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LONDON, CANADA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1901

WHOLE NO. 16488

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MARRIED.

MOFFAT-FORDYCE—At the residence of Mr. Thomas Evans, 152 William street, London, Ont., on Dec. 17, by Rev. Dr. Johnston, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, assisted by Rev. Thomas Wilson, Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor of Chalmers Presbyterian Church, London, to Miss Mary Fordyce, eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas Fordyce, Guelph, Ont. At home, 362 Horton street, on Jan. 15, 1902. Guelph and Listowel papers please copy.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

Advertisements under this heading 100 per line, or 20 per word each insertion.

NEW TONIGHT ALL WEEK
MARKS BROS., NO. 1 COMPANY, IN
"JERRY THE TRAMP."

Continuous performance. Clever specialties. Illustrated songs. 25c, 50c and 10c. MATINEE SATURDAY, 10c and 50c.

LONDON OPERA HOUSE This Week

Thursday, Friday, Saturday (Matinee).
LYCUM OPERA CO. presenting Canadian operatic star, **MISS FLORENCE GUNN**. Strong company. 4 comedians—4. Gorgeous costumes. Opening bill "LA MASCOU". Ladies tickets, 10c, 50c, 1.00.

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Dec. 16 to 21, MATINEE SATURDAY, 2:30. The immense success. Most marvelous moving pictures in the world. West's Grand Entertainment.

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depicting the career of the bluejackets on board the British battleships. Prices, 50c, 75c and 1.00. Seats now on sale at Nordheimer's Music Store, Dundas street, 5.

THE LAST WAS SCOTCH—THIS WILL BE IRISH.

Irish, Scotch and English songs, 25c, 50c and 1.00. Knox Church, Thursday evening, 10th. Rev. George Gilmore's illustrated lecture. A short programme of Irish melodies, illustrated by time-light.

THE PRINCESS—LONDON'S ICE PALACE.

By permission of Lieut.-Col. Smith and officers, 7th Regiment Band, tonight and Saturday. Season books: Gentlemen, 50c; ladies and children, 25c.

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Splendid music. Good ice. Open every afternoon, beginning next Monday, 8.

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by captains who have been commanding in the royal navy. They are over ten hours late, even in the rough weather. F. B. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next Artistic.

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Number limited. Special rate, season tickets. Private tuition any hour. Day-ton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY

R. B. Millard, 26 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

MEETINGS.

A. O. U. W.—WOODBINE LODGE meets this evening. Visitors welcome. William Nichols, M.W.

THE NOMINATION FOR CATHOLIC

school trustees will take place at St. Peter's School at noon, 20th inst. P. J. Murphy, returning officer; M. O'Sullivan, secretary.

MALE HELP WANTED.

BARBER WANTED AT ONCE. Apply 264 Dundas street.

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WANTED—TWO GOOD VISE OR

floor hands, accustomed to engine work. Apply E. Leonard & Sons, 50c.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL work; must be able to cook well. 260 Princess avenue.

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED AT ONCE.

Apply Central House, Mrs. W. S. Hodgins.

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT

once. Apply Queen's Hotel, Carling street.

WANTED—WORKING HOUSE-KEEP-

ER to go to St. Mary's. Apply Mrs. Clark, 30 Wolfe street.

WANTED TODAY—2 GIRLS, 2 TO 3

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7 Octave Upright Piano \$100 00
7 Octave Square Piano \$110 00
7 1/3 Octave Square Piano \$125 00
All Guaranteed.
Terms—\$5 Per Month.

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Come Early—The Christmas Spirit Prevails in the Big Shoe Store.

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Large assortment and good values give this store a distinct leadership in the SHOE TRADE. All styles in Men's, Women's and Children's FANCY SLIPPERS. Special low prices, from 15c to \$3. Skating and Hockey Boots for the young people made in correct styles. Boy's and Girl's Grain, hand-sewed Goodyear welt or McKay machine sewed. Price, \$1.75 to \$2.90. See Our Christmas Windows.

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WANTED—YOUNG LADY (EXPERIENCED) desires position as stenographer or book-keeper; best of references. Address Box 48, Advertiser.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

TO LET—COTTAGE, \$8.00 PER MONTH, at 35 Clarence street. Parlor, dining-room, three bedrooms, kitchen, city and soft water. The London Soap Company.

TO LET—EXCELLENT SUITES OF

offices, with vaults, in Fitzgerald block; most desirable location; premises remodeled and thoroughly refitted. Apply T. H. Luscombe or W. I. Fitzgerald, on the premises, first floor over Fitzgerald, Sandford & Co.'s grocery store, 169 Dundas street.

TWO OFFICES, WITH VAULT, IN

Albion Building, to let. Apply T. H. Carling, or H. & C. Coierick, on premises, 169 Dundas street.

TO LET—HOUSE, NO. 29 PICTON

street; double parlors, four bedrooms, furnace, bath, etc.; central locality. Is best of references. 29c.

TWO-STORY HOUSE ON TALBOT

street, near Horton, rent moderate. Apply 38 Horton street.

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Albion Building; immediate possession. Apply to T. H. Carling or H. & C. Coierick, in building.

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN.

Furniture carefully handled. John Biegi, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, London Furniture Company. Phone 219.

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purpose. 7 Kensington street, after 7 p.m. A. C. Taylor.

GREAT BARGAINS—WILL SELL FOR

two weeks. 125c per lb; sausage, 3 lbs. 25c; bologna and headcheese, the best, 3 lbs. 25c; best 6c and 8c per lb. at Park's old stand, 1 to 5 Market House.

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK—S.

bacon, 12 1/2c per lb; sausage, 3 lbs. 25c; bologna and headcheese, the best, 3 lbs. 25c; best 6c and 8c per lb. at Park's old stand, 1 to 5 Market House.

THREE CANS SALMON, 50 CENTS;

6 lbs rice, 25c; peaches, 15c can; Gold Seal Canned Apples, 10c; 10c each; call and save our coupons for beautiful present, at A. R. Ross, corner York and Thame streets.

LOOK AT OUR PRICES—

Strain stock, 10c. Best crack butter, 17c. Prime pork sausage, 3 lbs for 50c. At Park's, corner Market Lane.

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FOR SALE—CHICKENS—E. ROCKS,

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prices low. H. Abel, 340 Dundas street.

SKATES HOLLOW-GROUND, A PAIR,

McKenzie & Co., 288 Richmond street, one door south of G. T. R. station.

REDUCTION OF 25 PER CENT ON

balance of Fancy China-ware and Glass-ware at Cunningham's, 62 Dundas street.

HAVE YOU TRIED MIRACLE WASH-

ING COMPOUND? It has no equal. Try sample at G. Marshall & Co. tea store.

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fresh and smoked fish. Our goods are best and freshest daily. F. S. Orr, Fish Market. Phone 256.

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Best on earth for cleaning eaves-troughs, placing storm windows, painting, etc. Catalogue free. The Wagner Ladder Company, Limited, London, Ont.

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that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,312, and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 672 Bathurst street.

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front rooms; grate; modern conveniences; suitable for married couple or two gentlemen. Apply Box 47, Advertiser.

GENTLEMEN CAN HAVE FURNISH-

ED rooms, with our without board; all modern conveniences; terms moderate. 415 Dundas street.

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COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Pompadours. They are perfect. Comb-ages wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas street.

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TWO-STORY HOUSE, 107 CANTWRIGHT street, nearly new, first-class order; \$1,600. A bargain. Convenient to Collegiate Institute. Apply G. N. Weeks, Barrington, London.

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOTS, NEAR

new Normal School. Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 273 Ridout street.

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state of roof, well kept, new, first-class order. Must be sold. If you want a real good home for very little money, see J. P. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

FARM FOR SALE—NEAR STRATHROY

—75 acres. Good buildings and water. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

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LOST—STEEL BEAD CHATELAIN, containing \$5 bill, silver, etc., on Maitland, between Queen's avenue and Dundas street. Kindly return to 474 Queen's avenue.

FOUND—PIRE IN FRONT MCMOR-

MICK Manufacturing Company. Apply this office.

LOST—THREE WEEKS AGO, IN LON-

DON, heavy wagon, three-leafed spring. Reward at Andrew's grocery, corner Rectory and Hamilton road.

LOST—TUESDAY AFTERNOON, ON

Dundas, between Richmond and Water-wood, black leather purse, containing \$1 in bills and car tickets, etc. Reward if returned to Advertiser.

BROKERS.

FOR SALE—LONDON LOAN COM-PANY'S stock. John Wright, stock broker, London. Phone 638.

BUSINESS CARDS.

WM. HODGSON, HOUSE PAINTER, papering, etc., 400 Horton street. Orders promptly attended to. First-class work done. Patrons kindly solicited. Estimates free.

WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS—

Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 124 Hamilton road. Phone 1,291.

ANNIVERSARY OF

ROYAL CANADIANS

Evolution of the Dominion's Regulars—

Notes From Wolseley Barracks.

Saturday, Dec. 21, will be the anniversary of the birth of the Royal Canadian Regiment. Originally known as the "Infantry School Corps," then as "Royal School of Infantry," they are now known no longer as school boys, but have developed into the full-grown "Royal Canadian Regiment."

Capt. A. P. B. Magee, of No. 1 Regimental depot, R. C. R., has gone to Toronto on private affairs for a couple of days.

Messrs. Simpson and Scott Murray have been awarded the contracts for a new floor in the mess room at Wolseley Barracks, and are pushing it forward very rapidly. It will be ready for use on Christmas Day.

The members of No. 1 Company, R. C. R., have started their winter sports, and already two outdoor rinks have been formed, and skating and hockey will be in full swing in a day or two.

Mrs. D. Hendry, wife of Orderly Room Sergt. D. Hendry, of the 3rd Regiment, Halifax, N. S., with her son, is spending a few weeks' holidays with her mother on Oxford street.

Drill-Sergt. Hobkirk, who will relieve Drill-Sergt. Legge, on the latter's transfer to Halifax, will report for duty at Wolseley Barracks on the 27th inst.

Pte. Von Schiller, who is lying ill at Victoria Hospital with fever, is improving rapidly, and will soon be able to rejoin his comrades at the barracks.

Sergt. W. Farnsworth is progressing favorably, but is still unable to leave his quarters.

EUROPE DETESTS WAR,

But Not England, Says an Open Letter From

Hague Delegates to Rosebery.

London, Thursday, Dec. 13.—The Paris correspondent of the Times sends the text of an open letter to Lord Rosebery, which Baron d'Estournelles, a French delegate to The Hague conference, is sending to the Matin.

The kernel of the long epistle is as follows: "You are surprised that Europe deplores the Transvaal war, and far from seeing in the sorrow-stricken people of this country the hatred of Europe, and consequently a fresh reason for England to continue the war, you believe me, your enemies, but on the contrary, your friends, who suffer on beholding England engaged in a struggle, the sole issues of which are extermination and ruin. You are not deceived, you are being judged."

NO DEATH PENALTY IN HOL-

LAND.

A London dispatch to the Times says the Dutch Calvinists tried to re-establish the death penalty in Holland when the estimates for the departments of the interior and justice were being debated in the chamber. The minister of justice, who is a Catholic, declined to accept the motion, and both bills were passed.

NO LONGER

THAN JANUARY.

Delarey Can Only Hold Out a Few Weeks.

War Office Said to Have Got a Cipher Dispatch to That Effect.

Boer Prisoners Say Hostilities Will Cease on December 22—General Kitchener's Weekly Summary.

London, Dec. 19.—The Associated

Press learns that the war office has come into possession of a cipher telegram purporting to have been sent by the Boer commander Delarey, stating that he could not hold out longer than January.

According to the correspondent of the Times at Pretoria, this morning, Delarey is believed to be 40 miles northwest of Klerksdorp, with about 400 men.

The war office is taking a more hopeful view of the war than it has taken at any previous time.

WHAT PRISONERS SAY. A dispatch to the Daily News from Heidelberg, South Africa, says that the feelings there is that the war will be over in two months. A number of Boer prisoners say that hostilities will cease on Dec. 22. This is taken to indicate that the meeting of the Boer leaders to discuss the situation, which was called for Dec. 15, has been adjourned for a week, when a final decision will be reached.

A WEEK'S BOER LOSSES. Gen. Kitchener's weekly report shows 31 Boers killed, 7 wounded, 372 prisoners, and 48 surrenders. He details the position of the Boer columns, adding that the week's progress has been very satisfactory.

The pursuit of Boers in the Eastern Transvaal is being vigorously continued. A small party of burghers, with rifles and stock have been captured northwest of the Ermelo-Standerton blockhouse line.

In the Orange River Colony Damant has made an important haul at the Rhenoster River. He pursued 350 Boers, and captured 100 head of cattle, a long chase. He also captured most of a large heavily-laden convoy.

AT CAPE TOWN.

The committee has passed a resolution continuing the strike of the 29th Street tramway, and affirming that the tone of his Plymouth speech was pernicious and prejudicial to imperial unity in the country.

The committee holds that the retention of Lord Milner and Mr. Chamberlain in their positions affords the best security for a settlement of the South African affairs for the future.

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LONDON, ONTARIO.

London, Thursday, Dec. 19.

Death of John Swinton.

John Swinton, a Socialist, and one of the ablest newspaper men of New York in the last half century, died a few days ago at his home in Brooklyn, at the age of 72 years. As the Springfield Republican says, he was one of the rare men, with a life to it, caring nothing about consequences, or strange to say, he was paid high wages for service by such a man as C. A. Dana, who cared nothing for the things Swinton regarded as all-important, but who found in him a capacity for quick and keen decision, which was of the utmost value to the Sun, so that when somebody asked him why he kept Swinton for two or three hours' service a day, with practically nothing to do, he said: "I pay him for his judgment. When I am not here, John Swinton knows just what can go into the Sun and just what can't." A lieutenant to trust in that way is valuable, and Mr. Dana was one of the few men in any business who recognized that quantity is rather easier to get than quality. Swinton was consumed with the passion of humanity. He sacrificed much of place and power and recognition by simple and unassuming devotion to his ideas. It need hardly be said in addition that he was a writer of great vigor and sometimes much eloquence of expression, and that he was thoroughly finished in the economic and social history of the world.

John Swinton was born near Edinburgh, Scotland, Dec. 12, 1829, and thus had entered on his 73rd year. He came to the United States when a lad, and he was educated at Wilson Seminary, Easthampton. His father was a compositor, and he early found his way into printing offices, and became a journeyman. He was for a time a resident of Charleston, S. C., where the workings of slavery, as he observed them, made him an abolitionist, and he was compelled to leave the South. Arriving in New York, he became in 1855 managing editor of the New York Times under Henry J. Raymond, and that place he held until Mr. Raymond's death in 1889. He was the important lieutenant there, and it is said that he was influential in determining Raymond to urge Andrew Johnson's impeachment. Afterward he entered the employ of the Sun, and from 1875 to 1897 he was editorial writer (and for a long period chief of staff) of that paper, during which he was close in Mr. Dana's confidence. Even during the period when he left the Sun and edited John Swinton's paper, between 1883 and 1887, he was still connected with Mr. Dana. When he was in full charge of his work, it is said that he was paid \$10,000, but this may be an overstatement. His large salary was, of course, sacrificed, and without regret, when he began to edit his workman's organ, in opposition to the constitution of society and everything which made the Sun's career possible. While he was chief in the Sun office he was distinguishing himself by speeches in Tompkins Square, the park of the people, on labor subjects which were up for discussion, and it is not too much to say that he was the originator of trades unionism and other labor movements for 20 years. Nor did he hesitate to express his determined opinions before every sort of audience, for he was in demand before the alleged higher circles of New York as well as before the working people.

"Such," says the Republican, "was John Swinton; and at the same time he was one of the most cordial, eager and friendly of men, full of humor and wit, with his friends, though unsparing in respect to capitalist assumptions and policies. He dreamed in a very vital fashion of a state where men should be brothers, but he could never pretend to regard the capitalist who exploits his fellow-men as a brother, except as the possible result of long bourgeois experience."

Manitoba Liberals and the Tariff.

Before adjourning, the recent successful convention of Manitoba Liberals, adopted the following resolution, which speaks for itself:

"This convention desires to place on record its confidence in the administration of the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues. "And this convention recognizes the courage and ability shown by the government in dealing with the tariff, in the face of the country's requirements and its economic conditions; specially approves the preferential tariff, favoring the mother country, the relaxation of the duties on raw materials and the important additions made to the free list, and congratulates the government on the increased trade of the country and a rising revenue, thus enabling it to regard with security the great reductions in imperial and domestic postal rates and the extraordinary increase in newly developed portions of the Dominion."

"And this convention feels confident at this time that the government is on the principle of placing taxation upon the basis of a revenue tariff, having special regard to the development of the great agricultural resources of Western Canada, keeping in view the fact at lumber, woolen goods, agricultural implements and coal oil are articles of prime necessity to the western farmer."

The Grand Jury and the Victoria Hospital.

The following extract from the presentment of the grand jury at the recent county court sittings will be of interest:

"In visiting Victoria Hospital we were received by Dr. Balfour, who, with Miss McCutcheon and assistant, Miss Murray, kindly took us in hand and showed us through the various wards, and we were pleased to find that for completeness in alleviating the sufferings of those who find it necessary to be there, that there is nothing superior to it in the Province, and the City of London and County of Middlesex should be proud that they have such an institution for the proper treatment of all forms of disease, etc., and we commend the spirit that prompted the ladies and others for fitting and furnishing so many of the private wards, the same being a great benefit to the citizens of London and county at large in providing for their sick. The recent improvement in the water supply has been a move in the right direction, being economical as to cost, and better for the use of the boilers, etc. We found all the patients satisfied with their treatment, which is a matter of congratulation to Dr. Balfour and assistants, and his able staff of nurses."

"Number of patients at present in hospital is 110, divided as follows: Males, 59; females, 51 children, 14."

Prof. Shortt on Imperial Trade.

Several journals and critics have attacked the deliverance of Prof. Shortt, of Queen's, on imperial trade, but in our opinion his main position is sound, and the considerations that he emphasizes important. We take now only one point. We need not try to show that it is impossible to confine the trade of the empire within itself, and that it would be a foolish thing to attempt even if it could be done. By all means cultivate trade relationship within the Empire in all legitimate ways. Britain's having large trade with other nations makes for peace, and a large volume of trade with widespread ramifications is a defense in itself. For example, the immense exports of the United States to Britain make it important for the former to keep trade open between American and English ports. This does not mean that under no circumstances can such trade be attacked, but that it is the interest of many to keep it open. Recently when the Belgian workmen were advised to boycott British ships, they were warned by sober people among themselves that they were likely to do more harm to themselves than to Britain. It was that consideration, and not love for Britain, that checked them. At the time of the Fashoda excitement, one of the strongest steady influences was the fact that a large number of French people find the best market for their produce in Britain. When the excitement was fiercest, sober Frenchmen pointed out that the thing in dispute was not worth fighting for, but further, that to fight with Britain, apart from the chances of defeat in actual warfare, would at once cause France to suffer heavily in loss of trade. By all means let the defenses of the Empire be kept strong, and in all fair ways let trade between its different parts be stimulated, but let us remember that it is difficult by artificial means to force trade into narrow channels, and on the whole there is reason for thankfulness that such is the case.

F. H. Clergue on Reciprocity.

The Windsor Record publishes an interesting letter from Mr. F. H. Clergue, who has done so much at the Soo and elsewhere, to develop the natural resources of New Ontario, on the subject of reciprocity. Mr. Clergue was invited by the Windsor Board of Trade to attend their banquet in January and to discuss the question of reciprocity. Mr. Clergue, in his reply, says that if he comes he must have some other subject than the one suggested, and goes on to give his reasons, as follows:

"Ever since I first began to study Canadian trade matters, I have grown more and more impressed with the advantages of the United States, as well as Canada, in the establishment of such trade relations as would enable a freer interchange of the two countries. I have become convinced that the only way in which Canada can secure a just and equitable readjustment of the present restrictions in intercourse with the United States will be, first, by the adoption of the American tariff in toto. The stimulus to the Canadian manufacturing which would result, and the instantaneous drop in American imports which would follow, would very quickly set the Canadian people on a plane more nearly equal to that occupied by the Americans when the time for the serious discussion of reciprocity actually arrives."

Dr. Sampson says the United States will actively ask for reciprocity with Canada before five years elapse. We shall see. Meantime, with Canada's expanding trade with Great Britain, the present situation is by no means intolerable.

SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES.

PROBLEM IS NOW SOLVED

One Cause for Perplexity Is Removed.

Christmas Buying Has No Terrors for Astute Shoppers.

Woods' Fair Can Satisfactorily Meet All Demands and Needs of Christmas-Time.

The all-absorbing question that the advent of Christmas time brings, "What shall I buy, and where shall I buy it?" is one that can be completely answered in four words, "Go to Woods' Fair." The big store is certainly well worth a visit just now, for every department is looking its best. The place has been turned into a veritable Christmas palace, and three whole floors are given up entirely to goods suitable for gifts for Yuletide. An Advertiser reporter had the pleasure of making a tour of inspection of the store yesterday afternoon, and he can vouch that the visitor is amply repaid by the beauty of what he sees in every department.

Santa Claus is there in all his glory. As usual, he is making the place his headquarters, and, wearing his old mirth, he greets the boys and girls who come with father or mother to see magnificent assortment of toys. There are toys of every shape and size—toys to have fun with, toys to make noise with, toys for boys of mechanical trend of mind—all kinds of toys that this year are of a very superior quality, and the flimsy, suddenly broken ones find little place at Woods' Fair. The municipality of dolls is a revelation. There are little ones for a cent, up to regal princesses in court robes. There are walking dolls, talking dolls, and all the other varieties. There are signs and rocking horses and drums and all the other things that delight the children's hearts. Useful articles for the children are there in abundance; handsome writing desks, secretaries, gramophone chairs, carriages and go-carts, kindergarten sets, blackboards, etc., and one wonders only at their cheapness. There are juvenile books, and a large number, and no end of different games provided for the entertainment of little ones and older folks.

Don't forget to visit the book tables. That is, if you can get near them. The reporter was unable to do so, owing to the crowds that surrounded them. Here some really wonderful values are offered, and the range of choice is wide and varied. The stock embraces the latest copyright novels, annuals, Henty's and Ballantyne's books for juveniles, the standard poets in padded bindings, Bagster's Oxford Bibles, and prayer books, all at reduced prices. In this department subscriptions are received for all magazines.

Cards and calendars are very popular as Christmas gifts, and of these a great range of choice is afforded. In point of beauty and attractiveness of subject, no finer line can be found than that shown in this store.

Albums, purses, wallets, card cases, etc., are also useful Christmas presents, and in these a wide choice is offered. Stationery is another line in which Woods' Fair leads. The increase of trade in this department has almost doubled in the past year. This store has the sole agency for Hurd's New York stationery goods. Stationery in handsome boxes makes a useful gift, and the new art paperettes, and the new line of old rose and ocean green are shown. A full stock of office stationery is also carried, and a fresh consignment has just arrived, including over 15,000 envelopes.

In the jewelry department a multitude of pleasing and useful things are to be found at absurdly low prices. This firm make a point of selling popular goods at popular prices, and business that to the volume of their article. A beautiful line of ebony and silver and ebony goods are on display, together with a full stock of goods in pyraline and gold, the novelty of which is to take the place in favor lately held by ebony.

The choice afforded in perfumes, soaps, powders, and other toilet goods is wide. The goods are put up in very attractive form, and here, as everywhere else, popular prices rule. The fancy goods department of Woods' Fair is known to every lady in London and the surrounding districts. The larger portion of the work displayed is made right on the premises, and the quality is guaranteed. In the ladies' and children's wear department is found a stock which for variety and completeness cannot be made of bonnets and gloves, ribbons, and handkerchiefs, ribbons and gloves, the latest fashions shown. Kid gloves are very popular this season as gifts, and the firm has a wide range of choice to offer.

In the music department a rushing trade is being done in popular and classical music. Three expert piano players are kept busy demonstrating the beauties of the various compositions found on the shelves and tables of the department. One of them is Master Cyril Brennan, a 10-year-old lad, whose playing has astonished the leading musicians of the province.

The candy department is one on which the store prides itself. There are tons of candy, all made by the firm's candy experts. Put up most attractively in neat boxes, it makes a gift that is always acceptable, and one knows in purchasing at Woods' Fair that the quality is beyond question.

The wholesale department of Woods' Fair is one familiar with it is one of the largest in the province. The establishment. The store is headquarters for 15 branch stores in various cities and towns, and the third floor is crowded to the roof with goods of all kinds, which, like a constant stream, are being received from the manufacturers and sent out again to replenish the stocks of the branches. To handle this big department fifteen hands are required, while the office staff numbers ten more.

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PREMIER'S OPINION OF THE POSTMASTER

The Hon. William Mulock is a Reformer Who Reforms.

Nothing is too good for William Mulock. (Cheers.) So say I, and so say you all. I may add that there is nothing for which he is not fitted, and there is no work for which he would not be equal. I know him well. I have had the privilege of being associated with him for nearly twenty years, both in opposition and in office. I met him first in the session of 1883, after the general election, which had taken place the previous year. At that time the Liberal party had the honor of being guided by that great man—the greatest of all Canadians—Edward Blake—(cheers)—who was fighting as noble and hard a battle as ever was fought, and certainly the opposition was worthy at that time of the great leader whom it had. But, unfortunately, as you know, we were defeated. Mr. Mulock, however, did not receive from his countrymen generally the support which in my judgment he should receive. (Cheers.) I remember many other things which are to his credit. Chiefly to his efforts was due the organization of the galvanized iron industry, which was fought in 1885 against the infamous franchise act of that day. A few years ago the day arrived when the fortunes of war were against the country, and the people of Canada saw the error of their ways and withdrew their confidence from the party which had too long abused it. (Cheers.) In the course of events it was my duty to leave the government, and I called to the post of importance in the cabinet, to assume the general office of postmaster-general of Canada, my friend and guest of this evening, Mr. Mulock, would have been impossible to place that important position into more deserving hands than the hands in which I placed it. (Cheers.) Mr. Mulock has gained ever since in public estimation, and so far as I am personally concerned, I have never been more and more. I have tested his many qualities, his sterling integrity, his high sense of honor, his many-sided ability. He has displayed in the discharge of his office a quality which I am sure must be appreciated by the service, and he has shown himself to be a Reformer, a Reformer in the true sense of the word; he has shown he has the ardent temperament of the service, and, as you all remember, he took that old postoffice department, he shook the dry bones that he found in it, and infused them with the energy of his own temperament, and you have seen the results. He has given you a better service than you ever had before. Even his opponents—enemies of the service—think he has—yet even his opponents are obliged to admit that they never had such a service as the service they now receive from the postmaster-general of Canada. He has dotted the country with postoffices, where there were none before; he has a greater mileage of railway delivery and delivery generally than ever before, and he has done these things, he has found it possible to decrease his expenditure.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Massey Hall, Toronto.

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"Good Health Instead of Spleen." Gentlemen—Please find money order enclosed for which send me a dozen boxes of Radway's Pills. Those previously sent have been received in good order. They are highly esteemed by my family, and I will use them. For them to be known to be appreciated. To my own knowledge they have cured good health with their weakness and weakness dominated before using them. Price 25 cents per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent by mail.

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Friday and Saturday Christmas Joys.

Our advice is: Shop early. On these bargain days in the morning if possible. Never have we offered such liberal discounts nor such tempting bargains as we have prepared for Friday and Saturday's selling. Everything new and seasonable and at discounts of 20 to 50 per cent off.

STORE OPEN TONIGHT UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK.

Shoes, Slippers

Women's Vici Kid Laced Shoe, wide extension sole, patented tip, military heel, walking or skating shoes, a bargain at \$2.50, Friday and Saturday for \$1.69.

Women's German Felt Slippers, heavy felt soles, regular 50c, Friday and Saturday 39c.

All Fancy Silks 20% Off

RUGS. 25 Genoa Rugs, size 27 x 63 inches, large assortment of designs, regular \$1.75 for \$1.19.

TABLE COVERS. Tapestry Table Cover, large size, rich color, regular \$7.50, for \$4.99.

18 Tapestry Table Covers, 2 yards square, good patterns, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75, for \$1.19.

Underskirts. Gowns.

Ladies' Black Mercerized Sateen Underskirts, regular \$1.19, to clear at 89c.

Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, in white, pink and blue, regular \$1.00, for 79c.

All Furs and Cloth Mantles 20% Off.

Black Suiting LINENS.

56-inch Homespun Cheviot, heavy black, regular 75c, for 60c.

56-inch Black Frieze Suiting, heavy, for unlined skirts, regular \$1, special for 75c.

120 only All Linen Fringed Doilies, size 11 x 11, fancy border, regular 5c, Friday and Saturday, each 4c.

38 Bleached Pure Linen Damask Five O'Clock Table Covers, size 33 x 33, fancy drawn work centers and borders, regular 65c, 75c, Friday and Saturday 49c.

HOSIERY. KID GLOVES.

Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose, all sizes, special regular 35c, to clear at 25c.

Fownes' Andrey... \$1.00 Phyllis... 1.25 Roquaine... 1.50

Friday & Saturday 20% Off.

Christmas Novelties 50% OFF Wholesale Samples.

Gents' Furnishings CLOTHING.

Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, all sizes, regular \$1 a suit. Special per suit 75c.

Men's Initial Silk Handkerchiefs, good size, Special each 25c.

20 Per Cent. Off All Men's Overcoats \$16 Oxford Gray Overcoat for \$12.80

\$7 Frieze Gray Overcoat for \$6.60

Men's Heavy Tweed Pants, good strong make. Special at \$1.00

6 lbs. Sugar for 25c

2 dozen Sweet Valencia Oranges for 23c

CROCKERY.

97 piece Printed Dinner Set, in blue and green decorations, regular \$6.75. Per set \$5.25

10 Dinner Sets, 97 pieces, in six colors, illuminated and gilt edges, regular \$12.50, for \$9.25 and \$10.00

44-piece China Tea Set, new design, gilt decorations, per set \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$8.00

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208, 210, 210½ and 212 Dundas Street.

Angier's Petroleum Emulsion

USED IN HOSPITALS

Angier's Petroleum Emulsion combines the remarkable soothing and healing property of a specially prepared Petroleum with the well-known tonic qualities of the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. This emulsion is not a quick medicine, or even a patent medicine. It has been thoroughly tested and is largely used in hospitals. It has been prescribed by the medical profession in the United States since 1860, and in Great Britain since 1860. In advertising it we wish to avoid everything that savors of quackery and confine ourselves to simple, straightforward statements of what our preparation is and what it will do. These statements we back up by testimonials taken from genuine bona fide letters. They tell how Angier's Petroleum Emulsion has cured Coughs, Weak Lungs, Faulty Digestion, Bowel Disorders, and Wasting Diseases, as well as the beneficial manner in which it acts when given to puny children, pale women and all enfeebled persons.

All druggists sell it. Two sizes, 50 cts. and \$1.00 a bottle. Beware you get ANGIER'S.

YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS on a postal card will bring you a free copy of a valuable booklet entitled, "About Your Throat and Lungs." It tells how to cure the Throat, Lungs, and Digestive Organs. It gives good advice as to Diet and Hygiene, also Exercises, which are illustrated.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS!



OUR STORE WILL BE OPEN EVERY NIGHT UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

The approach of the Holidays finds this establishment fully prepared for the tremendous demands that will be made upon it. There is not a department in the store that has not already felt the breath of Christmas buying. Long experience has brought together a colossal stock of seasonable merchandise, so varied as to meet the tastes and wishes of all classes. We feel satisfied that the elegance of our goods at the low prices marked cannot be matched elsewhere.

As is our custom during holiday season, this store will be open on Thursday, Friday, Saturday nights of this week and Monday and Tuesday of next. Store closed between the hours of 6 and 7:30 p.m.

TOYS FOR THE TOTS IN ABUNDANCE.

Besides an innumerable company of presents for adults—those who have passed the age of dolls, trumpets, and the like—we have a great array of Toys for the tots. Books and Blocks, Dolls and Drums, Tops and Typewriters, Trains and Trucks, Cradles and Carriages, in fact everything desirable in the Toy line to please and amuse. These we sell at drygoods prices. Examine our stock before buying.

Umbrellas For Christmas Gifts.

One of the most popular gifts, so popular that we always require to lay in an extra supply to meet the demand. This season's styles and prices eclipse all previous efforts. Our special is a Ladies' \$2.75 Umbrella. The handle alone is worth the price. Some with burnt ivory handles and sterling silver mounts, steel rod and extra good silk and wool covering. Makes a handsome gift.

At \$1.00 we show a nice selection of umbrellas with good handles, steel rods, with patent runners, and fast black covering.

The same style frame with better handles and silk and wool coverings at

\$1 25, \$1 50, \$2 00, \$2 50, \$2 75, \$3 00, \$3 50 to \$5 50

Gents' Umbrellas with steel rods, assorted handles, at

\$1 00, \$1 25, \$1 50, to \$4 50

STYLISH SKIRT LENGTHS AT 95c PER LENGTH.

This is a splendid chance to get a good skirt for the smallest possible price. A lot of odd lengths in fine Satin Cloths, Henriettas, Serges, Broadcloths, Silk and Wool Poplins, Fancy Brocade Cloths, etc., placed out to sell at from 95c to \$9 95

Also a few ends containing waist lengths in a very choice selection of weaves, clearing at lowest prices. See these early for bargains.

Handsome Handkerchiefs for Holidays

We are showing some very handsome styles in Ladies' Real Honiton Lace Handkerchiefs from \$1 50 to \$4 50

Something very special in real Duchesse and Point de Gene Handkerchiefs at each \$12 00 and \$13 50

Ladies' Hemstitched Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular 25c each, for 20c

See our Large Assortment of handsomely embroidered Pure Linen

Handkerchiefs at prices ranging from, each 25c to \$1 50

Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs for ladies and men at 25c, 50c and 75c

Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, half and one inch hems, at

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HERE'S A BARGAIN IN TRIMMED HATS.

Only 42 of them; we want to clear them. If customers really knew their value they would not lose a moment in coming. None worth less than \$2.50, and they go up to \$4.00. Your choice of the lot at \$1 25

Also about 35 of our regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Felt Fedoras, in Oxford gray, brown, navy and black, clearing at each only 39c

SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

149, 151 and 153, Dundas Street.

The Emerald of Kandahar

His history was now complete. He had sacrificed his whole fortune, all the commonest comforts of life, all natural instincts of affection, his whole self, body and soul, for the sake of this talisman, to which he was now almost bound to cling with the grasp of desperation, which he must now force to make up to him for all that he had lost. It had to stand to him in place of wealth, comfort, friends, relations, mistresses, queen and goddess, all in one. And so, in effect, it did, and more. It carried him above and beyond the world to which there was left no link to him, and which he therefore hated and loathed. One who dwells in a world of spirits and miracles cannot but look with scorn and disgust upon daily life and all its ways. Only as he looks upon the world so must he expect the world to look upon him. No wonder that his neighbors regarded him also with contempt, tempered only by fear; no wonder that the gentle heart of Felicia, to which fear and contempt were unknown, regarded him with an unconscious, unsympathetic and mysterious sort of pity that found expression in her eyes and in her voice whenever she saw him. She saw no visions and dreamed no dreams; she knew nothing of his superiority; and yet, had she known it, his very superiority itself would have rendered him only by so much the more a subject for her compassion.

It may be remembered that the Cranstons had been of very great service to life, if that can be called being of service under the circumstances; and in this intercourse, Judith had been the go-between. Indeed, it is doubtful if Mrs. Levi herself would have accepted assistance except ignorantly and by deputy. One day Felicia was accompanied in her usual solitary walk to the bannister by the old woman, who had found occasion to pay a visit to her parlour. The lord of the enchanted palace passed by, as usual.

"Good morning," said Felicia. The old woman started, spat on the ground, and began to mutter inaudibly.

"Do you know that poor old man?" asked Felicia, observing her companion's motion at the sight of her protégé.

"That is the son of my mistress."

"What, Nathan Levi?"

"Yes, he who would have left his mother to die of hunger, had it not been for you, and who has left her to die of grief and shame, in spite of you."

"He? Why, he looks himself the very image of starvation."

"Ah, look! But Nathan Levi isn't the

man to keep poor. He started in life with a large house, and in twelve months had turned them into twelve hundred pounds! As long as he has even so much as himself left to sell, he is a rich man." But Felicia, knowing from her own personal experience how easily money is lost and how hardly gained, and being unable to judge except from appearances, was incapable of seeing in the apparent pauper even so much as the potential millionaire; so that the knowledge of who her acquaintance was increased her interest in him, and her pity for him tenfold. On the next occasion of her meeting him she dropped into his hand a small coin or two. He glared at her wildly for an instant, and then began to thank her no less wildly, and in such terms that she was alarmed. She began to think that the poor creature was touched in the brain, and it was with additional gentleness, if such a thing could be, that, having overcome her first feeling of fear, she greeted him on succeeding days.

CHAPTER XVII.
Once more the days became weeks and the weeks were in a fair way to turn themselves into months. The hour at which Mr. Smith was to receive the emerald into his temporary possession was drawing very near. Meanwhile, two events had happened: The Holy Family was completed, and Mrs. Levi had taken leave of all things in this world. Mr. and Mrs. Cranston being foolish enough to spend almost the last of their few coins in giving her a decent burial.

When the son heard of her death, he mourned for her according to the strict rites of his nation, sitting upon the ground for the appointed number of days in a passion of self-reproach, at most of self-hatred, that was by no means merely ceremonial. But the whole period of his mourning was otherwise a sort of ecstasy, for the green stone was over out of his hands.

It was for its own sake that he had come to adore it now, and not for the sake of the vision that were fading away day by day. Those that came to him now were rather recollections than realities. It was less now in the count of green light than in his own heart that the jewel lay, and he had taken up their abode. Indeed, the light itself had grown opaque and dull. He was like a laudanum-drinker, to whom his drug has ceased to be a delight, but has become a terrible necessity.

A continual flood of words which seemed to carry a profound meaning, but in reality were meaningless like those poems composed in sleep, which seem so magnificent at the time, but of which the fragments that remain dimly after waking turn out to be sheer nonsense.

Without either rhyme or reason, kept ringing through the ears of his mind, keeping time to one monotonous and weary measure. The one connecting that had pervaded all the melodies and harmonies of his grand vision now seemed to have subsided then all, and to be

heard alone in all its nakedness. At last he felt that if he remained shut up any longer with his treasure, he should go mad indeed. But he waited until the days of his mourning were over, and then, longing for the fresh air and for the one ray of human sympathy that remained to him, and of which his long abstinence had brought him even consciously to feel the need, he instinctively shouldered his bag and emerged once more from his den.

But though he arrived in sight of the blazoned banner in the main street long before the usual hour, and lingered about a good hour after it, the sun did not shine, and he went his way with a heavy heart.

CHAPTER XVIII.
Well, even the bravest heart is no talisman. Arthur worked bravely, but he was, considering how inevitable was failure, too bravely, considering that he had neither been born brought up to toil, nor was he a genius, and he was a reckless destruction of an originally splendid constitution, and I think that the destruction, if not containing the whole truth, and if not very intelligible without much explanation, is at all events a splendid one. To do anything really great, a man must, consciously or unconsciously, strain himself to the very utmost, and it is only the most splendid constitutions that can answer to the strain that is needed to achieve really great things without breaking down in the attempt. Arthur did strain himself to the uttermost, but his physique was not that which can be strained without breaking.

One morning, as he was putting the last few touches to his "Holy Family," he became aware of a curious singing in his ears, then the objects in the room lost their distinctness, and he himself turned suddenly sick and giddy. He was standing on a scaffold, looking out of stools, in order to reach the top of his rather colossal painting; and the next thing he was conscious of was a cold, as if he were lying on the floor among the scattered stools, that he was feeling miserably faint and ill, and that he had an agonizing pain in his right arm, which was doubled up beneath him and which he could not move. On raising his left hand to his face he felt something wet, which proved to be blood running from a wound in his forehead. It was in this condition that Felicia found him two days before Nathan Levi's return to the world.

Doubtless the fall itself had been caused simply by want of food, aggravated by hard work and anxiety; but the result was a fever and a broken arm. A surgeon was immediately sent for, who, after the manner of his profession, attended to the case first, and thought of his fees afterwards. A glance at the state of things showed him plainly enough that his patient was not likely to be a profit one, and he at first suggested removal to a hospital, but of

this Felicia would not hear, and a second glance at her showed the surgeon that she was not altogether unreasonable.

But, though she undertook the duties of nurse willingly, it was a bad time for her. She also was worn out, and were it not that women are far more capable than men of supporting bodily privation, she ought, by rights, to have broken down the sooner of the two. As it was, she now had to live even upon less than before, so that a thing could be so, so that she might meet the additional expenses caused by illness; and she had to support the whole establishment upon her poor earnings at the blanchisserie; Madame Cornet kindly letting her have as much work as could be put out, and without expecting her to carry it away with her own hands. It was simply a miracle that she did not give way. She never dared leave the room without the most pressing necessity. She never rested in a bed, and every moment that she could spare from nursing she had to devote to her needle, night and day, except when she fell asleep out of sheer fatigue. It need not be said that her appearance did not long remain that of the Felicia of a few months before. She had always been, perhaps, over-sensitive of whiteness; but now she looked like a ghost, and almost felt like one. The hands grew transparent, and the eyes dim; but she had the soul and courage of a lion—she even had the strength to keep in her tears, for fear they should render her eyes less clear for working.

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Dissolved Like Mist in Sunlight.

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There is a place for everything in this old world, but few of us have access to an index.

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

TURE.

DENY RUMOR.

London, Dec. 19.—The stewards of the Jockey Club deny the report circulated in the United States by a news agency that at their meeting Tuesday it was decided that Lester Reiff (the American jockey whose license was revoked in October) is entitled to apply for a license in 1902. No action in regard to Reiff was taken at the meeting.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Dec. 19.—Weather clear and cool; track fast.

First race, selling, mile and 70 yards. Arab, 90 (L. Smith), 10 to 1; W. B. Gates, 106 (Coburn), 9 to 2; Deponan, 132 (Otis), 13 to 5. 3. Time, 1:45 1/2.

Second race, selling, 7 furlongs. Missie, 96 (L. Smith), 4 to 5; Lingo, 100 (Rice), 5 to 2; The Way, 96 (Hope), 9 to 1. 3. Time, 1:29.

Third race, steeplechase, handicap, short course—Golden Link, 139 (J. Weeber), 6 to 1; Bristol, 145 (Slater), 6 to 5; Dagmar, 130 (Bartley), 25 to 1. 3. Time, 1:40 1/2.

Fourth race, mile—Andes, 99 (Otis), 3 to 1; Henry Bert, 105 (Weir), 8 to 5; Nitrate, 95 (Meade), 30 to 1. 3. Time, 1:40 1/2.

Fifth race, selling, 1 1/4 miles—Admetus, 87 (T. Dean), 5 to 2; Judge Steadman, 195 (Domick), 11 to 5; Deloraine, 94 (Cochran), 5 to 2. 3. Time, 2:31.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Fleurion, 106 (Coburn), 2 to 1; Pyro, 102 (Meade), 19 to 1; If You Dare, 104 (T. Dean), 3 to 2. 3. Time, 1:13 1/2.

LADIES' KENNEL SHOW.

New York, Dec. 19.—The first bench show of the Ladies' Kennel Association of America was begun at Madison Square Garden yesterday. Most of the dogs entered arrived at the garden Tuesday night and early yesterday morning, and when the doors opened there were few vacant kennels.

Unusual interest in the show was aroused by the hearing of new dogs from England, in the bull dog, collie and terrier classes. There was a strong lot of fox terriers present, including English and American cham-

pions. The other classes were well represented.

FISTIC.

WEAK-HEARTED PUGILIST.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Albert Griffiths, known throughout sporting circles as "Young Griffo," a light-weight pugilist, has been forced to quit the ring because of a valvular affection of the heart, which may bring death to him in the ring at any time. Dr. McGregor, physician for the Olympic A. C., examined Griffiths, and because of his weakness, refused to allow him to enter a match for which he was scheduled last night.

IN ONE ROUND.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 19.—"Wild Bill" Hamrahan, of New York, defeated Marvin Hart, of this city, in less than one round at the Auditorium Tuesday night. The knock-out blow came after about one minute and a half of fighting, and was a hard left to the stomach, followed by a right hook to the jaw. The men were scheduled to fight 25-round contest at catch weights.

TANGER GETS DECISION.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Benny Yanger was given the decision over Joe Bernstein, of New York, after five rounds of fighting last night. The contest, which was held in the armory of the Second Infantry under the auspices of the Olympic A. C., was witnessed by a crowd of 3,000 people.

WHIST.

THE CITY LEAGUE.

In the city whist league games played last night Court Pride of the Dominion, A. O. F., team defeated the Garrison non-commissioned officers by 6 points, and the Orioles defeated the Manhattan by 38 points. The standing of the league to date is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.
Manhattans	4	1
Orioles	4	1
Forresters	2	2
Sergeants	2	2
Belvideres	1	3
Car Shops	1	3

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PRAISE FOR LONDON MUSICIAN.

Referring to the song recital in Forest Hill Presbyterian Church, Newark, the Newark Daily Advertiser thus speaks of Miss Eva N. Roblyn, of this city, who was the leading performer: "Miss Roblyn has a high, pure, sonorous voice, which always comes easily and sweetly on the top of the breath. She sings with fine intelligence and broad phrasing and dramatic feeling. These qualities had eloquent illustration in 'I Know That My Redeemer Liveth' and the duet from 'The Flying Dutchman.' She gave the audience a taste of her ability in coloratura singing in 'Roberto O tu che Adoni,' from 'Roberto, il Diavolo.' Myribeer, which she sang by request, and made the tender sentiment of 'The Last Rose of Summer' a highway to the hearts of the people. My Redeemer and My God, Buck, was given with genuine religious feeling."

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Meteorological.

Toronto, Dec. 18-3 p.m.—The disturbance which was near the Atlantic coast last night has moved seaward. A considerable snowfall was general in the Maritime Provinces last night, but winds did not exceed strong. The cold weather continues from Manitoba eastward to New Brunswick, and at present there is no indication of a change.

Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 40-44; Kamloops, 18-28; Calgary, 26-26; Qu'Appelle, 18 below-zero; Winnipeg, 28 below-10 below; Port Arthur, 16 below-4 below; Barry Sound, 6-14; Toronto, 2-16; Ottawa, 6 below-6; Montreal, 2-18; Quebec, 2-10; Halifax, 20-38.

Local temperatures, Wednesday: Highest, 14 above; lowest, 4.5 below. Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 7:46 a.m., and sets at 4:43 p.m. The moon rises at 12:31 p.m., and sets at 12:48.

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ALMOST ASPHYXIATED.

Galt, Ont., Dec. 13.—Thos. McGivern, clerk of the division court, insurance and real estate agent, was found in his office in the Gore Block, about 1 o'clock this morning, in an unconscious condition, caused by gas escaping from an opening in the pipe leading to the meter. Medical assistance was obtained, and it is now thought the patient will recover. There is a belief that suicide was attempted, as he had been involved in financial complications.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

A fire at Wyatt's, on Talbot street, last night, damaged the third floor to the extent of \$100.

—Mr. E. J. Forsyth has been appointed organist at the Colborne Street Methodist Church.

—Mr. Abe Gordon has returned to Detroit, after spending a week with relatives in this city.

—An interesting lecture on "Egypt" was given last night at the Talbot Street Baptist Church by Prof. Renicke, of Toronto.

—Mr. Harry L. Hudson, formerly of this city, has gone from Cleveland to St. Louis, where he has secured a position with a large millinery firm.

—The announcement made by Oak Hall in this issue contains important information for holiday purchasers. Their advertisement appears on page 2.

—Commencing tonight and continuing for Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, Whiskard's Three Busy Stores will keep open until 11 o'clock every night.

—The Florence Glover Opera Company arrived this morning from Calumet, Mich., where they appeared to large houses. The company, headed by Mr. J. D. LeBel, president and general manager of the Ohio Lead and Smelting Company, supporting formerly of this city, has been elected supreme recorder of the new Protective Order of Street Railway Employees of America.

—Mr. John McDougall, of Hamilton, organizer for the Sons of Scotland, has been in the city for the past few days, and last night added nine members to Camp Flower of Dumbane, of this city. After the meeting the members spent a social time together in the camp rooms.

—Mr. Robt. S. Lewis, Canadian passenger agent of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, has received advice that commencing Thursday, Dec. 19, their regular passenger service, which has been temporarily obstructed owing to recent disastrous floods in New York and Pennsylvania States, will be resumed.

—Mr. and Mrs. John B. Murphy, of East London, have made a Christmas gift to St. Mary's, the new Roman Catholic Church in the form of a splendid 2,000-pound bell, costing over \$600. An old friend of the pastor, Rev. Father Traher, has also presented the church with a beautiful pulpit of oak and brass.

RECRUITING NEXT MONDAY.

Fifteen men will be accepted at Wolsey Barracks next Monday for the Canadian Mounted Rifles.

AN ENERGETIC DRYGOODS MERCHANT.

A retrospection of the existence of the city drygoods stores is somewhat timely at the present holiday season. If one cares to give a few moments of thought as to the number of drygoods merchants who have passed through a quarter of a century of Christmas holiday business, it will be found that the number is very small indeed. One merchant in particular is Mr. T. G. Whiskard, who undoubtedly is foremost in this regard. From a lifetime spent in business there is no more energetic business man in the city.

GODKIN—OLIVER.

On Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 3:30 o'clock, a very pretty wedding took place, when Miss Minnie Oliver was united in marriage to Mr. C. H. Godkin, of Toronto. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. C. T. Scott, B.A., of Dundas Center Methodist Church. The bride looked charming in a castor broadcloth traveling suit, trimmed with satin and Dresden applique. Miss Ella Harding acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Hodder as groomsmen. The young couple left for Toronto, amid showers of rice and good wishes, where they will in future reside.

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THE WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB RECITAL.

The Woman's Morning Music Club gave their regular fortnightly recital at the banquet hall, Masonic Temple, yesterday afternoon. The following attractive programme was given:

Misses Cecelia Spencer and M. Raymond. Hahn—(a) Rinaldo
(b) "We're My Love With Wings"
Provided
Miss Rosada Taylor.
Study of the French School.
Mr. Geo. C. Philip.
Greig—(a) Andante, from Sonata in E minor.
(b) "Liebe Dich"
Miss Morphy.
Massenet—(a) "Il est Doux, il est Bon"
(from "Herodiade")
Old French Song—(b) "La Charmante Marguerite" (arr. by A. L.)
Alice Calder Stock.
Ponteyn Manney—"Song of Sunrise"
(Vocal trio)
Misses M. Fox, P. McLaren and R. Taylor.

THE METROPOLITAN COURSE.

Edward P. Elliott, in his entertaining monologue, will furnish the fifth number in the Metropolitan Course at the New Grand next Monday evening, Dec. 22.

"A CAVALIER OF FRANCE."

A play which last season scored a triumph in this city was "A Cavalier of France," and it will please theatergoers to learn that it will be seen here again. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spencer are presented in the leading roles. The performance will be given at the New Grand on Christmas day. This attraction should crowd the beautiful playhouse to the doors.

LONDON OPERA HOUSE.

Tonight, at the London Opera House, the theatergoers of London will be afforded an exceptional opportunity of witnessing comic opera at popular prices for the first time in recent years. The Lyceum Opera Company, headed by the Canadian prima donna, Miss Florence Glover, will present the comedy opera, "La Mascotte." Miss Glover, who is a Toronto girl, has risen rapidly in her profession, and last year she sang principal roles with the Castle Square Company in New York. The company, supporting her, are said to be strong singers, while the comedy roles are well taken by Messrs. La Flame and Flavell, who when two ladies will be admitted from the rise to the fall of the curtain. The costumes worn by the company are said to be very elaborate and when two ladies will be admitted from the rise to the fall of the curtain. The costumes worn by the company are said to be very elaborate and when two ladies will be admitted from the rise to the fall of the curtain.

FROZEN TO DEATH.

Severn Bridge, Ont., Dec. 18.—Wm. Miller, of Lindsay, was found dead in a lumber yard here yesterday. Miller had been employed at Ragged Rapids, on the Orilla electric plant, and was returning from Lindsay, where he had spent a few days at home. He apparently got off the midnight train here the night previous and lost his way among the lumber piles on his way to the hotel, and was frozen to death.

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March.....Blaze Away
Overture.....Golden Helmet
Serenade.....Bright Thoughts
Intermezzo.....Salome
Selection.....Summer Night
Medley.....The Wonder
March.....Creole Belles
Overture.....Dawn of Day
Serenade.....Far Away
Waltz.....Lady Alice

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Men's Gloves—Dressed Kid and Mocha, fleece lined, tan, browns and light shades..... 50c
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Boys' Heavy Ribbed Wool Stockings, regular 25c a pair. Tomorrow..... 15c
Ladies' Black All-Wool Combination Suits, regular price \$2.50. Tomorrow.....\$1 95
Children's Combination Suits, clearing sale, regular prices 75c to \$1, according to size. Tomorrow beginning at.....50c to 75c
Ladies' All-Wool Health Brand Vests, \$1.25. Tomorrow.....\$1 05

Good Furs at Low Prices Tomorrow.

DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.

CHAPMAN'S

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At 25c

For Sunday school prizes and libraries, good Cloth-Bound Books, gilt lettering and heading, good, clear, choice of all the standard authors. We mention a few below:

Henty, Doyle, Charles M. Sheldon, Porter, Bunyan, Bulwer Lytton, Cooper, Dumas, Irving, Meredith's "Lucille," Tennyson's "In Memoriam" and "Idylls of the King," Keble's "Christian Year," and many others by Ruskin and Dickens, all worth 35c each, special for 25c.

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Mink and Coney Ruffs, regular price \$2.25. Tomorrow.....\$1 19
Coney Collars, satin lined, regular \$2.25. Tomorrow.....\$1 59
Black Astrachan Ruffs, natural Sable tails, regular price \$6. Tomorrow.....\$3 95
Children's Gray Lamb Caps, satin lined, 4 only, regular \$1.75. Tomorrow.....\$1 50
Children's Imitation Gray Astrachan Muffs, regular price 75c. Tomorrow..... 39c
INFANTS' ANGORA CAPS—Swansdown facing, wash silk strings, regular price \$1.75. Tomorrow..... 95c