LURU GURZON SSUES ULT

LONDON IS THREATENED WITH BIG COAL FAMINE

Dealers Caution Citizens Not To Become Panic-Stricken, as Situation Can Be Handled More Easily If They Are Given a Fair Chance.

CITY HAS BEEN FORTUNATE SO FAR

Unless definite relief measures are shortly put in motion, London faces something like a coal famine. something like a coal famine.

This is the opinion prevailing among persons in close touch with fuel conditions. Today's announce-ment by C. A. Magrath, chairman of the fuel committee, Ottawa, that Canada cannot expect more than 50 per cent of last season's imports, has caused no small apprehension locally. Bins of London coal dealers are practically depleted of anthracite. Some pea coal and soft coal is available, but the \$18-a-ton hard variety is

virtually unobtainable. The Advertiser attempted to telephone eight coal dealers this morning, and every single line was busy. When they were eventually communicated with, all stated that they had been kept busy for the past week wering calls from frantic cus-

Representatives of Chantler Brothers declared that no hard coal was entering London at the present time. It was stated that \$18, the current price for anthracite, was remarkably cheap under existing conditions. From \$13 to \$14 is the price asked for it at the mines, leaving little profit for the distributor after transportation costs had been met. Londoners Fortunate.

"Londoners have been fortunate so far, as far as fuel is concerned," said one merchnat. "They have suffered scarcely at all in the past, but this season will likely put them to the test. When a coal scarcity be-comes public knowledge, the great difficulty is for dealers to differen-tiate between those who have a sup-ply and those who have not. Both kinds of people shriek for coal imkinds of people shriek for coal, immediately a shortage is known, regardless of whether they are destitute or possess an ample supply. Thus an equitable distribution is

impossible."
According to another merchant, mild weather would afford the only relief. Coal substitutes are, naturrener. Coal substitutes are, naturally, in unprecedented demand. Wood vendors record a thriving trade. A single cord of wood is purchasable at \$18 a load, but is largely being disposed of in quarterload lots. Mixed wood is selling at \$4.50 per one-third cord lots.

Cautions Against Panic.

"The people would be much better.

off if they would not become frightened as soon as a shortage is an-nounced," asserted a member of the Daly Coal Company. "The less said about it, the better. I cannot predict the outcome.

Two dealers have refused to answer their phones, so great is the time wasted informing customers that they cannot be accommodated. Everything to mitigate the possible suffering of the poor is being done, according to an official of Sal-Army headquarters. The difficulty lies in the impossibility of procuring coal in sufficient quantities. Only the poorer grades are saleable. Much wood has been ought by the organization, and this is being apportioned among those who most require it. More ill-health and unemployment prevails among the poor districts than has been note for many years. Some work inter-mittently, and the consequent exhaustion of bank accounts has the means of spreading much sick-ness. Many homes are no doubt bearing up under the suffering im-posed by hard times, and it is such he said. "What hard coal there is i

Suggests Co-Operation. The Advertiser made the sugges-

Mr. Buchanan, however, depre-cated the suggestion. It would be good business for the Hydro Shop, he claimed, but as the trustees of the public welfare, he would not countenance such measured.

"The Chippawa power project was its construction power has become even scarcer. Mr. Drury was apparently unacquainted with the situation when he said that Chippawa would furnish sufficient energy to

Installation of one small electrical heater that could not be expected to do any more than "kill" the chill in a single room would cost its owner \$7.50 a month burning 10 hours a day. "I strongly advise against electric heaters for exclusive use in homes, because it would be like burning walnut or mahogany instead of maple. It is not economical and a

een practiced in the Dominion.

The use of oil stoves is urged by nany dealers. If things become many dealers. orse, recourse to using furniture for heating purposes will not be a remote expediency, according to several.

Little or no coal is being moved, say railway officials. Chas. Forrester,

Erroneous reports of coal aplenty order towns is being used for their

LONDON TO FIGHT FOR PORT STANLEY

Will Join With St. Thomas Financing Involved in Scheme in Asking For Harbor Improvements.

London will unite with St. Thomas in a fight for improved harbor facilities at Port Stanley. At the instigation of the Chamber

of Commerce in the latter commun-ity a general meeting will be called in the Railroad City early in January to map out a plan of procedure.

London will send representatives, to be appointed by the city council of 1923.

CALLS NAME APPLIED

Quebec, Dec. 19 .- Hon. L. G. Belley, addressing the members of the Cartier-Macdonald Club here last night, declared that the expression "mystery coun-sel" which has been used in describing commission proceedings, was utterly "I represent Blanche Garneau," he

told his listeners, "and I am here to defend the honor of the unfortunate girl."

DAUGHTER OF SENATOR

Hitt, formerly Miss May Katherine Elkins, a daughter of the late United States Senator Elkins of West Virginia, has registered colors with the jockey club, and plans to participate in events of the Metropolitan and Maryland turi in 1923. Her registered colors are white, with black belt and cap. Johnny Hastings will train Mrs. Hitt's horses. Mrs. Hitt plans to enter the turf and breeding industries on a large scale, and has a corps of agents scouring Europe and this country for desirable blood. of the public utilities, and supply the needs with electric stoves, thus alleviating to some extent probable suffering.

Mr. Buchanan, however,

not The the public welfare, he would not countenance such measures. The cost of electricity for heating purposes would be more than that of wood, coal, oil, or practically any other generally-used fuel. Mr. Buchanan stated that it would cost him \$120 a month to furnish his own heme with electrical beating on. ome with electrical heating appliance

supposed to relieve the hydro short-age," said Mr. Buchanan. "But since take care of requirements for an in definite term of years."

of hydro is appreciably increased it will have to be shut off. London is using 5,000 more horsepower today than a few months ago. About 750 electric ranges have been sold in the last? month, together with 600 heaters."

Did Not Know Conditions.

Mayor-elect George Wenige, asked today what provisions were practicable in meeting the situation, stated that he knew nothing about present conditions. He assured his questioner, however, that everything would be done by the incoming council to afford relief, if relief were possible or necessary.

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superintendent of the London divi-sion, G. T. R., declared there is a rumor that railways are not provid-ing necessary transportation, thus contributing to the shortage. He deied this, however, claim oads were not getting coal to dis-

EXPECT MEAT FIRMS WILL CONSOLIDATE

Said to Amount to \$50,000,000.

Canadian Press.

Chicago, Dec. 19.-According to a story printed by the Chicago Tribune, consolidation of Armour and Company and Morris and Company, two of the largest concerns among the "big five" meat packing companies, within ten days.

It is reported that the financing UTTERLY RIDICULOUS The payment is to be made one-third in cash and two-thirds in Armour and Company preferred and common stock, it is said.

ACCUSE CAPTAIN OF SHIP OF LEAVING BOAT IN PERIL

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 19.-Capt. George MacKinnon, master of the Pacific Mail passenger steamer Newport, has been accused formally of sailing away and leaving in peril the lumber WILL BECOME JOCKEY

New York, Dec. 19.—Mrs. William F.

schooner Svea, when the two vessels collided near Port San Luis a few days ago. A complaint was filed with the tederal steamboat inspectors here by Capt. Carl Robberg of the Svea. In-

vestigation has been ordered. DISCOVERER OF GOLD

IN AUSTRALIA DIES Melbourne, Dec. 19 .- The death was announced Monday of David Lindsay, pal car system in this city was passed neering investigations the great Australian gold fields was discovered. He was 66 years old.



HE'S A SAILOR. This is John Edward Leech Porter, captain of the R. M. A., who obtained his captaincy for efficient service during the war, and is at present on the Mediterranean with his ship H. M. S. Tiger, returning to England. Capt. Porter is a nephew of D. H. Porter, Wellington road, London. Capt. Porter's two sisters, Miss Selby Porter and Miss Stella Porter, are expected to be guests with their uncle here at Christmas-time. They are at present visiting in Toronto

J. BOOMER WILLS MUCH TO CHARITY

Many Organizations Receive Substantial Bequest-First Church Missions Remembered.

The fine generosity of a publicspirited man is evident in the will of tions problem can be effected by an

use of missions of the Methodis Church. In addition to this there i provided a sum of \$500 which will be eld in trust for the superannuated ministers' fund of the Methodist

ceive the sum of \$200 remainder of the estate is left to Mr. Boomer's widow H. E. Boomer are named executors under the will. They are directed to the above legacies within one year of Mr. J. E. Boomer's death.

EXPECT ELECTION TO SHOW GROWTH OF IDEA OF UNION

Newcastle East Fight Is Being Watched With Interest.

Canadian Press Cable. London, Dec. 19.—The by-election in Newcastle East, necessitated by the death of J. H. Bell, the Labor member, will be watched with interest, as it is likely to reveal the extent of the growth of the idea of a liberal range since the general Liberal reunion since the general election of Nov. 15. Mr. Bell was opposed on that occasion by Asquithian and Georgian candidates. Nominations for the vacant seat have not yet been made, but Major H. Barnes, the Asquithian Liberal, who represented Newcastle East in the last Parliament and from when But Parliament, and from whom Bell wrested the seat, is said to be available again as a candidate. The Liberals who followed Lloyd George in the recent general election, have not yet produced a candidate for New castle East. It is thought possible that Arthur Henderson, the Labor who was defeated by Dr. G. Clayton, Conservative, in Lancashire, in the general election, "big five" meat packing companies, may seize the opportunity to try to is expected to be formally announced get back into the House of Commons by running in Newcastle East, account of the industrial nature involved in the consolidation will be any of the ministers who were de-between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000. feated on Nov. 25, will venture feated on Nov. 25, will venture contest this vacant seat.

HUNT PLOT IN SLAYING OF POLISH PRESIDENT

Warsaw, Dec. 19.—The govern-ment, in its efforts to determine whether a plot existed for the murder of President. President Naruoticz, is continu to effect searches and arrests among the Nationalists and many officer and officials have been arrested or dismissed. Extraordinary precau-tions against possible disorders are being taken in this city, and in the

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being taken in this city, and in the mining regions.

The country generally is in mourning for the late president and the government has ordered all officers to woo claim to have wonderful violins.

Mr. Elman told the Advertiser.

"Everywhere I go, someone has an Amati, or some such ancient vintage.

This is about the first time anyone claimed to have an original Strad, but, really, I cannot be pestered so much. Any violinist is competent to judge a fine instrument. Why doesn't he get an opinion from local artists?"

But Mr. Rundle, chagrin plainly written on his rugged face, trudged wearily to the market square, and growe his horse and cart home at a furious pace. noted explorer, through whose pio-neering investigations the great australian gold fields was discovered.

Will Participate in Parley to British Insist Turks Must De-Fix Amount of Repar-

ations.

Adopt More Lenient Attitude Curzon Will Disrupt Lausanne Towards Collecting of Money Owed.

By A. L. BRADFORD. Special to The Advertiser.

Copyright. Washington, Dec. 19 .- The United foreig nminister of Great Britain, to tates, as the outstanding move in day announced that unless the Turks its plan to avert a collapse in the old accept the Allied project for freedom world, is about to invite the European of the Dardanelies by tomorrow the powers to make a final attempt to Near East peace conference will be settle the German reparations prob- terminated. This virtual ultimatum lem, it was learned from the most was communicated to the Turkish authoritative sources here today. "The plan" of the United States "The plan" of the United States for intervention in the European situation, which has filled two continents with excitement and anticipation, partly because of the deep mystery surrounding it, can now be revealed. It follows:

1.—Believing that reparations is the keynote to the present European in the keynote to the present European arisis, the United States will partici-

the keynote to the present European crisis, the United States will participate in a commission or some other form of official inquiry to establish an exact figure for Germany to pay. It would be a figure that would constitute just reparations for the waran amount that would be up to Germany's capacity to pay, but not beyond.

BUMPER BEATS BACK BADLY BRUISED BRUIN

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 19 .- A big black bear and an automobile came to blows late last night. Bruin The trustee boards of Ridout Street though a bear for punishment, could Methodist Church and of the Cen-tennial Methodist Church each re-the bumper on his sensitive nose, and the bumper on his sensitive nose, and fled. The incident was reported by Harry C. Simons of Olean, who met Canada Trust Company and the animal about five miles from that into the car when it stopped at

curve. Simons threw the machine into gear, caught the bear several times on the chin and hurled it to one side of the road. It fled.

LEADER OF MILITARY IS CHINESE PREMIER

Peking, Dec. 19 .- Gen. Chang Shac Tsens, the military leader, has been appointed premier, with the approval of parliament. His selection, which was supported by Gen. Tsao-Kung, is believed to indicate the intention of the military party to resume control in

A report says that Tsao-Kung, with the backing of Gen. Chang Tsao-Leng, is preparing hostilities against Gen. Wu Pei-Fu for early spring, with the purpose of placing the Peking govern-ment entirely in the hands of the mili-

Claiming to be the owner of "the

lost Strad," and estimating its value

at \$30,000, Charles C. Rundle of

Tempo, came to London yesterday

with the express purpose of secur-ing an opinion on his prized violin from Mischa Elman, the noted

Mr. Rundle's reception, however

was not especially gratifying. Piloted by an Advertiser reporter to Mr. El-man's room, in the Tecumseh House,

proceeded to dilate on the merits of

his violin, and asked the master to

"I'm not interested." said Mr. El-

man shortly.
"I knew your father," said Mr.

"I can't help that," replied Elman "I'm busy. Good-bye."

ivarius returned from the hotel crestfallen. He had journeyed to

The possessor of the alleged Strad-

Rundle. "He told me-

of the rare instrument

cide to Free Dardanelles Straits. OUTLINES HELP OFFERED REFUSE COUNTER PLANS

Parley If Terms Not

Accepted.

By HENRY WOOD.

Special to The Advertiser.

delegates, who are considering it.

Curzon declared it was impossible

on errands of mercy could go through the straits to the Black Sea. The

London, Dec. 19 .- A formal set-

tlement has been reached regarding

the German Polish Silesian frontier

under which much of the disputed

Rotherg district and also the town

PILSUDSKI MENTIONED

foreign office.

Possessor of "the Lost Strad" Fails

AS NEXT POLISH LEADER

The marshal's intervention to pre-

vent reprisals against the Nationalists after the assassination of the presi-

dent is said greatly to have strength-

miles to play upon it and feel the

According to the owner, the instru-

There is the label plainly visible,

bearing the name, "Antonius Stradi-varius," with the small mark like a

ditto mark at the back, the hand-

painted flowers, and the dark wood

It came into his hands thirty-three

years ago, when on his father's advice he purchased it for a song, at a little stationery shop on Talbot street, owned by the Cornforces Bros. Previous to that it was in the pos-

mellow warmth of its tone.

at the back of the neck

REACH SETTLEMENT

of Clarksburg, Ont., is mentioned at a possible appointee to the vacant seat in the senate.

Lausanne, Dec. 19 .- Lord Curzon **CUSTOMS WATCH FOR BOOTLEG CIGARETTES**

Government Officials Will See That American "Fags" Do Not Cross Border.

With Christmas, the time of the year when everyone is inclined to satisfy his petty whims and fancies, drawing nigh, Dominion government officials are taking extra precaureupon flatly fixed tomorrow for final session on the straits. tions to see that no one brings across the border American cigarettes with-At that session, he said, the Turks must accept or the conference ends. out making a contribution to the

customs coffers for the privilege of inhaling the Yankee "weed."

Although known to comparatively few, certain sections of the Forest City have been the scene of much activity for the past week, when several tobacco stores were searched for hostleg cigarettes. Canadian Press Cable.

Lausanne, Dec. 19.—It was reported this afternoon that a complete draft of the peace treaty, drawn up as a Although known to comparatively few, certain sections of the Forest City have been the scene of much activity for the past week, when several tobacco stores were searched for bootleg cigarettes. As the raids were conducted with the utmost secrecy, it is not known whether the efforts of the government officials were rewarded or not.

It is also said that the searchers took great pains to conceal their real "What is the difference between result of the deliberations of the Near East conference here, would be pre-sented to the Turks on Saturday. Today's session of the conference body dealing with the question of the straits was adjourned at 2 p.m.

bate to draw fire from the United ceremonies, and was noticed giving States delegation. He argued that directions to others after the search Although the greatest of vigilance

has been maintained at all times along border points to prevent con traband shipments of cigarettes be-ing smuggled across, the situation has not improved to any great ex-United States representatives did not reply to the Soviet minister. tent, local officials state. The young man who indulges argues that he can see no reason why he should pay 40 and 45 cents for a ON SILESIAN FRONTIER

package of cigarettes, legitimately brought into Canada, when he can procure the same package from his bootleg" friend for 20 or 25 cents. Of late it has been whispered in government circles that if an provement is not noticed in the situation in a short time, the regulations of Dombroda and other districts be-come German, while Poland gets some territory near Koenigshuette can cigarettes will be made so strict as to make smuggling a much dangerous practice than it is at pres-

and elsewhere, says a dispatch to the Times from Oppeln. **BOOTLEGGERS SAY** SALES ARE SLOW

Paris, Dec. 19.—An increasing probability that Marshal Pilsudski, former chief of the Polish state, will become a candidate for the presidency Bad Business Spoils Christof Poland in the election to fill the vacancy caused by the assassination mas Season for Members of President Narutowicz, is reflected in dispatches received by the French of Whiskey Club.

Business is dull on Western Ontario's liquor curb.

Last year at this time, agents Christmas rush was on. Scotch was available in large quantities at that time, and bringing from \$8 to \$10 per bottle, while rye was as plentiful as "Am I in sympathy with Bol-water. And there was a considerable shevism? I am very much opposed Mrs. F. E. Leonard, that Count Ilya to Gladden Heart of Mischa Elman quantity of gin on the market. Champagne, benedictine and a few other choice drinks, could be had, but one had to do the While fabulous prices have been paid for these old violins, and while ping early to insure delivery. Afid the "speak easy" establish-ments where whiskey and gin could be obtained at 50 cents a swallow were running full blast, it being comestablish. violinists everywhere have sought them, this old instrument had lain for thirty years in an obscure farm house, hidden from the world at mon for the free-lance vend dispose of two and three c large, although many have come night by the bottle and the drink.

Today trade is stagnant. Those "within the ring" are authority for the statement that the retailers are ment bears all the hall-marks of the

doing well if they get rid of a case a week. Few of them can boast of a total weekly sale of more than two between these days. Practically enough has been brought into Westfallen into the hands of the authorities and are now in Toronto warehouses ready for shipment to gov-

Bootleggers' prices are the same as Borntford, who sold it, together with they were in December, 1921, and the stock of the little store, to the quality of their wares is about Cornfores, two Englishmen who had returned from Australia, to start in

business in this country. Scratched in ink, just below the label, is a name which gives clue to another previous owner, "R. Whale, Brantford, 1879." CHOIR SINGER'S PURSE IS STOLEN AT CHUR IS STOLEN AT CHURCH

All history of the violin to that Whether it will prove to be a Mrs. Edith Hall was singing in the cenuine "Strad" or merely a clever choir of the First Presbyterian Whether it will prove to be a genuine "Strad" or merely a clever imitation remains to be seen, but at any rate it is a magnificent instrument, with all the richness and romance that attaches itself to the product of a period when the making of a violin was a labor of pride and love.

ARREST SWINE BREEDERS.

Cologne, Dec. 19.—Police today arrested two German swine breeders charged with killing Leonard Orshover, a Belgian diamond buyer, cutting his body to pieces, cooking them pocketbook had been concealed were found where she had placed them, love.

A GREAT RUSSIA IS NEAR **SAYS COUNT I. TOLSTOI**

Tells Advertiser He Is Not a Socialist, But an Individualist, Like His Father, the Famous Count, in Whose Estate School He Was Educated.

POWER IS SLIPPING FROM NEW STATE

By ISABEL C. ARMSTRONG. "When my father looked into my eyes, I felt he knew what was at the

everything; that there was nothing I Business and affairs are now in the could hide from him. My father was hands of the spoilers. They had very great man, a very powerful It was in these words that Count Ilya Tolstoi paid loving and reverent

the auspices of the Women's Cana-dian Club, "The Truth About Rus-

"You stood in awe of your father?" asked The Advertiser.
"I had great reverence for him." came the answer simply from the But, with all the chaos and disas-distinguished son of Russia's great-ter, the son of the great Tolstoi al-est seer and literary superman, the ready discerns order beginning to man who it has been claimed, "saved the Russian people from total eclipse of freedom of tho and conscience, and for a quarte. of a century was the moral and religious conscience of Russia, and indeed of the civilized world."

The civilized world."

The discerns order beginning to emerge.

"At the present time, I'll tell you what happens," he said, with his foreign idiom. "The new state took everything into its own hands, nationalization of foods, trade, industry, railways and so on. the civilized world."

Aversion to "Superman."

But, Count Ilya Toistoi, who
making his home at present in
beautiful little country place

the straits was adjourned at 2 p.m. until tomorrow without an agreement having been reached. The Turkish delegates were conciliatory during the discussions, but the Russian representatives maintained an attitude of opposition. Lord Curzon apnounced that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the discussions were dragging on too lengthily and that the morrow's meeting must be the last for consideration of the straits problem. Foreign Minister Tchitcherin of Russia made an effort during the debate to draw fire from the United

Away back in his early boynood making back in his early boynood days, Ilya Tolstoi attended in a literal sense, the school of one of the eral sense, the school of one of the list the reason," he said.

And here was revealed an interaction but of Tolstoi family history ceived his teaching in receptive soil.

Kept Estate School.

About the time Count Ilya Tolstoi Bya Tolstoi is not the first is was beginning his journey on the ber of the famous family to road to learning Count Leo Tolstoi was engaged in his second experiment in keeping school on the family estate, Yasnaya Polyana, near Mos-London's distinguished guest day has vivid recollections of

school in which he learned mathematics. Greek and Latin, as well as "Before he married my mother. said Count Ilya, had also tried an experiment in teaching. Yasnaya Polyana was our family home, the place where my father was born, where I was born, and all our family of thirteen children were born. It is there my eldest sisand the youngest. Alexandra, who London was with him when he died, are at present living in charge of a community. According to my father's will, the ancestral estate was to go to the peasants at his death, so we turned it over shortly after. My mother? She died two years ago. "The catastrophe of Russia must have been a great grief to your mother?" commented The Advertiser.

Mother Knew Russia. "Even as my father knew, my mother understood that Russia would

yet emerge a very great country, "The condition of Russia truly has been worse in the past few years makes rich coloring." than under czardom. "Am I in sympathy with Bol-

to it. The Bolsheviki tried an ex-periment in communism and failed. had held an exhibition of their paint-They saw it very soon. If they had ings in Waterbury, Conn., this past been conscientious people they would | year.

FAIL TO FIND CLUE OF LONDON FORGER

Brown Who Victimized Banks.

Not a clue as to the real identity or the whereabouts of the man dressed in brown, who obtained \$3,300 several weeks. Several loads of dressed in blown, who obtained some Scotch forwarded from Montreal have from three local banks by raising checks a week ago, has been ob-

ained by police. The description of the man as furnished by bank officials, was one which would apply to several men in he district.

Detectives are inclined to believe the man put miles between himself and London a few hours after had carried out the plan which he first laid last August, when he opened small accounts with the institution, which were his victims.

ARREST SWINE BREEDERS.

have given up. But no, they had no conscience. The old capitalistic system still prevails, but Those who are at the head bottom of my soul. He never asked under the new regime robbed those us questions never ppunished, just who had done the real work. They worse. looked into our eyes. That was took the businesses that enough. I felt that my father knew built up and ruined them. took the businesses that had been

geois had some merit. They had worked hard and had knowledge. "Were none of the leaders consci-entious? Lenine was a dreamer, a tribute to his illustrious father, Leo fanatic; Trotzky a daring adven-Tolstoi, as he chatted today with a representative of The Advertiser. There was a far away tender look in the keen, kindly blue gray eyes of the big ron gray-breaded Russian, who is telling a London audience to the claims he understands the philograph of the transfer of the claims he understands the philograph of the transfer of the night in the Masonic Temple, under osophy of nature. If any man under stands that, he cannot know anything

else. He knows too much already. Infectious Laugh. Ilya Tolstoi, most approachable of men, began to laugh with his eyes help joining him vocally.

nationalization of foods, trade, industry, railways and so on.
"But they find they cannot do it. It is slipping out of their hands. They cannot feed the populations in the cities. There is no food to be had from the peasants, and it could not be shipped. So they tried allied free trade.

trade.
"They took over the trade, but they cannot hold it. They cannot run the estates and tried to run them, and failed utterly. So, you see, of necessity, trade, agriculture, the various

utilities are reverting to those who know how to run them.

Great Russia on the Way. "And so, conditions are already a little better. And the great day of Russia is on the way. The sciences, the arts, have been going ahead wonderfully. No people in the world have greater power of assimilation. No other country has so many nationalities assimilated as Russia."

"Is it because the Russians are so adaptible that the Ukranians are

very closely linked up with Canada Ilya Tolstoi is not the first mem Canada. His eldest brother, it was, who conducted the Doukhobors all the way from Russia to Canada some twenty years ago.
"My brother Sergius it was, who

is now living in Russia again.

In Canada Before, "But this is not my own first visit to Canada. I crossed Canada some years ago on the way to Vancouver. Yes, it reminds me very much of Russia, more of Siberia. A cold com-pilment? No, indeed, Siberia is a very beautiful country. Today London, with the snow and the f feel very much at home. The first thing I have done this morning, what do you think it is? I have gone out and bought myself a fur cap in your And again the genial, comradely

laugh. Connecticut Picture? Was it possible Count Tolstol had in his pocket a picture of the American home in Connecticut.
"It couldn't be taken, except from
"It couldn't be raid. "You see, it is built up high on a hill, such a little place. You cannot slant up your camera. Again and again the camera, Again and again the reporters have come trying to make a
picture, but they could no do so.
"Do I farm? No, grow flowers. Any
special kind? You see, my wife and both are artists, and whatever is beautiful, whatever

And it was just at the last mo-

Police Get No Trace of Man in

THE WEATHER

Today—Moderate winds; fair and cold Wednesday—Fresh southerly winds nilder, with light local snow. Pressure is high and the weather fair and cold from the Great Lakes east-

light snow, has come in over Vestern Provinces. Temperatures. The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

ward, while a shallow depression, ac-

companied by higher temperature and



Victoria. 46 Calgary . 38 Calgary .. 38 18 Winnipeg. —12 —22 Pt. Arthur — 6 —26 P. Sound. Toronto ... Kingston .. Ottawa ... Montreal... 16 -10 Quebec ... F. Point.. -12 Halifax .

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures ecorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were Highest, 22; lowest, 1. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Highest, 8; lowest, 3.

Start Made on Addition to Building-Rush Work in Southeast.

Building operations were begun on the addition to the Pottersburg School Monday morning. The addition is being built against the old school with alterations to permit easy access from one building to the

Work is also being gone ahead with on the new school in Southeast London, notwithstanding threatened action on the part of the real estate board. Mr. Carruthers stated this morning that the only cause for worry, if it might be so termed, was brought about through the heavy frozen more than a foot in depth.



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EVERYBODY'S "spying!" Why not you, too? Keep your eyes open for news and win a one-dollar bill. It's news that is wanted; something you see, not a funny conversation or an old joke.

Two local men employed by the G. T. R., who looked all in and dirty after working hard in ice and water. They were approaching the depot when an elderly man accosted one and gave him "two-bits," remarking, "This will help you some." Following the other man, he also gave him "two-bits." I am still laughing about being taken for a hobo, but it goes to show the Christmas spirit prevails.—O. W. Image: Many they want was a truck load of real, live chickens.—LOOKABOUT.

On Waterloo street, a man, homeward bound, who stopped me and asked: "Say, can you smell anything on me while I'm talking to you like this?" I assured him I could not, and he went on, much relieved.—W. F. Christmas cards in a local store

meet the Hamilton road bus at 10 p.m., Saturday, a young man getting

discussing Christmas presents, whereupon one exclaimed, "You know, ny dear, I am so excited. I really lon't know one thing I am going to get this Christmas."-TOM.

In a local store a young man put his hand on the counter, shove a few radio parts up his sleeve and walk off, while the clerks busily waited on the crowd. Building a cheap radio! I'll say so .-- A. M. S.

On the corner of Dundas and Welington streets a policeman standing grim struggle going on behind her

Two girls going east on Dundas who's seein my girl home,—you er street at a fast walk, closely follow——Heh?" He then proceeded to ed by two male members of the gather up his scattered belongings. "Pick Up Squad." One girl had on and rushing down the street, soon Russian boots. She walked so fast caught up with his lady fair, while

As I was waiting at the corner of Advertiser office to receive a dollar bill, prize for the winning item today.

The last analysis of the winning item today.

The last analysis of the winning item today.

with "Made In Germany" sign cut off the corner.—CAMOUFLAGE.

A young lady and man going west (new) boys' bloomers.—I SAW HIM.

a cheap shoe shine with a pair of on Dundas street. The young man told the young lady he had to go in a nearby store. She evidently did not hear him as she went right on, walking close beside a young woman who was going the same way. They had proceeded some fifty feet in this manner, when the young lady noticed her mistake. Then she came back to where the young man was waiting for her.—T. M.

two first-year youths, engaging in mortal combat. Not far ahead of them a dainty young miss sauntered under an electric street lamp at 7:15 in the morning. In his hard he tightly clasped a lighted flashlight. Looking for burglars.—"No Doubt."

As we passed them, however, the smaller boy gasped out wrathfully, as he crammed the last handful of snow down his victim's neck: "Take snow down his victim's neck: "Take that now, yuh big butter-in, yuhthat she kicked one boot off. It the "butter-in" followed at a very sailed along and finally landed in the respectful distance. — Cherchez-la-

Let Children Chuckle, For Calendar Cuts Three Days From School Year

nearly every girl and boy in the city! school year. They couldn't help there will be three less days to go! themselves. It is all brought about There will be three less days to go the through the variance of the calendar

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Are You Going To Have a Christmas Piano?

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long for anything like that, but you can walk into our store today and put

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Here's something that will interest are not purposely shortening to school during 1923, than there were in 1922. That's what Inspector V. K. Greer said this morning.

One thing that will be sure to cause the calculation of the calculation. There will be only 20 school days in June, 1923, as compared with 21 in 1922. There will be 19 in September, and 15 in December, as compared to the calculation. chuckles when the children learn it, pared with 20, 16 last year. There is that the department of education will be a total of 198 school days in

WITH FRED YOUNG in charge, man Nichol. With Gordon Singleton the topic for the regular weekly meeting of the young people of Adelaide Street Baptist Church was 'The Glor-Miss Cora Parsons and Fred Norton. ious Gain of Fidelity," taken by Rita The Scripture lesson was read by

WOULD BROADCAST

Mrs. E. Pellow Gives Advice to Chesley Avenue Mothers in Speech.

"Boost. Broadcast the news of the splendid work the mothers clubs are doing. Get into personal touch with the mothers of the community. Be kind to the woman sitting next to you. Perhaps she is the mother of the friend of your son or daughter."

The foregoing were four suggestions made by Mrs. E. Pellow for enlisting the interest of every mother in the mothers' club at the 'Mystery Program Meeting" of the Chesley Avenue Mothers' Club held on Monlay evening.

Not an inkling of what was to take place was allowed to get out by the conveners before the meeting, and when the club members arrived everything was in the nature of a surprise. For once the gathering was confined to the club circle, a cosy, happy, get-together and get-better-acquainted meeting, at which all the talent was furnished by the case, art design, and with a tone at all the talent was furnished by the

members themselves. Elaborating the point with regard to broadcasting the news of what the mothers' clubs are doing, Mrs. Pellow touched upon several of the achievements of the union mothers' club in the past, notably getting a garbage system for the city, securing better class of films for the motion picture theatres, and assisting in getting a better class of shows for the midway at the Western Fair. The Chesley Avenue Mothers Club, she reminded, had taken an active

part in securing a four-room addition for the school. Dealing also with the subject of promoting the club spirit, the speaker paid tribute to the fine spirit which prevails in the Chesley avenue organization, and expressed her appreciation of the splendid spirit of co-operation with which she met during the two years of her presidency.

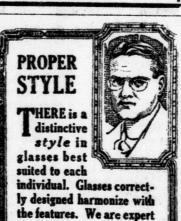
dency.

The miscellaneous program included a vocal duet by Mrs. James Collier and Mrs. George Hyatt; solo, Mrs. James Mills; instrumental duet, Mesdames E. S. Little and T. H. Cameron, and reading, Mrs. W. H. Griffin. A happy hour was enjoyed over



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START WORK ON SEWERS KI-Y BOYS WILL TREAT TO PROVIDE EMPLOYMENT

City Council Sanctions Construction on Huron Street—Set Aside \$60,000.

In pursuance of their determina ion that work shall be provided fo as many of the city's unemployed as possible, the retiring members of the city council; in regular session last night, sanctioned the immediate commencement of additional sewer

undertakings.

Provision for this work has already been made in the estimates, and Mayor Wilson declares that there is \$90,000 available for the purpose. The situation has been well taken care of he says reliance the situation.

rare of, he says, relieving the new councillors of certain responsibility in the matter.

The Huron street sewer will started as speedily as possible. The probable cost will be \$6.177.84, of which, the sum of \$3,088.91 will be borne by the County of Middlesey. orne by the County of Middlesex.

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Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 19 .- The heavy snow that has covered the Gray's Har-bor County recently has resulted in the arrest of alleged moonshiners, capture hundreds of gallons of liquor and mash

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The biggest event of the Kiwanis ear takes place next Wednesday in the Tecumseh House, when the club is entertaining and being entertained by the Ki-Y boys.

Santa Claus is to be there, and a

be there.

The booster for the special meeting is to be Cy Edy of the Somerville Paper Boxes, Limited.

"Scroope" There is no place for "Scrooge" Kiwanis. The announcement car-

real Christmas tree, and as an extra special visitor, Charlie Chaplin, will

F. J. CHAPPELL HEADS ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY

At the regular monthly meeting of St. George's Society, held on Thursday evening, Dec. 14, the following officers were elected for the year 1923: President, F. J. Chappell; first vice-president, George Potter; second vice-president, E. Lewarne; treasurer, Edwin Smith; secretary, R. Robertson; assistant secretary, F.

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DEFAMATION CASE

U. S. FINANCIERS **REFUSE GERMANS**

Morgan Declares No Loan Will Be Made Until Reparations Settled.

MUST BALANCE BUDGET

Leading American Bankers Claim Germany Must Show Sincerity.

New York, Dec. 19 .- J. P. Morgan & Co. last night issued a statement declaring they had notified the German ambassador to this country "that it was impossible for us to discuss or consider a loan to Ger many unless and until the repara tions question was settled."

This statement was issued, it was learned, to set at rest what were described as "highly fantastical stories" which have been published regarding the possibility of the flotation of an international loan to Germany esti-Official denial was made of reports that the Morgan firm had presented "a plan" for the settlement of the reparations problem to the Washington administration. While no official comment was made concerning Mr. Morgan's visit to Secretary Mr. Morgan's visit to Secretary Hughes in Washington last week, it understood the financier merely gave the secretary his views on conditions in Europe, whence he recent returned after six months' visit. Morgan was a member of an international committee of bankers hich met in London last June to discuss the question of financial assistance to Germany.
Local international bankers are said to believe that before any loan is made by this country to Germany there must not only be a settlement of the reparations question, but a sincere effort made by Germany to balance her budget, revise her banking system and stabilize her curwhich has been enormously in-If these conditions are met

IRISH PARLIAMENT PASSES FIRST ACT

the possibility of such an undertak-ing is said to be "very remote" at

said to be "very remote" at

Solemn Occasion Marks Putting Through of Highly Technical Measure.

Dublin, Dec. 19 .- The first act bassed by the Irish Parliament for more than a century went formally through the Free State Senate at a brief sitting today. It was a highly technical measure entitled, "Adaptation of Enactments Bill." It passed

Be Enjoyed by All Sects. through the Dail last week and eccepted by the Senate without dis-The solemnity of the occasion was

emphasized by Sir Thomas Esmonde, "I think it is fitting that at this moment the senators should pause

take part in this work. We have marked a milestone in our nation's that in districts heavily non-Moslem history. We have done what many the schools of the Christian minorities lives in endeavoring to be able to do, or municipal budgets. and may all thank God that we have

WOLVES GO ON RAMPAGE

are increasing in number in the cen-tral part of the district of Temis-They are of the gray timer wolf variety, and are preying disastrously upon the red deer which inhabit the district. Bands of h half-dozen to fifteen have been sections of the district in close proximity to the settled areas. the night in a cabin on a mining prospect in the Montreal River disabout half way between Cobalt and Elk Lake, and was an ear withess to at least two packs making carnival in the cold starlit night, and throwing a peculiar hush over all other forms of life, the dread howls being challenged only by the snapng of trees caught fast in the grit temperature at 20 below zero

20.000 CANADIAN BOYS JOIN CADET MOVEMENT

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 19 .- (By the part of the discussion that takes Canadian Press) .- Figures made place this afternoon shall be reportpublic today by the department of ed in any form by any newspaper, militia and defence show that the said Mr. Justice Orde when the padet movement in Canada to be Backus case was resumed this afternaking great progress. Over 20,000 dditional boys were enrolled during the past cadet year, which brings the total strength to 105,000 cadets or- while D. L. McCarthy, K.C., for the ranized into 1,459 companies. Ten Telegram, and I. F. Hellmuth, K. C., ears ago there were in Canada only 1,000 cadets and the great develop-ment in recent years is due largely to the support which this movement is receiving from educational authorities in all parts of the country. gool boards and teachers now fully realize the benefits derived from the physical exercises organized discipline, miniature rifle ooting and citizenship which cadet system provides and give the ork their full support, many of the teachers being also the structors in their schools. the cadet

SCORES WEST ATTITUDE

Special to The Advertiser. Brampton, Ont., Dec. 19.—Mr. Choo, Korean, who is a student in Knox College, Toronto, told a large audi-ence in St. Paul's Methodist Church last night, that the only way to deal with the question of admitting the nhabitants of the Orient to Canada and the United States is to rememthat all men are brothers under

"These two countries are trying to settle the matter by forbidding chinese and the Japanese to enter. ust remember that they are they must remember that they are not dealing with the people of a thousand years ago. These people can keep pace now with the western nations. If we teach hate, we are going to get hate in return."



GABRIEL NARUTOWICZ. ident of Poland, who was shot and killed by an insane artist on Sunday, after holding office for only

CAR GOES INTO HOLE IN ICE, FOUR DIE

Tragedy Occurs Near Sorel. Quebec, As Party Tries To Cross River.

Lausanne, Dec. 18 .- Turkey for-Sorel, Quebec, Dec. 18 .- Four unknown persons were drowned this morning, when the automobile in which they were crossing the St. Lawrence River went through the ice. They had just passed the machine of Ed. Duhamel of Sorel, who was crossing to Berthier, when the accident happened. They were coming from Berthier. Happening to look back, Mr. Duhamel saw a hole a small loan of short duration may be made through local bankers, but in the ice. There had been no sound

or call for help. The machine apparently went down before the occupants had time

to cry out.

Mr. Duhamel stopped his machine and walked back to the hole in the ice. The wheel tracks of the lost Chevrolet went straight to it; but there was no trace of the occupants or of the car. There has been no inquiry as yet for the missing people. and it is not known from where the auto party came, or whether their destination was this city.

TURKEY PROMISES CHRISTIANS SAFETY

Lausanne, Dec. 19 .- Turkey formally engaged yesterday before the Near East conference to accord the Chriswho speaking with much emotion, tian minorities in all that concerns their life and liberty, the same rights and the same protection as are enand consider the significance of what joyed by the Turkish population, we have just done. We have passed with the free exercise of their rethe first act by an Irish Parliament ligion and the right to establish edu-"I think we may all thank provi- cational, charitable and religious in-

The Turkish agreement provides It is stipulated that as the memhers of all the minorities are regarded as Turkish subjects, there can be no exemption from military service.

IN NORTH ONTARIO WILDS TRAINMEN DIE WHEN Increasing Number of Packs Prey Disastrously Upon Red Deer of Temiskaming District.

Kenarbeek, Dec. 19.-Wolf packs Pallister, B. C., Is Scene of Bad Wreck-Passengers All Escape.

o'clock this morning at Palliser, B.C., Last night a correspondent spent and the engine was derailed as well The engine turned on its side. Fire-man J. A. Felld was instantly killed and W. Melville, the engineer, died three hours later. No passengers were injured. Traf-

fic will be resumed this evening, it is expected.

RULES NO PRESS REPORT ON BACKUS LIBEL CASE

Toronto, Dec. 19 .- "I shall be forced to make this direction, that no noon. Mr. Justice Orde gave the jury in the case an afternoon off, for Mr. Backus, discussed a numbe of points of law. His honor said that it was important that the jury have no knowledge whatever of the arguments advanced this afternoon As it was impossible to ask them no to read the daily papers, the only thing to do was to keep all reports out of the newspapers.

Mr. Justice Orde gave the conclud

STRATFORD G.W.V.A **GIVE KIDDIES TREE**

Veterans Plan To Stage Christmas Treat in Armories Saturday.

DIETRICH SCHROEDER DIES

Perth Medical Association Elects Dr. Murray, Mitchell, 1923 President.

Special to The Advertiser. Stratford. Dec. 19 .- The armories will be the place and Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock the time for the big Christmas tree planned by the G. W. V. A. The committee in charge reported today that details are progressing favorably. The guests on this occasion will be the children of the members of the G. W. V. A. and of war widows, wards at the Children's U. S. Fuel Distributor De-Aid shelter, and the little folks belonging to the G. W. V. A. band.

A resident of Stratford for thirty seven years, and of this vicinity for sixty-six years, Dietrich Schroeder, 350 Huron street, in his eighty-seventh year, passed peacefully away Saturday evening at seven o'clock. The deceased was born in Mecklen-burg-Strelitz, Germany, and came to Canada when 20 years old. Had the Schroeder lived until spring he would have celebrated his sixtieth wedding anniversary. He was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. Besides his aged wife, he is survived by one stepbrother, L. Schroeder, Chesley; one stepsister, Mrs. Moore, Rostock; one nephew, W. Heiden, 350 Huron street, and one niece, Mrs. Linsenmeyer, Canton, Kas. The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon to St. Peter's Church, and from thence to Avondale

Cemetery. The Perth Medical Association elected its 1923 officers as follows: President, Dr. R. S. Murray, Mitchell; vice-president, Dr. F. J. R. Forster; secretary-treasurer, Dr. P. F. lan; program committee, Dr. G. Dea-con, Dr. A. Fisher and the president and secretary.

FORMER MINISTERS HUSTLE FOR LIVING

Members of Late British Coalition Cabinet Enter Business Arena.

BY HENRY SOMERVILLE, Special Cable to The Advertiser by a Staff Correspondent, Copyright.

London, Dec. 19.—Several ministers in the late coalition cabinet have had to tackle the problem of earning a livelihood. F. G. Kellaway, former postmaster-general, has become a director of the Marconi Company, though important negotiations were in progress between the postoffice and the company, in which Mr. Kellaway had been representing the in-terests of the state. Another case was Sir Robert Horne, who was disaced by Stanley Baldwin as chancellor of the exchequer, but who im mediately obtained directorship of Baldwin's great iron company at a salary of £8,000 a year, which is £3,000 more than the chancellor's

It is announced that Lord Birkenhead is writting the "Inner history of British politics since 1906," but as generations of Irishmen lost their shall be allotted funds from the staff the ex-lord chancellor gets a pension it can hardly be a case of pecuniary necessity with him.

RESTORES ASSESSMENT ON PELLATT RESIDENCE

Judge Holds That Castle Adds To Land Value in Appeal Case.

Toronto, Dec. 19 .- Judge Coats worth has restored the assessment on Casa Loma, the residence of Sir Henry Pellatt on Davenport road, to the amount at which it was assessed last year. The assessment department had raised it from \$106,000 \$200,000, which was confirmed by the Vancouver. Dec. 19.—C.P.R. train court of revision. Sir Henry's counnumber 4 struck a broken rail at six sel argued on the appeal that the house did not add anything to the value of the land, as it had no sell-ing value. The judge has decided that as mail, baggage and colonist cars it adds \$100,000 to the value of the land. It cost more than \$1,000,000 to build.

LITTLE BOY STEALS GUN. DIES FROM SHOT WOUND

Chapleau. Dec. 19 .- Stealing a .22 rifle from the family home and going out to hunt rabbits, Aime Viens was unconscious on the ice of a Saturday morning, not far from his ome at Devon, east of Chapleau.
The boy left home about 11 o'clock in the morning, and when he did not return by 1 o'clock a search was made for him, and he was found unconscious at 2:30 p.m. laying on the He did not recover conscious ess, and died in two hours The little chap had bothered his nother all morning for the rifle, and, being refused, took the first opportun-ity to steal the weapon. There were no witnesses to the tragedy.

WOMAN DRUG ADDICT SENTENCED TO 12 MONTHS

Montreal, Dec. 18. - Too sick to walk, Blanche Lafleur, aged 23, was the Great Lakes are stated to be the brought into the recorder's court this worst for years at this time, accordrning on a stretcher to receive Mr. Justice Orde gave the concluding morning on a stretcher to receive ing to report reaching the departing warning, "That direction must be sentence for having drugs in her postopeyed and obeyed implicitly. Its breach will bring a very serious punishment on the publisher of any doubtful if she will ever be well are being encountered today, alenough to go to jail,

TOWARDS EAST NATIONS Takes Few Drinks of Beef, Iron, Wine, Then Smashes Marble Bust To Bits FISH TRAPPERS ARRESTED

Toronto, Dec. 19.—Sarah Hussey, estal over, smashing it to atoms. In charged with a breach of the O. T. A., all she caused about \$110 damage on the plea for a week's remand on this particular day.

DISMISSED WITH COSTS

Special to The Advertiser.

Quebec, Dec. 19.—Judgment has been rendered by Justice Belleau in the superior court here in a \$10,000 damage action entered by Prof. Morin of McGill University against his colleague, Prof. Walter, for alleged defamation.

The action is dismissed with costs by his lordship, who, in his judgment, contends that the respondent had acted very calmly in the circumstances after a series of persecutions which, basing himself on reports of all kinds, he had attributed to Prof. Morin. The case is the outcome of a series of difficulties which arose between Prof. Morin and Prof. Walbetween Prof. Morin and Prof. Walter and which culminated in the former's trial for alleged attempt to poison a well situated on the summer residence of Prof. Walter at Elgin road. l'Islet County.

CANNOT EQUALIZE COAL ALLOTMENT

clares Canada Cannot Expect Amount Required.

rath, chairman of the federal ad- rounding the murder of the young visory fuel committee at Ottawa girl. 2 years ago in Quebec, that Duval Ont., was informed yesterday by C. R. | had confessed to three men that he Spens, federal fuel distributor, that was the actual assassin. ecause of the acute shortage of anthracite in the United States "there is no immediate prospect, if any at all, of equalizing the deficit existing on Dec. 1 in Canada's allotment" amounting to 50 per cent of last sea-Mr. Spens' telegram said he was

aware of the fact "that since Sept.

11, the date the strike ceased, up to son, swore that Duval told him he was the first of December, you have reapproximately 40 per cen of the allotment of domestic sizes, but there are sections in this country that are suffering grievously, despite that production is practically at a maximum and demand is constantly

ncreasing. "Rationing and compulsory mixing of steam with domestic sizes have been inaugurated in our most populous districts, which have heretofore been accustomed to using only domestic sion, and Aime Geoffrion, K.C., one anthracite," Mr. Spens declared. of the lawyers for the attorney-"Other substitutes are also being We have no information that such drastic steps have been adopted

DELIVER IN TON LOTS. "No Toronto citizens will get their entire winter supply of fuel in

This emphatic statement was made oday by one of the leading fuel dealers. Almost immediately the taking of 25 per cent soft coal with every coal order is to be made the rule, with a one-ton delivery of fuel as the outside limit allowed at one time, and gether probable that the citizens will believe general public and L. C. be forced to accept an equal part of soft coal with each order of hard have several others to bring to the

FIND 23 SURVIVORS ON BARREN ISLAND

Tug Suffer Greatest Hardships.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 19. After being marooned for five days on the barren Lizard Isle in Lake Superior, with the temperature ever hanging well below the zero mark, the 27 missing persons from the illfater tug Reliance have been rescued by the tugs Gray and Favorite, according to a meagre wireless dispatch received here this afternoon from the

Gray's wireless. Search for them is being continued. Those rescued in-clude Captain D. A. Williams, master of the Reliance, and Captain John McPherson of the Booth Fisheries A passenger on the craft is still missing. The message mentioned no

other names.

Hope of finding any of the missing persons alive virtually was aban-doned here earlier in the day when the Gray reported the finding of two battered lifeboats from the Reliance. It is now assumed the boats were washed away from the island after the marooned men had landed.

The hardships suffered by the band diving their structures are not considered.

during their five-day imprisonment will, it is believed here, become new history of the lakes. When they left the sinking tug none of the men had food, fuel or firearms. The isle on which they landed is practically bar-ren and uninhabited. It is believed that there are a few huts, however, left by Indians and trappers in past

It will probably be late tomorrow United States mint here yesterday, before the tugs can return to this obtained \$200,000 in currency and esport with the rescued because of the ice in Lake Superior. Physicians ice in Lake Superior. Physicians and medical supplies, together with food and fuel, were taken aboard the tugs before they started to fight their way through the ice floes to the

The wrecking of the Reliance which occurred off the Lizard Islands, was the result of a gamble with fate on the part of those aboard the tug.

BOATS FIND DIFFICULTY NAVIGATING IN ICE

Ottawa, Dec. 19 .- Ice conditions on ing to report reaching the departthough with a temperature of 24 demorning, there is difficulty every-where in keeping boats moving.

FOR MURDERS NEAR SOO

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 19.— Kali Maki and Urpo Ojetan of Mile charged with a breach of the U. T. A., had her plea for a week's remand on her own bail granted by Dr. Patterson in the women's court today.

Edith Ward was sentenced for an indeterminate sentence of not less than three months and not more than eighteen months at the women's farm for maliciously damaging property of a downtown departmental store.

All Sne caused about 1.12 this particular day.

"What did you do it for?" asked the bench. "I drank some beef, iron and wine, and it went to my head," two fish trappers, have been arrested by P. C. Tom Fraser on the charge of murder of two of their crown, "this is the third time I know of that she has appeared for this offence and each time she has given the same excuse."

"Yes we'll have to send her to the caused about 1.22 this particular day.

Kali Maki and Urpo Ojetan of Mile 68 on the Algoma Central Railway, two fish trappers, have been arrest-ed by P. C. Tom Fraser on the charge of murder of two of their countrymen, Victor Joki and Hannes Niemi, who were found last August in a lake 35 miles back from the railway near the Montreal River, weighted down with boulders. The two murder suspects are being held store.

According to evidence she knocked a marble bust, valued at \$250, off its pedestal, damaging it to the extent of \$80. Not being satisfied with this, it was stated, she knocked the ped-

EVIDENCE AT TRIAL

Men Who Heard Duval Confess, Tell Story at Garneau Probe.

45 TO BE CALLED YET

Armand Lavergne, Acting For Editor Roberts, Had Big List of Witnesses.

Quebec, Dec. 19 .- (By Canadian Press.)-Three men to whom Henri parture. Duval, alias Casaubon, who on several occasions is alleged to have stated that he was present at the murder of Blanche Garneau, but later repudiated his "confessions," was alleged to have said that he was the actual murderer, were heard before the royal commission. None could recall hearing Duval say he had in connection with the betrothal, Mr. Elman looked embarrassed, then killed the girl.

William Valade, "special agent," who had been working on the case had told the commission, which is in-Washington, Dec. 19.-C. A. Mag- vestigating all the circumstances sur-

Duval had told all three witnesses that he was in "serious trouble," that he was there when the crime was committeed, and that he had covered the body with a white sheet, but to ne did he admit doing the deed him-Hector Valade, Joseph Valade's

present at the murder, and Mrs. Valade, wife of Joseph Valade, told the commission that Duval had stated to her that he would talk and denounce the real guilty ones when he

was 'on the scaffold.'

Regrets Vulgar Remark.

Aime Dion, a Quebec lawyer, had referred to the commissioners as "gentlemen who, through old age and infirmities, had been unable to continue in their duties in the general's department, had character ized his remarks as "the most vulgar expression ever heard in a court of the other lawyers who are appearing for different interested parties, pre sented a statement to the commis sion in which they expressed their regret for the incident, and als respect for the two eminent judges

on the bench The inquiry may still last for another couple of weeks. Mr. Lavergne has submitted a list of 45 witnesses he wishes to call, and the attorne

BALDWIN PREPARES

Little Band From Wrecked British Chancellor of Exchequer Has Audience With King George.

ingham Palace today prior to sailing for New York on board the S. S. and apparently without food, 23 of Majestic on Dec. 22. The chancellor will be accompanied on his mission, which relates to the British debt to the United States, by his wife and

There is no diminution of interest here in the possibility of the United States taking a more active part in European economic affairs, and the The fate of the remaining four coincidence of Chancellor Baldwin missing persons was not revealed in and United States Ambassador the cryptic dispatch fleshed by the Gray's wireless. Search for them is same time, but today the British press asserts that speculation as to United States participation in the reparations and the possibility of a loan to Germany has traveled very far in advance of the facts.

REPORT 7 BANDITS

Latest News From Denver Increases Number of Robbing Party.

Special to the Advertiser. Denver, Col., Dec. 19 .- Seven bandits, in a daring raid on a Federal Reserve Bank auto in front of the United States mint here yesterday,

In an exchange of shots between guards and the bandit gang one o'clock last night. Ken Murray of Inguard of the bank car and the driver

were seriously wounded. The bandits drew up in front of the car to stop. The others, covering smashed. the driver and guards with shotguns

transferred the money to their own Guards at the mint, armed with ifles and shotguns, opened fire on the bandit machine. The fire turned, one of the guards and the chauffeur of the bank car being

mint shot at the robbers from win-dows and doors, the hail of bullets from the raiders guns peppered the front of the mint and broke nearly every window on one side of the building. Scores of pedestrians and watched the highwaymen as they motorists, attracted by the shooting, leaped in their car and sped away.

PORTS ON BLACK SEA START TO SHIP GRAIN

Moscow, Dec. 19.—Dispatches from Black Sea ports indicate that exten-sive preparations for the exportation of grain are in progress, and the port activity is said to be approach-

HEAR SENSATIONAL Elman Hunts the World To Wed His "One Woman"

Has Broken His Engagement—"When You Are Married You Have To Become a Philosopher," He Explains to The Advertiser—Takes Marriage Seriously.

Mischa Elman, acclaimed by some as of any in the world. It is a Stradithe world's greatest violinist, second varius, and he would not sell it for in technique only to the famous Paganini of a past century, was greeted by an enthusiastic London yesterday, and famous "Messiah," also a Stradi music lovers of the city today are breathing a sigh of regret at his de-

Smiling and dapper, running his to have won the hand of a beautiful fingers temperamentally over the arm of the hotel chair, the famous musician chatted interestingly to The Advertiser on everything from music to Bolshevism. Mr. Elman was recently reported New York girl, Mildred Stone. They were to be married this month. Asked

miled and said: "It's true. Miss Stone and I were engaged and expected to marry this But—well, we agreed to dis-The contract is all off. We could not come to an understanding

Mr. Elman sighed, then continued:
"Let me say that Miss Stone is a charming, lovable young girl. She is superb. But you know how these things will happen?" "Is it not true that musicians, poets

to break off the engagement.



MISCHA ELMAN who explains his views of love, mar riage and art in the accompanying interview with an Advertiser re

porter.

and philosophers should marry in or-When you are married you have greatest boons. become a philosopher." he replied

with a smile. Questioned as to the truth of an "However." he went on, "it depends editorial recently printed in a Defind a girl who is exactly suited to your temperament, who believes in you and gives you inspiration, by

Alcohol Not Essential.

stars in the world of music are mar-be detrimental, but it is probably ried. Practically all are. But I take better to leave the "flowing bowl" marriage more seriously than most alon London, Dec. 19.—Stanley Baldwin, hancellor of the archeguer had chancellor of the exchequer, had a long audience with the king at Buckbetween myself and former fiance in their minds as the ne plus ultra was most unfortunate, but it could of artistic appearance. not be helped."

California. They take it frivolously. And when they find themselves illsuited, they try again. Eventually they find the right mate, perhaps, but it's a poor system."

His Priceless Violin. Mr. Elman's violin is said to be the great musician most expensive, with one exception, entire nature.

FORMER LONDON MAN PASSES IN KINDE, MICH.

Kinde, Mich., Dec. 19 .- George Norton passed away at his residence in Kinde, Mich., in his 78th year. He was born on Brick street, Westminster township, where he resided until 1900, when he moved to Michigan, where he had since lived. He is survived by his widow and four children, Gordon C. of Kinde, Mrs. M. Kelly, Roscoe and Frank of Detroit, and four brothers, William, John, Nathen and Allen, one sister, Miss Norton, all of Brick street, Lon-

Interment took place in Bad Axe Cemetery Tuesday, Dec. 12. FORMER LONDONER HURT

AS CAR GOES INTO DITCH Woodstock, Ont., Dec. 18.-As a result of an automobile accident which oc-curred a mile east of here about 7 gersoll, formerly of London, is in the Woodstock hospital, suffering from shock and a severe cut across his face. His daughter was driving the car, the mint in a closed car just as the and with the approach of another car bank auto, which had been loaded something went wrong and the Murray with currency, started away. One of car shot into the ditch. Three other occupants escaped. The car was badly

SARAH BERNHARDT FAINTS WHILE REHEARSING PLAY the clerk, in which the city council was informed that the city must bear

The bandits stood on the curb and did down a veritable barrage on the which was to have been produced tonight with Bernhardt in one of the which was to have been produced tonight with Bernhardt in one of the tonight with Bernhardt in one of the principal parts. By reason of her incharge of the investigation, asked disposition the production was post-

millions, although its reputed worth varius, which is not purchasable. Mr. Elman's ten fingers are insured for \$400,000, nearly \$50,000 each. "And they are worth much more than their insurance to me," he said.

The ancient adage that artists are born and not made, was substantiated by Mr. Elman. You cannot deinherited. I advise all embryo musicians never to expect great achieve-ment unless they know for a certainty that they have been especially endowed with a genius for music. The secret of great playing is a combina-tion of three things: simplicity, sincerity and proper expression of emotion. Of course, the response which one receives from one's audience is in him. Denied their support he

comes timid and loses confidence. Are Music Lovers. Canadians are great music lovers. Mr. Elman claimed. Canadians and Americans become enthusiastic over

Speaking of the late Enrico Caruso he said that there will probably never be another to fill the space made vacant by his death. Edward Johnston, the Canadian tenor at the Chicago Opera Company, is good, but not comparable to the dead "night-

Mr. Elman immigrated to America at the age of 19. He is a native of Russia, and is naturally keenly in-terested in conditions in that counry today. While unwilling to admit that he is an advocate of Bolshevism, he declared that "We in America could not intelligently understand the true conditions of the land of Lenine. When an atrocity is committed. or a blunder made by the Trotsky government, it is broadcasted in heavy type throughout America. But we ear nothing of the manifestly laud. able characteristics of Bolshevik

Bolshevism Will Benefit. The unprejudiced man can neither condemn nor eulogize Russia, because what he hears in the newspapers is anti-Russian propaganda All revolutions have been for the good of humanity, and although Bolshevism is not acceptable in its present form, in the long run it is cernain to benefit the world.

New ideas have been germinated, given. Every witness, without ex-

shall commence to understand that there is much good in Bolshevism. Today only the bad points are adver-tised. But tomorrow the good will der to give full expression to their be recognized, and the revolution will art?" asked The Advertiser. known as one of humanity's out a jury. The preliminary hearing of the charge of murder against Mrs. Mr. Elman never drinks or smokes. Questioned as to the truth of

ut in motion, and as time passes we

all means marry her."

Takes Marriage Seriously.

Asked why he remained a bachelot the noted violinist replied: "It's a fact that most eminent musicians and to art. Moderate drinking may not the detrimental but it to probably.

"Why not try out marriage for a five feet. With features coarse rather than fine, and possessed of an extramely storic barely over tremely scant supply of hair Mr compatible you can procure a divorce," the interviewer suggested.
"Ump! That's what they do in an internationally-famous musician an internationally-famous musician. Long, flexible fingers, said to be a prime requisite of artistic accomplishment, are Elman's hand. He is essentially incomplete the earmark of the earmark of plishment, are not apparent on Mr. Elman's hand. He is essentially

WINDSOR UNION DISCARDS OFFICER

centricity said to be the earmark of

great musicians being foreign to his

A. E. Hooper, President of Trades Council, Dropped From Organized Labor.

Hooper, former alderman, has been dropped from organized labor in the border municipalities. According to an officer of the machinists' union, Hooper no longer is in "good stand-ing" in the machinists' local. This eans that he cannot remain in office as president of the Trades and Labor Council. His successor will be Thos

haw, vice-president Hooper was one of the labor canditions for the city council. He finished in the thirteenth position. For the first time in the history of Windsor City Council, the last regular meeting of the year held tonight adjourned without the usual love feast. Even Ald. F. L. Howell, dean of the council, whose privilege it has been during the last ten years to open discussion of the virtu both opponents and friends, allowed the adjournment motion to pass

without question. Attorney-General Raney's letter to the cost of the proposed probe of Paris, Dec. 19.-Sarah Bernhardt the police department and adminishad a fainting attack at the close of tration of criminal justice by a royal the last rehearsal of Sacha Guitry's commission was not even commented

for authority to travel to Toronto to

Youthful Detroit Thugs Rob Woman of All Money Kept in Coal Office

Special to The Advertiser. | across her mouth. A pocketbook Detroit, Mich., Dec. 19. — "I'd like vielded the thugs \$800, and a safe some hard coal," said a visitor in the save up \$200.

Mrs. Osmulski twisted way the coal office of Alfred Osmulski, 3040 gag over her lips when one of the men began to tug at two diamond my order for it," he added, wheeling trom a corner store where he had worth \$2400. from a corner stove where he had worth \$400. "You needn't tear them been warming his hands, and thrust- off, I'll take them off for you," she ing pre-war preparations. At Novorossisk the iron works are preparing fourteen ships for use in carrying grain, and at Odessa the restoration of elevators which have been idle for several years is being rushed.

been warming his hands, and thrusting a pistol into the face of Mrs. Osmulski, wife of the proprietor. A companion joined him. One struck the woman with the butt of a gun and the other pushed her to the for several years is being rushed.

been warming his hands, and thrusting on, in the them off for you, she ing a pistol into the face of Mrs. Said. Neither thug was more than coal-carrying roads in the United States needs. He expresses said. Neither thug was more than coal-carrying roads in the United States are taking of the woman with the butt of a gun and the other pushed her to the for several years is being rushed.

SIFT SHOOTING OF C. P. R. ENGINEER

Witnesses Testify That Mrs. Connaughton Admitted Crime.

VERDICT IS WITHHELD

Woman Will Receive Preliminary Hearing On Charge

of Murder.

Chanleau, Dec. 19.—(By Canadian Press.)-Coroner Brodie of Sudbury tonight conducted an inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of John McKee, C. P. R. engineer and prominent citizen of this town, who was shot on Saturday night in her own home and for which crime his neighbor, Mrs. Connaughton, equally prominent in Chapleau, is now held in Sudbury jail.

Three witnesses tonight testified as to Mrs. Connaughton's admission that she had committed the crime. Two witnesses credited Mrs. Connaugh-ton with the statement made after the shooting, that "He had ruined one home and would not ruin another," while two witnesses credited Mrs. Connaughton with the statement that Mrs. Gibson was in the McKee home when she (Mrs. Connaughton) crossed the street from her own home rapped on the back door of the Mc-Kee home and when McKee re sponded, shot him dead.

The inquest was held in the auditorium of the town half, and was attended by over 200 prominent townsmen and quite a sprinkling of

After Mrs. Gibson's brought into the affair by the first witness, Mrs. Downey, to home Mrs. Connaughton after the shooting a constable was dispatched to summons her to the

hearing. Withhold Verdict. Mrs. Gibson, a petite little French Canadian woman of about 24 years of age, responded promptly, gave evidence clearly and without emotion. She denied the accusation and said she did not have more than ? passing acquaintanceship with the deceased, and but a very brief ac-

quaintanceship with the accused wo-

man, whom she had met only once or

twice during her two years' residence

in Chapleau. There was not slightest foundation, she said, for the suspicion of misconduct between he Mrs. Gibson was smartly dressed and wore a heavy veil. She entered the courtroom with her husband, who is a C. P. R. employee, and left new legislative practices have been ception, gave deceased and accused the very best character and in suc cession testified to the high esteen munity. Coroner Brodie did not render a

without delay in Sudbury. M. A. THOMAS SPEAKS TO TORONTO CLUB

verdict, the inquest being held with

Connaughton will be brought

Former French Minister Appears in Interest of League

of Nations. Toronto. Dec. 19. - M. Alber Thomas, the former French minister He is extremely short, barely over of munitions, who has come to Canada in the course of his world tour in behalf of the international labor department of the League of Nations delighted the Canadian Club a luncheon vesterday with a graceful and felicitous speech on "Interna

He is the very picture of vigor and joviality, a man in the prime of life, with clear, sparkling eyes, ruddy and chubby cheeks, a touzled mane of coal-black hair, a beard that is broad and shaggy and curls up at the end with the most engaging informality He positively radiates internal and external peace and optimism. does not need to speak. He needs

only to appear to promote interna tional goodwill. He did speak, however, in English that was clear and forcible, rendered piquant by occasional gallicisms. He began very simply. "I will tell you, he said, "why I came to Canada. came as director of the League of Nations' international labor off What is the international labor fice? It is an integral part of the Windsor, Dec. 19. — Archibald E. Dewer over the international relations of capital and labor and competing countries. Canada belongs to ou organization, and I, as an interna tional officer, am as much Canadian as French. One of our most com petent members is a Canadian, Dr. Riddell, who is in charge of questions

affecting agriculture." NDIANS' DUTCH APPEAL CAUSES LITTLE SURPRISE

Brantford, Dec. 19.-Major Gordon, Smith local Indian superintendent, stated this morning that the New York dispatch was the first in-timation received locally that the Indians of the Brant reserve had laid their case before the Dutch government.

He did not think that they would gain by the move, as the Six Nations was not recognized as a nation Locally the move was not unexpected since, as soon as the mountie left the reserve—police, not soldiers, as contended—Deskaheh left for Syracuse with David S. Hill, secretary of the council of chiefs, to consult George P. Decker, the adviser of the Six Nations, who was denounced by Hon. Charles Stewart on

DOES NOT EXPECT BAN ON COAL FOR CANADA

Washington, Dec. 19 .- (Canadian Press)—Further renewal of the movement for a coal embargo against Canada as embodied in the resolution of Representative Brennan of Michigan is not likely to result in an em-bargo being declared, according to the best information here. The atti-tude of the fuel distributor from the beginning has been that Canada would have the same treatment as the United States in respect to the delivery of fuel. Mr. Brennan complains that Canada is being favored and is getting hard coal which the United States needs. He expresses

of the past year that the press and the city council had been on the best of terms throughout the year.

Suburban Roads,

iation grant.

(f) London West boundary matter.

(g) Applications for applications as

Improve Drake Boulevard.

Drake boulevard will be one of the best thoroughfares in the city in due

was the query from Ald. Holmes.
"Why certainly, there are three

assistant in the audit office.

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work and the various branches of TORONTO'S TREASURER educational training that is being carried on by the institution on behalf of the boys and young men.

REPORTS GOOD SURPLUS

Toronto, Dec. 18.—The city treasurer reported to the final meeting of the 1922 council yesterday afternoon that to the end of November the current expenditure of the city amounted to \$25,253,067 out of an appropriation of \$29,357,678, balance on hand being

CITY COUNCILLORS

Aldermen Bid "Good-Bye and Good Luck" To One Another.

WOULD REDUCE BUS FEES

Police Commission Will Asked To Meet the Operators.

It was "good-by and good luck" for the majority of the members of the city council in regular session last night the closing meeting of 1922. With Mayor Wilson leading the proverbial "pipe of peace" was handed around, all participating. The Christmas spirit was in the air, and all the councillors had a good word

Appropriate replies were forthcoming from the press. Ald. F. R. Watkinson moved an adjournment, and 1922 was terminated to all intents for everyone, even their successor, and the press representatives. In all seriousness, however, the routine business of the evening was transacted with such promptitude and dispatch as has featured city council procedure throughout the year, and every effort was expended in order that no issue should be re-ferred until 1923 unless such was

and purposes.

Mayor-Elect George Wenige and Aldermen-Elect William A. Wilson and P. J. Watt were in atendance, and voiced their opinions upon the inneture upon salary question at one juncture upon the earnest invitation of Ald. Cunutterly unavoidable. After a brief discussion, ningham. The new administrators suggested that this issue be referred until 1923, with a recommendation. solved, at the instigation of Aldermen L. S. Holmes, Judd, Drake and Doug-lass, that the police commissioners meet the bus operators before the end of the year, and that a special session of the commission be called The new city councillors will be asked to deal with a bill of \$74,118.20 for the London provincial suburban for that purpose. A \$5 fee per seat was suggested in lieu of the \$10 fee roads.

This interesting request for payment bobbed up again last night and was promptly passed on to 1923.
"They'll pass it on to '24," prom-

as recently passed.

This move met with the approval of the councilors, Mayor Wilson also "They'll pass it on to '24," promised Ald. John Ashton.
"We will if we can," retorted Ald. giving assurance that a session would be set in due course, when a definite settlement would undoubtedly be arranged.

Contrary to expectations, the salary

Judd.
The following matters were also referred to the council of 1923:

(a) Juvenile court.

(b) Dundas street ornamental question, with the lone exception of the garbage workers situation, was passed on to 1923, with the recom-mendation that certain revisions be lighting.

(c) General street lighting system.

(d) Registry office.

(e) Northern Ontario Fire Assofavorably considered.

Andrew Dale, one of the two city auditors retiring at the end of the year after municipal service that dates back to 1884, was granted one year's salary as superannuation, with the recommendation that the 1923 council further remunerate him for his "long and faithful service," in accordance with the provisions of the municipal act.

course, city authorities predict. While this is a brand new street, improve-ments are being undertaken already Council Kept Promise. Without comment the recommendaand the city council has authorized the construction of sanitary sewer the garbage workers' wages be ele-vated to \$25 was confirmed. With the general business disposed "Where is this Drake boulevard?"
questioned Mayor Wilson last night.
"Over near the breakwater," explained Ald. Douglass.
"Does anyone live on the street?" of, Mayor Wilson dealt at consider length upon the activities of

able length upon the activities of 1922, specifying certain accomplishments of the city council.

"Now that the smoke of battle has cleared away and many things have been settled, I would like to touch briefly upon the achievements of the past year," he said. "I honestly beleve that when the people reflect the will realize that many good things were done by the council 1922, and I still maintain that no member of this body has any reason to be ashamed

of our record.
"We only uttered one promise durhe only littered one promise dur-ing the campaign and that has been kept. We lowered the tax rate, and despite all that has been said, I claim that there were hundreds of citizens who paid less in 1922 than

time—the period of transition, follow-ing a period of heavy spending. We had a certain duty to perform, cut expenditures to the minimum, and I contend that we have done this." His worship touched upon the in-auguration early in the year of the civic commission and trusted that body would not be abolished. This board representing every spend-ing body will prove of invaluable service in the years to come, he pre-

Touch on Transportation. "The commission form of govern-ment is absolutely impossible." he said. "We considered this question fully. Its introduction would be impossible without the consent of the poard of education and the public atilities commission, irrespective of the fact that it would be imperative

to amend the act.
"Probably the most important question considered during the year was transportation, and we have satis-factorily dealt with it as far as was possible for us. But just as sure as you and I are here tonight, this problem will never be solved until the city assumes control of the line. The Bunnell report must and will be ac-cepted, and the time will surely come when the road is taken over under the recommendations of that report. Then, and only then, perhaps the council of 1922 will receive its due

Provide for Unemployment.
"There is one thing that the council of 1923 should be grateful to us for, and that is that we have made provision to the extent of \$90,000 for nemployment work in the city for the coming winter."

During his remarks Mayor Wilson

lauded the members of his council and the city officials and their staffs. "We have," he asserted decisively, "as competent and efficient officials in London as in any city the size in in London as in any city the size in Canada, and a great deal better than in many of the larger communities.

"Take Building Inspector Piper. I do not think, for example, that any other architect could have prepared better plans for the new registry office than he has done. He has saved the city from \$1,000 to \$1,500 alone in this one instance, undertaking the task chiefly at night.

"After 38 years with the city

"After 38 years with the city Treasurer Bell could step out at this moment, I feel confident, and secure a similar position at double his present salary. There is incidentally no better engineer in the country than H. A. Brazier, and he has saved the

city thousants of dollars since he assumed office.

"I have the greatest confidence in all our officials and their aides, and they are not receiving one cent too

Bears Kindly Feeling To All.
"I am proud of the things that
have been accomplished by the 1922
council, and I am not ashamed of what we have done. I go out of office bearing the kindest feeling toward them all and toward the civic em-ployees. I welcome the incoming council, and wish them every sucbehalf of the council Ald. A.

M. Judd, seconded by Ald. O. I. Cunningham, extended a vote of appreciation for his worship.

"Mayor Wilson came in at a difficult period," stated Ald. Judd, "and he was certainly up against it in his fight for retrenchment and economy. Anything that has been accomplished

Anything that has been accomplished has been due to his spirit and energy. I congratulate him."

"It has been a pleasant, harmonious year," Ald. Cunningham declared.
"I have served in the city council under four different mayors, and I will say that none of them presided.

already," asserted Ald. Drake, on the WINTER TIGHTENS GRAP "Yes, Ald. Drake and his two ncles," interjected Ald. Ashton.

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may not have kept all his friends, but if that is the case it was because of his honesty and fearlessness. He was never afraid to speak out."

Ald. H. J. Childs, retiring chairman of the finance committee, expressed his appreciation for the nearty co-operation shown him by every member of the council. "I go out feeling that they gave me their hearty support," he said. "Like the mayor. I have done nothing to be ashamed of, and even now I would not change my opinion." ON ST. LAWRENCE RIVER
Montreal, Dec. 19.—The River St. tional for this time of year. ashamed of, and even now I would not change my opinion."

"In a few brief remarks all members of the council expressed their appreciation of the attitude of Mayor Wilson throughout the year, wishing him every success on the occasion of his official retirement from office and return to private life.

Those who delivered addresses were John Ashton, L. S. Holmes, F. R. Watkinson, Gordon Drake, S. J. T. Bean, B. F. Brighton, Leonard Douglass and O. I. Cunningham.

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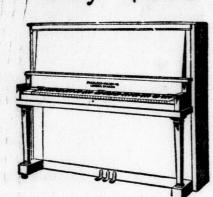
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DELIGHTS AT GRAND

Local Artists Win Approval of Patrons in Vaudeville Offerings.

The program presented at the Grand Theatre last night was a varied one as well as one of meritorious entertainment. For novelty, the Vagges, in a clever act, were good. They are announced as a "singing, dancing, musical and bag-punching" act. Especially in the latter do they

Conroy and the Noel Sisters, 'the singing and dancing trio," display much versatility in dancing. Their numbers were well received. Jack Geraud, presenting his big laughing impersonation of Charlie Chaplin. was good at mimicry and clever with his feet.

"Hav" Nash a local cartoonist, in "Faces you all know," took the house by storm with his caricatures, particularly his drawings of Jiggs and Maggie. He was assisted by Santa Claus in his cartoons of the slegans of London business firms. Particularly popular with the younger patrons was the novel Christmas fantasy, when Santa Claus arrived on the stage in an up-to-date auto-his sleigh having presumably broken down under the great weight of toys. Both the latter acts were presented

Few pictures that have come to the screen in recent months have had more interesting and convincing color than "Room and Board," starring Constance Binney, which was the feature film at last night's per-

This picture is a story of Irish life, Miss Binney having the role of an impoverished noblewoman, and the scenes, whether in the heroine's ancestral castle or in the quaint Irish village, are charming and un-usual even for this day of elaborate and expensive film settings. The Irish village, especially, is a real masterpiece of picture production.

The plot concerns the efforts of the orphaned Lady Noreen to save her home from creditors by leasing it to a wealthy American and posing as one of the servants herself, telling

her tenant that the Lady Noreen is traveling in France. Like most inexperienced prevari-cators, Lady Noreen is rather clumsy at the job, and neglects to cover her trail of innocent fibs as well as she should have. The result is that her paying guest early sees through her camouflage, and lets her go on with

her amiable pretence. He enjoys it, until his fiancee and other friends come to visit him for a few days. Then he wakes up to the fact that he loves the Lady Noreen,, and deeply resents having her wait upon his friends, especially the very up-stage young woman that for some reason or other he had once got him-

self engaged to.
Constance Binney as the dauntless fun-loving poor but always human Lady Noreen is a delightful heroine, and Tom Carrigan makes a satisfactory hero. The rest of the cast is well chosen, and the numerous extras employed to add life and color to the village scenes are carefully selected and costumed, so that the atmosphere

of the picture is as nearly perfect as could possibly be achieved. The Pathe review and a Charlie Chaplin comedy, "Pay Day," completes the program, which will be repeated three times today and on Wednesday.

GERMANS JUBILANT AS MARK'S VALUE RISES

Berlin, Dec. 18 .- In the midst of their Christmas shopping German consumers of all classes were jubilant today at the unprecedented drop in the dollar represented by mark exchange, falling from 8,300 to 5,600 to the dollar in the course of five days. This rise in the mark has already produced a drop of from 10 to 25 per cent in wholesale market prices. The retailers are reluctant to make reductions because they are stocked up with goods bought when

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SUCCUMBS IN MICHIGAN and who later engaged ROOM AND BOARD" | Love Cult Chief Offered Wife \$10 To Read Book

Mazie Mitchell Ryerson Decides To Tell Story of Her Life After Divorce Is Obtained—Experiences Began When Attempt Was Made To Kidnap Her in London.

Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, Dec. 19.—Albert W. Ryerson's whole life was wrapped up in a
mystic, oriental cult, which was officially named the "Order of the Her husband told her of meetings

of the man in Detroit who composed Special to The Advertiser. ficially named the "Order of the Temple of the Orient," according to Mazie Mitchell Ryerson, his 18-year-old wife, who is suing him for divorce.

Ryerson, 51 years old, alleged head of Oriental Secret Order of the O.T. O., lived with her 29 days, and is charged with extreme cruelty in her bill of divorce. "Shortly after we were married," the young wife said today, "Mr. Ryerson offered me \$10 if I would read a small book which

household, Mrs. Ryerson said. Ryer-

today, "Mr. Ryerson offered me \$10 if I would read a small book which he submitted to me. That book, I have since learned, was a sort of a key to the rituals described in the Equinox, the book that is said to have caused the bankruptcy of the bookshop with which my husband was connected."

Aleister Crowley, of New York and Boston, and now said to be in Italy, who figured in the abortive O.T.O. investigations last year, was very often mentioned in the Ryerson will make public the story of her varied existence, she said. Her experiences, which have culminated with the chief exponent of the weirdest, most mysterious association ever known in Detroit, began when she was three years old, a time when an agreement was made to kidnap her in London. Since that time her life has been externely eventful, she said, and several writers have offered to correlate the story and prepare it for publication.

South American Institute Reports Finding of World's Biggest Dinosaur

Buenos Aires, Dec. 19.—Discovery of the thighbones of a Patagonian dinosaur, each bone measuring 2 metres 70 centimetres (nearly 9 feet) in length, and claimed to be the largest unearthed in any part of the world, was announced today by La Plata Museum. These two bones, together with other fossil remains of

EX-BATTALION MEMBERS TO HOLD GUELPH REUNION

Special to The Advertiser. Guelph, Dec. 19.-The ex-members of the 29th and 35th overseas batteries will hold a combined reunion in Guleph on Saturday, January 20, and the affair promises to be one of the largest reunions ever held by the two units. Capt. Andy Anderson. president of the association, is busy making arrangements for the annual gathering, which will take place in the local armories. Over 150 exmembers of the batteries are expected to attend from outside points, a large percentage of this number coming from London, Ont., where the 29th battery was in training for sev-



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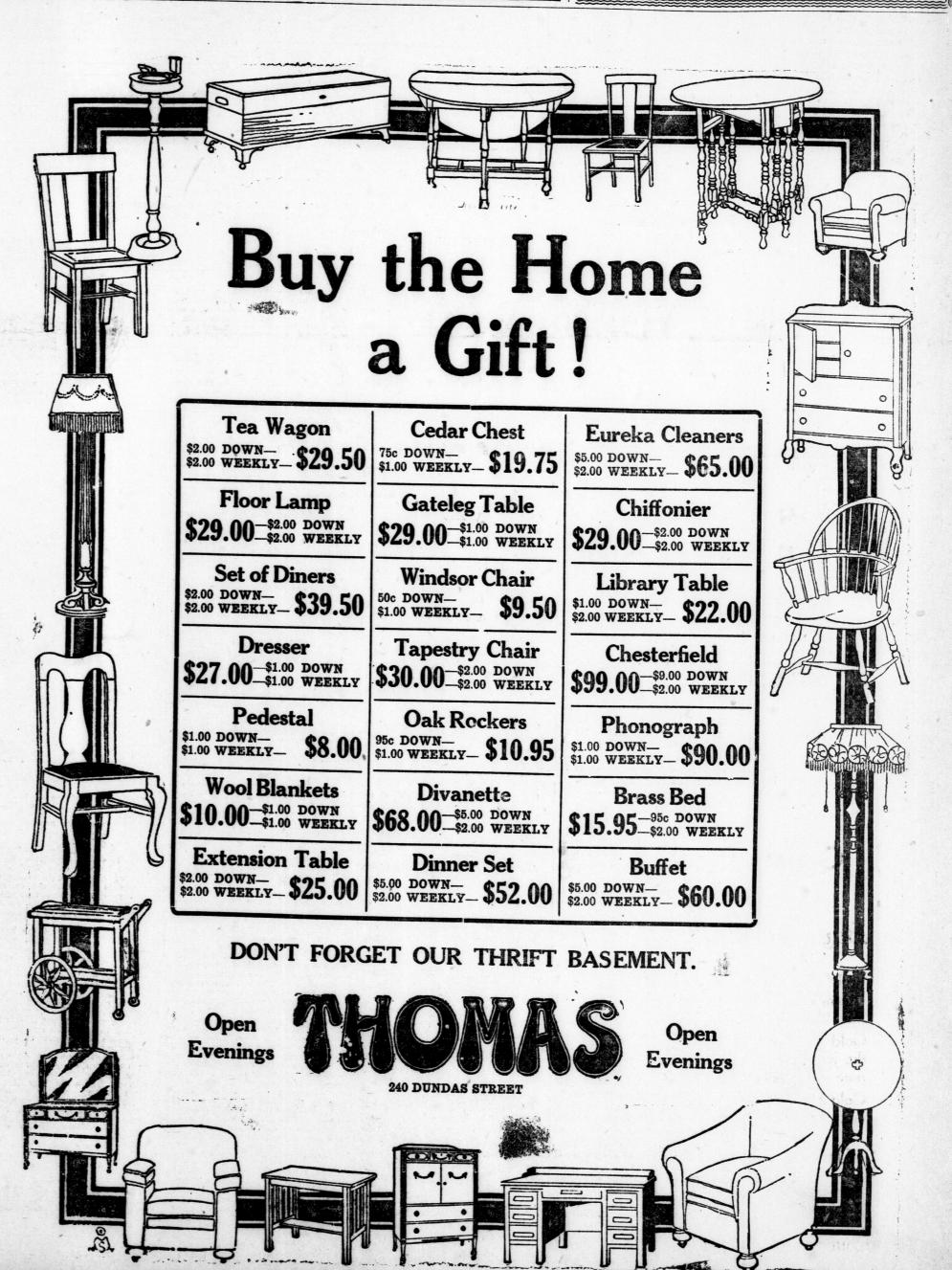
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Canada Looking Elsewhere.

When a landslide took place toward the Democrats in the recent age this action in future. polling in United States, the wise The third clause deals with the charges on the necks of the house-

a crumb-gathering expedition.

the tariff wall.

being done. jost on United States. The financi- tion, though, that forbids Premier ers and businessmen there have Drury reaching out to secure assistseen Canadian purchases dropping ance from those "who thinks as he places to take up the slack. Con- is implied in the resolution, but it sumers have watched prices increas- is not stated in bold, emphatic terms, ing in lines they had to purchase, and it would be contrary to the temand they have been able to trace the per of the convention if it had been. date of the increases with sufficient It looks as though the real idea of the tariff on the day the increases in rison was to go ahead with the Farprotection became operative.

in ever passing the Fordney-Mc- tive way at Toronto. Cumber tariff. "For many years Canada has been a first-class customer of the United States," says the World. "But when this country able conditions for trading with foreign producers."

The New York paper points to the Britain, and a large class of Can- Before the week-end the tax colwhile the bargain is being carried out, to look on and regret the opportrade that it has deliberately renounced.

The World finds reason in the situation to put this poser to Washington:

"Incidentally, the Canadian government, now awakened to the advantages of a policy of reciprocity with the United States, makes over-Washington and is bluntly and left on the street. rebuffed. And still as a nation we talk incessantly about the urgent

Washington, welcomed the oppor- ing starts. tunity of having the produce of Canadian farms shut out of their vincial, must have the help and comarkets. In order to secure this operation of every citizen to stop imaginary boon they were forced to this kind of business. Let the thugs make concessions to manufacturers know that if there's any shooting to and other interests, with the result be done the officers of the law will that by the time the whole thing was be around to do their full share. framed up, approved and put into We certainly cannot expect them to operation U. S. farmers had been pose as official targets for thugs. handed the finest lemon that had ever been plucked from a political hothouse.

That Sangster Resolution.

Now that it is possible to view the U. F. O. gathering at Toronto in the no, sir, for this series does not speak light of something that has passed, in terms of hammer and nails, but that famous Sangster resolution will rather of the social side of life. stand a little reading and thought. Here it is:

"Whereas, the annual convention of the U. F. O., with its affiliated bodies, controls the policy of the association, and,

"Whereas, the question of policy in relation to the political activities of the organization has been a subanxiety within the association, and, mind now, do not say "Pleased to Whereas, it therefore seems desirable that this convention should declare itself on the question of orvanization for political action.

reaffirm its adherence to the policy of constituency autonomy; (3) that this convention is opposed to the transformation of the farmers' move-

ment into a new political party.' The second clause states a position strongly held by the Farmers' movement, viz., constituency autonomy. also says that both soup and celery a situation that some greenhorn By this principle each constituency should be eaten with the least pos- may arise and suggest handing the is a power and authority unto itself: it is not under the domination of any unemployment, and if these instruccentral body, nor does it have to tions are carried out restaurateurs answer to any central body, for the will find they can put a phonograph very good reason that no such or- over in the corner and do away with ganization exists for political pur- the six-piece orchestra. about such an idea, and it follows up telling men what to wear on variand lay his few tresses well to the quite closely the practice of other ous occasions. It makes no mention front.

elects its own officers, it collects its own membership dues, and runs its business generally. If there were an election in sight this body might be considered the proper one to call a nomination meeting to consider names. There might be a pretty

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names. There might be a pretty fair idea beforehand that certain names would be favored, but in the end all names submitted would be brought before the meeting and voted upon, and the meeting would decide the candidate. We believe that is not unlike the plan now followed in the U. F. O. gathering for similar purposes. There may have been times when Liberals higher up have tried to force candidates on various ridings, but these cases are very scarce, and the history of them has not been such as would encour-

ones said it was a national warning "transformation of the Farmers' to the tariff builders to stop heaping and of course objection is registered to any such move. There is a variety of opinion as to just what It had a big interest for Canada, was meant by that clause. Some of did this election. Just a few months the delegates themselves have stated ago Hon. W. S. Fielding had been in to The Advertiser that they would Washington. He went there just about welcome more light on this subject. as soon as he could decently do so They point out that the Farmers' after being elected. Had he rushed movement primarily is a business off sooner he would have laid him- proposition, quite distinct and apart self open to the charge that he was from the political activity. Some ingoing to Washington, hat in hand, on terpret it as putting up a fence against the possibility of a fusion Upon his return from Washington with any other party, but this can Mr. Fielding informed parliament, not be so, as there is a fusion now in a very diplomatic way, of course, with the Labor members. The inthat he could do nothing. In plain terpretation nearer the truth is English, the tariff door was shut probably that the convention was tight, and Washington was in the opposed to recognizing the launching hands of men who were busy turning of the Farmers as a definite political out new bricks to stick up on top of party, such as the Liberals or Conservatives. It is part of the Morri-What was Canada to do? Go son doctrine, which holds that more ahead and develop trade in other can be accomplished by working as directions. That is exactly what is a group, securing if possible a

balance of power. The whole situation has not been Is there anything in the resoluoff, with no increase from other thinks"? It may be held that such finality to lay them at the door of the meeting had been that J. J. Mormers' organization as a business The New York World believes proposition, while Mr. Drury was to United States made a serious error give expression to them in a legisla-

No One-Sided Shooting.

raises its tariff barriers higher than shooting, robbery and the work of gurgling sound when celery and soup ever Canada naturally in self-protecthe thug in general, Ontario had are being inhaled. And, do you tion looks elsewhere for more favor- better be prepared and act quickly.

Mount Forest was the object of at- one suit they possess. Reforming had the same situation: A, suit of Franco-Canadian treaty, and to the tack, and telephone wires leading people's a thankless job. one being negotiated with Belgium. out of the place were severed. In France gains by the admission of its that atmosphere of isolation a gen-

adian exports to France gets the lector at Burford, just between benefit of lower French rates. It is Brantford and Paris, was robbed. the privilege of the United States, Gunmen took away some \$1,800 tax of sizes too small. She'll appreciate money from him, and made their the compliment. escape. They were armed, and had tunities for extending its foreign he not produced the roll there would have been some shooting.

> Early Saturday morning a police officer at Thorold was shot down, three bullets in his body. He was on his rounds, and apparently interrupted some dirty work that was being done or about to take place. Without any warning he was riddled

The trouble is that we go along in need of a larger foreign trade, yet drive our customers to other mar-would-be thug a grand chance to get armed to the teeth for his win-That is stating the case fairly and ter's deviltry, that it is a mighty big bluntly. United States farmers, job to round these armed personages represented by a strong bloc at up when the open season for shoot-

The police, city, county or pro-

How To Behave.

of things on what to do and how to do them. Not in the ordinary way,

Just to illustrate. It says when a

girl is introduced to a man the word "meet" should never be used. So never again make use of that phrase, "Pleased to meet you." You are supposed to have at your tongue's end some easy topic of conversation, or, better still, something that brings there's not a speck of heat coming considerable discussion and up a matter of mutual interest. So from the furnace. meet you." but lead with something about the weather or that old-country slogan, "Good morning, have you "Now, therefore, be it resolved:
(1) That no change be made in the form of organization for political purposes: (2) that this convention to purposes: (2) that this convention to political purposes: (2) that this convention to political the purposes of the intelligent type, try something about the Near East to do something noisy. But they couldn't find one that would bang. situation. If she takes hold quick, change to something else, for she'll

soon have you over your depth. Another installment tells sible noise. This is going to cause

There is nothing radical Then several chapters are taken the part well toward the left ear, osely the practice of other ous occasions. It makes no mention front. Others adopt different For instance, there is a of a bit of fringe on trousers where methods, all with the idea of making Liberal organization in London; it they hit the heels; offers no cure for a fairly good showing on rather a

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Gratified ambition

TO THE EDITOR

THE JUVENILE COURT.

United States, however, goes to show that this is not the case, if only for the well-known fact that women are

notoriously harder on each other than

the opposite sex are. Anyway, the records of the United States courts

bear out the fact that men can at-

tend to these cases well, especially with the help of charitable women,

and there are many in this city who would be glad to help. Vice versa, it has been found that women judges cannot deal with the "tough kid" of

the male persuasion as well as a man. So much has been written about

famous juvenile court judges in the United States that I am perfectly

astonished to read that otherwise in-telligent people should assume that a man is fitted for the position simply

because he is upright, loves justice and is fond of children, or is a good regular magistrate. The whole his-

tory of the movement goes to prove

It may be said that half the aim

of the juvenile act was to

the actual accomplishments

the obstinate habit said trousers | scanty outlay. It's a deadly parallel have of looking like stovepipes with to the family on a \$2,000 income an elbow at the knee. Simply reels cutting a swath like a \$5,000 neighoff, "frock coat, striped trousers, tuxedo coat, trousers to match, business suit," and so on, all giving the impression of the atmosphere which given \$1,000 in a suit against a railsays, "James, I'll be back at 5. Have road. She was hit by an engine. At my bawth ready and clothes all the time of the hit she weighed 160,

But in spite of all this, many good thin woman will now be wondering souls will keep right on saying if she can't arrange to get just a "Pleased to meet you, Hank," and nice gentle little bunt from an If Ontario is in for a season of there may be a crunching and a know, a startlingly large number of Just a few days ago the town of best possible use they can of the

hitched up."

Note and Comment.

If you're going to give your lady friend shoes or gloves, go it a couple

One wise man is giving his wife a razor for Christmas, as he's found out that a razor that cuts corns is a deadly affair on whiskers."

They've got the adding machine now so that it will add correctly, so let's all turn in and make a typewriter that will spell correctly.

Our idea of returning to normal is getting more pay than we're worth and buying shoes for \$1.50 a pair and butter for a shilling a pound.

Toronto sent some of its worn-out street cars to Northern Ontario. London might have helped in this way, only we're still using them

Our idea of a real smart preacher is one who can call forth a few good roars from the Amen corner when he's making an appeal for

Some men who always look at us over the tops of their glasses give Now, here's a firm selling a series us the impression they are not looking through their specs so they won't wear them out.

> A small boy's idea of Santa Claus is a jolly, fat roll of red coming down the chimney. But a father visions him as a jolly fat roll of green going up in smoke.

Various seasonal greetings when a man gets home at night. Summer -John, that lawn hasn't been mowed for a week. Winter-John.

Talk about disarmament. There was a son and heir born to the grand duchy of Luxembourg, and naturally they wanted to fire off a cannon or do something noisy. But they couldn't find one that would bang.

Tory of the movement goes to prove the opposite.

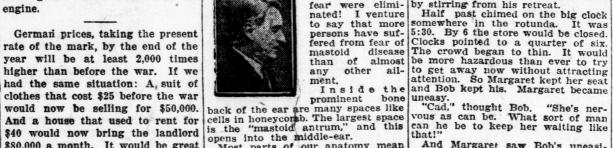
Something more than all these attributes is required, a capational mentality is required, a capability for psychological insight, and an insight into the origin and history of a delinquent tendency. In one word, a Christlike attitude of mind, which is a way of dealing with erring

United States Congress is in a bad way, for some person has unearthed the fact that it has cost less to take table manners and warns against the last census than was voted for breaking biscuits up in the soup. It the purpose. The danger is in such balance back.

> Did you ever sit in a gallery and see how men who have not very much hair try to make the best of it? Here's one chap who prefers

In Kansas City, a woman was By Royal S. Copeland, M.D., ommissioner of Health, New York City, U. S. Senator-Elect from

but now she goes it at 320. Many a FEAR is a common failing of the human race. Fear of death, fear



that atmosphere of isolation a general clean-up was no doubt planned. The marauders acted in a manner that spoke of deliberate planning.

Britain, and a large class of Canda at tariff rates and a large class of Canda at tariff rates wise old turkey that gets its estate all settled up before it goes into the crate for Christmas stuffing.

S40 would now bring the landlord spoke of our anatomy mean nothing to us so long as they act as short time. But how would you like that!"

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And Margaret saw Bob's uneasing the state all settled up before it goes into the crate for Christmas stuffing.

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It is this way with the mastoid cells. They are of small consequence in health, but these little cells are so ocated and so neighbored that when they become involved in disease the esult is serious and may even prove

How Troubl Dvlops. Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—It seems that two or three rival factions wish to boost different candidate for juvenile judge. The last word, of course, rests with the attorney-general, who, I should surmise, will have the wisdom to appoint a judge who does not represent any large occasional twinges of pain in one a judge who does not represent any particular faction and whose disinterestedness is beyond question.

Some time are I read in your pears light relief the trouble steadily in Some time ago I read in your paper slight relief, the trouble steadily in-

an article stating that various citizens were putting forward the name of Rev. Mr. Warner for the post. I understand that he has already had a great deal of experience in that kind of work in the Montreal jail, of which he was chaplein. Anyway it within the war chaplein anyway it. which he was chaplain. Anyway, it seems to me that he is a man whom no faction could object to, whereas I personally know many leading citi-zens who are very much conversed to

zens who are very much opposed to Mr. Graydon's appointment, as also to the other candidates mentioned.

Dr. Stevenson's advocacy of a but back of the ear as well. The woman judge is I believe the state of the ear as well. pain grows worse and the skin over the prominence back of the ear gets red. Gradually the tissues here bewoman judge is, I believe, inspired by the fact that the good doctor has always taken a great interest in the reclamation of wayward girls, and he thinks, and the Labor leaders think, that a woman could attend to girls better than a man. The history of many famous juvenile courts in the United States, however, goes to show

even delirium may result. You give every evidence of severe illness. This is "mastoiditis" or "mastoid

When the disease reaches this extreme point, operative measures are necessary. Why?

Between the mastoid antrum and the cavity of the skull is a layer of bone no thicker than half a dozen sheets of paper. It is really easier for pus in the mastoid cells of a grown person to bore through the bone into the brain than to escape outwardly into the soft tissues behind the ear.

erefore, to protect the brain, as well as to stop the pain, when the mastoid cells fill with pus an operation should be performed to permit them to drain.

The story of how the mastoid came involved teaches several important lessons. The first of these that you should lead such a hygienic life that colds can never trouble you.

Then, a common cold should not be regarded lightly. Give yourself such

Lastly, never neglect an earache. You need the early advice of your family doctor if your ear becomes involved. Fresh air, day and night, which is a way of dealing with erring children that had never been tried our skin kept active by frequent baths and daily exercise, simple food, plenty of sleep and proper clothing efore the juvenile courts were-made famous all over the world by Judge will keep you from colds. Lindsay, who was a genius with the particular mentality which I have If you escape the colds you are very unlikely ever to be troubled by mastoid disease, and, better than all een trying to describe, and which is most seldom in regular magi-

the rest, is the assurance that com-paratively few persons have it any-

and object of the juvenile act was to get rid of the regular magistrate, however capable with routine work that magistrate might be.

If we succeed in getting the right man for the place he will be worth his weight in gold. Hundreds of thousands of dollars will be saved to the country by saving the young from the crime factory of the reformatory, and we might even have another Judge Lindsay, who will make the city of London famous all over the continent. G. H. TROTT,

The Daily Story

WAITING FOR BOB. BY JANE OSBORN.

For the past six months Margaret Hope had avoided Blank's department store. When a shopping companion suggested Blank's, Margaret made an elaborate excuse. It was as important to hide the reason for her avoidance of Blank's as it was to avoid Blank's.

But now it seemed imperative that she should break her resolve. A rich aunt had sent her a half dozen pairs of gloves with the note inclosed: "I haven't the most remote idea what size you wear. If these aren't right take them back to Blank's and exchange them." The gloves were sevens and Margaret wore sixes.

There was no one to send to Blank's, so Margaret went herself. The rotunda at Blank's, where crowds of men and women daily sat to listen to mechanical music to rest, to while away the time or to meet friends, was the place that Margaret especially intended to avoid. And yet, having got as far as the glove counter, sheer perversity led her to that section. It seemed as if her feet carried her there with-

out her consent.

"I wonder whom he meets here now?" was what Margaret was saying to herself, and with the question tormenting her, she took a seat behind a large column in what seemed to be a hidden retreat.
"It was his idea to meet at Blank's—I suppose he always meets girls here—probably met them before he met rue and still meets them."

About twenty feet away from Mar-

About twenty feet away from Margaret's column sat a good-looking young man, a law student. His lec tures had just ended in the nearby law school, and he had been impelled

come into Blank's. And the law student, Bob Goodead, was saying to himself: der whom she meets now. Fool place to make a man come—a department store. But it was her idea. I supse she always meets men here. Margaret was about to rise from her retreat when she looked ahead of her and suddenly sat down again As she rose Bob Goodread saw her. He felt sure that she could not have seen him, so he shrank back as much as it was possible, believing himself completely hidden by his column.

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Grand Health

GUARD AGAINST A "COLD" AND YOU'LL AVOID MASTOIDITIS.

By Royal S. Coneland, M.D.

Margaret waited and Bob waited Margaret waited and Bob waited. They waited fifteen minutes and then hator-Elect from they waited a half hour and the longer they waited the more eager each was to see the thing out. "Be-ear of death, fear of everything. How much happier the death the down the longer they waited the more eager each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out. "Be-each was to see the thing out." Be-each was to see the thing out the t

world would be if position if he made himself evident fear were eliminated! I venture Half past chimed on the big clock

Presently Margaret realized that

she and Bob were the only two persons remaining in the great rotunda. She saw saleswomen getting out crash covers to throw over counters and aisle men helping to put displays under cover for the night A shrill bell, that sounded like lant's alarm clock, rang, and then

the rotunda clock chimed six. Margaret rose very slowly, her nose in the air and then started to hurry off. A passing aisle man suggested to Bob that he'd better be moving on. They were the last persons not employees in the store. Side doors were closed tight. They had gone in opposite directions, but somehow met in the main entrance way, "Sorry," said an attendant. "The door's been locked. You'll have to go

tore, last door to the right." There was nothing to standing within three feet from Bob Goodread it was quite impossible not to recognize him. Margaret bowed coolly.

Bob seized at this slender excuse "Can I do anything for you?" he asked. "Your—your friend seems to have been delayed."

"What about your—your friend?" snapped Margaret. "You've been "I wasn't waiting for anyone," said

ob. "I was—"
Suddenly Margaret began to laugh. Suddenly Margaret pegan to the Bob's expression showed such contrition that she could no longer hold to that she could hauteur. "What in the world were you sitting there for, then?" she asked. "Trying to see who you were wait-ing for. You really were waiting for

some one, weren't you?' "Of course I was. I was waiting to see the girl you intended to meet."
They had reached the employees' exit by that time and in the crowd Bob found excuse to take Margaret'

seems like old times," he offered, as a feeler for Margaret's "Oh, Bob, it's wonderful. And you weren't waiting for another girl-there isn't any other girl-you never waited at Blank's for anyone but

"Why, of course not," said Bob. "Quite often after lectures are over I come and sit there in the rotunda. It reminds me of happier days, and -well, I used to hope that perhaps some day you'd come back, and I did not want to miss you if you did." They walked on in silence through considerate treatment that it will the crowded city street for several

> "Margaret," Bob began. "What did we quarrel about?' "I was just going to ask you," admitted Margaret.

mitted Margaret.

"Let's have dinner together," suggested Bob. "Telephone home that you've been delayed or something."

"All right," agreed Margaret, and then she laughed. "I was cross with my aunt on Christmas because she thought I wore a seven glove, and now I can hardly wait to write and tell her how glad I am about it."

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FIRE THREATENS **ALEXANDRIA TOWN**

Blaze That Starts in Theatre Drives Out Guests From Adjoining Hotel.

Alexandria, Dec. 19 .- The business section of this town was threatened by fire yesterday, which caused damage in the vicinity of \$30,000 before it was got under control. No one was injured, though the guests at the Grand Union Hotel, one of the destroyed buildings, were forced to make hurried exists scantily clad, and one of the firemen narrowly escaped injury when he jumped from a ladder to a balcony when the cornice against which the ladder was

The fire, the origin of which is un-known, started in the Star Theatre, a frame building, and had gained considerable headway before it was noticed. When the town's fire de-partment responded the whole theatre was a mass of flames, and the are was a mass or names, and the fire was spreading to adjacent buildings. Fire Chief Seager quickly got four streams on the blaze, but was unable to prevent the fire from spreading to Joseph Lalonde's resi-dence and barber shop and the Grand Union Hotel. The upper part of the building

occupied by Ostrum's drug store was damaged, but the fire was checked PEARL WHITE DECIDES

TO TAKE NUN'S VEIL New York, Dec. 19.—(By Canadian Press.)—Pearl White, screen actress, has left the United States, and is on her way to enter a convent in Switz-erland, according to the New York World.

"I am tired of all this," the actress is reported by her friend, Miss Guinan, to have said, "and I have done my share. Now I shall enter the convent and get a real close-up of myself."

Miss Guinan offered no opinion as to how long Parl would be in the said.

ELMAN ENRAPTURES WITH FINE PROGRAM

Famous Violinist Thrills At Patricia by Excellence of Performance.

PLAYING REACHES HEARTS

Passionate Outflow of Melody Unsurpassed Treat of Musical Season,

With the lilting magic of the Beethoven "Minuet" in mind, a huge audience left the Patricia Theatre last night thrilled and delighted with the second artistic treat of the season afforded them by the Cortese Brothers in their presentation of Mischa Elman, a violinist still young, yet ranking among the great musical geniuses of the day.

From the first stately notes of Handel "Adagio" to the last mellow note of the happiest of all happy encores, the "Minuet," Elman held his audience rapt in the peculiar slightly "sldeways" posture which holds only when the spell is complete and enveloping.

Of his program, it might be said that his choice was not the familiar numbers of artists who have been in the city of late, but it left the impression of a powerful flow of feeling, finely tempered and restrained by the most superb command of technique.

Soared in Brilliance. It breathed airy wisps of melody, it soared in brilliance of passion, and it poured forth a majesty of sound with the depth of quality of an old organ in the slow dignity of the adagio or the wailing tenderness of a nocturne.

With encores, Mischa Elman was generous, and here the more familiar entered his program.

To greet every great artist who comes to the city is an insatiable demand for encores, and so it was with Mischa Elman; the sound of his

with Mischa Elman; the sound of his violin only could cry cease to the loud and prolonged bursts of applause which continually rang out.

It was a sincere tribute to his genius and the response was worthy of him, with the Mozart "Adagio," a Hayden "Minuet," "Valse Bluette," by Drigo, the unforgettable Schubert "Ave Maria," and finally the sweet gracefulness of Beethoven "minuet," which, as has been said, concluded which, as has been said, concluded his program.

His first number comprised the

four movements of the Haendel "Sonate" in D Major, the adagio, the pulse-quickening allegro, changing almost unbelievably into the moan-ing solemnity of the larghetto, which was relieved again by the second al In the Lalo "Symphonie Espagnole,"

with its richly glowing motif, sounded first the inspiring allegro, then the adagio, so deep and full of motion that at times it breathed of tragedy, and finally the brilliant vivacity of

Played With Intensity.

In the third number, the Korngold "Viel Larmen um Nichts," the outstanding feature was the "Grotesque Funeral," played with such a weird intensity that it was positively gruesome, passing however, into graceful elegance of the "Ga Scene." Apart from his supreme genius, ar

Without a suggestion of the tem-peramental virtuoso, Mischa Elman came to the platform with just that

touch of pomp which characterizes the little man born to greatness.

Elman Enraptures.

He placed himself in a business-like posture, which spelled duty, and then at the first note lost himself in the great creative art which has for the great creative art which has for ages exerted an almost incredible influence in the hearts of men. Here was no impassioned display of feeling. Mouth and chin remained firm and decisive. The slight figure moved only with the demands of his instrument, but intense emotion revealed itself in the eyes, in the lower-ing of the lids, and in the ripples which passed under the surface of

the high, wide brow.

Truly Great.

And another word! Mischa Elman belongs to the truly great! There was the woman who roused by some appeal to a familiar chord cried enthusiastically: "Well, he played 'Humoresque,' and I'm happy now that I have heard somebody play it who really could."

Elman had not played "Humor-esque," but he had with at least one number reached a soul and evoked a response, and therein lay the test of the great artist.

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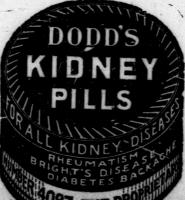
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SEVERAL SERIOUSLY HURT AS TRAIN LEAVES RAILS

Boston, Dec. 18.— Seven persons were injured, several seriously, when the Providence Express of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad left the rails at Hyde Park station late vesterday. tion late yesterday.

Miss Josephine Hadisch of New

Pergen, N.J., a passenger, and Fireman J. A. McLaughlin of Dedham suffered the most serious injuries. The locomotive and tender turned over, but the ten-passenger cars were held almost upright by the iron fence at the side of the track against which they creshed they crashed.







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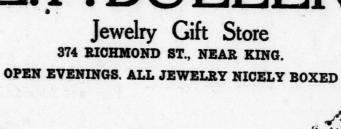
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NIGHTS ARE TOO FEW TO FIT IN PARTIES

So Y. W. C. A. Girls' Clubs Double Up in Dispensing Christmas Cheer At Lenmore.

There aren't enough nights to go round for all the week-before Christmas parties to make others happy the various clubs of the Y. W. C. A. are trying to get in between now and Saturday night. Every evening groups of little people, who might therwise miss Santa Claus altogether. are having their cup of joy overflow because of a beautiful party, with & Christmas tree, presents and tea at

The unusual thing about the Christmas tree towering to the ceiling in the club room at the King street Y" is the fact that, while it wears he same holiday dress all week, it is having the trimmings changed every day. The same jewel-like electric bulbs twinkle joyously, but as one The same jewel-like electric array of dolls, animal toys, bugles oranges and sweets is removed, al-

most by magic another appears.

Monday evening, the Echo Club, of which Miss Violet Willoughby is president, opened the week-long ball entertaining a number of small girls and boys, serving them first with sandwiches and goodies, then playing games with them, leading em in singing. Following this, each

Guides and Comrades Today. Today the Lenmore Comrades, with Miss Lillian Davison as president, are having a supper party, and in the evening the Y. W. C. A. Girl Guides will have as the central feaof their entertainment the Christmas tree. Wednesday, the Pollyannas, with Miss Jean Davis as der, are doing their bit to make the world a more radiant place, and Thursday the Optimistics, president Miss Jessie Pollock, and Nightin-gales, president Miss Gertrude Parker, are combining forces. the world a more radiant place, and Friday night has been pre-empted languages fluently. by "Count on Me's." leader Mis-



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selves willing to fit their party in whenever there is time and space for them at Lenmore. Mrs. Mattie Rose Crawford, indus trial secretary of the Y. W. C. A., is one of the very busiest of the many busy people in the city this week, club gaieties.

Where do the children come from

All over the city, little people whose acquaintance has been made thanks to the city nurse, Victorian Order, or one of the various other individuals and agencies that always know where St. Nicholas is most needed.

COMES TO TELL LONDON TRUTH ABOUT RUSSIA

Count Ilya Tolstoi, Famous Son of Famous Father, Speaks Here Tonight.

If Londoners are ever to know "The

in a fair way of hearing it tonight from the lips of a great Russian, illustrious son of a father who ranks among the giants of all ages, Count Ilya Tolstoi, eldest son of Leo Tol-stoi. Of Leo Tolstoi, world-famous students said, "He is not only greatest of Russian writers, he is also the most typical and representative Count Ilya Tolstoi, who lectures in and every one received a gift and an orange, bag of candy and nuts as under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club, was educated under the direct tutelage of his father at Yasnaya Polyana, the Tolstoi ances tral estate, near Moscow. The Tol-stoi family, by the way, is one of the oldest of the noble Russian families, tracing its ancestry to the first rulers

Pollyannas, with Miss Jean Davis as father, is a firm opponent of the Bolpresident and Miss Jean Waugh, shevist government, it is stated. He is opposed to governments born of violence and sustained by violence instead of the popular and enlightened will of the people. Like the elder Tolstoi, too, he is a writer of books, and writes and speaks many

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB PLANS CHRISTMAS CHEER

As a result of the Christmas Fair League will clear at least between eight and nine hundred dollars. Report to this effect was greeted with delight at a meeting of the league held Monday in the Catholic Club to arrange for dispensing Christmas

Miss Mary Meredith's committee Mount Hope and Mount St. Joseph homes for children and aged people; Mrs. Joseph Frezell is convener of the committee to arrange for treats for patients in St. Joseph's Hospital, and Miss Caesar for those in Victoria Hospital. With St. Vincent de Paul Society sending out baskets to needy at Christmas, it was decided to postpone doing so on the part of the league till New Year's, Mrs. J. J. Roach looking after this important

Owing to the illness of the president, Mrs. William Higman, the meeting of St. George's Mothers' Club has been postponed from Tuesday evening until the third Tuesday in

Mothers and Their Children



ter Sets the Table. My daughter wanted to help me correctly and then told her to fix a place just exactly like it. Before long, I didn't have to set a place as a "sample," for she soon learned for herself where the different pieces of silver should be placed.

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Wednesday to the children attending the osteopathic clinic for sick children at the St. George Apartments, wellington street. Reports show an average attendance of twelve at clinics, forty-eight clinics having been held during the past year.

dance.

Portrait by Sanders Studio MRS. W. S. LOWE. Mrs. Lowe is president of the very Truth About Russia," they should be Road School Mothers' Club, which in a fair way of hearing it tonight held a few days ago.

Fashions by Wire

Special to The Advertiser.

(Copyright.) London, Dec. 18.—A new evening crepe shown today is founded on the flour barrel idea, and if you are very tall and slim you wear it with distinction. If you are not you wear it with a difference. It is a plush creation, with a voluminous skirt edged with rabbit fur

circled with strands of rabbit fur. of Russia, the Ruriks.

Count Ilya Tolstoi, like his famous

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> STYLES WATCH COTILLION. London, Dec. 18.—With the tenta-tive renewal of the cotillion at smart balls there has come at present a renewal of Victorian hair dressing Smooth tresses ending in coquettish little bunches of curls topped by a rose have been noticed rather often these evenings.

NOVEL BREAKFAST GOWN. New York, Dec. 18.—One of the most fashionable breakfast gowns

held last week, the Catholic Women's in pale blue and silver. It is a Vnecked robe with three-quarter length sleeves, easy to slip over the

New York, Dec. 18.—While black caracul is still fashionable today for will look after entertainment for the the short jacket, and in many ways more practical, there is a rise favor of caracul in other shades. Sand tones are acceptable, and also the deeper coffee tones, while with

USE HALF BELTS. which add note of glory to a gown without confining too closely the without confining too closely the folds which should hang with freedom. Suede cloth is favorite back-POSTPONE ST. GEORGE'S M. C. ground for the intricate patterns which are picked out with shining

FASTEN WITH JEWELED BUCKLES. New York, Dec. 18.—Costume ton crene they go well with almost any combination of shades the blouse may contain. An air of extreme chic is obtained by the wrap around folds fastened on one hip with a jeweled

puffy satin, standing high above the Jone and Laura Allan. back of the chapeau, and thrusting itself out above the ears.

GRADUATE FUR BARS. Paris, Dec. 18.—Fur trimmings are becoming more and more unusual today. The very latest idea is to faster ine horizontal bits of ermine to the skirt of a black velvet gown. The top bar of fur is only three inches long, and from this the bars gradually widen till the bottom one stretches

cross the entire front panel. HOLD CLINIC TREAT. set the table, so I set one cover correctly and then told her to fix Wednesday to the children attending

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Miss Doris Shaw was the hostess aturday of a charming supper

Dr. E. W. Fuller and Mrs. Fuller are going to Toronto for the Christmas week.

Rev. John Crawford. Waterloo College, is arriving in town this week for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Isabel Ivey, of Boston, will pend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Ivey, Waterloo street. John Wylie of Calgary will

spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wylie, Waterloo

Mrs. Richard Ivey is entertaining Wednesday, Dec. 27th, in honor of Miss Edith Greer, a popular December bride-elect.

Mrs. Hector Connolly, of Montreal, (formerly Miss Isabel Coles), is visiting her parents, Col. W. G. Coles and Mrs. Coles, "The Beeches." Dr. A. R. Routledge and Mrs. Rout-

edge are entertaining Saturday evening. Dec. 23, at a dance for the Miss Betty Willson of Sarnia, who was a much feted visitor in London

last Christmas, is again the guest of

Mr. and Mrs. George G. McCormick,

Dufferin avenue. In honor of Miss Betty Willson of Sarnia, Mrs. Arthur Brickenden is entertaining at a tea dance at her home in Dufferin avenue, Tuesday

Dr. J. V. Hughes of Passaic, N.J. is coming for a holiday week visit in town with his parents, Dr. F. W. Hughes and Mrs. Hughes, stopping over the New Year's week-end

Miss Agnes Grant, who is attenu-ing Macdonald Hall, Guelph, was a visitor in London, Monday, on her way home to Blenheim, where she will spend the Christmas vacation.

Mr. George Miller of Paulin Chambers Company, Winnipeg, who has come east on a business trip, is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Day, 448 Emery street, for the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shaw, Waterloo street, entertained at a delightful dinner dance at Wong's Saturday afternoon in honor of their daughter Doris. Covers were laid for thirty-While in the city this evening to

lecture under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club on the sub-ject, "The Truth About Russia," New York, Dec. 18.—Among today's up-to-date accessories are half belts, which add note of glory to a gown and Mrs. F. E. Leonard, "Oakwood." Miss Willena Crawford of the To-

formerly of Detroit, is arriving in town the end of the week to spend Christmas in the home of her parents, Rev. John Crawford and Mrs. Craw ford, Tecumseh avenue

Dr. Wendell Hughes of Cottam is skirts are in vogue today for wear with the long-waisted costume with his parents, Dr. F. W. Hughes some. arriving in town to spend Christmas have about sixty, so I can spare her and Mrs. Hughes, Queen's avenue, leaving immediately after the New Year to take a post-graduate course at Bellevue Hospital, New York. blouse. In black, brown or navy can- and Mrs. Hughes, Queen's avenue,

Miss Irene Parkinson held a musifastened on one hip with a jeweled buckle.

TILTS HELMET OVER EYE.
Paris, Dec. 18.—The most remarkable little hat seen today is a mere helmet of satin shirring, set far over the eyes. It is relieved from grotesqueness only by a soft ridge or tesqueness only by a soft ridge or the standing high above the standard of t

ashions



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the same shade adorned the tea table, which was presided over by Mrs. S. V. Cooke and Mrs. Eric Reid. Mrs. R. G. Ivey and Mrs. Leslie Turner

A dozen girl friends pleasantly sur-prised Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reid, 8 Bruce street, when they met at their home and showered the host and hostess, all unsuspecting, with a number of kitchen articles. A merry evening was spent in games, social the First Presbyterian Church choir intercourse, etc., after which a dainty was a Christmas party held in the Mrs. Howard Fraleigh of Forest supper was served. Leaving, the spent the week-end in the city with per son, Sydney Fraleigh.

> While mystery enshrouds much of the program of the Western University Christmas "Lit" Tuesday evening, dancing, refreshments and a burlesque basketball game are among the features assured, according to a reliable source of information. The Christmas "Lit" is always the big feature of the year in the annals of the society, and a very merry time is anticipated. All the faculties and all the students have been all the students have been been been bies of the recipients in a manner to provoke constant peals of laughter.
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> In the absence of President E. S. the society, and a very merry time is anticipated. All the faculties and all Crawford on behalf of Santa Claus, the students have been invited to Mr. A. E. Wright, vice-president of participate.

Mrs. W. H. Kippen was the hostess of a bridge Wednesday; Mrs. Kent Campbell entertained at a luncheon at the Highland Golf Club Thursday the guests numbering twenty-four, and on Friday a charming bridge was given by Mrs. Russell Croden at her home in Waterloo street. Mrs. Gordon Hunt also entertained at

Members of the Parnell Morris Studio Club held their December meeting at the home of the president in Colborne street receiving cordial welcome from Mr. and Mrs.

Morris. Miss Rita Nelles occupied the chair, the program including two amusing guessing contests conducted by Mrs. Dixon Reid, vocal solos by Miss Grace Needham, Miss M. Mac-Miss Grace Needham, Miss M. Mac-Gregor, Miss I. Kerr, Mrs. Dixon Reid and Mr. G. Hay; piano solos, Miss and Mr. G. Hay; piano solos, Miss dahlia and gladiolus bulbs to help Gregor, Miss I. Kerr, Mrs. Dixon Reid and Mr. G. Hay; piano solos, Miss Annie Ward, Miss L. McMechan. Dainty refreshments were served by Miss Thelma Essex and Miss Grace Needham.

An announcement of much interest London society and musical circles this week is that of the engagement of Bessie Uline Moore, daughter of Mrs. Moore and the late Dr. Charles Moore, to Frederick Boothroyd, brilliant pianist-composer of Lander Wyoming. Mr. Boothroyd had a large following here when for a year

He went from London to Detroit, where he made for himself an enviable reputation in artistic circles. before following the lure of the west, and settling in Landers, Wyoming. Daughter of one of London's most. prominent families, keenly interested in patriotic and welfare work, and ex-ceptionally talented herself musically, Miss Moore will be a distinct loss American west immediately after Christmas, where her marriage takes place to Mr. Boothroyd.



Dear Miss Grey,—It is a long time But I saw where Mickey was want-

you have patterns in. I will return them when I get them copied. If you will send me Mickey's ad-dress, will mail her the flags. I will sign as before, MOON WINKS. I am mailing you Mickey's address. also a few crochet patterns, which I hope you will like, Moon Winks. Mickey may not need the flags now, as quite a few have been sent to he

Wants Recitations.

In compliment of Miss Edith Greer, a popular bride-elect, Mrs. Charles leve entertained at the tea hour Monaday. Mauve 'mums were arranged in as I had prepared some clothes to day. Mauve 'mums were arranged in the living room, and baby 'mums in I decided I would not send them, I decided I would not send them, but keep them to give to someone around here. If S. A. H. will send me her address and ages of girls, I think I can help her. I cannot help the boys, as I have only one boy, and he wears out all his clothes.

I saw where Frenchy had some recitations. If she has any more to spare, I would like them. I hope I am more successful than before, as I wrote twice, but did not get an anwrote twice, but did not get an answer. Inclosed find a hospital mite

THREE AND ONE.

I am mailing you S. A. H.'s address, and you can write to her direct about the ages of her little girls. I am sorry your other letters did not appear in the Mail-Box. Sometimes the Mail-Box is put on another page besides the woman's page. Many thanks for the hospital mite. It is very good of you to offer to help our needy boxites.

Wants Bulbs.

Dear Miss Grey,—Have not been in touch with the 'Tiser for months, but find on first night's reading your Cynthia Grey Cot Fund gradually

Hands Were Raw

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I had eczema, in a very bad form, on my hands. They were all raw and would crack and bleed so that I could not do my housework. I tried everything I could think of without everything I could think of without any results. At last I got a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and when I had it about all taken I could see it was helping me; by the time I had taken five bottles my hands were all well again, and I have not been bothwell again, and I have not been bothered since. I cannot praise Burdock Blood Bitters enough."

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TO G. G. LETHBRIDGE

First Presbyterian Choir Honors Popular Organist and Wife At Christmas Party.

A merry event for the members of the First Presbyterian Church choir schoolroom, with a gorgeous Christmas tree as one of the chief sources of amusement. Christmas decorations made an effective setting for the event and a real Santa Claus distributed the presents from the tree. mostly toys, which hit off the hob-

the choir, presented the popular or-ganist and conductor, Mr. George G. A number of smart parties were Lethbridge with a smoker's stand, arranged last week in honor of Miss Edith Greer, a December bride-elect. ful azalea in bloom. A delicious supper was served, and the program also included music and games. The members of the enter-

tainment committee, who planned the event, were Misses Gladys Burns, Chrissie Wright, Blanche St. Clair, Messrs, Gordon Knapp, Donald supper and bridge Saturday evening. ASKIN ST. S. S. HOLDS BAZAAR.

Santa Claus himself will be an at-tractive feature of the bazaar to be held Wednesday afternoon and even ing, under the auspices of the Askin Street Sunday School. A tea room

dania and gladiolus bulbs to help along? May I have some? Will in-close 30 cents to fund for them, and a stamped envelope with postage. Kindly add address to envelope and forward. Do hope I receive them, as I, too, am a lover of flowers. Received several packages of seeds from Mail-Box in the spring, and all grew beautifully. Could send a number of packages of aster seed if needed, either now or in the species. either now or in the spring

SPRING-TIME. Welcome back to the Mail-Box Mr. and Mrs. George Lethbridge and daughter Alice are spending Christmas and a part of next week in Galt, staying with Mrs. Lethbridge's mother, Mrs. J. Y. Graham.

Lage following here when for a year or so he was in the city, holding a prominent position associated with the staff of the London Conservatory of Music.

Spring-Time. Yes, the fund has been steadily creeping towards the objective, which is in sight at last. Thank you for the inclosed hospital mite; also thanks for the offer of the seeds. the seeds. I think it would be better to send them in the spring. I forwarded your letter to the "Two Country Rosebuds."





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BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

UNC' BILLY HAS A HARD FALL By Thornton W. Burgess. More frequently than you would

Things are not really what they -Une' Billy Possum.

The hunters at the foot of the pine tree in which Unc' Billy Possum was "So you needn't return to Walla Walla, Darby. I'm going to parole hiding were excited, quite as much excited as the dog who had driven Unc' Billy up that tree. They were having a good time were those hunt. ers. They didn't stop to think that the one they were hunting must be having a terrible time. They were sure that it was Bobby Coon, who was up in that tree, for it was Bobby

they had come out to hunt They kept flashing a light up in the tree, but the branches were thick and not once did they get a glimpse of Unc' Billy Possum. Had they been able to see him, they probably would have shot him. Finally it was decided that one of them should climb that tree. It wasn't a hard tree to climb. Unc' Billy could hear that hunter scrambling up and drawing nearer and nearer. He crept out as far as he could on a branch and

clung there.

Now, this is just what that hunter had expected and so as he climbed he carefully looked over each branch as he came to it. When he reached the branch on which Unc' Billy was he saw him at once. But it was dark and he couldn't see clearly. He still supposed that Unc' Billy was he is!" yelled the hunter

"He isn't a very big fellow, so I'll shake him off, and we'll let the dog



So the hunters down below gathered in a circle, with the dog in their midst, and the hunter in the tree began to shake the branch. Unc' Billy clung with all four feet. The hunter shook harder. Unc' Billy clung more tightly. Up and down, up and down went that branch. Unc' Billy had backed so far out on it that there backed so far out on it that there wasn't much to hold on to. It was a terrible situation. In front of him was that hunter in the tree and down below were those other hunters and that dreadful dog. They all seemed to be enjoying it. Yes, sir, they did. But Unc' Billy was too frightened to even think. He hadn't the least bit

There came a harder shake and Unc' Billy's hind feet slipped. There came another shake and Unc' Billy lost his grip altogether. Off that branch he flew and down, down, down! He struck the tips of two or three lower branches, but couldn't catch hold of them. He heard a joyous yell from the hunters, and then he struck the ground. He struck the ground with a dreadful thump. Unc' Billy lay still. The dog rushed forward and grabbed him by the loose skin on the back of his neck, and shook him. Then one of the hunters grabbed the dog and pulled him away. You see Line' Pill's little heard and grabe the dog and pulled him away. You see Line's little heard and grabe him by the loose grabbed the dog and pulled him away. You see Line's little heard and grabe him the loose shin the loose shin the loose grabbed him grabe heard grabe him layer. grabbed the dog and pulled him away. You see, Unc' Billy hadn't

moved.

"He's dead!" cried one of the hunters. "That fall must have killed him. He isn't a Coon at all; he's a Possum, as sure as I live!"

The hunter picked up Unc' Billy by the tail and held him up, while the other hunters gathered around to look at him. They were in great glee, were those hunters as they looked at Unc' Billy hanging there, lifeless. At once they began to make looked at Unc' Billy hanging there, lifeless. At once they began to make plans for a Possum dinner. Then they sent the dog on to hunt for Bobby Coon, and they followed, one of them carrying poor Unc'. Billy by the tail. They thought he was dead. But he wasn't. (Copyright, 1922, by T. W. Burgess.)

The next story: "The Hunters Lose a Possum Dinner."

Sends a Dollar.

Dear Miss Grey,—I enclose \$1 for Thanksgiving offering for C. H. F. Sorry I did not get it sent sooner. With all good wishes for the Mailbox and its good work.

MARIGOLD.

Many thanks for the Thanksgiving mite, which was most acceptable even if it were late. Thanks, too, for the good wishes, Marigold.



BEGIN HERE TODAY.

the prisoner, results in recogni-

the prisoner examined. The mental

Victoria Cross given him for valor

GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"Absolutely. The night of his ar-rest marked the end of his trouble;

you might say that his brain simply snapped back into health and began

to function normally again, after a

shell-shock. In other words, he has

been slowly convalescing since that night: under the proper stimuli I

have no doubt that everything would

"And our friend here-Melville-

offers to supply those stimuli."

"Exactly. And it's up to you to say whether he gets a chance."

Thoughtfully the executive drum-med his desk with his pencil. Pres-

ently a smile, markedly boyish and pleasant, broke over his face. He turned slowly in his chair.

an old family friend we've looked up

our record. You served in France

with Canadian troops and there you won among other honors the highest

honor that Britain can award a hero.

you-under the charge of your bene-

factor. Melville, from now on it's up

CHAPTER II.

Hiram Melville's Will.

THERE was a great house-cleaning

memorable night that flashed like a

ewel from the murky desolation of

The Seattle citizenry, for the first

time in some weeks, recalled the existence of the stars. A magnificent

noon rose in the east, too big and

too bright to compete with.

No living creature who saw it remained wholly unmoved by it.

But to no one in the city was the influence of the moon more potent than to Ben Darby, once known as

"Wolf" Darby through certain far-

a clean, new start in life.

a rainy spring.

then-as you guessed.

come back to him.'

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was Melville's time for experiments tonight. All the way out he had In a convict gang toiling on a road on the outskirts of Walla Walla is BEN DARBY, serving a five-year sentence for robbery committed while a victim of amnesia due to

vounds received in the war. A "I don't see any harm in tellin' chance meeting with EZRA MELVILLE an old friend of tion. Melville pleads with GOVERNOR McNAMARA to have OREST, a noted alienist of Seattle. A small box is brought forth and Darby remembers its contents, the

McNamara focused an intent gaze ference whether you get your memory back or not.

"The reason I'm goin' to take you where I'm goin' to take you is for your own good."

"I'm willing to take your word for that, Mr. Melville," Ben interposed guietly.

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"Wait just a minute. Before we go any further, tell me what service

"And I might say, now's as good a

"Tairly well, I think."

"Early well, I think."

"Fairly well, I think."

"Fairly well, I think."

"I'll review it, if I may. It seems, Ben, that you have been the victim of a strange set of unfortunate circumstances. Due to the efforts of cumstances. weeks ago, I got a letter from him. The letter's right here. "I'm mighty glad that I've got something, at least worth lookin' into, to let you in on. I only wish it

There you were shell-shocked, in the last months of the war.
"This good friend of yours has a was more."

"Why should you want to let me in on anything?" Ben asked clearly. The direct question received only a stare of blank amazement from Ezram. "Why should I—" he repeated, seemingly surprised out of his life by the question. "Shucks, and quit interruptin' me. Maybe I'm gettin' a little too old to do plan outlined that he'll tell you of that will not only be the best possible influence toward recalling your memory, but will also give you I'm gettin' a little too old to do much. I want a buddy—someone who will go halfway with me." "Therefore, I suppose you go to the 'pen' to find one," Ben commented,

wholly unconvinced.

"I'm going to make this proposition good." Ezram went on as if he had not heard. "Listen to this:

Opening the letter, he read laboriin the dome of the heavens one ously:

Snowy Gulch, B. C. Dear Brother Ezra: I rite this with what I think is my dying hand. It's my will, too. I'm at the hotel at Snowy Gulch—and not much more time. You know I've been hunting a claim. Well, I found it—rich a proget or whether

spreading districts, and now newly come from the state capital, walking Seattle's streets with his ward and benefactor, Ezra Melville.

Forest had given over the case: it is specified by the store strode of the store strong of

Get copy of this letter to carry, put this in some safe place. The only condition is you take good care of Fenris, the pet I raised from a pup. You'll find him and my gun at Steve Morrie'

I felt myself going and just did ge I felt myself going and just did get hear. You get supplies horses at Snowy Gulch go up Poor Man Creek through Spruce Pass over to Yuga River. Go down Yuga River past first rapids along still place to first creek you'll know it cause there's an old cabin just below and my canoe landing. Half mile up, in creek bed, is the pocket and new cabin. And landing. Half mile up, in creek bed, is the pocket and new cabin. And don't tell no one in Snowy Gulch who you are and where you going. Go quick brother Ez and put up a stone for me at Snowy Gulch.

Your brother

Hiram Melville.

"I don't see any harm in tellin' you that the guesses you've already made are right. Your name is Ben Darby—and you used to be known as 'Wolf' Darby—for reasons that sooner or later you may know. Abner Darby was your father. Edith Darby was your sister that ain't no more. You went awhile to Machael Lean's College, in Ontario.

"Now, Ben, I'm going to put a proposition up to you. I'm hoping you'll see fit to accept it. I don't see it makes a whale of a lot of difference whether you get your memory is still alive?"

"I got a wire the hotelman sent me. It reached me weeks before the letter came, and I guess he must have died soon after he wrote it. I suppose you see what he means when he says to carry a copy of this efter, instead of the original."

"Of course—because it constitutes his will, your legal claim. Just the fact that you are his brother would be claim enough, I should think, but this simplifies matters for you. You'd better make a copy of it and you "And you haven't heard-whether

better make a copy of it and you can leave it in some safe place. And of course this claim is what you offered to let me in on."

go any further, tell me what service I've done you, what obligation you're And I might say, now's as good a time as any to let up on the 'Mister,' My name is Ezra Melville, and I've been known as 'Ezram' as long as I can remember, to my friends. The Darbys, in particular, called me that, and vou're a Darby.

Darbys, in particular, called me that, and you're a Darby.

"I'll say in the beginning I can't do for you all I'd like to do, simply because I haven't the means. On this expedition to come we'll have to go on the cheaps. No Pullmans, no hotels—sleeping out in the hay when we're caught out at night."

Ben tried to cut in, to ask questions, but the old man's words swept his own away.

""The string of the triangle of the trust you put in me," Ben went on slowly. "For my own part I'd give everything I've got and all I'd hope to ever get to go with you. It's a chance such as I never dared ciate the trust you put in me," Ben went on slowly. "For my own part I'd give everything I've got and all I'd hope to ever get to go with you.
It's a chance such as I never dared believe would come to me again—a chance to go away and get a new start in a country where I feel, in-stinctively, that I'd make good." The dark vivid eyes seemed to glow in the soft light. "Forgive me if I talk frank; and if it sounds silly I can't help it," Ben continued. "You've never been in prison—with a five-year sentence hanging over you—and nobody giving a damn.
"But I can't take all that from

"But I can't take all that from stranger. You must know how it is. A man can't, while he's young and strong, accept charity—"

"It ain't charity!" the old man shouted. "I'm gettin' as much pleasure out of it as you." His voice sank again; and there was no line of mirth in his face.

"It was long ago, in Montreal,"
Ezram went on, after a pause. "I knew your mother, as a girl. She large was no line of married a better man, but I told her large cup celery cut in small pieces married a better man, but I told her large cup flour.

married a better man, but I told her 1-3 cup flo me. You're her son."

Night is always a time of mystery in Snowy Gulch—that little cluster

The form of the fourth of the fourth

Only a few have any idea of sympathetic understanding with it.

Among these was Beatrice Neilson, and she herself did not fully under-chicken comes easily from the bone. stand the dreams and longings that The liquid will be reduced about oneswept her ever at the fall of the mysterious wilderness night.
It seemed hardly fitting in this stern, rough land—the soft contour it—rich a pocket as anybody want, worth a quarter million anyhow and in a district where the Snowy Gulch.

A she passed the door of the hotel of the younger man who had folks believe there ain't a grain of been lounging about the stove strode

(Continued Tomorrow.)



Sends More Flags.

Dear Miss Grey. — I saw in the paper the other day someone was wanting small flags. I am inclosing

waiting small mags. 1 am inclosing six. Hope they are the kind wanted. Have forgotten the pen-name of the one asking for them, but maybe you will have her address. We must do will have her address. We must do all we can to get that cot, so here is another quarter to go with the one for the flags. Of course, I want one of the cookbooks when they are ready. Now I will close. Hope you will soon be able to say: "Thank goodness, another debt read," The goodness: another debt paid same old CINI CINDER. Thank you for the

Thank you for the flags for "Mickey." She has received quite a number of them, and will be able to make another cushion, I am sure. Thank you for sending them in for her; also thanks for the hospital mite, Cinder.

Dear Miss Grey,-I saw in the Mail-Box where someone was asking for the poem "If," which I am sending in. Hope it is the one wanted. What do you think of my writing Miss Grey? I am fourteen, and in the first year at high school. Inclosed find a mite for the S. C. H. write an exceptionally good hand for your age, Alma. Thank you for sending in "If," also for remembering our hospital fund with a mite.

Dear Cynthia,-This is my first letter to your page, but I am a constant reader. I noticed the other day a reader named Mickey asking for some flags, which I am inclosing for her. Would you please forward them? She was to forward a quarter to the hospital fund for them. I wish the fund every success. DOT.

Mickey will be able to make two or three cushions with the flags that have been sent in for her. I didn't think there were so many of those flags in circulation. It was good of you to send them in for Mickey. Welcome to our cozy corner, and we will be looking for you soon again.

Your Christmas Dinner

cup celery cut in small pieces

Night is always a time of higher in Snowy Gulch—that little cluster of frame shacks lost and far in the liver, heart and gizzard. Add salt and pepper to flour and roll the salt and pep kettle with the water, onions thinly sliced, and celery. Cover and cook slowly until the

> alf, but if it is cooked away more than that amount, add wat on to taste, add dumplings and cook 15 minutes.
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> Remove dumplings to platter, pour the liquid and chicken in center and sprinkle over all the parsley.

> DE VALERA CAPTURED? Paris, Dec. 18.—The Herald says this morning that reports are cur-rent in Paris that Eamon de Valera en captured by the Irish Free





CHRISTMAS

No other gift you could give would bring "HER" more supreme happiness than an exquisite Fur Coat from the Royal-"The Quality Fur Shop."

Royal prices have made the Royal London's leading fur store. No matter what you desire in a Fur Coat, we have it.

Besides being practical, Furs are an absolute necessity. Canadian winters demand it. Why not give "HER" a Coat this Christmas?

We carry all sizes, 32 up to 46. Here are a few extra specials for the gift season.



HUDSON SEAL COATS.

Made of purest selected skins, trimmed with | Made of Chappele skins, trimmed with sable Alaska sable collar and cuffs or Canada beaver, lined with finest Swiss silk brocade lining, 40 inches.

PERSIAN LAMB COATS

Made of fine even skins, trimmed with Alaska sable collar and cuffs, lined with finest Swiss silk brocaded lining, 40 ins. long,

\$265

ELECTRIC SEAL

collar and cuffs, beautifully lined, 40 inches

\$167

GENUINE MUSKRAT COATS

Self-trimmed, worked with five-stripe border. beautifully lined, 40 inches

MILLINERY

The newest thing in millinery awaits your approval. We have a complete assortment of Winter Hats now worn in Metallic Cloth, Brocaded Velvets and Silk Velvets

Open Evenings Until Christmas

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Where You Buy Furs and Millinery With Confidence.

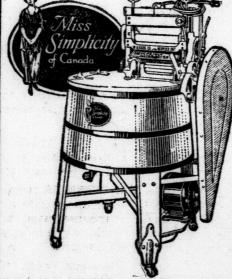
State authorities. hristmas Lints From the Store of Practical Gift.

ELECTRICAL GIFTS TAKE YOU OUT OF "THE RUT" FOR BOYS



FLASHLIGHTS \$1.50 ELECTRIC TRAINS ERECTOR SETS

Kribs Miss Simplicity Washer



FREE DEMONSTRATION on your own washing in your own home if you desire it.

IS A WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS GIFT

Of all the housewife's labors is there any so fatiguing, so disliked, so ageing as washing? Is there a day so dreaded as washday-with its aecompaniment of steam, suds, slops, late dinners, chapped hands?

That is why the Miss Simplicity is received with such genuine gratitude and delight. It puts all these disagreeable things in the tub with a cover on. It compresses a wearying washday into an hour's easy supervision; it does the work just as carefully and well as it can be done with human hands, and it lasts for years.

Easy Terms For Christmas Shoppers.

Isn't it a fact that the gift you are seeking must be MODERN enough to be out of the commonplace, ATTRACTIVE enough to merit true appreciation, PRACTICAL enough to have everyday usefulness and so INEXPENSIVE TO OP-ERATE that its use will have no drawbacks. That is the story of the electrical gift in a nutshell. Regardless of the amount you desire to spend, or the age or sex of the intended recipient, the Hydro Shop has a ready answer to your problems. Come in and look around.

Some Hydro Shop Suggestions

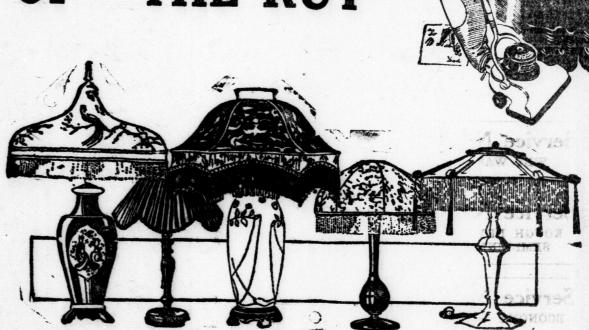
Electric Grill ... \$12.50 Electric Iron ... \$5.95 Electric Toaster, \$6:75 Percolator \$12 Curling Iron \$4.50 Heating Pad \$6.50 Radiant Heater

Chafing Dish

Vacuum Cleaners \$60-\$69 Washing Machine \$98 up Dish Washer Ironing Machine

Sewing Machine

Electric Refrigerator McCLARY, MOFFATT, MOORE AND WEST-INGHOUSE ELECTRIC RANGES.



Give An Ornamental Electric Lamp

The Hydro Shop offers the most wonderful display in Western Ontario, in colors and styles, to accord with any decorative scheme, and priced to suit every purse. Floor Lamps, Piano Lamps, Chesterfield Lamps, Smokers' Sets, Reading Lamps, Lamps for living-room, boudoir or den.. Marvels of craftsmanship with shades of silk, parchment or multi-colored glass.

THE HYDRO SHOP

Ontario's Greatest Electrical Store.

DUNDAS AND WELLINGTON STREETS.

PHONE 7000

Out-of-Town Orders Accepted. Open Every Evening This Week

Divine Sarah Scorns Surrender To Clamoring Age and Wearing

Though 78 Years of Age, Immortal Actress Refuses To Heed Warning of Loved One—Rest Means Death, She Declares.

By WEBB MILLER.

Special to The Advertiser. Paris, Dec. 19.—"My son insists physicians as syncope. that I take a rest—but for me rest stupor.

Edward Seventh Theatre, thus defied the entreaties of friends that she abandon the stage and spend the vears that are left her in ease and story to rect L will die? years that are left her in case and stop to rest I will die."

This was signed by Doctors Desnos and Obsissier. "There is really no danger," Dr. Desnos assured the United Press. "Mme. Bernhardt will great actress' illness was not considered contents."

United Press. "Mme, Bernhardt will live to attend my funeral yet,"

The one very real peril, however, it is admitted, is Bernhardt's refusal to surrender and concede herself an old woman despite her 78 years. "I am going to return to the stage as soon as I have recovered from this slight indisposition," she insisted to friends who urged her to give up.

Her aiment manifests itself in a series of fainting spells, which are followed by periods of stupor. It is necessary to restore the patient to her senses with all speed when she is stricken, otherwise death may ensue.

remained bright and cheery in de-fiance of the malady, diagnosed by

means death."

The immortal Sarah Bernhardt, stricken as she was about to appear in Sacha Guitry's new play at the stricken as the was about to appear by the sack of the suddenly I felt as if a dagger had been thrust into my back. My whole body was like ice.

Bernhardt was taken ill in her Her physicians, after an anxious night, issued a bulletin at 11 a.m. today, which said: "The crisis fortunately quickly passed, but Mme. Bernhardt demands absolute rest for a few days and complete isolation."

This was signed by Doctors Despos

Home Brew With Whiskers Becomes Popular Demand Amongst Londoners

The genius of man has reached its limit. This story will corroborate that statement. Read it and weep.

As recently announced some electrical wizard has invented a device to age home brew. The machine has been exhibited in a store on Dundas street, and many are being sold. So street, and many are being sold. So no kick coming. many in fact that if yesterday's sale "Keep the ho

home brew. It takes the stuff young and treats it rough. It apparently follows out the plan set by nature, which ages most persons not by years, but dissipation, such as over-

street, and many are being sold. So many in fact that if yesterday's sale is a proper criterion the electrical expert will accumulate greater pelf than Edison and Marconi.

Dr. Hugh Stevenson yesterday went into the shop to test the many of the shop to test the shop to test the many of the shop to test the shop to the shop to test the shop the sh went into the shop to test the machine and pronounced it satisfactory. It is said that the machine will add six months to a respectable home vertiser of the immense demand for he contrivance. Others substantiate work rapidly this week, so they will

LABOR COMMANDS **AUSTRALIAN HOUSE**

Premier Hughes Has Second Largest Following.

Melbourne, Dec. 18.-The allottnent of "preference votes for members of the Federal House of Representatives in last Saturday's general elections shows the Nationalists, the the standing.

The parties stand as follow Labor party, 30: Nationalists, 28; are: Kitty White, Christine Dawson, ountry party and Liberals 17. In the last house the Nationalist; and 38 members, the Labor party 24 pect to enter a women's swimming team in the annual aquatic meet, to be held in Toronto next January.

The figures for the Senate are

FAILING TO CONVINCE COURT

John Noski Convicted on Charge of not Having Light on Bicycle.

blin and Agmon Barryman swore they talked with him for half an hour when they stopped him for not hour when they stopped him for not fore returned soldiers. Noski declared he did not meet the Noski declared he did not meet the officers at all on the day they al-

purchased the bicycle but a few days ago and had not time to buy a light. They also claimed his breath was laden with the fumes of liquor, and that as a result they searched him.

"Two dollars and costs," the court

Chief Birrell granted Noski a day S. C. M. to obtain his fine, as he did not have

HUSBAND DIDN'T DARE LEAVE HER ALONE

Those feelings of faintness, those dizzy spells, the all-gone sinking sensations which come on from time to time, indicate a weakened condition of the heart, and a disordered state

Milburn's

Mrs. C. Vanhorn, Eckville, Alta, writes: "About a year ago I had heart trouble. My husband didn't dare leave me alone, and often had to stay up at night with me. I would just feel kind of faint and my heart would seem to step hearing." would seem to stop beating. I would just faint away, and it would sometimes be an hour before they could bring me back to life. Someone told me about Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I got three boxes; I took them and felt much better, so continued all winter, and now I never feel any such faintness. I surely do appreciate

the good they have done for me." Price 50c a box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by the T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto,

ne doctor's evidence.

The instrument effectively ages "merry" Christmas.

Western University Briefs

The Winter Sports Club of Western Has Largest Group, While ent looks like a very successful year. University will open, what at preswhen, on Friday, January 5, members will enjoy a sleigh or bus ride to Hyde Park Corners. The W. U. W. S. C., as the club is known, is an interfaculty organization, and it is expected that both Meds and Arts students will attend.

The women's athletic committee, party of Premier Hughes, second in which is planning an extensive sports program for the coming year, is now Ruth Davis, Lillian Hill, Helen Lind-

The figures for the Senate are meagre, but indicate an increase in this evening in the Oxford street Postponed from last night, the strength of the Labor representation. gymnasium, promises to be one of gymnasium, promises to be one of the most enjoyable events of the col-lege year. A burlesque basketball game, supper, dancing and a visit from Santa Claus will feature the occasion, which is the last this year, lectures being discontinued Wednes. CYCLIST ORDERED TO PAY \$2 occasion, which is the last this year lectures being discontinued Wednes-

As announced by Del Lewis, presi-Although Constables George Tomdent of the Glee Club, a committee

leged the offence was committed. Joe was so positive and the officers were so positive that Magistrate Graydon, presiding in police court today, was reluctant to give a decision.

Recalled to the stand, both officers stated Noski told them he had purchased the bicycle but a few days

A new group of the men's student A new group of the men's student Christian movement was recently addressed by R. B. Ferris, leader of Y. M. C. A. work in the University of Toronto. Mr. Ferris outlined the Toronto. Mr. Ferris outlined the work being done at present by the S. C. M., and briefly discussed the program of the coming national conference. Speakers for the conference will be, he announced, such persons as Premier Drury, Newton Rowell, and Dr. Herbert Gray of Glasgow Scotland.

Several Western students will attend the national students' conference being held in Toronto, Dec. 28 to Jan. 2. Among those representing the women's groups are Misses York, Eunice Moorehouse, Isabelle Griffiths, and Lillian Hill, while those from the men's groups are Messrs. from the men's groups are Messrs.
A. J. Waring, Ridley Parsons, Neil
Miller, James Gorwill and Allen Tal-

Results of elections for the office of captain and manager in both intermediate and junior basketball teams have been announced. Vinc. Callaghan will captain the first team, while, Bill Beamer will act as manager.

Heart and Nerve Pills

Heart and Nerve Pills

have no equal as a remedy to strengthen the heart, invigorate the nerves, and build up the run-down placed in both teams. The senior placed in both teams. The senior will be entered in the inter-Western U. and much confidence is placed in both teams. The senior team will be entered in the intermediate and also in the City League. The juniors will participate in the scheduled games of the C. O. T. C.

PUPPY RESCUES THREE, THEN DIES IN FLAMES

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—"Puppy," just a mongrel dog, is dead after his barks had saved his master, mistress and their 8-months-old daughter.
"Puppy," aroused by smoke early Monday, barked until Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gramm were awakened and until he saw them safe in the home of a neighbor.

Then he dashed back into the house and was trapped in the flames.



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Full line of artistically designed baskets with plants.

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Make the Name of Gammage Your "Buy-Word" For Christmas Gifts

DO YOUR FLOWER SHOPPING EARLY.

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An early choice from our complete stock will give you the best selection. Gifts ordered now will be carefully; held for Christmas delivery.

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Extra fine quality and beautiful stock. Dunlops, Deep Pink, \$4.00, \$6.00. \$10.00 per dozen Columbias, Light Pink \$4.00, \$6.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 per dozen

Ophelias, Shell Pink, \$4.00, \$6.00, \$8.00 per dozen Madame Butterfly, Yellow with Pink...... \$4.00, \$6.00, \$8.00 per dozen Hoosier Beauties, Dark Red \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.00 per dozen Premier (Best Christmas Rose) \$6.00, \$8.00, \$12.00, \$15.00 per dozen Russell, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00, \$18.00 dozen

..... \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 per dozen A Special Christmas Box of Assorted Cut Flowers at \$2.50, \$4.00, \$6.00, \$10.00 each Baskets of Assorted Cut Flowers at Corsages of Roses, Violets and Orchids, assorted, from \$5.00 up Chrysanthemums, beautiful large flowers,

Royal, Beautiful New Pink ...

CARNATIONS

Paper White Narcissus.....\$1.50 per dozen Valley Lilles...\$5.00 per bunch of 25 sprays Violets (English), \$2.00 bunch of 25 flowers Calla Lilies \$5.00 per dozen Marigolds, extra large \$1.50 per dozen Orchids, Cattleya, Mauve \$2.00 each

Snapdragon, a glorious Pink \$3.00, \$5.00 per dozen Cut Fern 10c, 15c per spray Christmas Memorial Wreaths \$3.00, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00 each

Christmas Baskets of Flowering and Foliage Plants \$1.00 to \$25.00 each Azaleas, Deep Pink and Red.....

..... \$3.00, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00 each Cyclamen, all shades and colors...... \$2.00, \$3.00, \$5.00, \$10.00 each Begonias, Melior, beautiful Pink \$2.00 and \$3.00 each Begonias, Chatalane \$1.50, \$2.00 each

Christmas Cherry Plants \$1.00 cach

Boston Ferns, \$1.00, \$3.00, \$5.00, \$10.00 each



All orders, small or large, are given personal attention. There is something for every taste and purse. As Gifts De Luxe we have designed them to express your Greetings impressively and beau-

Gammage Leads In Floral Needs For Christmas

207 Dundas St. J. GAMMAGE & SONS

"Say It With Flowers!"

WENIGE PROMISES TO BUILD CITY HALL

the Federal Square Proposition.

HAS \$350,000 AVAILABLE

Will Appoint Committee to Report-Thinks Votes Justified Action.

dered The Advertiser definite assurance this morning that every reasonable effort will be extended in 1923 toward the actual construction of a they want their new administration building on the Federal Square, and should be ample encouragement for even the most skeptical, and I will include this in my inaugural ad-1

As further testimony that the traditional "city hall issue" is not to be nonchalantly relegated to its customary inferior position, the mayorelect explains that he is arranging a conference for today or tomorrow at the latest with Col. W. G. Coles. the "father of the scheme," who, it will be remembered, battled ten years ago as a member of the city hall committee of the council, for a city hall on the then McCormick property. Outline Plans.

Tentative plans for definite action early in 1923 will be outlined at this his views briefly today in this re-

"It is my intention," he said, "to suggest to and urge the new councillors to appoint a special committee to deal with the city hall question. I will then propose that a special committee of citizens, not occupying any confer with our group."

"We want to exchange views with the general public. We want to assure ourselves that the new building will as near as possible, under the "will have, according to the city treasure. In addition to this we should be able to dispose of our present quarters for \$100,000. With a muwill as near as possible, under the circumstances, meet with the approval of at least the greater bulk ner, the Spencer Block would be of the citizens.

Appoint Committee.

'I will insist upon a representaive committee of citizens, representative of all walks of life. That their ideas as well as our own. That is only right. It will be their hall. They are going to pay for it."

men, two manufacturers, and so forth | made.' or four of each or whatever number | "Then if it is the wish of the peothe councillors may deem fitting for ple the police headquarters and even

ratepayers still recollect his efforts Questioned in this respect, Col would confer with the new,

Lunches May Come and Dinners Go SHORTAGE OF WATER But Breakfasts Go Down Forever IS CAUSING ANXIETY

Will Make Start in 1923 on So Says Mayor Wenige and Fellow Exponents of Start- Feared That the Present Cold ing the Day Right-Others Remind "Discretion Gets the Better Part of Pallor."

London will eat its breakfast. Lon-, of breakfast foods. That is the attidon will devour the succulent steak. London will pounce upon its ham and eggs and demolish them mercilessly, efficiency or no efficiency. Try serving the town with a slice of dry toast and a banana for the meal Mayor-elect George Wenige tenwhich ushers in the business of the day and see what happens. It isn't done in London.

You may remove the institution of new city hall on the Federal Square. afternoon tea, and the ceremony will "To my mind," said Mr. Wenige, be relinquished without a pang; 'the people have stated plainly that there will scarcely be a sign that a change is made. You may banish the after-theatre supper and meet with but mild remonstrance. But, they have expressed this opinion by make just one move to emphasize a majority of 4,000 or more. That ment Old Man London will after you with blood in his orbs.

> "You may breakfast on toothpicks And crumbs when you wake— But give me the crunch Of a porterhouse steak."

With this battle-cry, the local and professional charges into the arena and eyes with defiance the emaciated devotees of diet as they glare pallidly across ramparts of crumpets and jam. Advice is nothing and talk calories useless. If death lurks in the products of boilers and frying the race still murmurs naught but "Oh, death where is thy sting? Better an omelet than a Hamlet stew gratification than sixty years

during the recent campaign he was by no means apathetic in his attitude toward the suggested sale property in question and the con-templated construction on the Spencer Block (the present location). Mayor-elect Wenige is most emphatic in his contention that position, be selected to be solved next year. "We have approximately \$350,000 available, or

Get Good Advice.

"With this sum at our disposal we should be able to go a good distance. two Labor delegates, two professional sible, suitable additions can be

the central fire hall can be incor-

tude of London citizenry. "You can't run an engine withou fuel." declared Mayor-Elect Wenige just before negotiating a secon helping of ham, eggs and corn muf-fins this morning. "Hearty break-fast, hearty lunch, hearty dinner, is my slogan. No one can work properly The girl at the switchboard cut off

the conversation between Mr. Wenige and The Advertiser. In a moment the lines were again connec "There's an example of ineffi-ciency," said Mr. Wenige. "That girl couldn't have had a good breakfast." "Business men require good break-fasts and substantial lunches," said ex-Alderman William A. Wilson. "An army travels on its stomach. So does a salesman. Better to have eaten

real."

"Personally, I prefer a glass of necessary articles owing to the vater and a biscuit," said one proming that farmers are buying vater and a biscuit, said one proming the products. water and a biscuit," said one prom-inent citizen who, being ashamed of

And still the conquering hordes of clean-shaven, scrubbed and correctly cravated business men sweep on, their myriad numbers led by a corpulent soul carrying a banner on which is engraved this strange device:

"LARGER LUNCHES FOR in this direction in past years, and Coles is particularly enthusiastic in

and gives definite assurance that he

give freely of his time to that

BAKER PROPOSES TO END CITY'S BUSINESS FOR YEAR

Calls Final Meetings of All Depart-ments This Week-Council Meetings End.

All outstanding municipal business ner, the Spencer Block would be worth \$100,000 of any person's will be "cleaned up" before the end bred Holstein consignment sale in the of this week, if City Clerk Sam Baker can have his way.

Final sessions of the town planning commission, and the board of list, the average price was well above should be the motto in 1923. Take Let us seek the advice of our best health are being held today at the \$200." the people into our confidence. Get experts and put up the best building regular hours, while it is proposed that we can for the money at hand, also to call the last gathering of the but we can undertake it in such a housing commission before Saturday. They are going to pay for it.

"For instance, the committee should consist of two businessmen, whenever, the city is financially pos- Friday if possible, when a few items of minor importance will be cleared

There will be no more regular com- milk out to the larger centers." mittee meetings of the city council As a staunch supporter of the Federal Square project, Col. Coles will be decided upon by the electors when, it is generally understood, that the members of the retiring council

Weather Will Aggravate Situation.

Toronto, Dec. 19.-Following is summary of reports made by the agricultural representatives to the Ontario department of agriculture: The comparatively empty condiion of many farm wells, which has causing considerable anxiety during the last month, or more, con tinues, and it is feared by some rep resentatives that the cold weather

may aggravate the situation. Grey claims that some farmers in the Meaford district had from 900 to 2,000 barrels of apples this year. As high as \$4,000 was paid for the product of some of the larger orchards. A farmer in Grey County sold nis sweet clover seed at from \$2,75 to \$3 a bushel, and averaged about \$27 an

According to the Renfrew repreand lost than never to have eaten sentative, local merchants are report-

water and a discuit," said one prominent citizen who, being ashamed of his dyspepsia, would not allow his name published. "Unhappy lies the man that eats a lobster."

"'A loaf of bread, a jug of wine and thou," would be more attractive with a beefsteak thrown in," said one words of Omar. "Me for the gourmand's feast."

And still the converger border of the gourmand's feast."

And still the converger border of the gourmand's feast."

Values of agricultural products.
The Algoma representative saw teen girls who are to take part are already deep in rehearsals for the stupendous production.

General committees were organized last week to cover every detail of the were better for all classes of live affair.

With Ald. John Greer as general ly dull at this season. Ordinary grade convener, J. Williams is chairman of cows sold at \$80 and better, while ood grades were worth all the way

from \$100 to \$1.5. Bruce reports: "Shipments of choice fat cattle left several stations during the past week. Two choice baby beef calves, weighing around 1,000 pounds, left Chesley this week and brought around 12c at Toronto These two calves were fed by boys in the baby beef competition. A carload of heavy draft horses shipped from Ripley recently were purchased for \$200 to

Brant states: "The price of fat cattle is not in keeping with the present price of feeding stock. Feeders have been sold as high as 6 cents per pound, although the average would be about 51/2 cents. At the same time fairly good butcher cattle are bought around 7 cents. Little pigs are selling at about \$12 per pair, although just now the demand has slackened somewhat, it requiring good pigs to bring that price some lambs were recently sold at 12 county 35 females brought an average price of \$189, while eight males averaged \$105. With the exception of two small females included in this sale

Milk is selling at \$2 per cwt in Frontenac, and butter-fat around 40 cents pound. Condensary price for milk standard quality in Elgin is \$2.10 per cwt.

factory patrons are letting their cows go dry. There are some, however, who are shipping either the cream or whole Brant claims that the increased price over ten years ago. of milk has created considerable interest in dairying, which is shown in the iner. A social hour was enjoyed and improved price of dairy cows at the a dainty supper was served at the

MENERAL MENERA

Rainy River says: "A busy winter is excepted in the bush. A quantity of pulpwood is already cut. Men are being paid \$4 per double cord for cutting. A good man can cut a cord per day."

KIWANIANS PREPARE FOR MINSTREL SHOW

Performance Guaranteed to Rival Anything Ever Presented in City.

As the inaugural event of the coming year, the Kiwanis Club are preparing their minstrel show, to be shown at the Grand Theatre, and guaranteed, on the honor of the association, to rival anything ever pre

and 16, and the twenty men and sixeen girls who are to take part are

convener, J. Williams is chairman of the show committee, with E. Knowles, Roy Williams, Sam Amero, C Martin and Ken Murray; J. B. Hay chairman of the ticket committee, with Fred Ross, George Dingman, J. Nash and R. Burns; Harry Morgan, chairman of the theatre and finance, with John Pollock, W. Bowley, B. B. Manning and E. Marley; and Harry Muir, chairman of the advertising committee, with Tom Yull, A. R. Ford and Wilfred Hodgins

TECHNICAL SCHOOL STAFF HONORS TWO MEMBERS

Principal H. B. Beal and Miss Agnes Stewart Are Recipients of Handsome Gift.

A happy affair of Monday evening was the presentation of a cabinet of silver by the night and day teaching staffs to Principal H. B. Beal and Miss Agnes Stewart of the Technical School, who are to be married on Christmas Day.

close of the evening classes by Messrs. J. A. Anderson and J. R. Haslett, of the night and day staff. Addresses were read, in which they Peterboro says: "Generally speaking, spoke of their long association with both Mr. Beal and Miss Stewart, both of whom were connected with the institution since its inception.

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Black or Brown Cowhide

CLUB BAGS

Bag, five-piece style, leather lined, sewed-in frame, lift catch, 18 inches.....\$15.00

Black or Brown Cowhide Bag, 3-piece style, leather lined, sewed-in frame, lift catches, 18 and \$22.00 20 inches

Black Walrus Grain Bag. leather lined, sewed-in-frame, lift catch, 18 and 20 inches \$10.00

Black Walrus Grain Bag, leather lined, lift catches -18 in., \$7.00. 20 in., \$8.00. Dolls' Trunks...\$2.00, \$2.50 Suit Cases, leather, \$8 to \$35 Music Cases, \$1.50 to \$10.00 Keytainers 40c to \$2.50

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THE BEAUTIFUL HOME IS A MAZE OF LAMPS

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A very attractive Lamp in brown mahogany finish; good wide base, two-light fixture with cord and plug, ready to attach. Lamp only \$11.00 each

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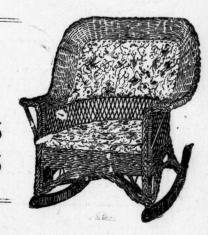
Fibre-Covered Trunks, 5-ply construction, heavy brass hardware, fancy lined. Prices \$15.00, \$17.00 to \$24.00 Canvas-Covered Trunks, fibre-lined, heavy brass hardware and corners. Prices \$8.10, \$9.00 to \$10.80 Metal-Covered Trunks, hardwood slats, heavy brass clamps and lock \$6.75, \$7.00 and \$7.25 Boston Bags, made of best cowhide leathers, fancy lined ... \$5.00, \$6.95 to \$10.00 School Bags, made of heavy strong cowhide leather, long straps and handle \$1.25, \$1.75 to \$3.50 Club Bag Fittings, ladies' and gents', Ebony Comb and Brush Sets \$10.00 and \$15.00 Wardrobe Trunks-Langmuir Hartman, three-quarter size

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CAN BE FOLLOWED

Assessors Say, However, Delinquents Are Rarely Chased

The cost is too excessive, they existence is not worth the ment the same year as the notice is submitted, although their basis of computation is the same as the local assured that the chances are that officials—the net income for the pre-

he will not be again bothered by the London authorities. If he returns to town, however, he automatically be-comes a speedy objective.

It is not so easy to beat the federal income tax, however, warn the assessors by reason of the fact that the tribute a whole year in advance of the municipal authorities. The latter will make their

From Town to Town.

Can delinquent income taxpayers be chased from one town to another?
The local assessors answer quite delisively in the affirmative, with the added assurance, however, that it is rarely if ever that such procedure is pursued.

The latter will make their pronouncement early next year, basing their charges upon the net earnings of 1922. They do not insist upon payment until the following year, however. This would allow, it seems, for a certain loss to the city, under normal conditions, as there are always those who leave for other fields of endeavor. Some of them never repursued.

Winnipeg, Dec. 18 .- John Murray, contractor, who constructed Winnipeg's

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WINDSOR JUNK DEALER STEALS

MANHOLE COVERS FROM STREETS

DEFIES WRECKERS

Men Must and Will Have

Right to Organize.

right to organize, and, by the gods,

Gompers, president of the American

audience here last night for the unity

and solidarity of labor, and inten-

sive organization of the labor move-

Tom Moore, president of the Can-

adian Trades and Labor Council,

spoke on immigration, urging his

listeners to protest against the un-

'prejudiced minds' that the Ameri-

DRY CHIEFS TO VIEW

CONDITIONS ON COAST

visit San Francisco, Los Angeles and several cities in Washington.

planned some time ago and had no

It was said Monday the tour was

brought here for ulterior purposes.

of immigration,

NEW YORK THIRST FILLS VALLEYFIELD WITH JOBS

Branded as "Provincial Government Bootlegging on a Large Scale," Business Flourishes in Quebec Border Towns-"Runners" Live on Magic Word, "Johnny Walker."

LADEN CARS SPEED FOR BOUNDARY

Flourishes in All Towns.

Memory Not Good?

representative turned towards the

And this is the business which

Valleyfield, Que. Dec. 19.—"That load of booze is going to New York," said the chief of police, pointing to a sleigh being loaded with bottles, "and I know the hootlesser for it's his man came out with a bottle and 50 I know the bootlegger, for it's his man came out with a bottle and 60

second trip today."

It was Chief Lemieux of Valleyfield who spoke, and he watched crowds and started for the second store. of men, each clutching money, filing in through swinging doors, filing out clasping a bottle of whiskey; he flourishes, in all degrees, in every watched the bottles being packed in Quebec border town. This is what a sleigh, saw them covered with a Brig.-Gen. Smart, Conservative M. P.

The chief sighed and started for the jail, which housed a Quebec farmer who dared rival the provincial liquor commission. He had sold cial liquor commission. He had sold second store had to be established a pint of whiskey, and thus the chief last June. turned his back on the best paying industry in Valleyfield, a business every bottle they sold to these groups which has solved the unemployment of men is going to the States, but problems, and a man who can say, they do not object. "Our business is

Johnny Walker," and who can carry to sell," said the manager of the largest store in Valleyfield to The Study this strange spectacle closely. It is staged on the main street of Valleyfield. Here are two liquor stores, managed by the provincial liquor commission. These stores open at 9 o'clock; at a quarter to the hour I don't have to sell at all if I don't groups of men gather in front of them. They talk in half whispers; "But I them. They talk in half whispers; they huddle in the lee of the structure to escape the stinging wind.

Begin to Mill.

By a closely they have a man is very drunk." "But doesn't the learning with the learning that the learning to the learning to the structure of the structure of the learning to the le

By 9 o'clock they begin to mill the law say that you can't sell one bout. One runs out and looks south bout it was asked. "Some interpret it was a sked. "Some interpret it was a sked." But goesn't the law say that you can't sell one man two bottles on the same day?" he was asked. "Some interpret it was a sked." "But I' think it about. One runs out and looks south down the road. "Voila." he cries; the others swing their arms to restore circulation. They stamp their feet They rub their hands. Business apart the same time." proaches. It is a sleigh carrying two people, a bootlegger and his assistant. It whirls to a halt with a clatter of bells and a flurry of snow.

The bootlegger now assumes a more man who is buying for the second dignified appellation. He becomes a time?" "Quite possible," replied the

As he steps from the sleigh the man crowd around him. He draws a roll of money from his pocket. To each man he hands a \$5 bill. The men file into the store and return and roll of money from his pocket. The man he hands a \$5 bill. The men file into the store and return a clear "There in a day?" he was men file into the store and return with a bottle. The jobber's assistant loads the bottles in the sleigh. It say," he called as The Advertiser's say," he called as The Advertiser's is driven to the second government representative turned towards the liquor store. The men follow, and door, "I can let you have all the wine here the performance is repeated, you want. You're not thinking of The sleigh goes down the south road that leads to the border.

The load is cached in the country. Finally several sleigh loads are eached and piled in a high-powered ear. A dark night and the booze is of police hove into sight again. shot through one of the unguarded "Don't think this has any attraction family has brandy on the Christmas" Valleyfield is but one of the many

A Dull Day.

The Advertiser visited Val- on. But it offers many advantages leyfield yesterday it was a dull day in the liquor market. A snow storm had blocked the highways. Only a small sleigh could get through. Yet business began as usual at 3 a.m. to the American pootiegger, and so his traffic is terrific. It is a town of 9,000 population. It is primarily a manufacturing town. Here are the Montreal cotton mills, planing mills, A round of the liquor stores discovered some thirty men. They were ployed, but in the winter when busmostly very old men, clad in ragged fur coats and tattered caps. They were retired farmers, these who made more on the 10-cent commission on every bottle they bought than they did on their farms. And there were also very young men, mere boys, who just eluded one of the few "Thou shall not" of the Quebec liquor com- guard them would require a battalion mission, which forbids sale to those of troopers, and so nature and the under 18 years.

man who differed from the lotter-

Dr. H. A. Stevenson Sure One Million Dollars Could Be Secured.

WOULD ASK GOVERNMENT

Sees Possibility for Erection of Quarters for National Exhibits

A spacious million-dollar "Domin ion" building for Western Fair. That London's fair grounds may shortly boast of such an addition was

suggested by Dr. Hugh Stevenson M.L.A. A strong deputation from rug, and unprotesting, saw the load disappear towards the American "Provincial government bootlegging on a large scale."

P. from Westmount, branded as this city, together with representations by the local federal members, might do the trick. The Advertiser might do the trick, The Advertiser was advised. The city of Toronto received a gift

of a huge exhibition building from the Dominion government. A few The liquor store officials knew that trade agent buildings were also erected in which made-in-Canada products were sold. This was but recently presented to the Queen City, and the local M.P.P. could see no Advertiser. Then he explained the reason why London should not be in line for a similar gift, without calling upon local citizens to pay a cent from their own pockets.

"The law says that I can only sell Citizens spoken to regarding the project were, of course, much in its favor. It was pointed out that the Western Fair was second only to Toronto Exhibition in the enthusiasm and progress which it exemplified. The Western Fair board, local members and a deputation or two could

no doubt, prevail upon the Dominion government to provide a palatial Dominion building several claim.

The opinion was voiced that only by aggressive work on the part of local organizations of a public-spirited nature, such as the Chamber of Commerce Rotary Club etc. "Perhaps, your memory is not so good. Suppose you don't recognize a an acquisition such as advocated by man who is buving for the second Dr. Stevenson be added to the city. of Commerce, Rotary Club, etc., could

INDIA WILL RETALIATE GOR ATTITUDE OF EMPIRE

Dissatisfied Because Other Colonies and Dominions Fail to Grant Equality.

Canadian Press Cable. doing a little business in Ontario, are Bombay, India, Dec. 19.-In furherance of the action of the cor-He was assured that the O. T. A. poration of Bombay in passing a resolution a month ago urging the of police hove into sight again. "Don't think this has any attraction boycotting of the various dominions service; we want progress, not reand colonies of the British Empire so far as placing municipal insurance evolution, not revolution." towns where this trade, strange product of prohibition, is being carried with any company therein was con-cerned, the Bombay Bureau of Indian Merchants has taken the matter up. The bureau has appointed a com-mittee to consider a resolution for audience here last night for the unity the adoption of retaliatory measures against "the British colonies where

dians are ill-treated. The proposed boycott is against ment, lumber yards. Many men are ambanks and insurance companies that are registered in the colonies and carrying on business in India. It is iness is slack they become "runners" Valleyfield is 38 miles from the who refuse to give effect to

these retaliatory measures.

The institution of the boycott follows closely after the return to India of Rt. Hon. Srinivasa Sastri, member of the Indian commission of state, over which a fast car can travel. To of the Indian commissi from his tour among the British do minions in the interests of the In-Quebec liquor law combine effective- dians resident therein Sastri's mission of trying to obtain equality of status for Indians in the

PARIS GIRLS TARGET OF AIR PISTOL DARTS

Paris. Dec. 19.-The theory was advanced yesterday that perhaps one reason why the police have made no progress in solving the mystery of the increasing numbers of w among the holiday crowds being stabbed with poison needles was because the "needle demons" were using air pistols from which the needles were discharged.

The carrying of such pistols in the searches for the stabber.
Some women, when jostled in crowds, make an outcry and often demand the arrest of innocent men. They insist they have been stabbed and complain of severe pain, but when examined, no traces are foun

MARITIME UNIVERSITIES

Los Angeles, Dec. 19.—Joseph F. Mikulee hasn't a heap of gold right now. But when he sells his only book he plans to buy a ranch and bis declining days.

1922, amounted to 1.890,833 nunured weight, valued at \$6,733,078, as compared with 1,341,098 hundredweight, valued at \$5,339,358, during Novemburge of this commodity Los Angeles, Dec. 19 .- Joseph F. Joe has walked around the world ber, 1921. of these voluntary marriages were forced by Allied police to go to Armenian homes. * Wile, 10; University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, 6; Prince of Wales, countries and has been reconcerned by the countries and democratic heads. he takes an occasional train ride. In his wanderings he has visited 26 during the same period reached countries and has been received by 100,810 hundredweight, valued at

WALKS AROUND WORLD

EIGHT TIMES—NOW TIRED

PIONEER CLERGYMAN DIES WHILE ON TRAIN

OF UNITED LABOR New York, Dec. 19.-Rev. Dr. Henry, Anstice, 81, Episcopal preacher and historian, died of heart dis-Samuel Gompers Declares ease on a Lackawanna train from Big Increase Registered in Montclair, N. J., yesterday, while on the way to his office in the church mistions house here.

Montreal, Dec. 19. — (Canadian Press).—"Our rational and natural labor movement must go on today. We do not deny the employers the 1904 until 1922 he was secretary of that body. labor movement must go on today. We do not deny the employers the that body.

they cannot deny us the right to **NEW YORK GUNMEN** organize! The only alternative is irrational revenge, which humanity wreaks on its oppressors. We want to live our lives; we want to be of

action; civilization, not barbarism; Concluding with the above, Samuel

pedestrian was wounded, two men at

pre-Christmas crime wave, Mr. Gompers opened his address by stating that nothing could be farther Shots peppered on walls and pavefrom the truth than the claim of ments as the fight was waged within two blocks of police headquarters. an Federation of Labor dominated Two crowded street cars were caught Canadian labor.

Two crowded street cars were caught

He warned that the growth of the between the barrages of bullets as

> also were forced to flee during the terrorism. Charles Palmer was the pedestrian who was wounded—he stepped from a doorway in the line of fire just as the battle began. Scores of police reserves were necessary to restore

Washington, Dec. 19.—Plans have been completed by the prohibition bureau for a survey of enforcement conditions in the far western states similar to that just completed by Commissioner Haynes in the south. a bootleggers feud. The fighting came LAST BOAT OF SEASON Haynes, accompanied by several of his bureau chiefs, will go to Port-land, Ore., on Jan. 18 and later will on the heels of a wave of crime and robbery that swept the city late yesterday and early last night. Among dozens of robberies and connection whatever with recent reports of narcotic dealings in that

> NEWSPRINT EXPORTS. Ottawa Dec. 19 .- Exports of Cana-Exports of this commodity

CANADIAN EXPORTS OF GRAIN DOUBLED

-Moyer

—BY HARRY MOYER

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LOVE!

BREACH OF PROMISE SUITS

CHIEFLY INSPIRED BY DESIRE

BRITISH JUDGE

RUMMY RHYMES

PAY DAY COMES BUT ONCE A WEEK

BUT WE COULD STAND 'EM_SO TO SPEAK-

THIRTEEN OUTTA 'LEVEN!

OR ONE DAY OUTTA SEVEN

FOR REVENGE ACCORDING TO

T-TWO

T-THREE

Wheat, Oats and Barley in 1922.

The Canadian Press.

Ottawa, Dec. 15 .- Exports of Cancreased 26,061,940 bushels in quantity, and \$30,313,131 in value, over

of Bullets in Fight Near
Police Station.

November, 1921.
Exports of rye during November this year amounted to 2,703,818 bushels, valued at \$2,192.393 as against 534,041 bushels, valued at \$34,041 bushels, valued at \$537,409 during November, 1921.
Exports of ore during November are accepting Turkey's and the flight of airplanes, except Turkey's machines, would be prohibited.

Could Grant Passage.
However. In absolutely isolated and exceptional cases, and for definite purposes Turkey by special deveather coming just before the holi-

WOODSTOCK MAN DIES AT HOME IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg. Man., Dec. 19.-George labor movement was being impeded the bandits shot at each other from by employers, who interject the quesbehind building corners. Motormen daughter, Mrs. Harry Limmert, St. by employers, who are their cars out of the danger zone.

benind building corners. Motormen daughter. Mrs. Harry Limmert, St. adopt proper steps to safeguard her danger suburb, from the effects of a neutrality. In exceptional cases she likes were forced to flee from their cars out of the danger zone. added that "the sicking of the workers on to each other" was "part of got their cars out of the danger zone.

fall Mr. Robinson had resided with could permit the passage of light burning homes, or apartments, one neutral warshing events and appropriate the passage of light burning homes, or apartments, one of the passage of light burning homes, or apartments, apar Scores of motorists and pedestrians his daughter for a year and a half. Mrs. Limmert left yesterday with the body for Woodstock, Ont., where plane of a neutral cour burial will be made. She was ac-Masterman. Another sister, Mrs. A. T. Leffler, resides at Ingersoll, Ont., and two sons at Toronto and Leam-

ON WAY TO MICHIGAN SOO

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 19 .- The pickpocket cases reported to police tug Sabin, with the steamer Emperor was the theft of jewelry, valued at is on her way up to the Soo, and wil recent \$100,000, from Alicia Winterburn, a be the last boat up this season. The concert singer, during a trip she made steamer Glenlyon locked down yester to a studio, and the hold-up of a day, but will stay here until the department has made into recent albank messenger, in Brooklyn, by ban-

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON TO CARNEGIE'S DAUGHTER

New York, Dec. 19.-The birth of a about eight times, covering more to the United States during Novembra 200,000 miles. He started from ber 1922, reached 1,714.253 hundred-was announced today. The mother is Croatia, Jugo-Slavia, in 1901. Now weight, valued at \$6.113.346. Exports Mrs. Roswell Miller, only child of the of newsprint paper to Great Britain ironmaster. She was married to Mr the same period reached Miller, now an instructor in New York University, on April 23, 1919. A daughter was born to them in June, 1920. A Nice "Little" Present From Bella Donna.

ATTACKS WORK

Tchitcherin Declares Proposals Concerning Straits Are Directed Against Russia.

Foreign Minister States Allied Plan Will Expose Southern Coast.

Lausanne. Dec. 19 .- "Organized impotence" was the definition which M. Tchitcherin, the Russian foreign incendiarism and bombing last night. minister, gave of the League of Nations during a heated debate between him and Lord Curzon yesterday in a plans for control of the Turkish traits

"The United States, Germany and Russia do not recognize the league," said Tchitcherin. "The league is not even able to control a single Polish the home of Gordon Campbell, son of general in Vilna. It is unable to ac- Lord Glenavy, the senate chairman, dispute. What good are the guarantees of such an organization?"

Tchitcherin declared that the al- day. lied proposals for the regulation of Rebel leaders, aware that the death the straits were directed against sentences were to be carried out at Russia, and put a premium navalism and militarism."

"These proposals," he added, "are lesigned to separate Turkey and designed to separate Turkey and hours, heard the distant explosions (1) Russia. It is an allied scheme which bombs being hurled by their friends. offers fallacious protection to Turkey, but grants passage of the key, but grants passage of the straits to warships, which would expose Russia's south coast to attack. The project forces Russia to arm and the guarantees are completely illusionary for Turkey."

The project forces Russia to arm a house, the location of which is unknown. With them a quantity of stolen goods, rifles and ammunition was found. usionary for Turkey. Propositions Differ.

urzon called attention to the fact

at Russia and Turkey are far apart their propositions. The three members of the United States delegation all attended the session, but made no remarks; they have expressed no oninion about the allied proposals.

Lord Curson refused to consider

Lord Curson refused to consider CRIME FOLLOWS ence of the straits question to the sub-commission for reconsideration, and this subject was to be taken up adian wheat in November, 1922, in-creased 26,061,940 bushels in quan-

cherin for the regulation of the Turk-ish straits was given out in sum-

the reports of November of 1921, according to a report last night by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Exports of Canadian wheat during November this year amounted to 55,315,972 bushels, valued at \$62,
The straits was given out in summarized form.

Chapter one provides for confirmation of Turkey's sovereignty over the straits, the latter being defined as including the Straits of Dardarselles, Sea of Marmora, the Bosphorus and the Aegean Islands.

Chapter two declares that by Pedestrians Wounded by Hail

of Bullets in Fight Near

November this year amounted at \$62,137,665 as compared with 29,254,034
bushels, valued at \$31,834,534 during November, 1921.
Exports of rye during November

November this year amounted at \$62,Chapter two declares that, by virtue of a principle "a long time crime stalked with the cold wave which continued to hold Chicago in including submarines of all navies, including submarines of all navies, excepting Turkey's and the flight of the comparatures, which prevaile

were arrested, and crowds for blocks, near Grand and Mott streets, were thrown into a panic last night, when into a panic last night, when in November, 1921.

Barley exports advanced from 1,482,206 bushels, valued at \$1,102,119, crees duly published could authorize the passage of light warships, submining excluded. The tonnage limit of these warships would be 6,000, and the city, police declared.

November, 1921, to 2,307,327 the gun-calibre limit, 15 centimetries. Acute suffering was reported among the could not include the could authorize the passage of light warships, submining the could not be compared to the city, police declared. Passage would not include the right to landings in the straits or the discharge of war material, and the commander of each warship would be required to give previous announcement of his intentions to pass so the Turkish authorities could verify the authorization

Winnipeg. Man., Dec. 19.—George During war time, in case Turkey skidding auto—the fire departmen was neutral, all merchantmen could has had hardly a mement's rest in the lest three days. neutral warships, except but no warship or airplane of a bel-ligerent power and no military air-

BLAMES IMMIGRANTS FOR THEIR FAILURES

Australian Department Claim Men Do Not Regard Advice of Authorities.

ondon, Dec. 19.—(Canadian Press dicated another cold wave would able).-The Australian immigration epartment in London is responsible for the statement that inquiries the department has made into recent al- SHIP 16,933,900 POUNDS Tugs will then escort the migration system, particularly two latter down the river, and close regard to ex-service men, who had navigation as far as the freight carsettlers, have shown failures are almost entirely confined to men who persisted in immigrating

against the advice of the department.

The matter of misfits among immigrants was brought prominently to public notice recently in a speech made by Earl Haig, who warned ex-service men to look closely into immigration schemes before deciding to migrate from Great Britain, and tated that a certain governor had cabled to him, asking for \$1,000 to help some ex-service men, who were overseas in a destitute condition. Later, it was stated in a dispatch rom Sydney that it was Sir Walter Davidson, governor of New South Wales, who had cabled Earl Haig. and he had done so at the request of the British Ex-Service Men's As-

WILL PROCEED WITH SUIT AGAINST TWO INSPECTORS

Ottawa. Dec. 19.-The supreme court action for \$10,000 damages which was some time ago brought by Charles Charlebois against Adelard Goulet and Joseph H. H. Langevin, inspectors of the inland revenue department, which arose out of inpectors searching the premises of Mr. Charlebois for liquor-manufacuring utensils, is to proceed. Such is the decision of Mr. Justice Riddle, who, in weekly court, dismissed a motion brought on behalf of the inspectors to have the plain-

Irish Insurgents Fight Soon After Evacuation by Soldiers Completed.

WOULD BLOCK WARSHIPS SEVEN PRISONERS SHOT

Demonstration Outside Dublin Prison as Free Staters Inflict Death.

Dublin, Dec. 19.-Irish Republican insurgents renewed their warfare of less than 24 hours after British troops were withdrawn from the island.

Two bombs were, thrown against ession devoted to the discussion of the building housing the Irish Independents, only one exploding. It blew in a doorway as the 'auto load of rebels, that swept past hurling the missiles, fled. Armed men stormed and burned

complish anything in the Lithuanian | The house was practically destroyed. Seven more insurgents were executed by Free State authorities to-

on daybreak, ordered demonstrations in the vicinity of the jails where the prisoners were confined. The doomed men, in their last

who dashed about the streets in fas motor cars.

was found. The men were tried by a military committee and sentenced to death on the charge of train wrecking.

The sentence was carried out a 8:30 o'clock this morning.

IN PATH OF COLI-

Fires Reported in Sections of Chicago.

pedestrian was wounded, two men at \$2.239.651, as compared with nite purposes Turkey by special deverges, valued at \$1,102,119, in November, 1921.

submarines, the wind-swept streets, clad in night clothes. Ninety per cent of the fire neutral country would be fire department officials said. air- were caused by overheated furnace

Pickpockets, shoplifters, second story workers, and hold-up mer worked overtime; police headquarter was deluged with reports of rob beries, ranging from a few dollars to thousands.

"Cold weather always brings n crime," police said, "so does the holi day season. Combine them, and we have a bad situation." The weather bureau predicted mod erating temperature tonight, but in follow at the end of the week.

OF SUGAR TO BRITAIN

Ottawa, Dec. 19. Canadian sugar to amount of 15,680,000 pounds, wi value of \$1.134.756, was exported to Great Britain during November this year. The total export of Canadian sugar for the month was 16,933. 900 pounds, with a value of \$1,219,-

Newfoundland was Canada's next best sugar customer during November this year, when 610,505 pounds with a value of \$43,269, was exported to the ancient colony. Only 2,510 pounds, with a value of \$174, was exported to the United States.

VANCOUVER STRUGGLES AS STREETS FLOODED

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 19 .-- Van ture yesterday proved a mixed bless-ing when flood conditions resulted from melting of the snow which ha accumulated during the last ten day. f wintry weather. streets when water short-circuited the motors. A bridge across the Frase was washed out, tying up a whole suburban trolley service.

Thousands of exasperated citizens struggled to drive automobiles or to foot it through six inches of slush.

THREE SPANIARDS KILLED. London, Dec. 19. The Moroccat tribesmen throughout Sunday kep up a constant rifle and cannon fire against the Spaniards and improved their position at Tizzi-Aza, ward of Dar Quebbanes, near tiff's statement of claim set aside on the ground that it disclosed no cause for action.

DROP OF DOLLAR **UPSETS GERMANY**

Expected Cut in Price of Mer- Accuse Police of Tearing Forchandise Fails to Materialize.

London, Dec. 19.—Berlin dispatches printed here today assert that the sudden fall of the dollar to approximately 5,000 marks, following rumor

Special to the Advertiser.

Lausanne, Dec. 19. — Inter-Allied in the midst of a crowd might explain why the helpless victim vainly of a United States loan, had strange sanctity of Turkish homes during the and startling results in Germany last occupation of Constantinople," the week-end. The writers say that the whole country was bewildered and that everybody's calculations, long adjusted to holding the dollar at homes. completely upset.

The people, to whom every rise in prices has been represented as due to the rise in the dollar, logically expected that its fall would be immediately followed by a drop in the cost of living, and on this assumption housands of persons thronged Berlin's shopping district on Sunday in hope of indulging in purchase hitherto beyond their means. It was "Silver Sunday." the last Christmas on which the police allow the shops to be open, and the shop pers were confident that prices would be away down. To their disappoint ment, however, the merchandise they had longed for was as high as ever and consequently they bought little The tradesmen, taking notice of the peculiar situation, on Monday marked their goods down 20 per cent. but it was too late. The people, halfexpectant that a further rise of the mark would bring another price cut. kept their purse strings tight, and large Christmas stocks remaining o

SEVEN KILLED IN CLASH BETWEEN RIVAL FACTIONS

Special to The Advertiser. Turin, Dec. 19.—Two Fascisti and five Communists were killed and fif-teen persons were wounded in a fight between these factions on the pre-mises of the Chamber of Labor to-

The offices of the Communist Daily Ordine Nuevo were burned.

HOME DESPOILERS

mer Christian Women

Special to The Advertiser.

homes, tearing former Christian wives and their children from the something like 8,000 marks were arms of their husbands and against their will, returned the women to their Armenian domiciles, the memo charged. Stories that Christian women were forced into Turkish harems were charged as "legendary."

When the modern Turk marries a

Christian woman the marriage

for the bootleggers.

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HERE EGYPT WE'RE

GOIN' TO HAS WHAT

DEY CALL PYRAMIDS,

AINT DAT 50?

job, and to help quench New York's TURKS CALL ALLIES

twined in a network of small roads,

By HENRY WOOD.

voluntary on her part, and she accepts the religion of the husband in

From Husbands.

A sleigh drove up and out stepped by to give every man in Valleyfield a

of needle wounds.

TO ATTEND CONFERENCE Halifax, N. S., Dec. 19.-Maritime universities and colleges will be represented at the first National Conference of Canadian Students at Toconsequence, it was asserted.

The Turkish delegates declared hundreds of babies and older children Allison, Sackville, 20; Acadia, Wolf-

> Keeping Up With the lones. SURE BELLADONNA! WHEN ONE SPEAKS OF PYRAMIDS; YOU STANDS FO' IM MEDIATELY EGYPT! THINK OF EGYPT!









Make Boxing Draw Tonight 🕸 L.A.A.A. To Announce Fund Total 🕸 Western U Five Lose

Get 27 Entries For Garrison **Boxing Tourney Next Week**

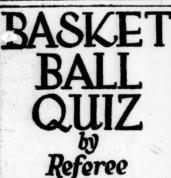
Draw Will Be Made Tonight At Executive Meeting-Some Good Amateur Records Accompany Entry Forms.

announcement of the garrison boxing will also help with other matters of committee, and this means some in- organization for the meet, as his long armordes on Dec. 27. None of your details in connection with the staging pros, with their sister and twin acts, of a tournament of this kind. those, but amateurs willing to show everything they've got, and no pulling made at a meeting of the Garrison of teh old sock, if they've got one.

ought to send the amateur firstic game in London off to a rousing start. Two entries came in from the Duferin Rifles, but as the Dufferin Rifles are located in Military District No. 2, and only entries from militia units in the local district are eligible, they had to be turned down. However, the next tourney will probably be thrown open to the world-or, at least, the Ontario portion of it. Or, again, the winners of this tourney may be sent up against he hest men in No. 2 district, of which

Toronto is headquarters. good amateur records accompanying their applications, and there will be some surprises in store for the fans. All the local units have been maintainng an attitude with regard to their entries that would make the Sphinx isten like a talkative party, and this gives some speculation as to the mittfest in purely local circles.

The committee is being congratulated for having secured Lieut. Blake, physical director of Central Collegiate, formerly boxing instructor at Toronto



Has the referee the right to grant a tree trial for goal if after a decision some player conduct himself in an unsportsmanlike manner?

The referee certainly has the right to give the opposing team a free trial for goal for such conduct on the part of a player.

Is there any limit as to the substi-tutes that may be used in a game? There is no limit as to substitutes, but a player who has been removed from the game except for four personal fouls or a disqualifying foul, shall have the right to re-enter the game only

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A "Red Bird" **Bicycle** A REAL GIFT

Twenty-seven entries to date is the University, as referee. Lieut. Blake milling for the show at the experience will be of value in the many

The draw for the tournament will be Athletic Association executive tonight There are some with records and at the armories, and will be announced some with hopes, and the resulting mix in the press of Wednesday morning. Sanction of the Ontario Boxing Con mission has been applied for.

call Vezina, the veteran goalkeeper of the Montreal Canadiens, "Le vieux aux the Montreal Canadiens, "Le vieux aux d'aigle,"—old Eagle Eye—and Benedict, of Ottawa "Prayers," while Hamilton fans have not quite decided whether in everything with the exception of they will call Verny Forbes, their new cage guard, "Houdhil" or "Wizard." The sore-tonsilled Hamilton howlers left Percy Thompson's arena Saturday night after Tiger's overtime victory over Ottawa, saying "Ain't that Forbes a Wiz" So it is a safe wager the Toronto boy will be in future known as "Wiz" Forbes. Will someone please "Wiz" So it is a safe wager the Toronto boy will someone please "Wiz" Forbes. Will someone please "Wiz" Wiz" Forbes. Will someone please "Wiz" Forbes. Will someone please "W The sore-tonsilled Hamilton howlers left Percy Thompson's arena Saturday night after Tiger's overtime victory over Ottawa, saying "Ain't that Forles a Wiz?" So it is a safe wager the Toronto boy will be in future known as "Wiz" Forbes. Will someone please suggest a niciname for John Ross Roach? John Ross Roach John Ross Roach John Ross Roach is too sisslified. Johnny Roach has no mannerisms which suggest a has no mannerisms which suggest a nom de hockey. He is quite unassuming, but goldanged effective. The only thing he likes outside of hockey is work —and lots of it. The only diminutive he ever gets is John Ross Roach. The Star is open for suggestions for a new Star is open for suggestions for a new label for J. R. R.

Jack Adams, the ex-St. Pat player, returned to his old team today in trade for Corbect Dennenay, the speedy, fashy forward. Adams belongs to Victoria Cougars of the Pacific Coast League. Business kept him from going west this season. Dennenay wanted to try a season on the coast, so the trade was made with the Patricks. The Cougars are a speedy hard way they counter.

Toronto, Dec. 18 .- Lou Marsh, who refereed the Hamilton-Ottawa game
Saturday, has the following comment in

today's Toronto Star:

The exhibition of goal tending by Verny Forbes, the Toronto boy, given at Hamilton Saturday night for the Tigers, when the Tigers beat Ottawa 4 to 3, in overtime was simply marvelous. Nothing else describes it. But for Forbes the team would have beaten There any limit as to the substitutes that may be used in a game?

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side for shots.

As a matter of fact they let 90 per cent of their drives from outside Reise and Corbeau, for these two burly blacksmiths, in the opening spasm, just let the old puck slide and rammed into the Senators with every ounce they had.

OTTAWAS ALL O. K.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—The Ottawa Hockey Club's squad after its first road trip of the season, which resulted in defeat after a thrilling overtime match at Hamilton Saturday evening, returned to the capital last night. All the players came through the match at Hamilton in good shape, and they will make their first local appearance of the national league championship season at the Arena Wednesday night, when they play the Toronto St. Patricks, champions of the world and holders of the Stanley Cup. Stanley Cup.

The Ottawa management and players had no kicks to make concerning their defeat at Hamilton, though the match appears to have been a nip and tuck affair.

G.W.V.A. FINAL BILLIARD

MATCH ON TOMORROW The final match in the G. W. V. A. billiard tournament will be played off at the club rooms Wednesday at 9 p.m. Comrades T. O'Neil and J. Saunders are the finalists, and the winner will receive a prize donated by the executive of the association.

Does he like a good old-fashioned shape or is he susceptible to the latest London fads and fancies?



BEWARE OF IMITATIONS Genuine Kola Briars, Plain or Crusted, are sold at

"An old friend

ONE DOLLAR

Over 100 different shapes and styles to choose from.



Chicago, Ill. Dec. 18.—Filling the shoes vacated by the famous Frank Chance—well, it isn't done more than once in a decade or more.

Frank Chance was the idol of Chicago, a star in the National League, a successful manager and an artist as a first baseman.

WITH THE PUCK

CHASERS

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Where was his successor? At least, one of his ability.

Look how long the Pirates toured to got a duplicate of Honus Wagner?

And from 1911 when Chance realized that his playing days were over the Chicago Cubs toured for 10 years for a first baseman. They came in all ages and sizes. In the spring of 1921 a gawky, awkward kid named Raymond of the Montreal Canadiens "La wise and sizes. In the spring of 1921 a gawky, awkward kid named Raymond of Cosar Grimes was purchased. Oscar Grimes was purchased.

Another edition of Frank Chance has

average of 354, possesses a total base record of 291 and had 45 doubles, 12 triple; and 14 home runs. Chance didn't hit 'em like that.

BATTERYMEN AND C.O.T.C. WIN TILTS

Goodman and Cook Engage in Close Duel-C. O. T. C. Blank Hospital.

The 12th Battery beat the Machin Gunners in the first game at the gars get a speedy, hard-working young-ster, who will go big out where body checking is frowned upon, while the Irish get a sturdy lad who can stand heavy work. Adams is a goal-getter.

armories last night by the score of 9 to 8. The 12th Battery played the game with six players, and managed to win, with B. Cook pitching a wonderful game and striking out eight. He also game and striking out eight. He also got three hits out of four time up.

it, the 1b.; Grace, 2b.; Goodman, c.; Goodman, often p.; Nichols, l.s.; Morton, l.f.; McQueen

p.; Nichols, l.s.; Morton, l.f.; McQueen, r.f.; Salivenski, r.s.
In the second game the C. O. T. C. whitewashed the Westminster Hospital by 9 to 0. Blackwell, pitching for the C. O. T. C., was invincible and received brillant support.
The line-ups:
Westminster Hospital — Birmington, Warren, McClean, Burgess, Horne, Horde, Hosie, Nichol.
C. O. T. C.—Calders, Lucknow, Blackwell, Coleman, Wells, Lewis, Baylie, Rose.

L. AND D. TO MEET

Will Pass Accounts at General Meet-ing Wednesday Night in Armories.

Wednesday night the London and District Soccer Association will hold a general meeting, at which the passing of accounts will be one of the main items. The annual meeting will come later.

Wednesday night's meeting is slated at 8 o'clock for the armories. It marks about the second last official meeting of the L. and D. before the annual meeting, when officers will be elected.

L.A.A.A. FUND TOTAL S. P. A. Senior Final DID LANDIS WIN DUE IN TONIGHT

Those in Touch Declare. START WORK ON RINK

Campaign Huge Success,

General Workout At Ordered For Intermediates and May Hit Ice

Tonight's meeting of the L. A. A. A. will be an important one, in view of the fact that the results of the preliminary campaign for funds will be made known. All week the campaign has been car-

Wednesday.

ted on through the various organizations and social clubs of the city, the members of which have not only pur hased their own tickets but acted as covered a great deal of the city. Tonight, further plans will be formy ated, so that the city may be more completely covered, and nobody denied the privilege of helping the good caus

Westminster Rink. Ice is available in the old part of the rink and will be used contractors will have the job complete In plenty of time for the opening of

The intermediates will workout at the "Y" gym tonight, and Coach Walden expects the whole squad out. The new omers to the city especially are reuested to get out and meet the rest of

BELMONT DRIVING CLUB GIVES UP CIRCUIT RACING

armories last night by the score of 9 of directors of the Belmont Driving to 8. The 12th Battery played the game | Club has announced that the grand circuit races in Philadelphia will no onger be held under its auspices. At Goodman, pitching for the Gunners, received poor support the managed to connect the same time, it was announced that the track had been leased to J. C. Hermann of Philadelphia for 20 years. The plan of the lessee is to reduce

port, but he managed to connect for two home runs. Bud Goodman, his brother, caught a good game, and the Gunners, when they get a team shaken out, have what looks to be the niftiest battery in the league.

The line-ups:
12th Battery—Murphy, Livermore, Ib.; Thwaites, 2b.; B. Cook, p.; F. Cook, Thompson, field.

Machine Gunners—Lauc, 2b.; Fisher, Machine Gunners—Lauc, 2b.; Fisher, Ib.; Grace, 2b.; Goodman, c.; Goodman, the brother track from a mile to a half-mile, to enable the holding of a county fair each year. The arrangement will prevent the staging of the grand circuit races in Philadelphia.

JUNIOR S. P. A.

St. Marys 4, Varsity 2.

Due Wednesday

Toronto, Dec. 18 .- The final senior 8 A. game will be played Wednesday P. A. game will be played Wednesday, when Varsity seniors will meet Kitchener. The Blue and White have already demonstrated that they are going to be championship contenders. They defeated Granites by 2 to 1 in the opening game of the season and then defeated Aura Lée by 4 goals to 1 in an overtime game. Kitchener made a lot of friends for themselves by their clever 4 to 1 victory over Argonauts last Wednesday. Those old players, George Hiller, Hillman, Karges and Trushinski, can always be relied upon to pull off some surprise plays, and Wednesday night should be no exception to the rule.

GARRISON CAGERS

W. O. R. vs. R. C. R. and Hus-

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Pear	Is.		
A. McCue	207	189	163- 559
A. Elllott		139	177- 442
C. Goodhand			169- 452
W. Legg		224	211- 586
Totals	633	686	720-2039
Pica	8.		
G. Delaney	126	133	136- 395
H. Cameron		117	172- 445
W. Vincent		168	163-498
J. McLean		140	214 524
Totals	619	558	685-1862

GOOD INDOOR BILL IS COMING WEDNESDAY

Wednesday night's indoor baseball together, and should provide the with some thrilling stuff. with some thrilling stuff.

The 1st Hussars take on the W. O. R. in the first mix, and R. C. R. play the 12th Field Battery in the second. The work of Cook, the youthful hurler of the batterymen, against the R. C. R. hard-hitting outfit will be watched with interest.

1 first Between 7

The reason why the Prairie professional clubs can carry such large rosters and pay such fairish salaries in view of apparently hard times, is that 10,000 people turned out to see the two exhibition tilts with St. Pats, one at Calgary and the other at Edmonton.

and the other at Edmonton.

Though there are those prone to fear the ultimate dominance of athletics in schools, apparently in view of the ever-increasing tributes paid to sport on staid editorial pages throughout this continent, this fear isn't general, as witness this tribute to the accomplishments of the Hamilton Collegiate Institute in the Hamilton Herald editorial page:

"It was worth while to signalize the fine athletic record made this year by Hamilton Collegiate Institute students by the public presentation of prizes last evening The record is a remarkable one—probably unsurpassed by that of any high school in Canada or even on the continent. The intrinsic value of the large collection of cups and other trophies won by these boys is nearly \$4,000, many of them won in competition with the best representative athletes of United States schools.

PARIS TEAMS PUT IN

GOOD FAST WORKOUTS

Paris, Dec. 18.—Paris junior and intermediate 0. H. A. teams had several good practices in the local runk last week, and are shaping up well. Great interest is being manifested in the junior team, which is said to be the best here in years.

Paris hockeyists are well satisfied with the O. H. A. grouping.

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"Whether or not the old Duke of Wellington really said that the battle of Waterloo was won on the Eton cricket field, the saying indicates a truth. Charmaniness of character in boys—self-control, fairness, magnanimity toward opponents, patience and good temper—is an education more to be desired than one which makes all-important the acquirement of learning. Depend upon it, the victorious young athletes of the H. C. I. will be the better citizens because of the hours spent in training and in competition under the skillful eye of Captain

BY AHREN.



Minors Can't Figure Out How New Surplus Player Rule Will Work.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER. ecial to The Advertiser—Copyright New York, Dec. 18.-Minor league club-owners are only today beginning to realize, as was pointed out in this column last week, that the joint meeting in New York will not result as nicely for them as they had at first believed, despite the fact that the draft believed, despite the fact that the draft itself was not changed.

The action taken by the major league relative to the placing of their surplus players with minor league clubs solely on the basis that they may be drafted was a complete surprise. And a peculiar thing was that the minors did not at first realize what this meant. It may make a lot of trouble letter and

Sars and C. O. T. C. Is

Opening Bill.

The Garrison Basketball League opens its season tonight at the armories. W. O. R. cagers meet R. C. R. in the first set-to, billed at 7:45, and Western "U" C. O. T. C. take on the 1st Hussars in the second game. G. Walnwright of Western "U" will officiate at the opening games.

In may be passed over passively.

Some of the class AA clubs feel that Commissioner Landis indirectly won his point about the draft law, and they are very much wrought up over it.

Under the new rule the players who are put out by the majors must be accepted by all minor league ciubs, whether the clubs favored or opposed the draft, with the understanding that all such players shall be subject to draft when the drafting season rolls officiate at the opening games.

This is a reward for loyalty and worth-while service. It enables the veteran to make any deal that he believes will prove best financially. It is probable that Miller will catch on as a playing manager, as he is whether the clubs favored or opposed the draft, with the understanding that all such players shall be subject to draft when the drafting season rolls around.

BRITISH SOCCER DRAW.

London Dec 12 Canadian.

the 1st Hussars in the second game. G. Wainwright of Western "U" will officiate at the opening games.

The Garrison Basketball League will have the services of some of the best basketballers of the city. R. C. R., to whom basketball is more or less of a new game, have been practicing steadily, and believe they'll be able to open with a win. Some of the others have gathered in some good squads, Machine Gunners playing the Central Collegiate Firsts, who are members of the Collegiate Machine Gun Piatoon.

The Garrison League will perhaps be in affiliation with the newly-formed London and District Basketball League, and will be doing its share in the development of new players.

TENPINS

all such players shall be subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they are subject to draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they draft if the option is exercised, but if it is not exercised they draft if the option is exercised.

but they can't conceive that the majors will ever permit that to happen.
On the contrary, if the minor league clubs opposed to the draft accept players with the stipulation that they may be drafted, they are placed in the extraordinary dilemma of being opposed to the draft and yet yielding to the draft, which has netted them so much.

much.
On top of this draft provision there is the added blow to the minors of tie-ing up fifteen players for each major league by optional agreement, a total of 240 men. These are under the direction and control of the big league clubs, being merely temporarily at school in the minors.

The real high-class baseball players of the United States do not exceed 600 in number. That is perhaps an excess.

of the United States do not exceed 600 in number. That is perhaps an excessive figure. If of the 600 the major league owners have the full total under their domination in one way or another, it is easy to see why the minors are furious that the majors' grip has been tightened; in fact, more tightening than it has ever been since the new agreement went into effect. And it has all come about because the major league owners are mad over having to pay, as they call it, \$25,000 for a \$2,000 player.



Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 18 .- After a career extending over 13 years in the Brooklyn Superbas has passed out of the big show.

Miller was presented with his unconditional release, as is customary with all players who have served for 10 or more consecutive years in the big show.

This is a reward for loyalty and worth-white service. It enables the veteran to make any deal that he believes will prove best financially.

It is probable that Miller will catch on as a playing manager, as he is

competition proper for the associaion cup resulted as follows: Portsmouth vs. Leeds. Merthyr vs. Wolverhampton. Huddersfield vs. Birmingham. Aberdare or Carlisle vs. Preston. Chelsea vs. Rotherham. Plymouth vs Notts County. Derby vs. Blackpool. Bradford City vs. Manchester

Queens Park Rangers vs. Crystal Everton vs. Bradford Swindon vs. Barnsley Notts Forest vs. Sheffield United. Liverpool vs. Arsenal. Cardiff vs. Watford. Blyth Spartans vs. Stoke. South Shields vs. Halifax. Wednesday vs. New Brighton. Hull vs. West Ham. Sunderland vs. Burnley. Oldham vs. Middlesbrough West Bromwich vs. Stalybridge of Bristol Rovers. Norwich vs. Bolton.

Bury vs. Luton. Manchester City vs. Chariton. Bristol City vs. Wrexham. Newcastle vs. Southampton. Tottenham vs. Worksop. Leicester vs. Fulham.

WESTERN FIVE LOSE TO YANKS Do Great Come-Back in Sec-

ond Half After Bad Start.

'U" JUNIORS LOSE, TOO

Beaten by "Y" in Exhibition-Shamrocks Win Substitute Mix.

Penalties and stage-fright put Western "U" Firsts off their game in the majors, Catcher Otto Miller of the first half of their exhibition at the "Y" gym last night with the crack North western College crew from Napierville Miller was presented with his unsession, but they did a surprising come back in the second half, and held the

crowd saw the game. The invaders lived up to advance notices in everything except that they to the Canadian game. Having scored their first three points on penalties, they became confident, took their time to do accurate passing, and played a straight combination down toward the basket. Western meanwhile wandered around sort of dazed on the defensive, and with most of their passing being intercented.

Intercepted.

In the last half they did much better. They had more than a share of the play; they got off some good combination, but missed many chances to score through lack of accurate shooting V. Callaghan, who did some sterling work in the first phase, combined with Johns in turning the retreat somewhat in the second. A. T. Taylor kept the game going at

top speed throughout.
The line-ups:
Western—V. Callaghan, r.f.: Beemer,
l.f.; Sifton, c.; Wainwright, r.g.; Johns, i.g. Northwestern—Claus, r.f.; Umbreit l.f.; Kuechei, c.; Kaiser, r.g.; Wadeur I.f.; Kuechei, c.; Kaiser, r.g.; Wadeuritz, I.g.

In the opening exhibition the Y. M.
C. A. team opposed the Western University, which was a good game despite the score. At half-time the "Y" team was leading by 29 to 8. In the last period both teams played scoreless until near the close of the game, when the "Y" outfit let loose some wonderful exhibitions of combination, running the score to a total of 57 before the final whistle blew. The best Western could do was score one point, making a total of 9.

of 9.
The line-ups:
Western-Walker, r.f.; Morris, l.f.;
Woods, c.; Hambly, r.g.; Hungerford, Woods, C.; Hailand, L.; R. Moods, C.; Hailand, L.; F. Shaw, C.; W. Morris, r.g.; Loveless, l.g.

Owing to the St. Thomas ladies' team being unable to come, the Shamrocks played an exhibition game with the junior girls of the "Y." The score ended with a 36 to 6 win for the Shamrocks

tightened; in fact, more tightening than it has ever been since the new agreement went into effect. And it has all come about because the major league owners are mad over having to pay, as they call it, \$25,000 for a \$2,000 player.

WPHOLD SMITH SUSPENSION. New York, Dec. 18. — The New York States athletic commission has invoked against Midget Smith, the local bantamweight, by the New Jersey athletic commission. The decision, announced by Chairman Muldoon of the New York board will prevent Smith from meeting Joe Lynch, world's bantam champion, in Madison Square Garden Friday night.

TWO CHATHAM TEAMS LOSE. Chatham, Dec. 16.—The basketball teams of the Chatham Collegiate Institute received defeats at a double header event in the Kent Regiment armories last evening The seniors were beaten by the Kent Regiment armories last evening The seniors were beaten by the Windsor C. I. team by the score of 17 to 11, and the juniors were beaten by the Ridgetown seniors, the score being 28 to 17.

On the conclusion of the games the visiting teams were banquetted. Between 500 and 600 viewed the game. Dancing until midnight was enjoyed.

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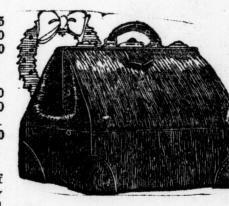
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PRINCE GEORGE.

The

MICKEY WALKER

London, Dec. 19 .- Prince George

OUTPOINTS KRUG

During a mixup in the the tenth

round Krug went down. There seemed to be a difference of opinion

JAPANESE PRINCE REGENT RECOVERS FROM A COLD

Tokio, Dec. 18 .- The Prince Regent Hirchito has recovered from his re-

cent attack of measles, but now is

suffering from an attack of bronchial catarrh, according to an announce-ment by the department of the im-

IN THOROLD MURDER Welland, Ont., Dec. 19.-Provincial police at Thorold hold a man suspected of having murdered P. C. Truman Sunday morning. The man is foreigner and was found in bed. He claimed to have been in bed all night Saturday, but his landlady said that he came in on Sunday morning

POLICE HOLD SUSPECT

shortly after the shooting

were \$10.50 in each case.

closely in the future.

ribly burned.

the hospital.

he told the police.

He had \$97 in his pockets, although he admitted being out of work for

This is the first case to develop from a probe into the procuring of liquor scrips which has been con-

ducted by the city police within the last two weeks. The city police hope that this conviction will have the salutory effect of making the young

men of the city observe the law more

TORONTO MAN DISCOVERS AGED WOMAN IN FLAMES

Toronto, Dec. 19 .- Walking along the street this afternoon John Archi-

bald saw a woman, a mass of flames,

lying on the doorsteps of a house,

Dashing to the house, Archibald, with

the help of another man, dragged

the woman out to the lawn and roll-ed her in the snow, but she was ter-

years old. Her clothing had caught

fire from a stove. She was taken to

ROB WINDSOR RESIDENT

RETURNING FROM CHURCH

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, Dec. 19.-Frank Holme

509 Pellissier street, reported to police

yesterday that he was held up by

two bandits and robbed of \$6 on his

way home from church Sunday night.

ordered Holmes to throw up his

VIA GRAND TRUNK RAIL-

WAY SYSTEM.

Christmas Day, falling on a Mon-

regular trains will be operated by the

The other rifled his pockets,

GETS SCRIPS ILLEGALLY. YOUTH PAYS \$121 FINE Chatham, Dec. 18 .- A local young man pleaded guilty to two charges of illegally procuring liquor presciptions in the city police court this morning, and was assessed \$50 on each count. He also had to pay the costs, which

Walker 1481/2

perial household.

MIDGETS READY FOR LOCAL KIDS

Intermediates Busy Preparing For Opener With Galt.

Stratford, Dec. 18 .- The first hockey game of the season will be staged tomorrow night at the Waterloo Street Ice Palace, when the London kids come here for an exhibition scramble. The local juniors had a fine workout

The local juniors had a fine workout Saturday, and will be in good shape to give the visitors a good tussle. The strength of the London outfit is unknown, and as the local team is far from being a finished hockey machine yet, it is probable that the game will be rather more interesting than contests with London teams usually are. The intermediates worked out again tonight, and, in fact, will most nights from now on to the 20th of the month, when Galt comes here to open the season. It is possible that an exhibition game may be staged with Granites this week.

ROBB SAILS FOR CANADA. Vancouver, Dec. 18.—Hon. J. A. Robb, Canadian minister of trade and commerce, who has been in Australia negotiating a trade agreement with the Commonwealth Government, is

via Suez Canal on December 22, ac-

"Donie" Bush, new manager of the Washington team of the American League, is a fighter.
Bush is the direct opposite of Clyde Milan, who handled the club last year.
Milan is the quiet, methodical chap, who weighs matters carefully. Bush is the aggressive, impulsive type who the aggressive, impulsive type, who jumps at conclusions and then fights for

them.

While Bush has been chased from many a ball game by American League umpires, they like him.

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he Commonwealth Government of the Commonwealth Government of the Bush.

It was back in 1908. The Detroit club cording to word received here today, was waging a bitter fight for the Am-



First race, maiden, 2-year-olds, claiming, 5½ furlongs—xMoon Lit Way 102. Position 107, Happy Mo-Coins Baseball Expression.

Second race, all ages, claiming, 5½ furlongs—xMoon Lit
Way 102. Position 107. Happy Moments 107, Jennie C. 107. Conundrum 112, Virulilla 106. Sweet Cookie 107.
Grey Bonnet 107. Forewarn 110.
Second race, all ages, claiming, 5½ furlongs—xSkylark 101. xView 104.
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ring, 5½ furlongs—Bobbed Hair 103.

Puffball 105, Riponta 105, Orchid all ages—xAngelo 103, xSilent Sam King 110, McLane 110, xStarkader 105, Foy 105, Miss Caltha 109, My Friend Pat 110, Machine Gunner 110.

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Fifth race, 3 years and up, claimery 108, Dr. Johnston 112.

ing, mile and 50 yards—xKathleen K.
100, Rog 108, xBond 108, Black Top Mallowmot 108.

1 1-16 miles—xBerretta 102, xThistle Queen 102, King B. 102, xBill Huney 105, Misericorde 109, Bloomington 110, xFashion Girl 102, Grandson 102, Drapery 105, xFelix M. 107, Thomas 2 MacMahon 110.

(x) Apprentice allowance claimed.

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CALL OFF RACING.

New Orleans, Dec. 18.—On account of the bad condition of the track, the officials of the Jockey Club called off the racing at the Jefferson Park today. The agnouncement stated that today's entries will stand for tomorrow's racing.

THES.

Tijuana, Dec. 18.—Entrice

Tijuana

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards. 100, Rog 108, xBond 108, Black Top claiming, 3 years and up—xArgento 110, xHarlock 108, xDuke Ruff 108, 102, xLola 108, xDalwood 108, xMy Laddie 102, Woden 110, Hanover's

Weather cloudy; track heavy.



How often has a man received Neckwear, given it one glance, then cast it aside in the innermost recesses of his chifforobe? That's because selection was made without regard to the recipient's taste.

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erican League pennant. Charley O'Leary, the veteran shortstop, was ajling. The late Herman Schaefer, then playing second for Detroit, was beginning to

slow up.

The Tigers needed a shortstop who could step right in and deliver the goods. Bush was playing a brilliant game at that position for the Indianapolis club of the American Association. A deal was made that secured his immediate services for the fag end of the season. Bush's work at short made possible the winning of the pennant by Detroit that year.

diamond.

I will never forget how Schaefer, standing flatfooted, looked on in admiration, shaking his head as much as

Has Keen Sense of Humor,

Donie and I have often disagreed on decisions, but his slate is clean with me I have never put him out of a ball game. However, he has been on the ragged edge several times.

Umpires like Bush because he starts every ball game anew. He never carries cover a grievance.

If an umpire chases Donie for kicking too much strenuously, it never stirs up any hatred in his system for the arbitrator. The next day he is the first to greet the umpire in a friendig manner.

Every game is a new one with Bush.

Made Sensational Debut.
I doubt if any player ever made a more sensational major league debut than Bush.

It was back in 1908. The Detroit club was waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as waging a bitter fight for the Amelian Bush as the first to greet the umpire in a friendig bush by the way, next to baseball, likes fighting better than any other sport. He will talk fight and baseball as long as anybody will listen.

I don't believe I will ever forget a little argument we had at the plate when he was with the Detroit club.

Cieveland was playing at Detroit. Bush was on the third with one out, and Detroit trailing by a single tally. Bush at that time was mighty fast.

The batsman hit a fly ball to rather deep centre field. Speaker made a beautiful catch and followed it up with an even more remarkable throw. I called Bush out. It was a hair-line decision. The play was so close it merited a kick. Bush began to question my eyesight. Told me I would have never made such a decision three or four years back. Advised that I better consult a specialist.

Realizing Donie was peeved at being

specialist.

Realizing Donie was peeved at being called out, I took the verbal barrage with a smile, and when he had finished with a smile, and when he had finished I remarked:

Three or four years ago I wouldn't have had to make a decision on such a play, you would have beaten the throw a couple of steps. It's a crime the way you are slowing up, Donie."

That remark settled it.

"Guess you're right,' he said as he brushed the dust from his uniform.

"Well, I suppose I ought to be glad that guy out there there in centre field isnt a pitcher." he remarked, shifting the conversation.

"Why so?" I asked.

"Why that stiff Speaker can throw strikes from the outfield."

Coins Baseball Expression. the king's youngest son, was suc dicitis today. performed at the King Edward VII Hospital for officers.

Coins Baseball Expression

Welterweight Champion Get

peaking of teacher.

The skull practice sessions to all ball four rounds. and the latter had the best of about players are known as meetings where you learn to score runs without making

Blg Task Is Handling Players. as to whether he was knocked down "Donie" Bush knows baseball. He has he fighting spirit. Under him the Washor slipped.

Krug weighed 154 pounds and ngton club is certain to be an aggresive aggregation. His success or failure is manager will hinge on his ability to handle players and get the best out of



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 INTER-CLUB LEAGUE.

Totals 867 699 816-2381 One of the men drew a revolver and Forbes 190 275 185—650 Adams 210 178 283—671 Schelding 149 234 196—579 McGowan 176 224 251—651 Crawford 186 167 213—562 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY TRAVEL Totals 910 1078 1128-3116 day this year, gives you the oppor-tunity of a nice week-end with the 142 191 161— 494 119 228 222— 569 folks at home. Extra sections of 713 895 865-2473 Grand Trunk as follows: Alerts.

First section of No. 172-193 will leave London 4:30 p.m. for Owen Sound, making same stops as regular Richards 182 162 172— 516 Smith 201 155 137— 493 Monday, December 25.
First section of train No. 16 will Totals 898 956 907-2761 leave London 6:45 p.m. for Toronto (running via Junction Cut, but not into Hamilton), making same stops as regular train. Get in touch with Grand Trunk

KITCHENER LEAGUE HAS TEN TEAMS IN

Six Junior and Four Senior Teams Will Develop Future Green and Whites. Kitchener, Dec. 18 .- Six junior and four senior teams were entered in the City Hockey League series tonight when entries were declared closed. The proposed ladies' series had to be

TED JOYCE WINS BY K.O. IN DETROIT FIGHT

Detroit, Dec. 18. — Ted Joyce of Toronto, Canadian bantam, knocked out Joe Cotter of Philadelphia in the third round of a scheduled tenround bout here tonight. A right cross to the jaw accomplished the trick. Cotter tried hard and used a left jab for a few moments, but he was no match for the Canuck when the latter got his bearings. Cotter substituted for Bernie Hahn of Wheeling.

Wheeling.

Al Walther, Canton, Ohio, welter-weight, gave Rem Williams, a hard lacing in the ten-round semi-wind-

THINK TREATY FAIR

Fielding and Lapointe Return To London On Completion of French Mission.

London, Dec. 17 .- (Canadian Press abandoned, there being only one team, Cable) .- Messrs. Fielding and Lathe Mutual Life of Waterloo, entered. Pointe, the two Canadian federal the Mutual Life of Waterloo, entered.

The Daily Record cup will be for the senior series, and President A. A. Eby will endeavor to have a cup donated for the newly organized junior series. The juniors and seniors will play off at the end of the season for the Lang cup.

Player registrations must be made by Dec. 26, and it is hoped to start play Dec. 30.

Player registrations must be made by Dec. 30.

The senior teams entered are the Union Jacks, Moose, Bankers and Bridgeport, while the junior teams will be St. Marys, Union Jacks, Pathfinders, Imperials, St. Jerome's College and Waterloo.

The connectal statement already published, regarding the details of the trade agreement, but the full terms of the convention will be published on a date to be arranged. The Canadian Press gathers, however, that both sides are well satisever, that both sides are well satis-fied that a fair agreement has been effected. The Canadian ministers are continuing their correspondence with Belgium and Italy concerning trade relations, but these will be continued for some time before results are likely to develop. Mr. Fielding hopes to sail for home between Christmas and

> SEVERAL HURT IN FIGHT AT ALBERTA COAL MINE

Edmonton, Dec. 19.—Two police officers and several miners were injured during a free-for-all fight at the Cardiff mine early this morning, when striking miners attempted to Edmonton, Dec. 19.—Two police officers and several miners were in-

keep working miners away from the mine. Sticks, stones and bricks were freely used in the fracas, but TO BOTH COUNTRIES

the injuries received by the men were not serious. The strikers' objective was not attained, as 35 men were able to get to the mine and it was

put into operation.

About 300 persons, including women and children, took part in the disturbance. Similar scenes were enacted at the Penn Mine, but the city police were able to cope with the situation, and kept a mob of strikers from gaining access to the mine pr

YOUTH GUILTY OF ASSAULT LASHED IN GUELPH PRISON

Young Lucas, Sentenced by Aylmer Magistrate, Receives Full Penalty of Law.

Special to The Advertiser. Aylmer, Dec. 19.—Police Magistrate Summers has received word from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph that his orders in the case of Lucan been carried out to the shelter. Lucas was sentenced by the squire to three months in the reformatory, with three lashes within three weeks of the time of entering and within three weeks of the expiration of the sentence. The case will be re-membered as one of assault upon a young girl near Glencolin some weeks

QUAKE IN WEST INDIES.

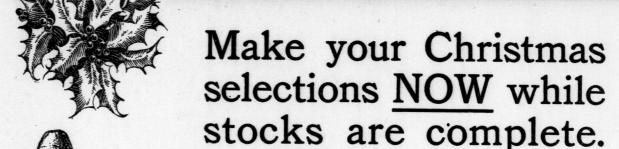


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Refusal of Loan to Germany Has Effect on Foreign Exchanges.

By STUART P. WEST. Special to the Advertiser.

New York, Wall street, Dec. 19.—In A so far as there was any tendency in this morning's stock market, it was toward A Changes, as a rule, were slight, but lower prices. railway shares continued heavy, and A

this, along with the development of Ai occasional weak spots in the industrial Aillist, gave the general movement an unsettled appearance. settled appearance.
The street made a good deal of the Anapparently authoritative word that there will be no international loan to Ger-Ato many until the reparations question

many until the reparations question is settled. This had its effect upon the foreign exchanges, as well as upon the security markets.

U. S. Steel. common, sold off on the denial by Judge Gary that there was anything in the story, either of a stock dividend or an extra cash distribution. Other steel shares, especially Bethlehem "B," were soft.

The coppers held well, and there were several notable gains among specialties—Pond Creek coal, on rumors of a consolidation of coal companies, and General Electric, in expectation of a stock dividend.

Financial Briefs

The De Beers Consolidated Mines, condon cables, have declared a dividend of 30 per cent on the preference shares on account of the 60 per cent back dividends due on that issue. The company reported a working loss of

company reported a working loss of £889,000 on the year.

Ex-dividend Monday — Continental Can preferred; Ingersoil-Rand preferred: Mack Truck common; Manhattan Shirt preferred: Reynolds Spring preferred; A and B, R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company common B and preferred; Tobacco Products preferred; U.S. Tobacco common and preferred; Western Pacific Railway preferred.

Coffee was quoted: Dec., 10.02; March, 9.71; May, 9.37; July, 9.01; Sept., 8.55.

Raw sugar: Dec., 3.95; March, 3.37; May, 3.49; July, 3.51; Sept., 3.71. Refined sugar: Dec., 7.20; March and April, 7.05; May, June and July, 7.10.

REPORTS \$5,000 DEFICIT

IN CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY

Brantford, Dec. 19.—At the semiannual meeting of the Brant Cooperative Society here yesterday a
report was presented showing a loss
of \$5,000 on the year's operations,
while the deal to hand over the physical assets of the company, the farmers' block here, to the bondholdors

Midvale Steel. 27%
New Haven. 20%
Northern Pacific. 74%
Pierce-Arrow. 12½
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Pierce-Oil. 43%
Rock Island. 31%
Reading Railway. 78%
Retail Stores. 68%
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Rubber . 51% mers' block here, to the bondholders was ratified. The value of the buildowned by the company is set a The total paid-up capital was \$80,000. There was a first mortgage against the building of \$40,000 gage against the building of \$40,000 and a second mortgage of \$30,000. The sum of \$15,000 was used as capital in the society's operations. Later an additional \$10,000 was raised. Shareholders who are not bond-holders will, it is stated, lose the value of their holdings as far as the realty was concerned.
W. C. Good, M.P., resigned from the directorate, and Fred Luck also resigned. Frank Hanks and Frank C. Roseburg were elected to the

POWER COMPANY REPORT SHOWS NET INCOME GAIN

Montreal, Dec. 19.-The sixteenth annual report of the Kaministiquia Power Company for the year ending Oct. 31, 1922, which will be presented at the annual meeting on Jan. 3, has en forwarded to the shareholder The report may be considered quite satisfactory by the shareholders, as it shows a 10 per cent gain in ne

Gross revenue this year was \$493. 418.10, compared with \$455,627.27 the previous year. After deducting oper ations and maintenance charges of \$111,783.08, and depreciation and re newal reserve of \$44,000 (\$10,000 more than last year), the net revenue o \$337,635.02 was left. Fixed and interest amounted to \$103.987.97 leaving a net income of \$233,647.05 compared with \$209,207.20 last year After the settlement of the usua dividends, there remained \$33,887 as surplus subject to income tax.

HOLIDAY TRADE SHOWS DECIDED IMPROVEMENT

By LYNN C. SIMPSON. Copyright.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 19, The volume of sales of farm products this season has kept money and general business conditions favorable in Callfornia, in spite of the fact that farmers complained bitterly at the low prices, they received for their products. The holday trade has been checked to some extent by rain, but the leading stores. by rain, but the leading stores that business is decidedly better han it was last year.
"Shopping has been done earlier than "Shopping has been done earlier than usual, one store executive said today. "and if this week brings out the usual holiday rush we shall have a recordbreaking season."

Building construction is being continued in the cities with houses in great demand and the tendency of rents upward.

DE BEERS DIVIDEND.

est point of the year, according to official overseas trade statistics made public today by the department of commerce, showing an export business totalling \$353,000,000;

HOLIDAYS ON EXCHANGE. Liverpool, Dec. 15.—The cotton ex-change here will be closed Dec. 25 and 26 and Jan. 1, and the provisions ex-change Dec. 25 and 26.

RESIGNS FROM MARCONI. Toronto, Dec. 18t.—Resignation is announced of A. H. Morse, managing director and general manager of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada, Limited, who will be succeeded on Jan. 10 by H. M. Short, for eight years United States representative of the Marconi, International Marine. the Marconi International Marine mmunication Company.

J. & P. COATS PROFITS. J. & P. Coats, English thread manufacturers, showed net profit of £3,270,913, after depreciation and taxes, for year ended June 30, 1922, as compared with £2,072,449 for previous year.

How the Stocks Closed at Noon

(See Night Extra or Night Final for Quotations at the Three o'Clock Close.)			
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•	Toronto Sales		

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Rubber 51% Ray Consolidated. 14%

FOREIGN EXCHANGES Toronto, Dec. 18. - The following nominal quotations are furnished by the

foreign exchange department, Bank of Montreal, Toronto, as at 3 p.m. Par. Checks. New York. 84.86.66 London4.64125 New York, Toronto London 4.64125
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"CANADIANS" IN LONDON. A. J. Pattison, Jr., and Co, received the following cable today:
Can. Pac. Ry. 144
Brazilian Traction 463
Can. Gen. Elec., common 88
Can. S. S. Voting Trust 19
Dominion Steel, common 39
Chewining 18 A. J. Pattison, Jr., and Co. received

Shawinigan PARIS BOURSE.

Paris, Dec. 18.—Prices were weak on the bourse today. Three per cent rentes, 59 francs 2 centimes. Exchange on London, 61 francs 60 centimes. Five per cent loan, 76 francs 15 centimes. The U. S. dollar was quoted at 13 france.

dollar was quoted at 13 francs 12

RAISE CAPITALIZATION TO AVOID TAXATION

New York, Dec. 19.—The De Beers Consolidated Mines Tondon cables announce, have declared a dividend of thirty per cent of the preference shares on account, of the sixty per cent back dividends due on that issue. The company reported a working loss of £689.

Habany, N.Y., Dec. 18.—Apparently as an aftermath of a recent United States supreme court decision that stock dividends were not taxable, hundreds of companies are increasing their contrality and their contrality and their contrality and their contrality. Washington, Dec. 18.—United States axports in November reached the highest point of the year, according to official overseas trade statistics. ing their capitalization by enormous action by congress to tax surplus or its distribution.

The increase in capitalization runs into the millions, and it is not uncommon for a company originally capitalized at \$100,000 to increase its capitalization to \$1,000,000, the statement said. The movement is not con-fined to any particular line of busi-

Increasing the amount of authorized capital stock enables the corporation to turn over its surplus to its shareholders in the form of stock dividends, the move converting the amount into capital instead of surplus, it was explained.

New York, Dec. 18.—Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: Dec., 25.92c; Jan., 25.80c; March, 26.10c; May, 26.23c; July, 26.94c.
Spot cotton closed steady. Middling uplands, 26.10c.

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NEW YORK CURB [Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Co., Limited. New York, Dec. 18. High. Low. Close. Sales.

Closing:
Bid. Ask.

EXCHANGE RATES

Montreal, Dec. 18.—Sterling exchange rates were quoted here today as follows: Demand, \$4.6715; cables, \$4.6740. New York, Dec. 19 .- Sterling exchange

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE British 4½ per cent loan 99%
Atchison Railway 100%
Baltimore & Ohio 39%
Canadian Pacific Railway 142%
Chesapeake & Ohio 68%
Chicago Great Western 4%
De Beere 21%
De Beere Rio Grande 13
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Erie Railway
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Grand Trunk Railway
Illinois Central Railway
Lousville & Nashville
Missouri, Kansas & Texas
New York Central
Norfolk & Western
Ontario & Western
Pennsylvania Railwa Southern Railway Southern Pacific Railway Union Pacific Railway United States Steel

VICTORY BOND PRICES. Wood, Gundy & Co. furnish the fol-owing prices and yields on Victory

Tuesday,

Tuesday,

1923 100.20 to 100.45

1924 99.90 to 100.10

1927 101.20 to 101.45

1933 103.20 to 103.35

1934 100.50 to 105.20

5½% Renewal Bonds.

1937 105.50 to 106.55

1932 100.50 to 100.65

1932 100.50 to 100.65

5% War Loan.

1925 98.90 to 99.10

1931 98.80 to 99.05

\$38.37@38.50; futures, \$38.50.

Iron—Steady; No. 1 northern, \$27@
29; No. 2 northern, \$26@28; No. 2
southern, \$24@26.

Lead—Steady; spot, \$7.10@7.15.
Zinc—Quiet; East St. Louis delivery,
spot and nearby futures, \$7.10@7.20.

Antimony—Spot, \$6.37@6.62.

London, Dec. 18.—Standard copper, spot, £64 5s; futures, £65. Electrolytic—Spot, £70; futures, £70 .0s. 'Tin—Spot, £180 7s 6d; futures, £181

15s.
Lead—Spot, £26; futures, £25 7s 6d.
Zinc—Spot, £37 10s; futures, £34 5s.
Linseed oil—39s.
Sperm oil—£28.
Petroleum—American refined, 1s 1d;
spirits, 1s 2d.
Turpentine—Spirits, 95s 6d.
Rosin—American strained, 15s; type
G, 15s.
Tallow—Australian, 42s 6d. Liverpool, Dec. 19.—Kerosene—No. is 1d; No. 2, 1s 2d.
Turpentine Spirits—46s.
Rosin—Common, 15s.

COFFEE

New York, Dec. 18.—Coffee futures closed today net 2 points higher to 11 points lower. Sales were estimated at about 22,500 bags, including exchanges. Close: Dec., 10.03: Jan., 9.90; March, 9.70; May, 9.37; July, 8.96; Sept., 8.57. Contracts for delivery next December were quoted at 8.85.

Spot coffee firm.

New York, Dec. 18.—Money on call firm, 4½ to 5 per cent; ruling rate 4½ Time loans steady; 60 days, 4¾ to ; per cent; 90 days, 4¾ to 5; 6 months 4¾ to 5; prime mercantile paper, 4¾ London, Dec. 18. - Money, 11/4 per cent.
Discount rates—Short and 2-month bills, 29-16 to 2% per cent.

Hamilton, Dec. 19.-The affairs of the Petrie Manufacturing Company are in a an assignment following the issue of a writ for a large sum by the bank. The writ was a formality to bring about an adjustment of the estate of the late A. B. Petrje of Guelph, and at a meeting of creditors of the company it was shown to have assets of \$1,060,000 after allowing for bad and doubtful debts and depreciation amounting to \$25.55.67 depreciation amounting to \$985,584.97.
The family has settled with the bank, and the writ has been withdrawn.

WINTER WHEAT ACREAGE SHOWS SMALL DECREASE

Washington, Dec. 19.-Winter wheat in the United States was sown this fall on 46.069,000 acres or 3.2 per cent less than the department of agriculture announced today. The condition of winter wheat on December 1 was 79.5 per cent of a normal compared with 76 a year ago, 87.9 in 1920, and 87.9 the ten-year De-87.9 in 1920, and 87.9 the ten-year December I average condition.

The area sown to rive this fall is 5,-508,000 acres, or 11.3 per cent less than the revised estimates as shown in the fall of 1921, which was 6,210,000 acres. The condition of the crop on December I was 84.3 per cent of a normal compared with 92.2 a year ago, 90.5 in 1920, and 90.8 the ten-year December I average.

London, Dec. 19 .- Following is the in the market yesterday that Abitibi

C. N. R. EARNINGS DECREASE.
Toronto, Dec. 19.—Gross earnings of the Canadian National Rallways for the week ending Dec. 14 were \$2,485,839, a decrease of \$148,484 from the corresponding week of last year. Gross earnings from Jan. 1 to date were \$114,816,535, a decrease of \$5,788.288 from the corresponding period of last year.

COBALT ORE SHIPMENTS.

Shipments of ore over T. & N. O. from
Cobalt totalled 153.520 pounds for week
ending December 15. Of this amount
87.760 pounds came from McKinley-

Montreal, Dec. 19.—Grand Trunk Railway traffic receipts for the week ending Dec. 14 were \$2.075,228; for the corresponding week in 1921, \$1,717,516, an increase of \$357,712, or 20.83 per FAILURE AFFECTS MARKET. New York, Dec. 19.—Failure of Houston, Fible & Co., one of the larges ton, Fible & Co., one of the largest stock dealing concerns west of the Mississippi, yesterday was followed by a marked falling off in the market and a rather heavy selling of oil stocks. It was estimated that the company failed for several millions, aithough no statements were given out here either as to the amount or the cause for the trouble.

BARCELONA LEADS IN TRACTION GROUP

in Morning Session on Toronto Exchange.

Toronto, Dec. 19.-The traction group was the most active in the local exchange, with higher price levels exchange, with higher price levels reached by Brazilian, Barcelona and Toronto Rails. Mackay was quiet but steady at 117 at the close.

Barcelona furnished the bulk of the transactions during the morning and displayed a stronger tone throughout, advancing to 12%, with the close at 12%, a net gain of 1% from last night. Toronto Railway fluctuated between 86% and 87%, with the close at the low point, for a net gain of ½. Brazilian was lightly dealt in at 43% to 44. Bank of Hamilton advanced from 166% at the opening to 168 at the close. Government loans and unlisted stocks quiet.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—Trading was quiet throughout this morning's session on the local stock exchange, with the buying element conservatively inclined. Abitibl opened 2½ points down at 66½, but gradually strengthened until it touched 66½, at which figure it closed. Of the other paper stocks, Brompton registered a decline of % to 38; Laurentide suffered the greatest loss by descending 1½ points to 94½. Spanish River common, of which only 25 shares were bought, sagged 1 to 96, while the preferred was off ½ to 103½, and Wayagamack, only small lots of which changed hands, was weaker by ¼ at 60. The preferred shares of Asbestos Corporation sold down at 85. Bell Telephone was inactive, both the common stock and the rights appearing unchanged. Detrot United was up a fraction at 68.

CLOSED CAR OUTPUT PROVES BIG FACTOR

Automotive Experts Declare That 1922 Has Been Greatest Year in History.

BY J. C. ROYLE. pecial to The Advertiser-Copyright. New York, Dec. 18 .- The production f the medium-priced closed car is responsible for the greatest year in the history of the automobile industry in America. Automotive experts and enineers in widely separated sections greed on that opinion today.

The closed car always has been popular, the expert said today, but up to this year it had been restricted to purchasers with long pocketbooks; hence, when one company came out last spring with a model combining all comforts of a regular closed car, of light construction and price at a figure only slightly above open cars, the public rushed to put in orders.

This satisfied manufacturers that here was a virgin field for business. Formerly the closed car output amounted to about 10 per cent of the number of cars moduced, but this year advanced production of closed cars was 25 per cent of the total of the Ford factories. The Hupp closed car production was about 35 per cent and the Hudson 60 per cent of the total.

Another factor which contributed argely toward making 1922 a banner automobile year, according to the engineers and sales managers, was the successive price reductions by different company added thousands of potential auto purchasers.

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COMPANY TO REORGANIZE

AND RESUME OPERATIONS

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Persons who had set the limit of the amount they could spend for an auto became purchasers of Chevrolet, Overland and other light cars. Owners of Chevrolets and Overlands.

land and other light cars. Owners of Chevrolets and Overlands who had paid \$600 to \$750 for their automobiles a year previous moved up into the Dodge, Maxwell anl light Bulck class. This process continued, until today thousands of people are driving Cadillacs and Packards who never thought their pocketbooks would permit them to do so. pocketbooks would permit them to do so.

As a consequence, demand for skilled and unskilled help in the automobile industy is acute, even at a period when there usually is a slackening in production. The Ford Company continues to pay as minimum of \$6 a day for unskilled labor, but pays skilled mechanics much more. The industy therefore presents an anomaly. Wages are about 10 per cent under the high mark of 1920, while living conditions in automobile centers are down from 25 to 40 per cent. Automobile prices are approximately 25 to 50 per cent lower than two years ago, and yet volume of production and improvement in management has been such that profits to automobile companies in general afe fully as good as in the past.

Quiet may be expected to reign in the wool markets and in the manufacture of woolen cloths till Jan 1. The opening of the 1923 heavyweight season shortly after the turn of the year will go far to determine the requirments of the manufacturers for the next six months.

There has been no let-up in the demand for calcium arsenate, the chemical most generally employed in fighting

cember 1 average condition.

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WITH BONUS IN SIGHT,
ABITIBI IS STRONG

Special to the Advertiser.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—A report current
in the market yesterday that Abitibl
directors would meet today and declare
a bonus of \$2 per share was believed to
have had something to do with the exceptional strength of the shares. An
increase in the dividend from \$4 to \$6
per share in 1923 has been freely talked
about for weaks past.

Montreal, Dec. 18.—A feature of the milfeed market was the renewed demand from United States buyers for Canadian brans and shorts, with prices realizing \$2@4 per ton better than the local market. There was no price change in the local market. An easier feeling developed in rolled oats, with prices reduced 10c a bag.

Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, \$7.10; seconds, \$6.60; strong bakers, \$6.40; winter patents, choice, \$6.50. Rolled oats-Bag. 90 lbs., \$3.20@3.30.

Shipments of ore over T. & N. O. from Cobalt totalled 153.520 pounds for week ending December 15. Of this amount 87.760 pounds came from McKinley-Darragh-Savage, and 65,760 from O'Brien Mine.

Toronto, Dec. 18.—Flour quotations:
Manitoba flour—First patents, \$7.10; second patents, \$6.60
Ontario flour—In jute bags, Montreal, 5.10@5.20; do., Toronto, \$5.05@5.10; bulk seaboard, \$4.90@5.
GRAND TRUNK RECEIPTS.
Montreal, Dec. 19.—Grand Trunk Railway traffic receipts for the week Railway traffic receipts for the week Minneapolis, Dec. 18. — Flour un-changed; shipments 55,525 barrels. Bran—\$25@26 per ton.

New York. Dec. 18.—Flour steady; spring patents, \$6.85@7.25; spring clears, \$5.50@6: soft winter straights, \$6.95@6.25; hard winter straights, \$6.25@6.60. HAY Toronto, Dec. 18.—Hay, per ton, extra No. 2, \$15; mixed, \$13.50@15; clover, \$13.50@15.

Montreal, Dec. 18.—Hay, No. 2, per on, carlots, \$16@17.

Everything the Farmer Trades In

Higher Price Levels Reached POULTRY FEATURES ON LOCAL MARKET

> Turkeys Sell at 45c to 50c Pound-Christmas Trees and Holly Appear.

The market square was as busy as it sually is at the beginning of the week, Turkeys are more plentiful, and though many of the sellers were asking as much as 50c per lb, most of the birds went at 42c to 45c. Chickens sold at about 25c, and ducks and geese at 22c to 25c. A dozen loads of hay were sold, meet-ing a somewhat slower demand at from

ing a somewhat slower and \$11 to \$13 per ton.
There were no grains on the market \$11 to \$13 per ton.

There were no grains on the market today.

In the fruit and vegetable line there was very little on view. Apples can be had for \$1.50 per bushel, and 50c for an 11-quart basket. Celery has risen in price lately, and sells from 10c to 25c a bunch, according to size. Rabbits have disappeared from the market altogether. They seem to have met a very slow demand.

Christmas trees are numerous enough just now, from 25c to \$1 aplece; they vary in size from trees that would go into a flower pot to some that are quite large.

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For the first time this year there is holly for sale. Scarce and hard to get, it runs about 25c a bunch.

Neither eggs nor butter were very much in evidence this morning, and both remain steady at their week-end prices.

prices.
Quotations:
Grain, Per Cwt:
Barley, per cwt.....\$1 60 to \$1 05
Oats, per cwt...... 1 20 to 1 30
Wheat, per cwt...... 1 83 to 1 83
Grain, Per Bushel.
Declar per hu...... 42 to 50 on....9

Vegetables.

5 to
35 to

do, per doz.
Carrots, per bu.
Celery, per doz.
Eggplant, each.
Horse radish, bunch.
Lettuce, per head.
Onions green, doz.
do, per bu.
do, pickling, qt.
Parsnips, per bu.
Peppers, sweet, doz.
do, green or red.
do, large, each.
Potatoes per bu.
do, per bag.
Pumpkins, each.
Radishes, per doz. Radishes, per doz.... Turnips, per bu...

Honey, Wholesale,
Honey, 5-lb palis... 75
do, strained, lb... 17
do comb, lb... 25 Honey, Retail. Honey, 5-lb pails.... do, strained lb.... do, comb, lb..... July ... Corn-Dairy Products, Retail. Butter Dairy Products, Wholesale.
Butter, creamery, lb. 40 to
do, dairy, lb. 35 to
do crocks, lb. 32 to
Eggs, fresh, basket. 75 to

Pouitry, Dressed, Retail.
Chickens, old, per lb. 23 to
do, spring, per lb. 24 to
Ducks, per lb. 25 to
Geese, per lb. 25 to
Turkeys, per lb. 45 to Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale. Ducks, spring, over 5

do, under 5 ibs Poultry, Allve, V
Chickens, spring, over
6 lbs, each...
do, over 5 lbs...
do, 4 to 5 lbs...
do, under 4 lbs...
Hens, over 5 lbs each
do, 4 to 5 lbs...
do, under 4 lbs...
Roosters, over 5 lbs.
Ducks, spring, over 5
lbs each Poultry, Allye. do, under 5 lbs.... Turkeys, hens, over 9 do, young gobbiers, over 10 lbs..... do, old gobbiers....

do, old gobblers... 30 to Live Stock.
Hogs, selects, cwt... 10 00 to Figs, small, pair... 10 00 to Sows, fat cwt... 9 00 to Dressed Meats, Wholesale. Heifers and steers, 500 to 600 lbs.....11 00 Cow beef, 400 to 500 do, fronts .lb ... 14
Hogs dressed, cwt .14 00
Lambs, choice, cwt .25 00
do, hinds, lb ... 27

Hides. Cow hides, No. 1.... Cow fides, No. 1... 10
do, No. 2... 9
Calf skins, No. 1... 14
do, No. 2... 12
Horse hides, each. 200
Kip, No. 1, per lb. 11
do No. 2... 9 Wool, Unwashed.

Wool, coarse, lb..... 12 to do, medium, lb.... 15 to do, fine, lb..... 18 to

BUTTER AND EGGS Montreal, Dec. 18.—At the Quebec Agricultural Co-operative Society's auction sale held here today there were 302 packages of fooder-made creamery offered, for which the demand was good, and 118 packages pasteurized creamery sold at 38½c a pound; 112 packages No. 1 creamery at 36½c. These prices, as compared with those of a week ago, show an advance of ¾@1c a pound.

Montreal. Dec. 18 .- A feature of the anontrea!. Dec. 18.—A feature of the egg market was the stronger feeling for storage supplies, with prices advanced 1@3c a dozen. Butter prices were advance ½@1c a pound.
Eggs—Fresh, 43c; selected, 42c; No. 1 stock, 33c.
Butter—Choicest creamery, 37½@38c.

New York, Dec. 18.—Butter steady; receipts 7,006 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras 55@55½c, extras (92 score) 54½c, firsts (88 to 91 score) 46½@53½c; state dairy, tubs, finest, 52½@53½c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 34c. Chicago Dec. 19.—Butter-Market Eggs-Unchanged; receipts, 3,308

GOLD AND SILVER London, Dec. 18.—Bar gold, per oz. Grain

TORONTO. Toronto, Dec. 18. — Board of trade grain quotations:

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.26%. American corn—No. 2 yellow, 90; No. Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 41@53c.
Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, \$1.11@
1.13; No. 3, \$1.08@1.10.
Barley—Maiting, 60@62c.
Buckwheat—73@79c.
Rye—No. 2, \$4@86c.

Montreal, Dec. 18.—The trade in spot upplies in the local market was rather uiet, with the tone of the market rm. Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, 92@ 3c. Oats Canadian western. No. 2, 64@ 5c; do., No. 3, 59@66c; extra No. 1 eed, 57@58c; No. 2 local white, 55@56c.

MINNEAPOLIS. Minneapolis, Dec. 18.-Grain quota-Minneapons, Dec. 18.—Grain quota-jons—Close: Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.25%@ 11.32; Dec., \$1.24%; May, \$1.23%; July, 11.20%. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 68@69c. Oats—No. 3 white, 42@44c. Flax—No. 1, \$2.72@2.73.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, Dec. 19.—Wheat: Manitoba o. 1, 10s 6½d; No. 2 hard winter, 11s 2d. Corn—American mixed, 7s 8d. CHICAGO.

CHICAGO.

Chicagq Dec. 19.—Wheat underwent a decline in price today during the early dealings, the chief factor being the bearigh showing of the government crop report. Besides, Liverpool quotatations were relatively weak, and with foreign exchange also weak, and with less favorable talk about a loan to Germany, buyers lacked encouragement. Assertions in some quarters that the exceptionally low condition of winter wheat outweighed other parts of the government report, failed to stir up any special enthusiasm. The opening, which varied from ½c to ¾c lower, with May at \$1.24½ to \$1.25, and July at \$1.15½ to \$1.55§, was followed by a material setback all around.

Corn and oats sagged with wheat. setback all around.

Corn and oats sagged with wheat.

After opening 1½c to 1½c lower, the corn market rallied a little, but then descended lower than before.

Oats started unchanged to ½c to ½c off, with May at 47½c, and later showed moderate losses throughout all deliveries.

veries.
Futures opened:
Wheat—Dec., \$1.274; May, \$1.24*4.
Corn—Dec., 754; C. May, 75c.
Cats—Dec., 46c; May, 4716c. CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES. Reported to The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum Co.

sugar market was unchanged, at 3% c | Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 8.000; slow; lambs, 7 to \$15.25; yearlings, 86 to 5.53c for centrifugal. No sales were to \$7.50; mixed sheep, \$7.50 to \$8. Raw sugar futures opened 2 points gher to 1 point lower, but reacted der liquidation by commission-houses. ontinued quiet, and prices were un-hanged, at \$7.10 for fine granulated. Refined sugar futures nominal.

New York, Dec. 18.— Hops quiet; tate, medium to choice, 1922, 21@24c; acific Coast, 1922, 16@18c; do., 1921, CANADIAN EGG REVIEW

Ottawa, Dec. 16.—Some fresh eggs are reported being shipped from Ontario points to Montreal, 70c, f.e.b. Ontario points to Montreal, 70c. f.o.b. Ontario dealers are paying 45@50c, making sales of fresh at 60c, straight gathered 46@48c, f.o.b. One sale of storage firsts reported 47c, f.o.b. country. The market situation generally is unchanged. Large quantities of dressed turkeys, it is reported, have been bought by American buyers at 47c, f.o.b. Toronto. The tendency is for the poultry market to keep pretty steady, although arrivals are much heavier. re much heavier. Toronto--Fresh receipts increasing; Toronto—Fresh receipts increasing; jobbing prices unchanged.

Montreal — Firm; specials 80@85c, storage extras 45@46c, firsts 40@41c.

Dressed turkeys 45@48c.

Winnipeg—Storage extras jobbing 40c, firsts 35c, seconds 31c. Poultry receipts heavy; turkeys, alive 16c, dressed 22c.

Regina—Storage extras jobbing 42c, seconds 35c.

Edmonton—Storage extras jobbing 42c, firsts 35c. Turkeys and a pobbing 42c, firsts 35c. Edmonton—Storage extras jobbing 42c, firsts 35c. Turkey market weak, due to oversupply; dealers paying country shippers 23c dressed, 18c alive. Calgary-Relying on shipments from British Columbia for fresh; packers paying \$13.50 per case, delivered, Cal-

paying stoop gary.

British Columbia—Fresh éasy: paying country points 48c, with 50c offered for specials: jobbing, specials 57c, firsts 55c, pullets 50c, local storage firsts 35c, econds 30c. Chicago — Easier; refrigerators unhanged. New York—Fresh easier; extra firsts 3@55c, firsts 53@55c, refrigerators 31 British cables (prices shillings per 10 British capies (prices smalles per logozen):
London—Market again lower: Irish 22@23s; Danish 24@28s; Dutch 24@29s; Canadian 18@20s; States 17@18s; Chinese 12@15s. Poultry dearer; fowls 11-3@12-3s, best fatted 15-6s; turkeys 15-8@214s. Chinese 12@15s. Poultry dearer; fowls; 11-3@12-3s, best fatted 15-6s; turkeys 15-6@2½s.
Clasgow — Irish, 22½@24s f.o.b.; Danish sixteens 25s, eighteens 26s; reQUALITY IS POOR AND TRADE SLOW

Cattle Receipts Are Small at Toronto, With Prices a Shade Easier.

Toronto, Dec. 19 .- Cattle receipts 365 few loads of fresh cattle and about 1,000 stale made up today's offerings. Quality is poor and trade draggy. Only, few cows and bulls moving at prices

a few cows and bulls moving at prices steady with yesterday to a shade easier in spots. Quotations: Heavy beef steers . \$5 00 to \$6 50 Butcher steers, choice . 6 00 to 6 50 do, good . 5 00 to 6 00 do, medium . 4 00 to 5 00 do, common . 3 00 to 4 00 Butcher heifers, choice 6 00 to 6 50 do, medium . 4 50 to 5 50 do, medium . 2 50 to 3 25 Butcher cows, choice . 3 50 to 4 50 Butcher bulls, good . 3 50 to 4 50 Butcher bulls, good . 3 50 to 4 50 Butcher bulls, good . 3 50 to 4 75 do, common . 2 20 to 3 00 Feeding steers, good . 5 00 to 5 50 do, fair . 4 00 to 5 50 do, fair . 4 00 to 5 50 do, fair . 3 00 to 4 00 Stockers, good . 4 00 to 4 50 Milch cows, choice . 70 00 to 90 00 Springers, choice . 70 00 to 90 00 Calves—Receipts 101. Calves are

Lambs

Ewes 2 00 to 6 50

Hogs—Receipts 709. Hogs are 25c to 50c higher at \$10.75 fed and watered. Quotations:

Hogs, selects 10 75 to 60, light and heavies 10 25 to 7 75

Sows 6 75 to 7 75

CHICAGO. Chicago, Dec. 18 .- Cattle - Receipts, 22,000 beef steers uneven, strong to 15c 23,000 beef steers uneven, strong to 15c higher: spots up 25c on better grades beef steers and desirable beef heifers, closing weak; top matured steers, \$11.56; best yearlings \$10.25; bulk native beef steers \$6.25 to \$9.75; run included approximately thirty loads Canadian grassers, mostly in feeder flesh unsold at noon; canners and cutters, yeal calves and, stockers and feeders steady to strong; bulls strong to 10c higher; bulk desirable yeal calves to packers around \$9.50; choice selections to shippers upward to \$10 to \$10.50; desirable heavy bologna bulls mostly \$4.25 to \$4.35; bulk ward to \$10 to \$10.50; desirable heavy bologna bulls mostly \$4.25 to \$4.35; bulk beef cows and heifers \$4.25 to \$6.75; bulk stockers and feeders \$6 to \$6.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 46.000; early market 15c to 20c higher; butchers closing dull, about half advance lost; bulk 210 to 275-pound butchers \$8.15 to \$8.25; few late, \$8.10; bulk 140 to 180-pound average, \$8.25 to \$8.30; top, \$8.35; packing sows, \$7.30 to \$7.85; desirable pigs, \$8.10 to \$8.35; holdover liberal. \$7.30 to \$7.85; desirable pigs, \$8.10 to \$8.35; holdover liberal.
Sheep—Receipts, 19,000; fat lambs, 25c to 35c lower; top, \$15.35 to city butcher; \$15 to packers; bulk fat wooled lambs, \$14.50 to \$15; freshly clipped fed lambs, \$12.75; fall shorn kind, \$12 to \$13.50; feeders active; best feeder lambs, \$14.65; feeder ewes \$6.60; sheep fully steady; heavy fat ewes \$5 to \$6; \$6.25; paid for some averaging 153 pounds; lighter weights quotable up to \$7.75; desirable aged wethers \$8.25.

EAST BUFFALO East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 700; weak.
Calves—Receipts, 200; 50c up, \$5 to \$13.50. Hogs—Receipts, 6.400; active: mixed, \$5.75; yorkers, \$8.75 to \$8.5; pigs, \$9; roughts, \$7.25 to \$7.50; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

PROVISIONS

stock branch today, follows: Canadian bacons 5@10s lower; Cana dian leanest and lean 90@100s, prime 88@9ss, slow trade: American 84@90s, better trade at reduced prices; Irish 117@130s, slow; Danish 108@116s.

Liverpool. Dec. 19.—Hams—Short cut.
14 to 16c lbs. 95s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut. 22 to 35 lbs.
82s; Canadian Wiltshires. 50 to 75 lbs.
94s; clear belies. 14 to 20 lbs. 116s;
short clear backs. 12 to 20 lbs. 108s. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, cosc 3d; American refined, in pails lbs. 73s 6d. Chicago. Dec. 19.—Lower quotations on hogs weakened the provision market

Montreal, Dec. 18 .- Finest easterns.

New York, Dec. 18 .- Cheese steads New York, Dec. 18.—Cheese steady; receipts 2.423 boxes; state whole milk flats, fresh specials, 27½c; do., average run, 27c; state whole milk twins, held specials, 27½@28c; do., average run, 27c.

LINSEED

Duluth, Dec. 18.—Linseed: Dec., \$2.47 id: Jan., \$2.68 bid; May, \$2.49 asked; bid: Jan., \$2.68 July, \$2.42½ bid. London, Dec. 18.—Closing: Calcutta linseed, £20 15s.

Ridgetown, Ont., Dec. 18.—Beans—Selling price \$2.75 to \$2.80 per bushel. SEEDS

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Timothyseed, per bushel, \$6@6.75. Cloverseed—Per bushel, \$16@20. POTATOES Montreal, Dec. 18.—Potatoes, carlots, per bag, 90c.

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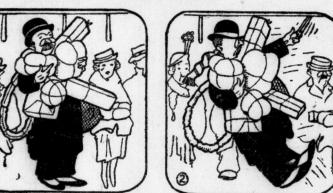
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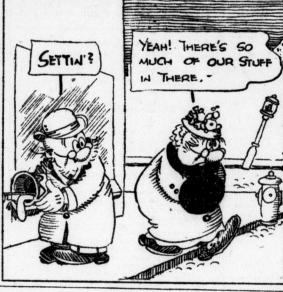


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GAS BUGGIES



SIXTEEN HOMELESS IN SASKATOON FIRE

Conflagration in Hardware Store Causes Loss Estimated At Over \$185,000.

Saskatoon, Dec. 19 .- Sixteen pered the Saskatoon Hardware Company's store, Sugarman Bros.' grocery and the homes of the tenants over the hardware store. The two buildings, the stocks and fixtures are

total loss.
The Ferguson block, adjoining the White grocery to the north, and the White grocery to the north, and the Sweet shop adjoining it on the south, suffered from water and smoke. The fire was still burning, though under control, at 8 o'clock tonight after a ten-hour battle by the entire fire department. All the tenants escaped without injury, though Miss Olive Wanstall, a bookkeeper working in the Saskatoon Hardware store was wanstall, a bookkeeper working in the Saskatoon Hardware store, was overcome by smoke and had to be carried out. Many of those living upstirs escaped only with what the

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pleasant trouble is probably due to a weakened condition of the kidneys and bladder and not always to a habit, as most people suppose.

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USE AIRPLANES IN SEARCH FOR LOST LIGHT-KEEPER

Owen Sound, Dec. 18 .- Further efforts are being put forth today to find some trace of George Bennett, lighthouse keeper of Griffith's Island, who disappeared on Wednesday in a small motorboat and has not been heard of since. Yesterday the tug Muriel searched along the west shore of Owen Sound Bay with no results, and Owen Sound Bay with no results, and is continuing the search today.

The government has been asked to send airplanes from Camp Borden to assist in the search. Little hope is held out that Bennett survives.

HEADACHES?

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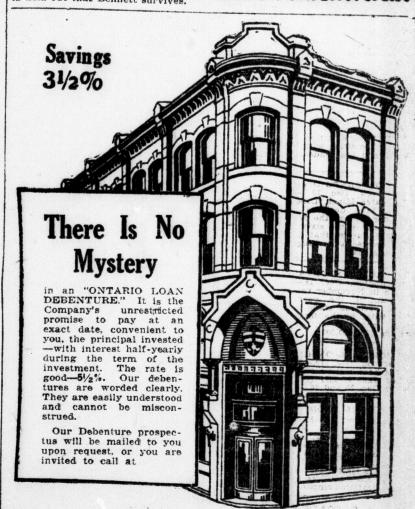
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Notice Is Hereby Given That a public meeting of the ratepayers of the Township of London will be held at the Town Hall, Arva, on Friday, December 22, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of nominating fit and proper persons to serve in the offices of Reeve, First and Second Deputy Reeves and Councillors for the said municipality for the year 1923.

MEETINGS

for the year 1923. Datej this 15th day of December, A.

MARY GRANT. Clerk, London Township Notice Is Hereby Given that the annual general meeting of the London and Port Stanley Railway Company will be held in the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, on Monday, the 15th day of January, A. D., 1923, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 19th day of December, A. D. 1922 . D., 1922.

S. BAKER, D19,26-J2.9. City Clerk. EUREKA Lodge, No. 30, meets tonight at 8 p.m. Initiation and general business. Visitors we!-Waddell, N. G.; Geo. E.

come. F. G. Shaw, R. S. EMERGENT meeting of Union Lodge, 380, this (Tuesday) evening, 7:30 o'clock; third degree. Visitors welcome. W. E. Rider,

WESTMINSTER nominations will be held in Cherio Hall at Lambeth on Friday, Dec. 22. at noon. Geo. Riddle, Township Clerk.

NOMINATION of candidates for the office of R. C. Separate School Trustee will take place at roon at the Catholic Club Hall, on Wednesday, Dec. 27, 1922. T. J. Murphy, K.C., Returning Officer.

LONDON Royal Arch Chapter meets this (Tuesday) evening at 7:45 in chapter rooms, Masonic Hall. Visitors welcome. T. W. Copp, Z.; J. H. C. Woodward, Scribe E.

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DIED. GLASGOW—On Monday Dec. 18, 1922, Thomas W. Glasgow, dearly beloved husband of Alecta Glasgow, aged 61 years.

The funeral service will be held from his late residence, lot 15, concession 4, Delaware Township, en Thursday, at 2 p.m. Interment at Scottsville Cemetery. Friends and

acquaintances please accept this in PHILIPPIN — Phoebe Truesdale (nee Lusk), dearly beloved wife of Peter H. Philippin, at Ontario Provincial Hospital, Tuesday, Dec. 19, at 8 a.m. Funeral from Latter Day Saints' Church, between King and York Sts., Friday, Dec. 22, at 2:30 p.m., at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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Life and Character Reading.

DECEMBER 19. Women born on this date, if they have been educated and brought up in refinement are usually very handsome and lovable. They are fond of their home, make excellent house wives and mothers as well as wives When, however, a Sagittarius woman is proffered an insult she is apt to avenge herself with a blow The Archer, the sign of this date never wastes ammunition of words

on such cases. The governing planet of this date is Jupiter, the far-seeing and all pjowerful god, the birthstone, which should be worn at all times, is a turquoise, and the asiral colors are red and green.

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Sir Henry Refers to Policy of Take \$200,000 and Leave Hon. W. M. Pugsley in Speaking to Federation Audience.

Canadian Press.
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 19.—Declaring that it "must be possible to in Rain of Bullets From

Mint.

Reliance, who, on Sunday night, over days after the tug had grounded off North Lizard Island, volunteered to swim ashore with a rope and enable to swim ashore with a ro States territory as valuable receipts of the Canadian National Railways, and he doubted whether sections of the Dominion would approve of such the Dominion would approve of such authorities dispatched armed squads in authorities dispatched armed squads in policy.
"It must be remembered that we

are trustees of no one section, of all sections," he declared, and added that no suggestion which was all sections and faith would be treated with frivolity."

He likened the Canadian railway situation to that of a family who had a baby elephant left upon the doorstep of their home, had taken it in, and it had grown and was "eat-ing them out of house and home." The railway deficits had been grow. ng to such an extent that if allowed to continue they might in time threaten the financial structure of the



EXTENSION OF TIME. NOTICE is hereby given that the time for the reception of tenders for the Esquimalt, B. C., Dry Dock Machinery, is extended to Wednesday, January 31, 1923. By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS. Department of Public Works, Ottawa, December 7, 1922. D12,19

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No Clues-Witnesses Questioned Closely.

WOUNDED GUARD DIES

Robbers Calmly Load Booty

a so far unsuccessful pursuit of an automobile occupied by seven men who bery, which occupied less than a minute, occurred while the money was being transferred from the mint to a Federal Reserve delivery truck. Fifty packages of currency of \$4,000 each were seized

the robbers.
Fifty Summoned by Alarm. Fifty government employees summon-ed by an alarm bell seized shotguns and mint, shooting at the hold-up men, who returned the fire, and at the same time Placed in Central of calmly proceeded to load the fifty packages of currency into their own car. The four members of the Federal Reserve Bank crew employed in the trans-fer of the funds, J. E. Olsen, cashier, C. T. Linton, J. Adams and Wm. Havener, had just left the entrance of the mint and were walking toward their machine standing near the curb, when another car containing the bandits drove up alongside the wire-inclosed truck.

According to witnesses two or three

men carrying guns leaped from the car, and with a shout of "Hands up!" opened fire on the Reserve Bank employees.
Guards of the mint and other inside employees then rushed out upon the steps of the government building to shoot at the robbers.

Linton, according to the police, at-tempted to throw the money into the grilled back compartment of the Reserve without regaining consciousness. Bandits Enter Car. Their work of transferring the cur-

rency which they had taken from the guards to their own car completed, the bandits entered their automobile amid a rain of bullets from guards in the second story of the mint, and sped toward the city center. As the car gathered impetus, the leader of the high-waymen, standing on the runningboard, turned toward the government building as though to fire a final shot at the guards. As he did so, Peter Kiedinger, a guard who was at the main entrance, fired with a rifle at the bandit, who was seen to crumple up on the running board, and was pulled inside the car by the driver. Kiedinger is positive he wounded the fugitive. The money was the property of the Denver Federal Reserve Bank, the mint merely being a depository for it, due to the lack of sufficient vaults in the bank building. Manager Burkhardt of the Reserve Bank later issued a statement saying that the entire amount was covered by insurance. Director Grant also announced that the numbers of every bill in the consignment were on

START TO SALVAGE CARGO ON STRANDED STEAMER Welland, Ont., Dec. 19.—Thunder Bay, a Canada S. S. Lines steamer is of lightering the vessel could not be proceeded with. Two small tugs tried to get her off without success and a large tug the Sarnia City is on the way to the rescue from Detroit. Officials said this morning the boat was not in great danger. It will take an unusually large sea to destroy the boat. Work of salvaging the cargo dock at Buffalo A Buffalo dispatch today said the steamer was in danger of breaking

INVESTIGATE ALLEGED TARDINESS OF BRIGADE

Montreal, Dec. 19 .- Whether the fire brigade reached the Corinthian Apartments, 220 Bishop street, on Friday last at 3 o'clock in the morning, about fifteen or twenty minutes after the alarm had been given, was the point at issue at the fire commissioners' inquiry here yesterday. The evidence was contradictury. The inquiry was adjourned until Wednesday afternoon.

14 JEWISH CANDIDATES.— Quebec, Dec. 19.—Out of a total f 34 candidates to the admission to the study of law in the district of Montreal, for the winter examinations, which are taking place on the 9th of January, 14 candidates are members of the Jewish community, according to notices appearing in the

REPORT DE VALERA TAKEN. London, Dec. 19.—A report circulated in Paris last night that Eamonn de Valera has been captured by Irish Free State authorities lacked corroboration here today. It was believed that the report, which was printed in a Parisian newspaper, may have grown out of a Dublin dispatch appearing here yesterday, which said that de Valera had narrowly escaped arrest while attending mass in the Catholic University Church, Dublin, inasmuch as he left the church just before troops arrived.

THOMAS GLASGOW.

Thomas Glasgow, one of the oldest residents of Delaware Township, passed away at his home, let 15, concession 4, yesterday, in his 61st year. Mr. Glasgow leaves his wife, Alecta; one daughter, Mrs. Thomas Bobier, of Ada, Sask., and one son, Ira, at home.

The funeral will be held from the above address, Thursday, at 2 p.m., to Scottsville Cemetery, and the services will be conducted by the Rev W. Sutcliffe of Byron. London, Dec. 19.—A report circu-ated in Paris last night that Eamonn

C.N.R. HEAD AGAINST BANDITS AT DENVER Fireman On Freighter Risks Life SELLING U. S. LINES MAKE GOOD ESCAPE To Assist Stranded Companion To Assist Stranded Companions

Billy Gow Plunges Into Icy Waters and Swims Seventyfive Yards to Islands.

Sault Ste. Marie, Dec. 19.—(Canatered to try and reach the island, dian Press).—Over the wireless comes a tale of remarkable heroism on the part of Billy Gow, fireman of the Reliance, who, on Sunday night, over four days after the tug had grounded for a grounded for the Reliance who, is supported to try and reach the island, risked his life by plunging into the part of the managed to swim ashore with the rope tied around him, and then the crew and passengers of the Reliance

The Finlander, name unknown, who died on he tug, had been ill, and was coming to the Soo for treatment.

From Wednesday until Sunday evening the 23 men on the tug were tossed about by the storms that continued to assail them, and the pounding of the waves finally drove the Reliance, which had struck probably a quarter a mile off shore, on the island until it was only about 75 yards distant.

It was then that Billy Gow volun-

NEW LAW FIGHTS DRUGS IN QUEBEC

Operations.

Special to The Advertiser. Quebec, Que., Dec. 19 .- A severe

centrol of the sale or distribution of of the mammoth spruce tree on the drugs in this province to meet the lawn of Victoria Hospital Monday afgrowing menace created in Montreal ternoon, and the scores of colored by the extent taken by that plague lights will twinkle Christmas cheer to will be established by a law to be the patients whose windows face the presented this week by Hon. Jacob lawn every night this week. Nichol, provincial treasurer, who will be in charge of its operation, the ex- by the public utilities commission, act nature of the new law will only

be known in a few days. However, it is understood that it will provide for the issuance of a per- younger patients at Victoria Hospimit by the provincial treasurer to all tal will enjoy a similar tree in the those found to require such permisthe bandits. Linton was later removed sion for the medical care of the pubto the county hospital, where he died lic or other requirements. The object of these permits will be to allow the provincial government to inter-

vene by establishing a control.

The fee to be paid for these licenses will be a nominal one but those disposing of drugs, which include co-caine, opium, morphine and other stupefying drugs, without a license will be liable to a term of imprison-ment running from six months to one

year. A heavy fine will also be imposed. It is understood that the control as to the sale will also apply to all forms of distributing or peddling the drugs. Even the giving away of the drug by a non-licensed person will be considered a violation of the law.

Druggists, medical men and others authorized to handle drugs will be suspended in their own practice when they violate the law.

DECLARES COMMERCE

Hon. Arthur Meighen Addresses Members of Dominion Commercial Travelers' Association.

Montreal, Dec. 19.-Commerce a trade, as the greatest enemy of war, with the commercial travelers as the still stranded on the rocks at Morgan's Point. There was such a sea merce, was the keynote of Right on Lake Erie yesterday that the work of lightering the vessel could not be proceeded with. Two small tugs Commercial Travelers' Association here last night.
Mr. Meighen said that about

year ago he had appealed to the people of Canada with a line of goods which he thought would be what they needed: had found the other felof wheat is going on today. When the Sarnia City pulls the steamer off the Thunder Bay will proceed to drywould try the home market again, with he hoped better results.

On behalf of the federal governthe direction of D. O. Second. ment, Senator Dandurand expressed regret that work for the coming ses-

sion of parliament had necessitated the absence of the prime minister.

An attendance of about 600, repre senting trade interests from Halifay

Quebec, Dec. 19.—Premier Tac chereau offirmed in the legislature assembly yesterday that the bankruptcy act had proved disastrous for the rural districts of this province by destroying the credits of the farmers, and he added that his government would take every step possible to have it repealed. If the law were permited to stand through the other provinces clinging to it. he to be the provinces clinging to it. other provinces clinging to it, he hoped to have it declared unconstitu-tional by the highest tribunal in Canada or by the Privy Council.

Obituaries

THOMAS GLASGOW

Charges Blackmailers Precipitated Breakdown in Health of Film Star

Special to The Advertiser.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19.—Blackmailers aided in precipitating the final breakdown of Wallace Reid, movie habit, these threats were largely re-

breakdown of Wallace Reid, movie star, it was asserted today by his friends. When he was fighting to break himself of the drug habit, certain men in Hollywood and Los Angeles attempted to obtain money from him to suppress the printing of an expose, it was charged.

This expose was to have been printed without names, but would have instantly labelled Reid as the man referred to, according to Mrs. Alice Davenport, the star's motherin-law. Reid steadfastly refused to play into the hands of the blackmailers, it was gone down to 130, it was learned.

DIVINE SARAH SENDS MESSAGE TO AMERICA

DIVINE SARAH SENDS

MESSAGE TO AMERICA
Special Cable to the Advertiser.
Paris, Dec. 19.—Mme. Sarah Bernlardt today sent the following message to her friends in America: "Don't worry about me. It is only one of the bonne entente league those fittle things that persons of made during the year in the matter of having French taught in the public schools of the city.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—General approval marked the report at the annual meeting of the bonne entente league future generations of Canadians."

NAVY CUT

CIGARETTES



"Real Satisfaction"

LONDONERS WILL SPEND YEAR ON THE CONTINENT

PREPARE HOSPITAL

On Branches.

Employees of the public utilities

commission concluded the decoration

This tree is decorated every year

and it is one of the largest of its

type in London. In addition to hav-

ing a Christmas tree on the lawn, the

children's ward, and it is expected that Santa Claus will be present and

The various wards and rooms of

the hospital are being decorated with

suitable holiday material by the nurses and by this means Christmas

will be made more enjoyable for the

"shut ins" who must spend the day

assist in loading the tree.

CHRISTMAS TREE

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Seaborn Leave With Their Daughter For England Tonight.

To spend a year on the continent where the doctor will continue hospital studies, Dr. (Col.) and Mrs. Edwin Seaborn, with their young daughter Ina, leave tonight for England, by way of New Brunswick, on the S. S. Montclair.

WAR'S GREATEST ENEMY
The year is to be spent mainly in London, Paris and Vienna, where Dr. Seaborn will enroll in special studies. During the war Col. Seaborn was in France as commander of the No. 10 Hospital Division, Western Uni-

YOUNG PEOPLE PRESENT PLAY IN CHURCH HALL

Empire Players Give Pleasing Program at Church of Redeemer.

Under the auspices of the Young People's Society of the Church of the Redeemer, Adelaide and Grosvenor street, a very successful fourlows had anticipated his market and act play, "The Country Girl," was rendered in the church hall last night by the Empire Players, under

Every member of the cast was excellent, and the work of Fred Gill and E. N. Wooster was especially appreciated by the large audience.

Mr. Wooster served in the role of "Jack Henderson," the leading man Others participating in the play were Miss Gladys Wanless, as Mrs. Henderson; Miss Vera Standon, as Edith derson; Miss Vera Standon, as Edith QUEBEC BANKRUPTCY ACT
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the Painters' and Sculptors' Gallery Association of America, with its membership composed of 200 leading business men and artists of the country, will begin its work on Jan uary 1, of selling products of American artists without profit, it was an-nounced here Monday. The new oranization, underwritten for three years by 100 leading men and women interested in art and fostered by 100 American artists and sculptors, will work under a plan approximating the mediaevel royal favor and the mod-ern fine arts ministry of France.

BOMB "HOME" OF OFFICER 0F BALTIMORE POLICE

Special to The Advertiser. Baltimore, Md., Dec. 19.—The ad-Baltimore, Md., Dec. 19.—The adjoining homes of Patrolman John Eberling and the Misses Caroline and Pauline Reuter were wrecked by an explosion at 3 a.m. today.

The explosion tore a big hole in the wall between the houses and broke glass in buildings 75 feet away.

Police and detectives who rushed to the scene a few minutes after the explosion were investigating a report explosion were investigating a report that the policeman's home had been dynamited by persons who suspected he caused a raid on a still which was being run on a lot in the rear of his

STORM HOLDS STEAMER. Cherbourg, Dec. 19.—A violent torm compelled the liner Berengaria from New York, December 11, for Cherbourg and Southampton to remain off the shore near this port throughout last night to insure her safety, postponing landing of her passengers for Cherbourg until this

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General Gouraud, formerly French high commissioner in Syria (centre), photographed upon his arrival at Toulon. He has been appointed a member of the French superior war council.



Tida Klingheman, a stowaway found on the S.S. Pittsburg. She got on in Bremen, where she hid in one of the holds. All she had with her were two bottles of water and some sausages. She was found on the sixth day in a weak condition and was taken to the ship's hospital. She will be sent back to Bremen.



There has been a bakers' strike in Paris, accompanied by several riots for bread.



Monument in memory of the lawyers who lost their lives in the war, recently unveiled at the Palace of Justice in Paris.



Parisian girls celebrating the festival of St. Catharine. Many strange costumes appeared on the streets of the French capital.



A group of hungry refugees in Erivan, Armenia.



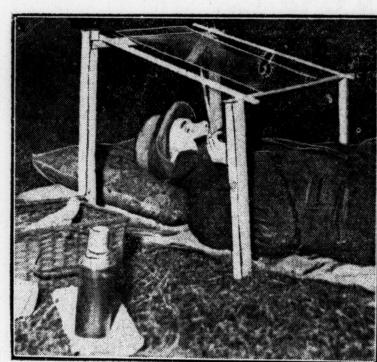
Accordion pleated panels and hanging draperies as sleeves, with girdle of roses.



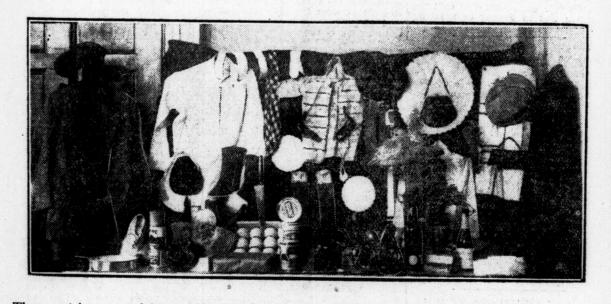
King's College students in London, England, turning the hose on an attacking party in a recent student battle.



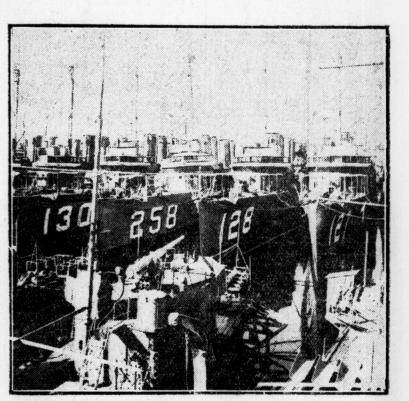
Mary Tumulty, daughter of President Wilson's former secretary, who was injured in an auto accident at Munich, but who has now returned on the Majestic to her home.



This man lies on his back on clear nights in England and makes charts on glass by spotting in the stars just as he sees them. Afterwards the glass sheets are treated as photographic negatives and prints made from them.



These articles are undelivered because the parcels containing them were carelessly wrapped and addressed by the senders.



Some of the de-commissioned destroyers of the American Pacific fleet in San Diego harbor.



Galy Dudukaloff, from Chita, Siberia, who has arrived at San Francisco to study medicine at the University of California. She wanted to be a dancer, but father said "no."



Tread-water wheel used for distribution of water in the rice fields of Japan.



This English family, father and three children, are busy making toys at home.



Lord Reading, viceroy of India (left) and his host, the Maharajah of Gwalior.