed with books and documents, ready to go fully into the affairs of the bank.

So far, from the spectator's standpoint, the case seems to have been guided with the aim to investigate the bank rather than the conduct of the defendants. In this regard the evidence has gone far afield and has developed interesting comments from the bench and the bar. It is not strange then that sympathy is evinced for the bank which, no matter how interesting to the uninitiated its business details might be, edit in this section desired only to do a public service in vindicating its right to the business it had created and to safeguard other financial institutions from similar treatment.

Justice to Manager. Those who have knowledge of the money transactions of banks in connection with moneys heretofore considered relative to the general manager of the bank as uncalled for. Judge Harding said: "The question is not what is the value of the Keeley mine, but rather the question of the sanity of a banker who would invest so much in a mine." Is that really the question before the court? Or is it not?

In some quarters it is regarded as a hardship that Frank C. Loring, one of the best mining engineers in Canada, and Kenneth Rose, a mining engineer of standing and experience, were not allowed to give evidence as to the value of the Keeley mine. Mr. Loring is consulting engineer for the Wetlaufer mine, that adjoins the Keeley and is understood to have said that he considered the Keeley mine as worth from \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000. A deal now under negotiation could be closed within a week to net the bank a large profit. Perhaps this evidence will come out later as it would be a complete answer to the hint that the loan to the Keeley mine was bad business. Tho. as Judge Harding says, the Keeley mine is not on trial.

It was rumored that N. F. Davidson, K.C., had said he would retire from the case if the bank would let him. This is not true. What he said is that he would not retire from the case even if the bank wished it.

Saturday's Proceedings. Saturday's trial proceedings were uninteresting. A. W. Augustine of Burnham told of purchasing stock at \$100, \$50 and \$25, and then Loring, the mining engineer, was called to give evidence concerning the Keeley mine. Judge Harding, however, remarked: "I'm not going to try the value of a hole in the ground or an alleged mine as a banking investment."

"I want to show whether it is a hole in the ground or not," retorted Mr. Davidson. "I've evidence to show that this engineer is buying air from the Keeley mine for the Wetlaufer mine."

Mr. Loring was not allowed, despite Mr. Davidson's protest, to give his opinions and the same fate befel Kenneth Rose, another expert. David Malcolm, a depositor, swore Coulter had seen him, with a large book, like a ledger. He confided to Mr. Cowan the salesman of the bank, he would expect a friendly hint from him if occasion demanded.

The crown's case will be completed Monday.

Socialist Lecture. J. Stewart lectured last evening at the Socialist Hall, 10 and 12 Alcester-street. He took as his topic "The Tendency of Capitalism." He outlined the Socialist interpretation of history, namely, that society is determined by its mode of living. A change in the method by which we produce our wealth would reflect itself in a change of our social structure, the moral and legal expressions. He emphasized the importance of understanding history in order to study the development of society to aid us in our investigation as to what is the fundamental law of social development. After tracing the evolution of feudalism and the rise of capitalism, which the speaker maintained had already fulfilled its mission by organizing industry, he said that must pass away to make room for another order of society.

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Two Generous Contributions. The Confederation Life Association has again sent to the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives its annual contribution of \$500. Almost from the inception of this work in Muskoka the Confederation Life has by this means kept two beds endowed in the institution. Another nice sized cheque comes from Mr. Charles J. Harris of Brantford, who sends \$100.

Overcoat Thief Caught. Being told that he had bought a stolen fur overcoat, a man who had had paid \$20, a Hebrew gentleman in the ward sent his little boy after Harry Williams the salesman. The lad pointed him out to P.C. Brown. The coat belonged to a man on College-street. Williams was wearing another overcoat, which Detective Taylor had identified as having been stolen from another man on Bond-street.

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Waists and Petticoats will offer superior values Tuesday at just half the usual prices, while a number of other items will give almost, if not quite, as good a return. Come early, both to secure the cream of these specials and to escape the inevitable rush that begins later in the morning.

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George S. Henry Elected President by Acclamation—National Issues Discussed. There is a healthy growth in the South York Liberal-Conservative Association. That fact was clearly demonstrated at the annual meeting of the association, held in the Labor Temple on Saturday afternoon.

COST OF LIVING Controller Ward Points Out How It Will Be Reduced.

Bylaw for Good Roads One of the Most Important for the Householder. People in Toronto complain of high cost of living. Mr. Ward, Controller of the City, at a meeting last week "To cheapen living here we must pass the Good Roads bylaw. This will enable the farmers for forty miles around Toronto to send in all kinds of produce by wagons at a low cost. It will multiply the supply. In Buffalo it has increased the tonnage ten times. Vegetables and fruit will reach the city homes fresh and cheap, instead of stale from delay in transporting and big cost tacked on for rail shipment and handling. Vote for the Good Roads Bylaw."

LAUNCH OF LARGEST SHIP EVER BUILT IN COLONIES

"The Emperor" Safety Takes the Water—Is a Huge Grain Carrier. COLLINGWOOD, Dec. 17.—(Special.)—The Emperor, the largest steel ship ever built in the British colonies, took the water at Collingwood at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The traditional bottle of wine was broken across the bow by James Playfair, sr., father of the president of the Inland Steamship Lines, Limited, to whose order the vessel was built.

CAUSED A SCHISM

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Munich says that the oath disavowing modernism required of theological professors by the Vatican, has caused a schism in the faculty of the University of Munich. One professor has retired from the church and several members of the theological faculty have abandoned their spiritual functions rather than take the oath.

DOWNVIEW, Ont. Dec. 18.—At present there is considerable sickness in this locality. Mr. Goulding, Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Sherry and Mrs. Hartley have all been under the doctor's care.

UNIONVILLE. A large number of friends and acquaintances from the city and various parts of York County attended the double funeral of Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. A. Smith.

NORTH TORONTO. At Saturday night's meeting of the Ratepayers' Association in the town hall a motion advocating defeat of the sewage bylaw on the suggested lines of part general tax and part local improvement was carried.

THREE SENTENCED TO PRISON

"I think this is a case where too great leniency would not be well," said Judge Morgan Saturday in the sessions in sentencing Merritt Thompson, Leslie Rose and Stukley Sedore, each to three and a half months in the Central Prison for burglarizing Paul Chapelle's store at Brown Hill, Ralph Gates, alleged to have been implicated, was acquitted on the benefit of a doubt.

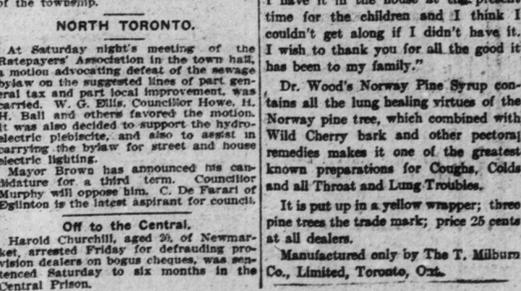
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THE REAL ISSUE

W. F. Maclean, M.P. for South York, discussed in less than half an hour's time not only the great public questions before the people of Canada, but also the trend of politics in both the United States and England. "The one real issue in the English-speaking world at the present time is privilege versus public rights," said Mr. Maclean. "That is just as apparent in England as it is in the United States, and the same thing is in evidence here in Canada. In England the progressive measures of the people are thwarted and prevented to a large extent by the veto of the lords, as in the fight for a better system of national education. In America the senate is similarly opposed to the popular will, the trusts being in almost entire control of that august body."

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wood. The private quarters, or owners' quarters, in the forward end of the ship, consists of a large living room, a dining room and a bar-parlor, and a large social hall or observation room beneath the pilot-house, all finished in quarter-sawn oak and white enamel. The speed of the ship loaded will be about 13 miles per hour, and the speed in ballast trim about 15 miles per hour; the engines are capable of developing 2400 horse-power.

EDITIONS CONFISCATED

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 18.—Yesterday's editions of the Pech and four other daily newspapers were confiscated, and their editors will be prosecuted for less magisterial publishing at length the article made in the duma by M. Purishkevich, in connection with an investigation as to the behavior of the police on the occasion of the recent student meeting held in protest against the alleged cruelties inflicted upon political prisoners.

Censure for Lawyer

Judge Winchester's law was annulled on Saturday during hearing of the suit brought by the Imperial Trust Co. to recover from Miss Dot Rowe for the benefit of the estate of the late Walter B. Freeman, a watch chain and locket, a ring and the pin, given to Miss Rowe. J. T. Loftus, counsel for defendant, had produced two rings for the purpose, he explained later, of checking up plaintiff's witnesses, who had sworn they could identify the original ring.



Hockey College Schedule

Note and Comment

Some good games are being witnessed in the Granite Inter-rink curling competition, that is being held at the Granite Inter-rink curling club, and already crack skips like Thos. and John Kenna and George Orr are on the ground list. These extra curling dates on Saturday. An interesting game this week is between H. E. Beatty and D. T. Francis, both rink winners last season.

Also at Queen City one of the members of the stellar firmament fell by the way side in club competition. The Flavio Cup games opened on Saturday with two contests. Rev. Dr. Burns went down before H. C. Boulter, while J. C. Scott won before D. T. Francis. The games will be continued to-day.

The first inter-club curling competition of the season takes place on Tuesday of this week, when Granite and Queen City meet in a friendly affair, six rinks on each ice.

Curriers generally will be pleased to hear that H. A. Haskett, after being out of the weather for some time, has just returned to the city, and is again seen daily on the Queen City rink. He will likely be once more in the tankard line-up. The Queen City tankard and district cup prize was contested this week.

Winnipeg Free Press: The twin cities of the north, Edmonton and Regina, are laying themselves out to break all records in the entertainment line, when the seventh annual curling rink, which is the branch of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club will be held on the Granite, Capital City and Strathcona rinks, during the week commencing Jan. 15 and ending Jan. 25. As this is the first provincial bonspiel Edmonton has held, the promoters are doing their best to make it the biggest kind of a success. It has been advertised in Saskatchewan, British Columbia, Manitoba, as well as Alberta, and it is confidently expected that the contestants will number 20, and that their wives and families. Many invitations have been received by Winnipeg curriers, but it is too early yet to know what curriers will make the long journey. Billy Horner of the Granite, is counting upon making the trip if he can secure three more able-bodied men to go with him.

That the last season in Little Old Mutual-street rink was a good one is doubly in evidence on Saturday night, when a good crowd turned out to see an exhibition game that proved fast and interesting. As originally stated in The World, the new arena rink will be erected on the premises of the adjacent ground, starting in the spring.

Hockey enthusiasts of Saskatchewan are awaiting for an amalgamation of the many leagues that have been formed this winter and plan to have a meeting to organize an association somewhat similar to Billy Hewitt's O.H.A. There are about seven hockey leagues in business in the western province this winter, and they have all practically staid their intention of joining with the O.H.A. so that it looks like plain sailing for the promoters to form an organization. It is in each league, and the short schedule of play at the end of the season, the champions to come to Toronto for the Allen Cup.

It is the intention of the Gentlemen of Philadelphia to make a cricket tour of Bermuda and arrangements are being made to schedule the tour in February. Next summer the German-American cricket club will send a team abroad to tour England, rather a daring undertaking. Philadelphia has had their hands full in playing cricket the formidable clubs of Great Britain.

Why should there be any tinkering with the Rugby rules of the game? The game has been totally free from serious injury and the attendance on the Canadian Union of College, the season just closed was always capacity. The ordinary player will tell you that the game is just as it is, and while everyone must admit that it is open and spectacular.

Packey McFarland of Chicago and Jack Goodman of New York have been matched to meet for ten rounds at 155 pounds, weight to be made at 6 o'clock the evening of the battle, set for Jan. 10.

Billy Gallagher, timekeeper at the boxing contest between Hogan and Johnny Phrayne, was shot and mortally wounded Saturday night in the Bronx, deputy sheriff of San Mateo County, Long Island, but was later captured.

Another promising young lightweight loomed up on the pugilistic horizon when "The Round" Jack Hogan of San Francisco was given the derby by Johnny Phrayne after twenty rounds of one-sided milling at Biota's popular arena, in San Francisco Saturday night. Hogan had his man almost out at several stages of the unequal contest.

Edward (Kid) Gardner, a Philadelphia lightweight pugilist, died in a hospital there Saturday afternoon from injuries received Friday night when he was knocked out by the Nonpareil A.C. Gardner, who was 21 years old, never regained consciousness after being sent to the floor on the final time. He died from a fracture of the skull. Kid was 22 years old, is a native of Philadelphia, and was a member of the county police force. He was connected with the fatal bout which was held in bond as witnessed.

Trent Valley Hockey. MARMORA, Dec. 18.—(Special)—Some fast hockey is expected in the towns composing the Trent Valley League this winter season. Prospects are good for an enthusiastic season of sport. A meeting will be held in Marmora on the 26th to draw up a schedule. Following are the officers of the league: Hon. president, D. Pearce, M.L.A.; Marmora; hon. vice-president, Dr. J. Robertson; Trent; president, Geo. E. Kennedy; Stirling; vice-president, C. W. McDonald; Marmora; secretary-treasurer, E. M. Gidney, Marmora.

Executive committee—Wm. White, Stirling; W. B. Hogg, Trent; H. Laitner, Marmora; H. Wyck, Marmora.

Longest Spring Training Trip. BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 18.—The longest spring training trip ever undertaken by a major league baseball team is indicated for the Boston Red Sox players in preparation for the championship season of 1911, by the itinerary announced to-day. The actual training will be done at health resort between San Francisco and Los Angeles, and subsequent practice games on the return trip east, in which the squad will split into two teams, will be played in eight stages.

The start will be made Feb. 15 from this city, and the trip will last nearly two months. During their stay in California the players will meet the Los Angeles San Francisco teams of the Pacific Coast League, and on March 23 will break camp in two divisions.

Broadview Intermediate O.H.A. team will play their fourth annual exhibition game with Collingwood on New Year's afternoon. Collingwood will put the same team on the ice as last year.

College Schedule

HOCKEY COLLEGE GAMES SCHEDULE IN TWO SERIES

Varsity, Queen's, McGill in 'One, Ottawa College and Laval in the Other.

MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—At the annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Hockey Association today at the McGill Union afternoon, Ottawa College was formally admitted to the league and the schedule drawn up for the season. The league this year will be divided into two sections, as Toronto objects to making two trips to Montreal each winter, and Ottawa College will play home and home games in the first section to the east, and shall meet the winners of the McGill-Queen's-Varsity series in the final. The schedules follow:

Section 1—Ottawa, McGill, Queen's. Jan. 13—Toronto at Queens. Jan. 20—McGill at Toronto. Jan. 27—Queens at McGill. Feb. 3—McGill at Queens. Feb. 10—Toronto at McGill. Feb. 17—Queens at Toronto.

Section 2—Laval at Ottawa. Feb. 2—Ottawa at Laval. To avoid the difficulty which arose last year over the playing off the following arrangements were agreed upon: Ottawa and Laval shall play at Trenton or at Peterboro. If the tie is broken by Queens the deciding game is to take place at Ottawa and if between McGill and Toronto, at Kingston. In the Laval-Ottawa College section the majority of goals scored in both matches decides the winner and the same rule will apply for the play-off between the winners of the two sections. The meeting was marked by a rather spirited debate between representatives of Laval and Toronto.

EATONS DEFEAT PRESTON.

Toronto had its first taste of hockey of the season on Saturday night, when Preston Intermediates lost to Eatons in an exhibition affair. The game was one of the fastest exhibitions seen in the city for some time, and had the crowd on its feet. Preston are a speedy bunch as have been seen here, and the game was a very interesting one. Eatons played an exceptionally brilliant game, and his shots from any angle were hard for Bricker to handle. In the first half Eatons were a little off in their team play, but came back in the second half and scored out a win. The final score was 3 to 2 in favor of Eatons. The game was a very interesting one, and had the crowd on its feet. Eatons played an exceptionally brilliant game, and his shots from any angle were hard for Bricker to handle. In the first half Eatons were a little off in their team play, but came back in the second half and scored out a win. The final score was 3 to 2 in favor of Eatons.

Great Western Trotting Dates. CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—For the first time in the history of the Great Western Trotting Circuit, dates were set for a half-mile track, meeting next season on a half-mile track. Port Vaux and Terry Hester, who were dropped, and the little town of Muskogee, Okla., was added to the circuit. The new season will start on Jan. 1, 1911, and will continue until Nov. 1, 1911. The circuit will include the following dates: Muskogee, Okla., July 1 to 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Aug. 1 to 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Sept. 1 to 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Oct. 1 to 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Nov. 1 to 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Dec. 1 to 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jan. 1 to 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Feb. 1 to 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Mar. 1 to 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Central Y. M. C. A. Hold Fourth Annual Public School Contest—King Edward Contest.
The fourth annual Central Y.M.C.A. Public School swimming contest, the Hardy Cup, was held Saturday morning at the Central tank.

ST. LAMBERTS' Que., Dec. 17.—Quite a crowd turned out here to witness the struggle between the Tiger III and St. Lambert's aggregation for the Dominion Junior Rugby championship. It looked as though the contest would be a pink of condition, and not seeming to mind the weather conditions, it being cold and the ground was covered with several inches of packed snow.

BUBBLING WATER OFF LAST BOMPS OFF AT OAKLAND

Surprises at Jacksonville Saturday and Sunday Results at Juarez.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Bubbling water, one of the greatest state horses of the present day, proved a surprise at Emeryville to-day and romped home the winner of the Oakland Handicap, after being the best of the field to get away from the post. Arionette, which set a hot pace, was second and Jim Gaffney a hard-fighting third. Summary:

Surprises at Jacksonville.
JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 17.—Racing at Moncrief Park to-day fairly teemed with surprises, the most astounding of which was the victory of Bob R., a rank outsider in the betting. He won the Palm Beach Stakes, fourth on the card. Mary Davis, the heavily backed favorite, was second with Milton B. third. Summary:

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The World's Selections BY CENTAUR

JACKSONVILLE.—
FIRST RACE—Sam Matthews, Alouby, Peep Over.
SECOND RACE—Marc Antony II, Man-broder, Detroit, 10 (Lester), 12 to 1.
THIRD RACE—Sylvester, La Saka, Max Volatile.
FOURTH RACE—Lady Esther, Harrow, F. Hanbury.

Today's Entries

Oakland Entries.
OAKLAND, Dec. 17.—The entries for racing here on Monday are as follows:
FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, selling:
Military Man, 112; Lorry Hanover, 110; Cool Mian, 108; Nestle Traver, 108; Buell, 107; Harry Stanhope, 106; Salomy Jane, 105; New Capital, 104; Brighton, 103; Office, 102.

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Series of Games Played Saturday Afternoon at Central Y. M. C. A.
At the Central Y.M.C.A., on Saturday afternoon, a series of public school basketball games were played, resulting as follows:

ANNUAL MEETING ONTARIO RUGBY UNION.

The 27th annual meeting of the Ontario Rugby Union was held in the King Hotel Saturday afternoon, with President A. R. Denton in the chair. The principal item of discussion was the deciding of the protest between Petrol and the Alerts of Hamilton. The resolution decided that the Alerts failed to refute the evidence of the Petrols Club and that the Alerts be sent a severe letter of censure for their tactics. They, however, were decided to be junior O.R.F.U. champions.

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Curling on Granite Ice.
The old map has given the ice-maker a chance to get some depth to the body of the ice, so that good curling is assured. Saturday afternoon the rink was full at the Granite Club and a few of the preliminary games in their first bonspiel for the president's medal were played with following results:

Alexandra Yacht Club.
The Alexandra Yacht Club will hold their final stag cruise party in this month's tourney. In all probability the crowd attending this one will have less of excitement as the amusement committee have succeeded in securing the highest quality of entertainers for season opening July 4 at Joliet, Ill., and ending Nov. 11 at Phoenix, Ariz. This makes it the biggest harness circuit in the United States.

Jeff Thought He Was Doing Mutt a Favor at That
By 'Bud' Fisher
OH, FINE! HERE'S A LETTER FROM THE AMERICAN. THEY WANT ME TO TAKE PART IN THE BIG CHARITY BENEFIT AT THE HIPPODROME NEXT SUNDAY. I'LL DO THE 'BALCONY SCENE' FROM 'ROMEO AND JULIET.' I'LL PRACTICE IT NOW WHILE I'M ALONE.

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MONDAY MORNING, DEC. 19, 1910.

ASQUITH VERY MUCH ON TOP.

The Asquith Government has a majority of over a hundred. But it is a coalition of different elements. Grant that, what about the opposition? It is Conservative, it is tariff reform, it is Liberal Unionist, it is free trade! Therefore, the sum of votes in the House must tell. The significant thing of this election just held is that all talk of composite government forces or composite opposition forces must cease. An Irish vote of 1.2 Scotch vote of 1, a Welsh vote of 1 and 2 English votes are as efficient a total of 5 in power in the house as 3 English, 1 Scotch and 1 North of Ireland. If anything is wrong, it is for parliament as soon as it chooses, to readjust the wrong. But while you are doing that, there are other things to adjust: one man, one vote; all elections on one day; a wider franchise so as to take in many capable citizens who are now without votes. If you wish to equalize the representation and at the same time extend the franchise, and to give one man no more voting power than another, and generally to remove all abuses or irregularities, we're ready to begin the work, but without any interference of the lords. The lords have so stopped us in this work of getting a fairer expression of the public voice, in getting a fairer distribution of voting values, that we propose to remove the veto power of the lords in things constitutional, financial and social. Pondering this we say: man for man; we're on a par.

If, therefore, Asquith is able to line up the Irish vote—even on a promise of home rule—he is entitled to press more forcibly than ever on the King for such assistance as will enable the will of the majority of the members of parliament to prevail. And he speaks for the majority of parliament.

Asquith's danger is not that he has the Irish vote, but if he did not have it! Asquith will put the issue up to the doors of the lords at the earliest moment. When he does, he will have no more talk about Lloyd-George's budget after the succeeding election; so will it be now in regard to the veto.

Notwithstanding the predictions of the able Canadian journalists now in England, Asquith is about to put the commons (the chosen of the people) at the head of the nation's affairs and in control of legislation; after that the house of lords will be reformed by abolishing the hereditary principle in part, by reducing its numbers, and by assigning it a greater share in the active work of legislation.

If, further, under such conditions, Asquith asks the King to create new Liberal peers sufficient to carry the government's bill through the lords, the King is bound to give them.

The King will act in such a crisis on the advice of his constitutional advisers. If he did not do so, he, more than anyone else, would have to assume the entire responsibility of interfering with the will of the people as expressed in parliament. Neither the late King nor his son would take such a stand. The crown, not the lords, would be in jeopardy. The King will not risk the crown.

The lords must, to our mind, therefore, surrender, or the King must create new peers. In a word, the lords are beaten, but it may take time to have it not only admitted but illustrated in actual laws on the statute books.

In a word, our reading of the situation to-day is that Asquith is more on top than ever, that he will be able to force his veto resolution and that if he goes into "a big conference" to do it, he will do it that way because it suits him, and because it makes the change more acceptable to those who do not like it. But he will not only have to press his veto, he will have to take up or accept reform in the composition of the lords. That truly marvelous spectacle is now in sight of the lords seeking to abolish their own hereditary right to a say in legislation.

Perhaps the real procedure will be like that of comic opera: the lords will go into conference to restrict their veto power, if at the same time and in the same conference they are allowed to abandon the hereditary principle. It may work out on these lines.

But our view, as we have said several times since the election returns began to come in, is that Asquith is stronger than ever, and that Mr. Balfour, Lord Lansdowne, Lord Rosebery are more or less stranded, tho they do not say it, even if they see it.

land, popularly believed to be one of the most congested cities in the civilized world. Yet this is the claim made in a special article published in the current issue of The Financial Post of Canada. The basis of calculation in the case of the imperial metropolis is not given, but apparently is the district included in the metropolitan police area, which extends over a radius of 15 miles from Charing Cross. Even at that, however, the fact that Greater London has 358 square feet per head more than Toronto is sufficiently startling.

According to the statistics furnished by The Post, the eighteen cities of Ontario cover a total area of 50,541 acres, or 5502 acres more than London within the jurisdiction of the London County Council. This total population is given at 726,727, as against the metropolitan population of over 4,500,000 in 1901. But so far as Ontario itself is concerned the point is that while the average area per head of its eighteen cities is 16,000 square feet, that of Toronto, the lowest of the list, is only 2309 square feet. Compare this with the position of Port Arthur, with 24,743 square feet, and Fort William, with 23,866. London, Ontario, requires an additional 985 acres to reach the average standard; Hamilton is short 1671 acres, and Ottawa requires 4095 acres to reach the average. As for Toronto, if the area assessed in 1910 were doubled the Queen City would still be 120 acres short of the average standard.

This, The Post observes, is a serious situation requiring attention. As compared with the nine representative and thickly populated cities of the United States, Toronto is 389 square feet per head behind their average. Even if all the contemplated annexations are carried thru, the standard would not be reached, and this affords a very strong argument for the inclusion of North Toronto and bringing it within the area of the city council. Nothing is now realized to be of greater importance than city expansion on a settled plan that provides properly for future needs. Town planning is everywhere attracting increasing attention and the Boston local government board has been actively engaged in presenting this on the municipalities it supervises. Toronto cannot afford to lag in a matter so nearly touching its interests and those of the suburbs, which will also benefit greatly by inclusion in the city area.

CASE FOR THE VIADUCT.

The Globe, having tangled itself up about the Bloor-street viaduct, as it did over the broad question, is now trying to make arguments by misrepresenting The World. The Globe does not really take the pains to go and get acquainted with the situation up Broadview-avenue and along Danforth-avenue and the adjoining district. For reasons of its own, the Bloor-street viaduct has to be knocked, and the fact they know of the facts the more freely can its special pleaders carry out their instructions. The World asserted and continues to assert that the delay caused by the opposition of The Globe and its friends, The Star chief among them at present, has doubled the cost of the viaduct over what it was ten years ago. The engineer's estimates are easily accessible, and were freely gone into last year, when The Globe and its allies succeeded in delaying the erection for another year at least and adding another \$150,000 to the cost of the viaduct.

"Has the price of steel doubled in ten years, or has the wage of labor?" asks The Globe. When The Globe tries to dodge the question like that, one knows that an active conscience is wrestling with facts. The Globe knows that it is not good for the east end to delay the construction of the viaduct. The Globe knows that the increased cost is chiefly made up in the enhanced value of real estate to be expropriated. And The Globe knows that the doubled cost referred to by The World is quite independent of the additional Parliament-street viaduct, which has this year been added to the original scheme, with the object, let us recognize at once, of scaring the ratepayers by getting the cost up to \$1,000,000. Not a word is ever said in The Globe about the Parliament-street viaduct and the extra \$250,000 required for that. A long editorial dealing with the Bloor-street viaduct loads the whole cost on the Bloor-street structure. The Globe declines to treat the ques-

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tion on its merits. If it did The Globe would every day be urging the ratepayers thruout the city to vote for the improvement. It admits even now that the viaduct must eventually be built, but it declines to give the east end district corresponding with the tract included between Bathurst, Bloor, Dufferin and Davenport the opportunity to develop which the western tract has had. If The Globe will go over the eastern tract it will see at once that the only reason its growth has been restricted is the lack of the Bloor-street viaduct. If The Globe was free on this question no appeal would be necessary. The Globe would expound the obvious necessity of the viaduct as strongly as it now opposes it. A glance at the map will show that Bathurst to Dufferin north of Bloor, if separated by a Don valley, would be unable to develop without a viaduct. A glance at the other side of the city map will show that the development of the district at the very moderate cost which The Globe and The Star seek to magnify, is the cheapest kind of a bargain. Compare the assessment of the Bathurst to Dufferin tract with the Broadview to Leslie north of Danforth and the difference will give the value to Toronto of the Bloor-street viaduct. The whole city will benefit by the development which will follow the construction of the viaduct and only a personal attitude on the part of The Globe prevents its placing this fact before the public.

THE PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT.

To-day an influential deputation representing the Board of Trade, Manufacturers' Association, Retail Traders, and the hotel and transportation interests, will wait on the city council for the purpose of urging the re-institution of the publicity department. An official civic agency of this kind is now a permanent feature of all progressive municipalities, especially of those that can offer really superior and substantial advantages to industrial and business concerns. Its value is unquestionable or it would not be so common and active all over the continent. The next few years will see Toronto's transportation facilities, both by land and water, vastly increased, large harbor improvements are under way and the provision of a conveniently situated industrial area is a matter of the near future. The city's hydro-electric system is immediately concerned in having the advantages and prospects of the city properly presented, and the council should have no hesitation in endorsing the request of the representative deputation who will urge the re-establishment of the publicity department, more especially since the important sections it speaks for are willing to contribute for its efficient management.

GLOBE-NICKLE BREAD.

The Globe published a photograph recently of two loaves, one of English origin, and one baked in Toronto. The Toronto loaf was about half the size of the English one. The Globe did not mention that the Toronto loaf, which weighed over fourteen ounces, was, according to The Globe-Nickle legislation, two ounces too heavy, and the baker was guilty of a felony in selling it. He had formerly given twenty ounces for five cents, but The Globe got a law passed compelling him to sell a loaf not over twelve ounces in weight. In the hope that he would make it heavier than twenty ounces. There was an old fable to illustrate the folly of such a policy. The Globe will look wise and pretend it never heard of the monkey that, trying to grasp too much, lost all.

A Record Season.

ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 17.—The Welland Canal, which has just closed for the close of navigation a total of 259 boats passed thru the canal, up and down. This is between 500 and 600 more than last year.

OBITUARY.

Hugh Crawford, whose death occurred on Friday last, was well known thruout the province as a courier of live stock, and during his long residence in Toronto Township, County of Monck, he occupied various responsible positions. Born in the Isle of Bute, Scotland, on New Year's Day, 1831, he came to Canada in 1852, and was for many years a Scotchman, the late Neil Duncan, who was taking adjoining farms in Canboro, Mr. Crawford was a member of the Pastors' organization in 1852 of the Pastors' of the industry, whose object was the special promotion of the agricultural interests, when he joined the movement. In 1884, at the latter being elected by a small majority, Mr. Crawford did much to stimulate the importation of high-grade live stock by visiting the Royal Live Stock Exhibition, held at Nottingham in 1883, and returning with a pen of five shearing ewes which had won prizes there. He was for years an exhibitor at Toronto and provincial exhibitions, and also at Hamilton, Buffalo, Detroit, London, Toledo, Lansing and Columbus, securing numerous medals. He was a justice of the peace at Canboro, and also a county license commissioner for many years, and was highly respected in religion he was a Methodist. He had lived in Canboro for two years only. The funeral will take place to-morrow at Canboro. Mr. Crawford was thrice married. Children: Mrs. James Robins, Dunville; Mrs. Wesley Senzabough, Hamilton; George Robert, Toronto, and David James of Canboro. Children of his third marriage are: William Orville, Minneapolis, and Eva May, at home.

Mrs. Forbes' Illness.

After a lingering and painful illness, the result of an accident, the death occurred on Sunday afternoon of Mrs. Forbes A. Townsend, who resided at 195 Cottingham-street, Toronto. Mrs. Townsend was the widow of the late Wm. Townsend and daughter of the late Forbes Watt, government excise officer, Aberdeen, Scotland. The deceased was well known in old Yorkville, and came to Canada with her widowed mother in 1846, who settled on Bloor-street, then city, and conducted the first ladies' school in the then Village of Yorkville. Mrs. Townsend is survived by a sister, Mrs. Ann Brown, a half sister, Miss Sarah Smith, a son, Frank Townsend, and a daughter, Mrs. Herbert Capewell.

AT OSGOOD HALL

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Osgood Hall, Dec. 17, 1910. Motions set down for single court for Monday, 23rd inst., at 10 a.m.: 1. Re Ontario Bank. 2. McCormick v. Park. 3. Trans & Guarantee Co. v. Boake. 4. Dundas v. Hamilton. 5. Van Ostrom v. United Produce Co.

Peremptory list for divisional court for Monday, 19th inst., at 11 a.m.: 1. Hancock v. Ontario & Minnesota Power Co. 2. College of Physicians and Surgeons v. 3. Fitzgerald v. Smith. 4. Breen v. City of Toronto. 5. McNavin v. Guy. 6. May v. May.

Master's Chambers.

Before Cartwright, K.C. Master. Weller v. Todd.—D. Urquhart for defendant. A. R. Cote for plaintiff. Motion by defendant for an order setting aside appointment and process for examination of defendant for discovery at Toronto, he being resident at Lathford. Plaintiff opposed. The motion and moved for an order under C.R. 44 for examination of defendant at Toronto. Defendant's motion allowed, with costs to defendant in any event. Plaintiff's motion enlarged for a week to see if any arrangement can be made as to this.

John Abel Thomas Co. v. McLaren.—McLaren (Ross & H.) for plaintiffs. Motion by plaintiffs for an order renewing writ herein for the year from this date, and for service of same. Order made.

Colonial Investment Co. v. Duncan.—O. H. King for plaintiff. No one appeared. Motion by plaintiffs for a final order of foreclosure. Order made.

Divisional Court.

Before the Chancellor, Lathford, J., Middleton, J. Rice v. Toronto Railway Co.—D. L. McCormick for plaintiff. An appeal by defendant from the judgment of Meredith, C.J., of 4th October, 1910. This was an action for damages for the death of the Rev. J. Rice, who was accidentally killed by a street car on Gerrard-street East, as he was crossing the tracks of defendant company.

It was held that the plaintiff was entitled to recover damages for the death of the deceased, and that the plaintiff was entitled to recover interest on the amount of the damages from the date of the death of the deceased to the date of the judgment. Judgment accordingly.

Warren v. Frost.—A. McL. Macdonald, K.C., for defendant. F. Arnold, K.C., for plaintiff. An appeal by defendant from judgment of Sturgeson, J., of Nov. 19th. An action to recover \$200 and interest, alleged to be due on a sale of certain stocks to defendant, by plaintiff. At trial judgment was awarded plaintiff for that amount and costs.

Judgment: We have come to the conclusion that the evidence rejected should have been received for what it was worth, and the verdict should be set aside on this ground. Costs will be reserved, to be dealt with by the trial judge.

A GROWING CHURCH.

Pape Avenue Presbyterians Are Doing Well—Anniversary Services. The third anniversary services of Pape-avenue Presbyterian Church were held yesterday, Rev. J. McD. Duncan of the church publications office, presiding in the morning and Rev. Dr. Semple, Presbyterian treasurer, in the evening.

The church is located on Pape-avenue, one block south of Danforth-avenue, and Rev. J. A. Miller, pastor. That the district of that which would be immediately served by the Bloor-street viaduct is quickly developing is shown by the splendid progress of the church, which now has a membership of 400 and a Sunday school of 350. A new Sunday school building is to be erected, which will also, for a time, be used for church purposes.

To-night, an anniversary entertainment will be given by the choir of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. R. J. McLean.

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OPENING SERVICE AT ST. BARNABAS' CHURCH

Bishop of Toronto Conducts First Service in New Edifice of the Chester Congregation.

The first of the opening services of the completed portion of the new St. Barnabas Church, Danforth-avenue, was held Friday night, with a congregation of 200 in attendance. His Lordship the Bishop of Toronto preached and other clergy attending were: Archdeacon Ingles, Canon Dixon, Canon Farncombe, Rev. G. I. Taylor, J. B. Fotheringham, L. Vaughan, D. T. Owen, A. H. Owen, A. H. Brachen, G. Tysner, B. Seaborn and T. Summerhayes. Prayers were read by Rev. J. B. Fotheringham and Archdeacon Ingles.

In bidding the lord bishop and other clergy and laity welcome to the new church, the rector, Rev. Frank Vipond, spoke feelingly of the loyal efforts of many of the parishioners to carry on the work, which had been beset with many difficulties. These were not yet over, but he knew the spirit of his parishioners and looked forward with full confidence for the future.

The sermon of the bishop was an earnest and eloquent appeal to the parish to appreciate their heritage of membership in the old apostolic church and in their new structure, which was God's means and man's need. Of their rector's need for their support and prayers, he spoke with intense earnestness and for forty minutes held the congregation's closest attention.

The singing by choir and congregation was very hearty. Much credit is due to Choirmaster W. Edmeads and Organist Mrs. Hitchman for the splendid rendition.

The opening services will be continued during December and January, with special services. To-morrow morning the Right Rev. Dr. Reeve, assisting bishop, will preach, and in the evening Rev. Provost Macklem of Trinity College.

The portion of the church now built will seat over 400, but the larger church will eventually hold 1000. The value of the part now completed is \$25,000.

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THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY TORONTO, Dec. 18. (8 p.m.)—Milder weather has prevailed to-day in the lake region, owing to the eastward movement of disturbances from the western provinces. From the Ottawa Valley to the maritime provinces, however, it is a bitterly cold day, with higher temperatures than elsewhere.

Lower lakes—Strong westerly to westerly and northwesterly winds; light falls of snow or rain; turning colder at night.

Georgian Bay—Strong westerly to westerly winds; light snowfalls; colder at night.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence; milder, with light falls of snow or sleet.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Higher temperature, with light snowfalls.

Maritime—Winds increasing to strong breezes and gales; southeasterly to southwesterly winds; cloudy and milder, with snow or rain.

Manitoba—Fair and moderately cold. Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fair; stationary or somewhat lower temperature.

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TO-DAY IN TORONTO. Dec. 19. Canadian Club, E. O. Partridge on Western Farmers and Their Ideals. 1. Railway Board, 2.30. Ontario Council, 2. De La Salle Institute, reception to Brother Lawrence, 4.30. St. Vincent. The Happiest Night of His Life. The Turning Point. Grand. The Shaw and vaudeville. 2.15. 8.15. Star - Jardin de Paris Girls. 8.15. Gay-Big Banner Show, 2.15. 8.15. Shea's Yonge-street Theatre - "Pop" vaudeville.

BIRTHS. WATERS—On Sunday, Dec. 19, 1910, at 21 Elmer-avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Waters, a son.

DEATHS. BONNER—At Cherrywood, Sunday, Dec. 18th, Jane Watson, dearly beloved wife of Alexander Bonner, aged 61 years. Funeral from her late residence, Tuesday, Dec. 20th, 1910, at 10 o'clock a.m., to Prospect Cemetery, Toronto.

HIT A POLICEMAN. While P. C. Sullivan was delivering a lecture to three troublesome patrons of a restaurant on Queen-street, east of Church, Saturday night, one of them struck him in the mouth. He had not intended an arrest, but "just for that" he ran the whole three in. James Harris, 114 Myrtle-street, is charged with assaulting the police and disorderly conduct. Wm. Ferris, 9 Orléan-avenue, and Orléan Thornton, 149 Helen-avenue, are charged with being disorderly.

A GHASTLY FIND. A cardboard cake box was picked up in the waiting-room of one of the cars on Saturday morning, containing the dead and naked body of a tiny, newly-born male infant. It was taken to the morgue.

Wanted Civil Investigation. BELLEVILLE, Dec. 18.—The Property Owners' Association of this city has adopted a resolution asking for an investigation in the matter of the sale of certain city lots and other rumors affecting the standing of certain city officials.

MARCONI DAMAGE SUIT HAS UNIQUE FEATURES

Messages Are Sent and Received in Demonstrations Given for Judge To Show Patent Infringements.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Marconi's suit against the British Telegraph and Telephone Co. for infringement of patent is one of the most interesting ever undertaken. The chancery court, in which it is being tried by Justice Parker, has been transformed for the occasion into an electrical laboratory.

Working models of Marconi's inventions and radio plants which are being operated for the information of the judge, who is an expert electrician.

Marconigrams are sent and received in court, the waves being caught upon a receiver fixed to the flagpole of the law courts.

In opening the case counsel admitted that Tesla was the first to call attention to the utilization of air waves, and that the length of Tesla's waves was the same as those now used.

The defendant company denies infringement and challenges the validity of Marconi's patent on the ground of anticipatory and lack of invention.

Several of the most eminent scientists, both British and foreign, are to be called.

Marconi's claim to have invented anything has all along been denied by the company's counsel, who stated that he took his ideas from Sir Oliver Lodge, Marconi's counsel asserted positively that Lodge, great as he is, never contributed anything to telegraphy.

There is no evidence of previous information to be found anywhere with respect to Marconi's invention, which has been brought to such a state of accuracy that the waves can regulate their waves by inches, and recently sent wireless messages 6000 miles.

Mr. Swinburne, a noted electrical expert, said that Tesla is a very eminent electrical engineer, and that he was surprised, but when he came to write specifications for a patent he wrote nonsense.

The Christmas Stamp. All thru the new territories, Saskatchewan and Alberta, Christmas stamps are being sold in the banks and other places.

PHONOGRAPH PLAYS HER DIRGE. Record Made by Quartet Provides Only Music at Funeral.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 18.—Phonographic music supplanted the usual singers at the funeral here to-day of Mrs. M. P. Hay, manager Imperial Bank, Strathcona, Alta., comes an acknowledgment of \$15 worth, and from M. P. Hay, manager Imperial Bank, Strathcona, Alta., comes an acknowledgment of \$15 worth, and from M. P. Hay, manager Imperial Bank, Strathcona, Alta., comes an acknowledgment of \$15 worth.

WIRELESS AT PORT ARTHUR. Commercial Messages From Toronto Will Be Received Today.

PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 18.—(Special.) The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company's new station at Port Arthur is now in working order. Commercial messages will be accepted from Toronto to-morrow. Yesterday commercial messages were exchanged between local citizens and residents of other towns, Albany Matthews opening with a greeting to the mayor of Duluth.

HIS AEROPLANE TURNED OVER. Claude Graham-White Has a Narrow Escape From Death.

DOVER, Eng., Dec. 18.—Claude Graham-White, the English aviator, had a narrow escape from serious injury to-day, as it was, his machine was wrecked, and he was badly cut about the face.

DEATH LIST NOW FOUR. Two More of Wounded in Flight of Police and Burglars Die.

MAYOR GEARY HOPEFUL THAT CHAIRMAN'S RECENT UTTERANCES FORESHADOW SOME RELIEF

Much interest centres in the meeting of the Ontario Railway Board in the Manning Chambers, at 2.30 p.m. to-day.

Mayor Geary said last night that he had no inkling as to what the railway board's final judgment will be, but recent utterances of Chairman Lettich, in which he admitted that the public was suffering by the change, have created an impression that some concession may come the city's way.

While the railway board is in session, the city council will be holding the last regular meeting of the year. It will have before it Controller Church's resolution calling for a provision of the Ontario Government respecting the railway board's decision.

It is expected that the board's final judgment will be known before council deals with the resolution.

AUTO STRUCK A WAGON

Eight Persons Thrown Into Roadway—One Arm Broken.

Eight persons were thrown from a wagon into the street, and one had an arm broken, when an auto bumped into the rig last evening.

The accident happened on Dundas-street, near Brock-avenue. In the wagon, which was proceeding west, sat Mrs. M. J. McNeil, widow of 1 Roden-place, and Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, 12 Alcorn-avenue, and their four children.

The auto was being driven by Harold Clark, 878 Jarvis-street, who says he lost control of his machine. It is believed that the driver was under the influence of liquor.

PHONOGRAPH PLAYS HER DIRGE

Record Made by Quartet Provides Only Music at Funeral.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 18.—Phonographic music supplanted the usual singers at the funeral here to-day of Mrs. M. P. Hay, manager Imperial Bank, Strathcona, Alta., comes an acknowledgment of \$15 worth, and from M. P. Hay, manager Imperial Bank, Strathcona, Alta., comes an acknowledgment of \$15 worth.

WIRELESS AT PORT ARTHUR

Commercial Messages From Toronto Will Be Received Today.

PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 18.—(Special.) The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company's new station at Port Arthur is now in working order. Commercial messages will be accepted from Toronto to-morrow.

HIS AEROPLANE TURNED OVER

Claude Graham-White Has a Narrow Escape From Death.

DOVER, Eng., Dec. 18.—Claude Graham-White, the English aviator, had a narrow escape from serious injury to-day, as it was, his machine was wrecked, and he was badly cut about the face.

DEATH LIST NOW FOUR

Two More of Wounded in Flight of Police and Burglars Die.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The death toll resulting from a fight between the police and burglars in a Cutler-street house Friday night now totals four. This house was occupied by the burglars, who were attempting to make their way into a jewelry store at 119 Houndstitch, when they were surprised by the police.

STARTING A REVOLUTION

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18.—The former United States gunboat Hornet, now lying in the Mississippi River here, is preparing to sail to-morrow for Central American waters.

EARLY GUY TO DINE DIX

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 18.—Governor-elect John A. Dix left Albany to-night for Canada to settle up some private business affairs. He expects to return Thursday. On Wednesday Earl Grey, governor-general of Canada, will give a dinner in Montreal in honor of the governor-elect.

BISHOP EVANS DECLARES THE PREACHING OF THAT DOCTRINE IS HURTING MORALS OF THE PEOPLE

The Princess Theatre should be filled each Sunday evening with eager, interested auditors, is a tribute alike to the impressive personality and utterances of Bishop R. C. Evans, and to the strength of the Church of the Latter Day Saints, which he represents.

Last night, altho the weather was inclement, he preached to a full house on the subject, "The Kingdom of God."

Bishop Evans found his text in the words of Matthew, vi., 33. "But seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you."

With marked emphasis, he repeated the words, "seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added unto you."

"You are not told to actually persecute, but from the pulpit they tell you that, even though you lead an upright life, if you represent in time and again the kingdom of God, you are persecuting."

Dealing next with the words "the kingdom of God," the speaker said that kingdom was referred to in the singular, and therefore, there is but one God, one baptism and one church.

There could only be one church to which a man may safely pledge his faith, and that church must be in strict accordance with the teachings of the Bible. The latter, he claimed, should be openly discussed, as it is the only means by which the truth might be revealed.

He denied the contention that man would receive salvation if he was honest and consistent in his convictions, irrespective of his creed. The speaker stated that the man who threw his babe into the Ganges had as much Scriptural grounds for his actions as the priest or pastor who refused to baptize.

People were apt to think that because a church had a large following and its members were an intelligent people, it was the church especially ordained of God. The contrary has been proved in religious history. The minority had always guarded the right, while the masses were in the wrong.

In support of this he quoted examples from the life of Christ, concluding with the crucifixion and the few who hovered by the cross.

Bishop Evans referred to the meeting, recently conducted here by the Baptist Fathers, and said that he had tried to arrange discussions with them on certain questions of church discipline, but that the priests had refused. He endeavored to prove that the Church of Rome was not the church of God, and that infant baptism and the confessional were not to be found in the Bible. Many customs and rites of the Catholic and Protestant churches had been established by man, and were not sanctioned by Holy Writ.

"No Popish cardinal, bishop, priest or pastor has the right to institute an ordinance of the Church of Christ without a warrant from the divine Architect, and to do so is to show disrespect to the Creator of the universe."

He announced that any one wishing to ask questions might do so. This was the only meeting in Toronto Sunday night that was extending this privilege to his auditors. Ten questions pertaining to Roman Catholicism chiefly, were sent in on the collection plate. One was, "Why do you have a president at the head of your church when the Pope has no mention in made of that office in the Bible?" to which Bishop Evans answered that the president was really only a prophet, but as to the question of majority a year ago did give him a single vote this year, and so far as returns indicate, John P. White of Iowa has carried Illinois by between 20,000 and 40,000 majority.

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LONDON, Dec. 18.—Queen Mary's accouchement is expected in March. This will be the first birth at Buckingham Palace in 84 years. The last child born to King George and Queen Mary was Prince John Charles, July 12, 1905.

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WASHINGTON, Penn., Dec. 18.—William Love, aged 26, is dead, with half of his head blown off, and George Broadnax, charged with the shooting, and his wife held as a witness, are in jail. A huge dagger, that was in Love's hand when he was shot, still sticks in the floor of the Broadnax house, where it was plunged into the boards by the weight of Love's body when he fell.

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Ontario

Pastor Russell's Sermon

Need of Great Confidence in the Promises of God—Light Should Not Be Hidden, But Always Exposed—Reward Will Be a Position in the Mediatorial Kingdom to Be Set Up in the World Shortly.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 18.—Pastor Russell of Brooklyn Tabernacle was here to-day. He addressed large audiences in the Opera House. He had excellent attention. We report one of his discourses from the following text: "Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompense of reward."—Hebrews x, 35.

Our English word confidence is a synonym for faith. It is a very pretty thought that we should not cast away our faith, but hold firmly to it and gain a reward. This thought is expressed elsewhere in the scriptures but it is not the thought of our text. Here the word confidence more properly signifies assurance or outspokenness, courageous presentation of a message, not always kindly received. The apostle is urging the followers of Christ to be of good courage, or, in the words of our text, "Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompense of reward."—Hebrews x, 35.

Quite to the contrary, the teachings of Jesus and His apostles ignore the special class with hearing ears and appreciative hearts. The gospel message set forth in the Bible known as the ordinary mission work of rescuing drunkards and harlots and the profane. While not refusing publicans and harlots it did not go about seeking them. It was for them to seek for righteousness and, as the Master said, "No man can come unto me except the Father which sendeth him draw him." It is not in any large proportion, been the rich, the great, the learned, the noble, according to the course of this world, but chiefly the poor, rich in faith toward our God.

Take as an illustration St. Paul's course when he went to Athens. We do not find that he sought the children of the prospects of a planet, or a Sunday school teacher, in order to gather them for a half hour's talk about nothing. To have done so would have been to do the work of the world which he sought to overthrow. He sought the car classes, contrary to their wealth or station. Why? Because he had a message—a message which children could not understand, and which the rich and the learned, incapacitated from understanding; a message which should appeal, if at all, to the best people of Athens, whether rich or poor.

Have we not had, to a considerable extent, the wrong idea? Are we wiser than the Lord and the apostles and able to give them orders to meet our needs instead of following their example, as we were instructed to do? They proclaimed the second coming of Messiah and the establishment of His kingdom—not to proclaim of eternal torment nor the attempt to drive the world of mankind from sin thru fear. They taught that the work of this present age is to prepare the way for the coming of the Son of Man, and that our text declares should be proclaimed with courage, with boldness, with outspokenness.

St. Paul is criticizing some who had for quite a time been Christians and who had been granted large opportunities for growth in grace and knowledge. He says to these, "For ye ought to be teachers, but ye need that on teach you again which are the first principles of the doctrine of Christ." They had gotten entangled with vain philosophies and their spiritual life was at a low ebb. Conditions are very similar to-day. After eighteen centuries of divine instruction and with the wonderful Bibles now at our command and with help for Bible study, what manner of Christians ought we to be—in faith, in love, in obedience, in contrast to the fallen world? St. Paul points out the necessity for the Lord's people to assemble themselves together for fellowship and for the study of His word and to provoke one another to love and good works. The necessity for this, he suggests, is that sin on the part of those who have received a knowledge of the truth and been made partakers of the precious relationship of spirit-begotten children of God. He says: "For we know after that we have received a knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more a sacrifice for sin, but a certain fearful looking for a recompense, and they in the meantime shall devour us as God's adversaries" (verses 26, 27).

Have we grasped the import of the thought? It signifies that those of us who have accepted the divine terms and entered the family of God will have no future opportunity to repent. We must either make our calling and election sure under the terms of the call, as accepted, or be rejected as unworthy of life everlasting—as fit for the second death—annihilation. He who suffered martyrdom because of his despised Moses' law died without

mercy. But he who, having come to a clear knowledge of our truth, shall find a willing sinner, will not only be cut off from a further opportunity in the present age, but be everlastingly cut off from life, forever. "Go in to die to destroy both soul and body" in the present life and our future hope. These thoughts should make every earnest, very diligent, all who have accepted Christ, and been accepted by Him.

These things were written, not only for the Hebrew Christians of St. Paul's day, but intended by the holy spirit for all the household of faith. We should not rock ourselves to sleep, nor give to each other opiates. While the world is not yet on trial for eternal life, the church is now being tested—tested by the trials of the world. The thought should sober us. As the apostle suggests, "Be diligent, be covered, be faithful, following in the footsteps of Jesus."

But St. Paul, or rather, the holy spirit thru him, took cognizance of the fact that the Lord's people are in a world that is not friendly to grace. He expected a great reward to come to those who were faithful in the midst of a world that was not friendly to grace. He expected a great reward to come to those who were faithful in the midst of a world that was not friendly to grace. He expected a great reward to come to those who were faithful in the midst of a world that was not friendly to grace.

He says, "Call to mind the former days, in which following your illumination of the holy spirit, you endured a great fight of afflictions." St. Paul's intention is that at that time, while suffering persecutions, the brethren were ready in a better world, in a better condition than later. The prosperity, privileges, freedom from persecution enjoyed, had made them soft and less courageous. He expects of us courage to confess our boldness, our outspokenness, is not He seeketh not such. Such will not be counted worthy of a place in the Kingdom, which is to bless the world.

St. Paul elsewhere declares, "If we deny Him, He will also deny us" (II Timothy II, 12). If we have accepted the Lord as our counselor, guide, captain, teacher, exemplar, bridegroom, He expects of us courage to confess Him as such and on all suitable and proper occasions to let our H.A. so shine before men that they may see our good works and glorify our Father which is in heaven" (Matthew v, 16). Our good works are to be accord with the Master's teaching, that however we may be represented by others, all that we know, ultimately will be the knowledge of us that we have been with Jesus and have learned of Him. (They should also see that our courage, our boldness, our outspokenness, is not a desire to preach ourselves, not vain glory in ourselves, but that, on the contrary, we preach Christ, and the glorious and glorious work of His word, which always has brought opposition and persecution from the adversary and from all who are under His blinding influence.

Every faithful follower of Jesus must be a confessor—must show his colors. We do not mean by this that He must be belittled and fight a carnal warfare, either with sword or spear or hands or tongue. On the contrary, like His Master, he must ever be alert to do good. His orders from the captain are, "Be ye as men of the world." What he must expect forth and show forth by his life is the doctrine of Christ—the truth, the light, in contrast with the prevailing error and darkness.

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The complete elimination of Theodore Roosevelt as a possible candidate for the nomination for presidency of the United States by the passage of a constitutional amendment, which will make it impossible for any man who has held the office of president twice to again become a candidate, is the subject of the address given by the speaker of the house of representatives, Hon. Champ Clark of Missouri, at the dinner given at the Hotel Hamilton in Boston, where interest in political affairs is a second nature to most of the inhabitants. He will play at the Princess Theatre this week in his most successful comedy, "The Happiest Night of His Life," and arrived here yesterday afternoon.

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- Infants' Baskets, handsome effects, satin lined, many styles, \$1.75 to \$4.50 each.
- Infants' Bonnets, hand crocheted wool, Angora and silk, dainty styles, 50c to \$1.50 each.
- Infants' Bootsocks and Leggings, fine knit, white or red wool, 6 months to 2 years, 20c and 25c pair.
- Infants' Shawls, heavy honeycomb, white wool, large size, fringe edges, finest quality, \$1.50 each.

\$5.00 Silk Sacques \$3.49

Women's Dressing Sacques, of extra quality rajah silk, in rich Oriental colors and patterns, navy, cardinal, tan, green and natural; yoke is made double thickness, and is trimmed with messaline silk in harmonizing shades; also a number of wadded and quilted Japanese jackets included in the lot. Sizes 34 to 42. Regular \$5.00. Tuesday \$3.49.

Silk Moirette Petticoats \$5.00

Moirette Petticoats of extra quality, made with deep flounce of alternate pleated and pin-tucked panels, finished with two gathered trills, trimmed with pin tucking, and finished with velvet binding; colors black, navy, brown, green, and few shots; lengths 38, 40, 42. Tuesday \$5.00.

Christmas Gloves and Hosiery

FANCY BOX AND GLOVE STRETCHERS WITH EACH PAIR.

Women's Fine Imported French Cape Suede Undressed Finished Gloves, in grey, tan and black; dome fasteners, gusset fingers, arrow points, in silk lined and unlined; all sizes. Each pair in a fancy box, with pair of glove stretchers. Tuesday, pair, unlined, \$1.50; pair, silk lined, \$1.75.

KID GLOVES IN FANCY BOXES.

Women's Fine Imported Real French Kid Gloves, made from selected skins, dome fasteners, gusset fingers, overseas, Paris points, black, white, tan, brown, grey, navy, green; all sizes. Each pair in fancy box. Special Tuesday, pair 75c.

Women's Fine Imported Lisle Thread Hose, black, white and all the wanted shades; silk embroidered fronts, newest patterns; double spliced heel, toe and sole. Each pair in fancy box, 50c.

Hair Bows in Christmas Boxes, 30c

As a Christmas gift nothing will be more appreciated than a large Double Loop Hair Bow, given in a dainty Christmas box. On Tuesday we will sell 200 bows, made from our heaviest taffeta silk ribbon, each in a gift box, all colors. The price, each.... 30c



A Christmas Store

In equipment. When you have your hands full of Xmas shopping is the time that a thoroughly up-to-date store counts for comfort and relief of worry.

In spirit. Good-will to all and equal service for all. The will to oblige you, to assist you in the solution of your Xmas problem—this is the good-will the store bears to every customer.

New and Popular Styles In Women's Fur Coats

will be disposed of at substantial reductions from regular selling prices. You'll locate these on our Third Floor. Below we mention several:

Six only Black Russian Pony Coats, made from beautifully marked skins, Chappell's French dye, a brilliant black, length 47 inches; some have shawl collars, others a smart military collar, slashed sides, best satin linings. These coats were made to sell at \$90.00. Tuesday's price..... **69.00**

Two only Orenburg Mink Marmot Coats, 50 inches long, full skirt, deep shawl collar, lined throughout with best French brocade satin. Imported garments, that are made from the choicest skins, nothing nicer for motor or street wear. Regular price \$105.00. Tuesday..... **85.00**

Six only Natural Muskrat Coats, 46 inches long, with deep storm collar and large reverses; coats that are made from the very best Canadian skins, only the backs being used, lined throughout with good heavy satin. Regular price \$89.00. Tuesday..... **71.50**

Give the Little Tots Warm Furs This Xmas.

A splendid assortment of Children's Furs, Coats, Collars, Muffs, Caps and Gauntlets, in grey lamb, Iceland lamb, imitation of ermine and Thibet. Furs that will be appreciated for Xmas.



Basement Toy News That Tells of Reduced Prices

100 only Laundry Sets, complete with wringer, wash board and tub. Regular 75c. Tuesday 49c.

"Eagle" Toy Stores, complete with furniture. Regular \$9c. Tuesday 75c.

Toy Dining-room Sets, 3 chairs and 1 table in set. Tuesday 15c.

1,000 Tin Tea Sets, nicely decorated. Tuesday, 15c and 25c.

Iron Hook and Ladder Wagons, with 2 horses, nicely painted. Regular \$1.95. Tuesday 99c.

150 only Color Kits, a complete painting and crayon set, with paints, crayons and embossed plates. A \$1.25 set. Tuesday 75c.

Toy Drums, nicely decorated, large size. Tuesday 35c.

German China Tea Sets, nicely decorated, just the kind for a child's tea party. Regular 75c. Tuesday 67c.

25 only Kid Body Dolls, with bisque head, closing eyes, eye lashes, jointed hips, 26 inches high. Regular \$3.00. Tuesday \$2.99.

50 only Well-Dressed Dolls, bisque heads, closing eyes, eye lashes, jointed arms and legs, 22 inches high. Regular \$3.50. Tuesday \$2.99.

150 Dressed Dolls, closing eyes, real eye lashes, jointed arms and legs, 21 inches high. Regular \$2.50. Tuesday \$1.99.

100 only Beautifully Dressed Dolls, fully jointed, closing eyes, eye lashes, 16 inches high. Regular \$1.25. Tuesday 89c.

\$3.50, \$4.25 and \$5.50 Trimmed Hats, To-morrow \$1.50

Consisting of draped turban fur felt shapes, trimmed with velvets, roses, ostrays and buckles. Considered strong value at their regular prices. Clearing to-morrow at, each \$1.50.

Five dozen Skating Hats, trimmed with gold cord, roses or fancy feathers. Each, Tuesday \$2.25.

Another big shipment of Willow Plumes, in white and black only, received for Christmas selling. Worth up to \$6.75. Tuesday \$4.95.

Dress Goods, Novelties

Included in this special showing are such popular fabrics as silk and wool. San Toys, silk and wool Taffetas, silk and wool Glorias, new Silk Striped Taffetas, new Silk and Wool Eolennies, etc., etc. Some of the newest shades are violet, bronze, royal, saffron, king's blue, silver grey, lavender, mouse, clover leaf, mignonette, bottle, tobacco brown, eel, reseda, maize, Nile, prune, etc. Plenty of ivory, creams and blacks.

Don't miss this great saving opportunity. Reg. up to \$1 per yard. Tuesday 59c.

Black Chiffon Velvets

DOUBLE WIDTH.

We have just received another new shipment of these much-wanted rich Black Chiffon Velvets, 44 inches wide, Lyons dyed. Per yard \$3.50.

Also a new assortment of Black Chiffon Velvets and Velvet Cords, 24 inches wide, 50c and 75c. 27 inches wide, yard, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Men's Fur Collar O'coats To-morrow \$14.95

These coats are very popular—so popular that the demand has far exceeded the output, with the result that they are now very scarce. With our usual foresight, we've prepared for this, and to-morrow we'll offer a hundred or so at the unusual price of Fourteen Ninety-five.

The shell is made from an imported English all-wool melton cloth, in a rich fast black shade; lined with a heavy quilted lining, and interlined with rubber sheeting, making a very warm and thoroughly stormproof coat; cut in the latest double breasted style; 50 inches long, with full fur-lined Russian marmot collar, fastened with mohair covered barrel buttons and loops; splendidly tailored in every way, and perfect fitting. Sizes 35 to 44. Tuesday \$14.95.

Boys' \$4.50 and \$5 Tweed Suits for \$3.49

Boys' English Tweed Two-piece Suits, in a rich dark brown herringbone weave, showing a neat dark fancy stripe; cut in the popular double breasted style, nicely tailored, and finished, with strong, durable linings; pants are bloomer style, made full and roomy. Sizes 25 to 33. To clear Tuesday at \$3.49.

Christmassy Offerings from the Men's Fur Dept.

Men's Black Dogskin Lined Coats, are black beaver cloth shells, Russian marmot collar. Regular \$25.00. Tuesday \$16.95.

Men's Fur-lined Coat, fine quality beaver cloth shell, thoroughly tailored, and good-fitting garment, lined with No. 1 Russian marmot, lapel collar, of choice Japanese otter. Regular \$35.00. Tuesday \$27.50.

Men's Driving Caps, in corduroy, seersucker, beaver cloth, tweed, etc., full-lined car bands. Tuesday special 75c.

75c Combination Sets for 59c

1,000 Men's Combination Sets, of suspenders, garters and arm-bands, all made to match, and neatly fixed in pretty Christmas boxes; good materials and trimmings. Regular 75c. Tuesday..... **59c**



Christmas Specials from the Chinaware Basement

100 40-piece China Tea Sets, high grade chinaware, dainty floral decoration, Tuesday, special, \$3.00.

No phone or mail.

100 Platters, extra large size, \$1.50, Tuesday, 75c.

50 Limoges China Dinner Sets, 97 pieces, beautiful natural color floral designs, an Al snap for Tuesday. Complete dinner and tea service for 12 people, \$15.90.

for the Xmas turkey. Regular \$15.90, Tuesday, \$11.95.

200 pieces Art Pottery Wares, greatly underpriced, for Tuesday's quick selling. Choice pieces of Doulton, Wedgwood, Coalport, Amphora, Kinrarin and Crown Derby wares. Big special for Tuesday, \$1.98.

Five Fitted Toilet Cases Underpriced

(Main Floor.)

Our Special Three-piece Toilet Set, consisting of best French ebony mirror and thirteen-row brush with comb to match. \$6.00 value. Tuesday \$3.99.

Our Leader Nine-piece Toilet and Manicure Set, fittings are of ebony. \$10.00 value. Tuesday \$5.99.

Ladies' Eleven-piece Toilet and Manicure Set, very best ebony fittings, \$12.00 value. Tuesday \$6.99.

Men's Three-piece Shaving Set, consisting of ivory brush and razor. Regular \$1.59. Tuesday 99c.

Women's or Misses' Three-piece Toilet Set, consisting of brush, comb and mirror. Regular \$1.49. Tuesday 99c.

(On sale at Fancy Goods Circle, Main Floor, in the new building.)

Gift Umbrellas

155 Ladies' Umbrellas, close rolling frames, silk and wool taffeta tops, neat mission wood handles, sterling and rolled gold mounts, a nice, serviceable umbrella, silk cased, \$2.00 and \$2.25 values. Tuesday \$1.65.

A clearing in Men's Umbrellas, silk and wool tops, strong steel rod and frame, silk cased, a range of neat and fancy handles, gold and silver mounts. To clear Tuesday \$1.88.

Come to Our Fifth Floor for Splendid Assortment of Sleighs and Wheel Goods

Sectional Bookcase Gifts

(Fifth Floor.)

Complete assortment of "Macey" Sections always in stock in selected quarter-cut oak. Fumed, early English or rich golden finishes. Standard Stack of three sections, with top and base, \$12.75.

Desk Section, can be used as a separate piece of furniture or in combination with Bookcase Sections, in the various finishes. Price, \$21.50.

BOOKS WORTHY OF THE BOOKCASES.

(Main Floor.)

The Deluxe Edition of "The Rosary," \$2.50.

The Myrtle Reed's series, "The Master of the Vineyard," \$1.35.

The late Dr. Drummond's works in handsome leather bindings; his last book, "The Great Fight"; \$2.00 each.

Robert Louis Stevenson, "The Scribner's Edition in cloth, 10 vols., regular \$7.50. Our price, \$6.75.

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