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# AWAIT SINN FEIN VOTE ON PEACE TREATY

\$24,000 SAVED TO LONDON ON

57TH YEAR, NO.

Justifies Maintenance of Office For Board of Education Architect.

COST FOR YEAR \$8,500

Percentage Fees On Schools **Erected Would Have Been** \$32,234.

That the mere fact that London has a school architect means the actual savme of the architect's appointment.

he school board in 1920-21 at the rate of 4 per cent (although it is pointed out of 4 per cent (although it is pointed out by the officials that this would be a minimum charge by architects) it is shown that the taxpayers are saved the sum of approximately \$24,000. This is termed as a conservative estimate.

The figures submitted are as follows:

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| School        | Erected.   | ston. | F      | ee. |
|---------------|------------|-------|--------|-----|
| Colborne\$    | 3,445 25   | 4% \$ | 1,37   | 81  |
| Knollwood     | 26,900 00  |       | 1,076  | 00  |
| Ealing        | 91,884 22  |       | 3,673  | 76  |
| Wortley Road. | 66,500 00  |       | 2,660  | 00  |
| Simcoe        | 1,500 00   |       | 60     | 00  |
| Victoria      | 128,213 00 | 3%    | 3,846  | 39  |
| rotal saving  | for 1920   | \$    | 11,453 |     |
| Wortley Rd\$  | 15,910 19  | 4% \$ | 636    | 40  |
| Victoria      | 167,790 00 |       | 6,711  | 60  |

ecumseh ... 12,900 00 Collegiate ... 322,921 00 12,916 84 Total saving for 1921 ..\$20,780 84 Total saving for 1920-21 . \$32,234 80 From this sum is subtracted the ap-roximate cost of the school architect's office and equipment for the same period, \$8,500. This leaves, it is pointed out, a direct saving to the city during the past two years of \$23,734.80, which would not have been possible had the board of education followed the customary method of employing architects from time to time for separate projects.

#### MAKE EFFORT TO FREE FREIGHTERS

Fleet of Tugs Working To Release Boats From Sand Bars At Buffalo.

The boats are all day morning's gale. The boats are all loaded with grain. None is in a dangerous position. The death list in the storm stood at two last night, the of George Seiger having been found yesterday in a boathouse on the Ningara River. He apparently had been trapped in the boathouse by the high water which accompanied the storm and drowned while in bed. Frank Kiefer was killed on Sunday by

Niagara River. The ferryboat New-town is also aground. A score of squatters on the water-

front lost their homes and all of their possessions in the storm. Estimates of the damage done by the rm place it at \$1,000,000.

#### CHARLIE CHAPLIN BRITISH SUBJECT

Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 20.—On the ground that he is a subject of King George V. of England, and not a citizen of the United States, Charles Chaplin, movie comedian, yesterday obtained removal of a suit in which he is a defendant, from the district court here, to the United States district court. The action against Chaplin, instituted several years ago, is to collect \$25,000 at-torney fees, alleged due for legal ser-for a concillation board will have a vices claimed to have been rendered in this city in August, 1920, in connection with Charlie's divorce action.

CROKER'S CONDITION IMPROVES. JAPANESE LAUNCH been ill at his home, Glencairn Castle, been ill at his home, Glencairn Castle, was reported today as showing continued improvement. He had been suffering from a chill, contracted while returning to Ireland from the United today at Nagasaki. Like her sister ship, the Kaga, launched a month of the contracted while returning to Ireland from the United today at the Mitsubishi shipyards at Nagasaki. Like her sister ship, the Kaga, launched a month of the contracted while returning to Ireland from the United today at the Mitsubishi shipyards at Nagasaki. Like her sister ship, the Kaga, launched a month of the contracted today as showing continued improvement.

# SCHOOL PLANS BUFFALO TUGS REPAIR HAVOC

OF LAKE STORM Ship Owners Meet To Pool Interests and Appoint Wrecking Master.

15 FREIGHTERS GROUND

Buffalo, N: Y., Dec. 20 .- Tugs and school architect means the actual saving of thousands of dollars each year is revealed by a rough estimate issued by local educational authorities on Tuesday. This would appear to be more than gratifying in view of considerable opposition that was registered at the time of the architect's appointment. me of the architect's appointment.

Taking the new work undertaken by the school board in 1920-21 at the rate quire several days' work to extricate

and the cargoes of eight will be part-ly removed. Two large lighters, the Reliance and Rescue, were ordered here from Detroit last night. The lines involved are: G. A. Tomlinson & Com-pany, 12 ships; the Interlake Steamship Company, five; M. A. Hanna & Company, three; Kinney Steamsh Company, two, and H. K. Oakes, on Steamship The vessels are loaded with grain it

winter storage.

The ship owners held a meeting last night at which their interests were pooled and a wrecking master was named to direct the operation of mov-ing the stranded vessels.

#### Princess Mary To Wed in February or March At Westminster Abbey

ONDON, Dec. 20 .- It is reliably reported that the wedding of Princess Mary, daughter of King George and Queen Mary, to Viscount Lascelles, will take in Westminster Abbey The ceremony will probably be performed sometime between February 20 and April 1.

It is announced that the Earl of Eltham, a nephew of Queen Mary, is betrothed to Dorothy Hastings, a niece of the Earl

### Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 20.—A fleet of togs and lighters began work today to free six big lake freighters which were driven on the sand bars during Sunday and the sand bars during Sunday and the sand bars during Sunday and the sand bars of the san **BIG CUT IN WAGES**

Reductions Affecting 8,000 Men.

Frank kiefer was killed on School affying window hatch.

Tugs were unable to move the excursion steamer Ossian Bedell, which was swept high upon the bank of the was swept high upon the bank of the was developed in her coal fields since the big strike of 1910.

Sydney, N. S., Dec. 20.—Nova Scotia ready been strained to the utmost by stands face to face with one of the meet for larger working capital to meet post-war conditions of production and operation.

The excess profits duty, it is affirmed.

come of the Montreal negotiations.

Union miners of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick will be affected, as the of capital or by loan. smaller operators will sooner or later following the example of the British GERMANS BURN
Empire Steel Corporation, which owns the Dominion and Nova Scotia collieries.

Late Montreal advices announcing the break-up of the conference are regarded for a conciliation board will have steadying effect upon those who would otherwise clamor for a strike.

#### NEW DREADNOUGHT

which has confined him ti his ago, the Tosa is slated to be scrapped Today it was given out he was under the naval limitation plan agreed

# U. S. Will Coin Silver Dollar

Washington. Dec. 20.—The armamenton a broken sword, and clutching are conference will be reflected in a new series of United States sliver dollars, minting of which will be started immediately. The design of the new dollars was approved by President Harding today upon its submission by Raymond T. Baker, director of the mint, following approval by the fine arts commission. Director Baker said about 700.000 of the new dollars adopted for the silver dollars.

adopted for the silver dollar. Under the new dollars would be coined before the beginning of the new dollars which were designed by Anthony de Francisci of New York, will have the usual head of Liberty on the obverse side, while the reverse will have a large figure of an eagle perched.

adopted for the silver dollar. Under the existing law the director of the mint is authorized to make a change in cointies at the commission, every 25 years, and the devote for Hon. R. B. Bennett, minister of the house today for general devote for Hon. R. B. Bennett, minister of justice, giving him now a majority by both President Harding and Secretary of the Treasury Mellen.

Secretary Dec. 20.—The recount in Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.—Given. West Calgary was proceeding all yesterday, and will resume again today. The net gain during the day was one cision to make a new coin emblematic of the arms conference was approved of justice, giving him now a majority by both President Harding and Secretary of seven votes.

To Reward Valor!



LONDON, Dec. 20.—"I wish I could Captain Percy Hansen, wounded Gallipoli soldier, was watching a peace par

dashing lady who noticed Hansen's decorations in passing.

That was three years ago. Today the engagement of Hansen and the beautiful lady was announced—and it all grew out of that chance meeting.

The lady is Countess Poulett, widow of Earl Poulett, another war hero.

#### HIGH TAXES PERIL **BRITISH INDUSTRY**

Many Firms Claim To Be Paying Rates Out of Capital.

London, Dec. 20 .- (Canadian Press Cable.)-The federation of British inlustries has sent to the chancellor of the exchequer a grave warning of the consequences of a continuance of the present high level of taxation, which says the warning is one of the chief factors retarding industrial recovery ductive capacity of the country.

The manifesto expresses the convic Operators Post Notices of tion that a substantial reduction in taxation would speedily lead to such ar increase in the volume of trade as would possible. It points out that the capital resources of many industries has al-ready been strained to the utmost by

has developed in her coal fields since the big strike of 1910.

At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at every mine of the Dominion Coal Company, was posted an official bulleting which in effect notified the 8,000 miners of the island that on Jan. I their wages are to be cut by approximately one-third. The fact that the notice had been posted without awaiting the outcome of the Montreal conference on wages and working conditions, is taken to mean that the company intends to enforce its edict, regardless of the outcome of the Montreal negotiations.

The excess profits duty, it is affirmed, has prevented the accumulation of reserves sufficient to meet the crisis, while enormous local taxation and the corporation profits tax have still further depleted the available resources of industry. Under this condition, says the manifesto, the burden of the income tax at the high rate assessed upon the average for three years, which included the greatest industrial boom in history, assumed crushing proportions, and many firms have been driven to impair their future productive capacity by

## WILD WEST BOOKS

Berlin. Dec. 20 -- Forty thousand vol-umes of detective, "Wild West", and Indian stories, which had been put in circulation here since the revolution. direction here since the revolution. Ald, G. A. Wenige stated to The were piled up and burned today as a Advertiser that he was not very opfeature of a campaign carried on by the timistic that the gas users of the city of the ien cents. Association for the Protection of Ger-man Youth. The books were turned in by youths who had purchased them, it is too early to make any predictions,

from Silvester Cosgrove, who late last week arrested in Warsaw. Poland, Wolfe Lindenfeld, alleged to have been involved in the Wall street homb explosion of September, 1920, were awaited by department of justice officials here a fighting chance for the other cents," said the alderman.

### -SUPPOSE NOBODY CARED!-

ON CHRISTMAS MORN

OW'S the time for everybody to get into the Goodfellows' Christmas Cheer Club"!

Christmas Day is at last near enough to have its effect in loosening up the heartstrings. People now want to give. Isn't that so? They want to give because they won't be able to spend a happy Christmas themselves unless they have had a share in the

And there are so many people in London today who need their help. The good old Saint of Christ-

mas knows the need, and is working on their hearts today. This Goodfellows' Fund is not for a cer-

class of people. It is for everybody, and everybody should be proud to have a share in it. It's to help along

those who haven't been so very fortunate this last year. They are to have their share in the

But it's also for those who have been successful, and for whom Christmas will not mean poverty and

squalor and hunger. They are to be the helpers this time. And they should remember that there's always the chance that the "helpers" may have to be "helped"

ONLY

DETO

You must belong to one class or other—the "helpers" or the "helped." Send your name in to The Advertiser, whoever you are. If you need help, help will be forthcoming on Christmas Eve. If you don't need help, then accompany your name with a generous subscription for those who do.

Follow the example of the kind lady who came into The Advertiser office this morning and left a \$5 bill for the Santa Claus Fund. The fact that she lives all alone, and won't have such a jolly Christmas herself, did not prevent her from thinking of others and how to make them happy. And I venture to say that she will be one of the happiest people in London when Christmas Day comes, just because she has been the means of making others happy.

So dig down deep into your pockets. And don't dare to bring your hands out again until you have found a generous sum for the Santa Claus Fund. Subscriptions to date are:

| Subscriptions to date are:      |            |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Previously acknowledged         | 1,107 35   |
| Little Peter                    | 1 00       |
| Members of London Club          | 50 00      |
| Conny                           | 25         |
| Few Advertiser Night Workers    | 21 50      |
| A Friend                        | 2 00       |
| Mrs. M. A. Webster, 79 Bruce St | 5 00       |
| Victoria Rebekah Lodge, No. 1   | 5 00       |
| A Friend                        | 1 00       |
| Lenard                          | 2 00       |
| A. W. M                         | 2 00       |
| Ernest and Jack Smith           | 5 00       |
| L. H. Martyn                    | 15 00      |
| The "Kidd" Children             | 2 00       |
| W. J. W                         | 2 00       |
| Metropole Cafe and Employees    | 13 00      |
| Total                           | \$1,236 10 |
|                                 |            |

# OVER GAS REFUND

Ald. Wenige Claims It Is Too Early To Make Predictions.

and who received classical works in ex-change.

being as the auditor, A. Calder, named to go over the books of the gas company, hasn't any more than got start-ed. The ten cent charge arises out of the legislature, ruling that ten cents IGNORANT OF PLOT of the singular, ruling that ten cents of the \$1.25 charge be held in reserve, and if cost were less than represented, it should be refunded.

"However, possession is nine-tenths

## TO ANTI-LYNCHING BILL ent).

### Ross' Majority Over Liberal Candidate Is 1.330 Votes

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 20. - The corrected returns this morning show a changed vote of D. M. Ross, the successful candidate in yesterday's North Oxford by-election for the legislature. In one of the West Zorra divisions. Ross' majority is increased by 27 votes, which makes the totals now read: Ross (U. F. O.), 4,711; Day (Liberal), 3.384; Neely (Independent Conservative), 954. Ross' majority over Day, 1,330, and a plurality over Day and Neely of 374.

#### ONTARIO GOVERNMENT HAS MAJORITY OF FOUR

Toronto, Dec. 20 .- Officials of the Ontario Government figure out a major-ity of four members of the Legislature, over all opposition, as the result of the polling in the by-election in North Oxford yesterday, when D. M. Ross, the U. F. O. candidate, was elected—a farmer gain from the Liberal column. According to the summary given out unofficially at the provincial legislative building this morning, the Legislature stands at 56 government supporters (U. F. O. and Labor), and 52 opposition (Liberal, Conservative and Independ-There are still two vacancies, Rus-

sell and Kingston. These, with the speaker, would make up the 111 seats in the House.

\$2.50, under the act requiring a license

### Wins Lord In Zoo

MISS GERTRUDE COOPER.

LONDON, Dec. 20 .- They stood be

fore the lion cage in the zoo.
"Will you marry me?" he asked.
"Uh-huh!" she said.

CRITICIZE DANCING

"Perhaps I have very strong ideas

he subject of entertainment," said Mrs

And then the engagement of Lord

# mit Carefully Prepared

CLAIMS FRANCE AGREES

Briand as Accepting Naval Ratio Proposal.

granted.

Lee, it was understood, as head of the British Admiralty, would present the Angus Kennedy and Miss Gertrude Cooper was announced. Being a member of the Royal Zoo-Angus
Cooper was announced.

Being a member of the Royal Zoological Society. Lord Kennedy could
enter the zoo on Sunday when others
were barred. Miss Cooper liked aniwere barred. Miss Cooper liked animals, so she went along.

When there would be general discussion of the submarine question by
other delegates did not develop today

London Club Women Question
Propriety of Theatre
Christmas Fare.

"Porhaps I have very strong ideas on

## **Declares France**

the school board, and prominent in women's and social welfare organizations in London to The Advertiser to-day, referring to the dancing of Doraldina this week at Loew's Theatre.

"My idea," she continued, "is that the theatres should offer something more elevating at the Christmas season than a style of dancing that is related to the 'shimmy.' Despicable' is a strong word to use in connection with muscular dancing, but I cannot think of a better one at the present moment, It isn't so much that it is demoralizing to the young children. It is the older boys and girls I have more in mind, and I am gir

which Great Britain and France should eath risks and would be satisfied better type of pictures, and a better the disorganization of that vast country type of entertainment altogether, in is greater than is known. Great Britain

which Great Britain and France should death risks and would be satisfied the treaty should be interpreted by the fellow soldiers.

Applause was given the declared, nowever, he had each risks and would be satisfied to the treaty should be interpreted by the fellow soldiers.

#### DELAYS PLANS OF DAKIN ST. SCHOOL

Architect Carrothers Waits To Know Area of Site Available.

Although at the last regular meeting over Christmas Day.
of No. 2 committee of the board of education. L. E. Carrotners, school architect, was directed to proceed with plans for the proposed eight-room public school in the southeastern section of the city, it now develops that nothing material can be accomplished in this direction until the first of the year.

The new school will be situated on Dakin street, and adjoining the property already secured by the board is another substantial tract of land that can now be pachased, although for some weeks past the owner was reluctant to sell. The city solicitor, however, has advised the secretary of the board of education that possibly a month must elapse before the deal can be consum This must of necessity in the interim

land will be actually available.

## WILL PRESENT ARGUMENTS AT ARMS PARLEY Lord Lee Expected To Sub-COLLINS DEFENDS ACTION

Statement.

London Daily Mail Quotes

Washington, Dec. 20.—The British delegation has formally asked that a plenary session of the Washington conference be held tomorrow or Thursday in order that Great Britain may present its case for the abolition of the submarine. The British spokesman who announced the request said no information was forthcoming as to whether the meeting had or would be

It was expected, however, that the It was expected, however, that the session would be held Thursday. Lord Lee, it was understood, as head of the British Admiralty, would present the British case in a carefully prepared statement dealing largely with technical features. Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British delegation, probably will follow, discussing general phases of pall could do was to appear to the session of the Dail of the Dail which, he declared, could not ratify the pact in the sense of making it a legal instrument. All the

# the school board, and prominent worker in women's and social welfare organizations in London to The Advertiser to

emphatically of the opinion that 'jazzy' dancing is not the kind of entertainment we want for them, either on the stage or off."

Mrs. John Rose, president of the Union Mothers' Club, recalls the fact that the mothers' clubs have been opposed consistently to this type of vaudeville.

France wished to maintain the burden of great land armaments, especially as she had just emerged from a terrible would believe that Mr. Lloyd George had decived Michael Collins, who seriously the differences between France and Great Britain in regard to reparations, and was sure that a solution would be found. "Russia is a question would be consistently to this type of vaudeville. the interests of the children and the and France must together undertake growing-up boys and girls."

#### Christmas Holiday Recess Abandoned

Washington, Dec. 20 .- In spite of the liscouraging events of the past few days, the Washington conference for the vesterday's open session. All the limitation of armaments seems bent this morning newspapers show material morning on getting down to hard work. apprehension over the outcome. The proposed holiday recess has been An index to the sentiment of the rank and file of the Dail members in

rine question, will prove the hard nut given no intimation as to how they for the conference to crack, and upon its working out largely hinges a satis
"Will the treaty be rejected?" asks the city, it now develops that nothing factory settlement of the problems of

Robert Borden has done a great deal of valuable work in connection with Chir ese affairs, but should the conference close, as is now hoped, early in January, that work would have to be con-tinued by an international permanent commission of which, it is believed, Sir Robert will be a member.

SETS PORTUGUESE ELECTION. Lisbon, Dec. 20.-A decree was issued today, signed by all the ministers of the delay the preparation of plans as or-dered by the board as the architect Portuguese cabinet, dissolving Parliahow much ment and fixing Jan. 8 as the date for

holding a general election.

## Little Girl Rewards Boy of 9 For Finding Christmas Money

Olaf Nichol, of 858 Princess avenue, is only 9 years of age, but he knows the difference between right and wrong and proved on Saturday last that he is just as honest as the day is long.

Olaf was walking along Dundas is long. Olaf was walking along Dundas in the finding of a small roll of bills, and a little bit of a girl turned up at the police station Monday night to claim her Christmas money. If you was in the condition of a small roll of bills, and a little bit of a girl turned up at the police station Monday night to claim her Christmas money. If you was not claim to claim her Christmas money. If you was not claim her Christmas money was not claim her Christmas money. If you was not claim her Christmas money was not street on Saturday morning and saw to get half anyway, and I at some money lying on the sidewalk. He to leave \$2 with you for him." picked it up and clutching it in his "It was one of the nicest a

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sell and Kingston. These, with the speaker, would make up the 111 seats in the House.

MUST LICENCE POP GUN.

London.—Any boy carrying a pop gun without a license for it will be fined keeping.

Monday afternoon The Advertiser or re-arms."

"It was one of the nicest actions 1 ploked it up and clutching it in his small hand, set out to find a policeman. After walking several blocks he discovered a burly officer, told him about finding the money, two \$2 bills, and claim rolls that ran into the thousands and never leave a "thank you" for the finder, much less a reward. There is a mighty fine little boy, and carried a short paragraph telling about just as nice a little girl.

# Great Britain Will Ask Abolition of Submarine DAIL MEMBERS TERMS OF PACT

PRICE, THREE CENTS

De Valera Prepared To Move Rejection of Anglo-Irish Agreement.

Declares Lloyd George Sincere in Efforts To Bring About Peace.

BULLETIN.

Queenstown, Dec. 20.—Removal of the British troops from Ireland, which was to have been begun today, has been suspended, and they will not be withdrawn unless the treaty is ratified, it was said here.

Dublin. Dec. 20.-It was announced this morning that Arthur Griffith, head of the Sinn Fein delegation which signed the Anglo-Irish treaty, would move in the Dail Eireann today for a vote on the question of approving the treaty and that Eamonn de Valera, the Republican president, would move its disapproval.

sapproval.
Today's session of the Dail opened at

of the British delegation, probably will follow, discussing general phases of the submarine warfare.

When there would be general discussion of the submarine question by other delegates did not develop today but it was expected that the other delegates would ask for time to consider the British position.

The British spokesman in discussing the submarine tonnage question declared that unless an agreement was reached on that phase of the question all that had been accomplished toward law in the pact in the sense of making it a legal instrument. All the supprove, he asserted.

The Republican president said he would later move "that inasmuch as the articles of agreement for the treaty between Great Britain and Ireland, signed in London, do not reconcile Irish national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations and the association of Ireland with the community of national aspirations

Woman Member Opposes Pact. Woman Member Opposes Pact.

Mr. de Valera did not read the proposal nor was it made public at this time, but copies of the document containing it had been well circulated among the members when the motion was made. Mrs. Kate O'Callaghan, the first woman member to speak, opposed the treaty. 'The women of the Dail will ve's for principles, not expedients,' she declared. he declared. John R. Etchingham, deputy for

John R. Etchingham, deputy for Wicklow and minister of fisheries, spoke in opposition to the treaty, saying the people were being stampeded. They were not, as Arthur Griffith said, marching into the British Empire with heads up,

the treaty should be interpreted by his fellow soldiers. Applaus: was given the declaration of P. Hogan, speaking for the agreement, when he said: "Not a man who votes against this treaty but hopes it will be writing."

Press Fear Outcome. The confidence with which the sup-porters of the Irish peace treaty have heretofore awaited action by the Dail Eireann has given way to uncertainty

will be ratified.

virtually abandoned, and there is not likely to be any adjournment except over Christmas Day.

The naval ratio, including the submater is resumed today on Arthur Griffith's motion for ratification. A large number of these members have

"Will the treaty be rejected?" asks
Turn to Page 7, Column 3.

#### The Weather

FORECASTS. Today-Moderate winds; fair; becoming unsettled tonight. Wednesday - North and northwest rinds; some light snow, but mostly cloudy and colder.

The weather has been mostly fair to vercast, and somewhat colder in Eastern Canada, and fine and very col Temperatures.

The highest and lowest temperatures uring the 24 hours previous to 8 a m today were:



Pt. Arthur.. 14 P. Sound... 29 Toronto ... Ottawa .. Montreal ... 20 Quebec ..... 22 F. Point.... St. John.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours

previous to 8 o'clock last night were The official temperatures for the 1: hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Barometric Readings. Monday-8 a.m., 29.64, Today-8 a.m., 29.44.

## CANADIAN FLAX INDUSTRY SOON TO LEAD WORLD

S. Frank Glass Believes Existing Drawbacks Will Be Overcome.

NEW MACHINERY TO AID

More Labor-Saving Devices Will Combat European Cheaper Production.

Canada possesses not only ideal as well, for successful flax cultivation had likewise grown in number from 9 climatic conditions, but the proper soil on a real extensive basis. Why, then, should she not in the course of time

has found its market largely in the thread and twine mills of the Eastern machinery, however, Mr. Glass as well as the flaxgrowers, is confident that markets and competition with coarser Russian fibre did not lend sufficient encouragement for any extensive increase in production, however, and the industry during the first half century preceding the outbreak of the war did not give promise to growers of attaining an importance that would justify extending production.

At the outbreak of the war there defends and twine machinery, however, Mr. Glass as well as the flaxgrowers, is confident that doubtedly gone for Day. In his campaign Neely accused the Catholic vote of swinging for Ross, and this only tended to secure for Ross many sympathy votes on this score.

Celebrate Victory.

Tonight the farmers of the country and developing an importance that would justify extending production.

At the outbreak of the war there

and only last week met in London to view the latest model of machinery that may be used for the handling of mally cheap product of Russia or build

during the war, coupled with the rising values for the product in the world markets, the acreage under cultivation sandwich wants a town crier at a salinereased from 1,400 to more than ary of \$5 a year. The village will fur10,000, while the number of flax mills nish the cap and bell.

#### Meighen To Continue in Office "For a Period."

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—(By Canadian Press.)—No announce-ment is yet forthcoming as to the date of resignation of the present government. Premier Meighen's resignation was placed in the hands of the governor

general some days ago, but has not been accepted yet. A statement issued today reads:
"Mr. Meighen has been asked when his resignation as prime minister was to be expected. He stated this afternoon that some days ago the same had been tendered to his excellency the governor-general, but that his excellency, after consultation with the Hon. Mackenzie King, had requested the present government to continue in office for a limited period.

The termination of the war naturally assume her place among the leaders in this respect?

So questions S. Frank Glass, ex-M.P., whose strenuous efforts in the House of Commons at Ottawa asking more attention to this important but seemingly almost forgotten industry are well known to interested persons, not only in Western Ontario, but throughout the Dominion.

There is absolutely no valid reason." continues Mr. Glass, "why Canada should accept any inferior position with the other flax producing countries of the world. Canada has been exporting flax fibre of excellent quality for years, and Canadians, in turn, have been purchasing the product of Irish and other European flax mills in the form of sewing thread, cords, weaving yarns, towelling and other linea articles, to the value of several million dollars a year, without realizing, no doubt, that a large proportion of the war naturally assume had its origin in flax from Ontario's fields."

The termination of the war naturally among the grow askiety among the grow anxiety among the grow are lest a reaction in European markets which the continuity of the new markets which hostilities had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had developed and also cause a serious slump in prices. Experience had 220 majority. But this was soon the content ourselves were greatly conceded, it will take some years to catch up with the development of the high prices. Experience had a serious data from the development of a point, that these fears were greatly conceded, it will take some years to catch up with the development of the full take some years to catch up wi assume her place among the leaders caused some anxiety among the grow- Embro. Mr. Day's only victory came

Drawbacks Exist.

There are two rather important drawbacks, Mr. Glass points out, however, in the flax industry in this country. First, the Canadian producer to date appears to have been unable to handle his product to such a country to such a country.

The Dominic of linens may be embraced in the country and the conomic benefits, and not until the conomic tension out the full the economic benefits that will according to the country.

Government To Ald.

The Dominic of linens may be embraced in the country that the conomic benefits that will according to the country or condition. The country of the

ing an importance that would justify extending production.

At the outbreak of the war there were only nine flax scutching mills in operation, and the total acreage under cultivation had shrunk to less than 1,400 acres, all of which was grown in two or three counties of Western Ontario, Middlesex, Huron, Perth, Waterloe and Lambton.

From an early appreciation by Canadian growers after 1914 of the fast-diminishing supplies from Russia. France, Belgium and Germany, they developed among themselves a spirit for co-operation and organization, and in the early summer of 1915 the Canadian Flax Growers' Association came into existence. This body still functions, and only last week met in London to view the latest model of machinery that may be used for the handling of the better grades of flax fibre by means of careful seed selection, modern scientific methods of retting, importance and the country and their city friends celebrated their victory in good style and with their streets in autos and sleighs.

As an evidence of the strength of the strength of the better grades of flax fibre by means of careful seed selection, modern scientific methods of retting, impoved scutching and careful grading is street proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is street proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is street proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is street proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is street proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is treet proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is the proved scutching and careful grading is treet proved scutching and careful grading is treet proved scutching an

the flax.

It is interesting to note that, as a result of the stimulus rendered the industry by the Dominion government.

up the great flax growing and manufacturing industry which is Canada's unappropriated birthright.

WHO'LL TAKE THE JOB!

FACE

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### **ROSS WINS IN** N. OXFORD BY **BIG PLURALITY**

Former Strong Grit Constituency Swings Over To Progressive Ranks.

LIBERALS DISORGANIZED

[Special to The Advertiser.]

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 19 .- The good old Liberal constituency of North Ozford today broke away from a string of Liberal victories dating back 50 years and elected a supporter of Premier Drury in the person of David M. Ross, who carried the riding by a majority of 1,303. It was a sweeping victory, and Reaction Feared. the victor led the poll in every town-the termination of the war naturally ship in the riding, also the village of

Liberals Disorganized.

Then again the Liberals were in a disorganized condition. For some reason or other they did not seem to carry Mr. Day with anything like the energy they displayed behind Dr. Sinclair in the federal election, and, in fact, really little

First, the Canadian producer to date appears to have been unable to handle his product to such an appreciable degree as is done in Europe, and, secondly, the labor problem figures to a large extent in the local situation. The Canadian flax growers cannot compete with the Russian growers, for example. The cultivation of flax for fibre is not a brand-new venture in Canada by any means. Mr. Glass points out. Authoritative records reveal the fact that the earliest French settlers on this continent brought with them the seed of the flax plant as early as the year A.D. 1617, and some years later, a few miles below the present city of Quebec, was established the first experimental farm. From that time until the present farmers in that district have been continually growing flax for fibre, but in a small way.

To the southwestern section of Ontario, however, goes the credit for flax production for fibre on an extensive scale, and the product (scutched fibre) has found its market largely in the thread and twine mills of the American markets and competition with coarser Russian fibre did not lend sufficient ending overnment expects, and the product. At this dath the flax growers in their methods of handling their methods of handli

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|---------------|------------|--------|-------|
|               | Day.       | Neely. | Ross. |
| Woodstock     | 1991       | 724    | 718   |
| East Nissouri |            | 24     | 703   |
| West Zorra    | 131        | .11    | 851   |
| Blandford     | 89         | , 9    | 372   |
| Blenheim      | 291        | 76     | 960   |
| Embro         | 65         | 1      | 165   |
| Tavistock     | 265        | 28     | 45    |
| East Zorra    | 173        | 59     | 873   |
| Totals        | 3384       | 954    | 4687  |

#### UGLIEST INDIAN GETS SCORES OF PROPOSALS

MEXICO CITY, Dec 19 .- Beauty conests are held frequently, but students at the national university recently held contest to discover the ugliest Indian Mexico. Jesus Memije won without struggle. Despite his handicap, he is said to have received countless dozens roposals of marriage from "admiring readers" ever since his photograph was published in the Mexico City news

#### MEXICO COTTON CROP NOW BELOW NORMAL

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 20 .- Mexico's otton crop this year will not be more than 80,000 bales as compared to a normal, annual crop of 125,000 bales, according to recent estimates. The de-crease is said to be the result of the determination of growers in the Laguna district, where the bulk of the crop is produced, not to cultivate their fields until market prices are higher.

DIED AFTER LONG ILLNESS. [Special to The Advertiser.]

SEAFORTH, Dec. 19.—The death took place after a protracted illness at her residence, Centre street, Satart her residence, Centre street, Sacturday, of Catharine McMillan, relict of the late Simon McKenzie of Tuckersmith, in her 91st year. Mrs. McKenzie was born near New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, in 1831, and taugnt school for three years in Brucefield, afterward residing in London. In 1862 she was man ried to the late Simon McKenzie, and came to reside on the second conces-sion of Tuckersmith, where she lived until retiring to Seaforth with her daughter, about four years ago. She is survived by two sons, A. W. Mc-Kenzie of Winnipeg, S. McKenzie of Edmonton, and two daughters, Mrs. J M. Thompson of Elgin, Illinois, and Mary E., at home. The funeral will take place on Tuesday. Interment will be made in Baird's Cemetery, Bruce-

Judge J. A. Jackson of Lethbridge, Alberta, is a Yuletide guest at his home here. While in Toronto on his way to Seaforth he was made president of the Canadian Athletic Associa-

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PAZO OINTMENT is a guaranteed remedy for Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves Itching Piles; 60c. Made in Canada — Advt.

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Is everything being done at this store to help our people?—Is our daily inquiry. Our greatest concern these days is for promptness, courtesy and intelligence of our helpers, for the better service of our people.

Everyone is doing their best, working at higher speed, but with the perfection of a wellcared-for machine-endeavoring to do their task right, and at the right time. All ready at our posts to assist you in your Christmas shopping.

STORE CLOSES TODAY AT 5:30.

# The Christmas Furs



It Puzzled Give This

A Merchandise

Certificate

Merchandise Certificate

said sum to be used for the purpose of merchandise in any section

For the busy office man or employer who

has no time for gift-hunting, fill in for any

amount, and the recipient will do the choos-

ing. If not convenient to come in, 'phone

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SMALL MANE INGRAM

As far as women are concerned we cannot think of a gift that is so sure to meet with unbounded enthusiasm as, for instance, a fur coat. We will be glad to guide you, Mr. Husband or Father, in the selection of this gift. The furs offered at this store are known furs; they are fully guaranteed and give satisfactory wear, and to be the furs represented.

## Your Choice of These---

Electric Seal (French-Dyed Belgian Hare), trimmed with squirrel, Alaska, sable, beaver, Australian opossum, ringtail opossum with large self collars, belted, slashed pockets, lined with good quality poplins or radium and pussy willow silks. Prices......\$155.00, \$165.00, \$175.00, \$195.00 and \$210.00

Muskrat Coats, with large seal collars and cuffs, with or without banding, poplin lined ......\$135.00, \$142.00 to \$200.00

Hudson Seal Coats (dyed and sheared muskrat), lined with Swiss pussy willows, or rich brocade, trimmed with Aliska sable, beaver, grey squirrel or self collars, lengths 36 to 40 inches. Prices....\$365.00, \$385.00, \$400.00 to \$500.00 Also Coats in beaver, beaverne and M rmot.

# Very new and different are these

woolen sports togs. Colors of old rose, black with orange, scarab blue, bright orange red sand and henna. Only

These are new. See them



# New Chenille Sport Hats

becoming little hats, made of chenille braid on soft flexible foundations, and the colors are so bright and pretty, with furs or

one of each style to choose from. Moderately priced ..... \$12.00



#### SWEETENS THE ATMOSPHERE

Vantine's Incense Burners produce a delightful fragrance which is diffused throughout the home. Prices ranging from 75c to \$12.50

Incense, in powder or pyramid form. Odors, sandalwood, wistaria, rose and violet. Prices. At the Toilet Counter. Just Received-

Lias de Rigaud Perfumes. \$4 oz. Rigaud Un Air Embaume. .\$4 oz.

### For the Home A useful list of gifts for the home which may be Heavy Tapestry Runners and Mats .....



the credit of

vour order.

selected from stock or made to your order.

Chesterfield Cushions, in colors of rose, blue, green, brown, terra, mulberry or taupe, at ..... ..... \$6.50 and \$8.00 each

Hassocks, in plain colors or tapestry, 16 inches in diameter, at ..... \$4.50 to \$10.50 each Table Runners, in velour, with tapestry borders

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Bedroom Boxes, chintz covered, 42 inches long, 21 inches wide and 14 inches high, at ..... ..... \$13.50 and \$14.50 each

Bedroom Boxes, with arms, same size as above; covered in chintz ...... \$16.00 and \$17.00 each .....\$3.75 to \$6.00 each

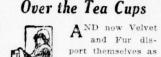
Silk Tapestry Runners, in handsome color combinations at ..... \$6.50 and \$8.50 each

bedroom; seat lifts, and you have a place for all shoes, handy and out of the way; this is a new idea, and will be a popular one.. \$11.00 each up

Bedroom Box Chairs, just the thing for the small

Side Curtains and Valances, made to your order, for any style room, in chintz, poplin, casement cloth, madras, velour or shadow cloth ...... ...... \$5.75 set upwards

Velour Portieres made to your order, lined with velour, poplin, shadow cloth, chintz, repp, casement cloth, at ...... \$32.50 pair upwards



Fashion Talks



the most luxurious thing in Negligees! A Duvetyne Bag

will court good company with the



"FELT," says the newest bedroom sandal, and immediately lets its comfort be



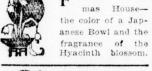
PARISIAN Perfumes have come down from their "you-can't-buy-me" pedestal, and now openly suggest themselves as in expen-Christmas gifts.



must have its necklace, says Paris, but the new Jet Necklace goes with all costumes, and so makes an all-round gift. WHEN costumes



Vestee abandons lace and plays its Kid, too. FOR the Christ-



DETTICOATS are in again, in Satin and Silk, with elastic tops that slip over the



newer, smart-er, or more useful than with clansmen colors? A WHISP of a colored, sport-

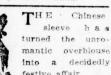
ive handkerchief completes the sports frock, with

a many-striped bor-

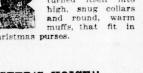


LAMPS that give new color to old corners—What could be more acceptable to the woman who loves her home?





into a decidedly festive affair. To show that it can be just as becoming in smaller pieces. Fur has turned itself into



"HIS MASTER'S VOICE" Christmas Records now on sale. Hear them on a Victor.-Third Floor.







Just received in white and range of colors.

At Linen Counter-Main Aisle.

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Does Your Face Powder Do This?

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THE SKIN AND AT THE SAME TIME

GIVES IT BEAUTY. MAVIS users

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MAVIS clings because it is fine

and carefully prepared. Lastingly

fragrant with MAVIS perfume.

White, flesh, rose and rachel

and the new duo tint.

remarkable things. IT PROTECTS POWDER

Metropolis of Western Ontario.

## CONSERVATORY OPENS BRANCH ON WORTLEY RD.

Dundas Street Building Purchased by Mrs. A. Butler of 213 Queen's Avenue.

#### BRINGING OPERATIC STAR

The selling of the building occupied by the Conservatory of Music on Dun-las street, is the last move in the ived idea of bringing the de of the people in all parts of the ity instead of making the people all one central place in the down

That it has proved a success is nt by the number of new students rolled at the new branch of the conan average, two new students have en enrolled each day since its open-

nowned pianist, Pavloska, of the Cago Operatic Society. Willem Mile celebrated 'cellist, and finall, street is Mrs. Allen Butler,

## REPORT SALARIES OF DOMESTIC HELP

#### mployers of Butlers, Maids and Footmen To File Returns.

Steps are under way to secure incom returns from all persons who emds and household assistants, at the rants or only one have always rank-

he form known as T4, as is required

to \$1,000, or \$500 for a portion of the ear, the returns must be filed.

#### City Clerk Suggests Way To End Discussion On School Contracts

"No need for any commissions to sit in judgment," City Clerk Baker suggested to The Advertiser on Tuesday, "in lieu of any further discussion and coun-ter-charging about school contracts, let whoever feels that he nas a case enter proceedings unseat which ever member of the poard of education that he be-

Heves to be dealing unfair." The city clerk points out that this must needs clear the air as the evidence would have to be submitted before a judge of the

Give-

### Members of Advertiser Staff Hold Party in Their New Home

'Hanging of Crane" in Richmond Street Building Is Celebrated by Dance, Music and Other Festivities At Week-End Gathering of Employees.

BY ISABEL ARMSTRONG.
The Poet Bill, who came to life for the event, declared "She was some party, that there grand house-warming at the hat there grand house-warming at the platform or "Italian balcony," every new Advertiser building, on the corner time a telephone call is sent in, was new Advertiser building, on the corner of Richmond and York streets, Saturday night." In any case, the chronicler of such events of the staff has only sufficiently recovered to sort out the kaledoscope impressions and write something like a coherent record.

Outside, the rain poured down in torrents.

The dephone call is sent in, was solemnly presented with a toy telephone of my own.

Santa Claus coyly quoting her of repeated statement, "Oh, if I only had a telephone of my own, what a lot of news there would be in the paper!"

Little "Sob Sister," Helen McMillan was decorated for valiant service with a noisy string of beads.

Cripple Industry For Some Time.



ree, he pressed into service his most lastardly weapon for budding ambition, a capacious waste-paper basket, filled to the brim with gifts, if not welcome, at least apt and suitable. Big Chief Muir, alias Lord High Everything Else But Work, was remem-bered with a bottle of a famous lini-

ment, specially prepared for the owners of Ford cars, equally effective, the elo-quent editor stated, for "Ford corns. Ford creaks and Ford cars."



ch that no returns were required for destiny of the composing-room through

A kindly thought was the presenta-

tion of a handsome pair of military hair brushes of the scrubba-da-kitchen brand to the distinguished-looking day chief of the composing-room, whose cranium offers no hirsute obstacle to the student of phrenology.

"I have always admired your hair,"

said Ye Editor-in-Chief, whereupon the distinguished-looking day chief of the composing-room leaned over and playfully tapped a scalp that was twin to his own, the shining, intellectual dome of the speaker. Cynthia Grey, who set the vogue for

goloshes in London town, got a pair as like her own as two peas, labelled "Puss in Boots."

lar, had as his favor an unbroken package of succulent chewing gum, with the advice if he would persist in chewing something, to try that something, to try that.

The youth who strikes an attitude and says, "With me on the want ad. end, it will whe six good men to do the work on any other paper in Lon-don," was made the proud possessor

of a stout, brass horn, the versatil

editor in chief giving a practical de-

# This Year A

#### Salvage Crew Operating On Liner Sunk in 1917.

Press).—Nearly \$28,000,000 worth of bullion has been recovered from the that the move to abolish te commission be the subject for consideration. that the move to abous the commission be the subject for consideration will then make its appearance.

January, 1917, off the north coast of January, 1917, off the north coast of centractors on the Pine Lawn houses, contractors on the Pine Lawn houses, the contractors of the contractors on the Pine Lawn houses, the contractors of the c Operations have been suspended for

LONDON. Dec. 20 .- (Associated

the winter, but they will be resumed again in the spring , when an effort the will be made to recover the remaining \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 worth of pullion which is said to be still at the the matter with Commissioner Ellis.

bullion which is said to be still at the bottom of the sea.

Great difficulties have been encountered by the salvage crew, for after three years' pounding by the Atlantic swells the liner has been transformed into a heap of twisted debris. Her decks, which settled down on the sea decks, which settled down on the sea her to the total plan as general contractors in the sum on the sea the matter with Commissioner Ellis.

City Clerk Baker this morning expressed wonderment at the fact that the reason for the change in the specifications of the Plne Lawn roofs has never been made public. When Mr. Hayman appeared at the clerk's office to sign the Mould offer for the examination of the highest standing examination of the ballots.

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Carmen Learn, also a pupil of which a recount and re-examination of the ballots.

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This obstruction had to be removed. This obstruction had to be removed, as far as possible, by powerful pumps placed in position by the divers, as the

cold was at the bottom of the huge





took the halo of the quartet perform-ance by his recitation about Christopher Columbus discovering America and seting-room feature was a minstrel show. "Would you have believed there was to much talent on the staff?" was the

oft-repeated query.
Caruso Goodburne, who even admitted in the talent category, Scotty of the composing-room staff, whose flute solo

and encore were real musical events. With a nice sense of the fitness of things, in the midst of the generous supper of sandwiches, cake and coffee, Mr. Goodburne took his place well to the fore in the limelight to warble "The End of a Perfect Day," not as a solosist his time, he fought honed, but as the leader of a whole-souled chorus. The choristers, however, refused to chorus, on the ground that they were 'too full for utterance." Instead of and his song by unstinted offerings of

The recipient of a whip to pass made the recipient of a whip to peed up production.

The ardent Romanist, who guides the Syne," as the strong arm of the law ada will hold a convention in London but his head in the door to announce on Feb. 14. The London association but his head in the door to announce on Feb. 14. The London association but his head in the door to announce on Feb. 14. destiny of the composing-room through the "stilly" (?) night, got his in the form of a copy de luxe of the Orange on the Ministerial Association had has been instrumental in securing the put the ban on the continuance of convention for this city.

And so The Advertiser crane was

# QUASH HOUSING

of Year.

#### BUILDERS SIGN CONTRACT

There is a movement on foot to abolish the housing commission.

city hall, but details are not available. delegates.

Neither is it known who is behind the Experiencing such success since their movement.

As far as can be learned the proposal mission, and to give the handling of future business over to Building Inspec-

Tallant propose to go to Toronto either aldermanic contest in Ward Two. on Wednesday or Thursday to discuss Ald, W. A. Wilson, defeated by nine

## CIGAR FACTORY MUSICAL ART FIRE LOSS MAY REACH \$200,000

Sons Is Swept by Flames.

HALTS CHRISTMAS RUSH

The latest estimate of the damage by fire to William Ward & Sons' cigar factory, 13 King street, Monday night, is between \$150,000 and \$200,000, according to a statement issued by a Statement issued is between \$150,000 and \$200,000, according to a statement issued by a member of the firm Tuesday afternoon. The stock in the rear portion of the building is a total loss, besides a large quantity of machinery.

The rear portion of the building, thich was completely gutted, was a bour-story red brick structure and was Adequate at the Adequate at the structure and was a schubert Nu rected about four years ago.

"We were just in the middle of the Christmas rush, and this fire will cripple us for considerable time."

Operations on one line of hose playing on an important section of the fire where halted when a section of the fire where the control of the fire when a section when a section of the fire when a section of the section of the fire when a section of the section of t

#### Town Talk. Calendar of Events.

WEDNESDAY-Recount will be taken of votes for aldermen in Ward 2. Trades and Labor Council meets in Labor Temple, 8 o'clock.

London Drama League presents a Christmas play, "Bethlehem," at Ryerson school, 8 o'clock. City council meets at city hall, 7:45

second of the kind to be held in the A brilliant finale for the evening was G. N. Weekes appeared for the plain-

ager of the commission will also ac-

for certain particulars relative to the chestra was not less pleasing.

payment of janitors' salaries. It ap
Mrs. Frederic Schofield, pears that at a committee meeting in April last certain business in connection with this matter was enacted, but never since brought to the attention of the board as a body.

#### WILL CONTINUE LOCAL WOMEN'S LABOR PARTY

This information was gleaned at the is scheduled for the consideration of the

organization, the members of the newly organized Women's Labor Party of
London have decided to remain intact,
and will hold regular gatherings
throughout the winter months at least.
Meetings will be held on Wednesday
evenings at the Labor Temple in place
of Thursday evenings as previously.
A meeting of the Railroad Maintenance
of Way Employees is scheduled for
Wednesday evening. This body has is to wind up the affairs of the com-mission, and to give the handling of

Chairman Cunliffe and Commissioner by the recount of the ballots cast in the

# PUPILS SCORE REAL TRIUMPH

Plant of William Ward and Admirable Program Presented in Patricia Theatre Under A. D. Jordan's Direction.

SECOND ANNUAL CONCERT

Orchestra Augmented by Talented Artists From Toronto and Detroit.

quantity of machinery.

The firm has been working overtime for the past three weeks in preparing the part three weeks in preparing to the past three weeks in preparing the past three weeks in preparing to the past three weeks in preparing to the past three weeks in preparing three weeks in preparing the past three weeks in preparing three weeks in preparing the past three weeks in preparing the past three weeks in preparing the past three weeks in preparing three weeks in prepa

The annex was first moved to the p floor of the Woodmen of the Woo

Schubert Number Pleases.
Adequate at all times, the excellence of the different sections stood out in

were halted when a motorist ran over the hose with his car. Although he was not caught at the time, the number the piano concertoes quite as much a was not caught at the time, the number of his car was obtained, and Fire Chief John Aitken states that action will be brought against the offender.

The fire department has had a busier time this past week than for many months. A total of seventeen runs are recorded on the books since Dec. 6. of playing with the orchestra and playing their long numbers entirely rom memory.

con brio movement of the Beethoven the tripping rondo.

(Mendelssonn). Miss Lenore Cougning played the Hiller Concerto in F sharp minor with the assurance that comes Judge Macbeth, in the non-jury si Brilliant Finale.

all the members of the public utilities commission of London will attend the opening of the Chippewa Canal at the end of the month. The only exception may be Commissioner Jared Vining, who is still confined by illness to his home. E. V. Buchanan, general manager of the commission will also ac-IT IS NOW definitely announced that the concerto which is a favorite with tiff, and J. A. E. Braden for the dewho is still confined by illness to his sympnony Orchestra had played the commendation of the commission will also accompaninent to this concerto for Wynne Pyle, the famous planist, some years ago. If comparison could be years ago. If comparison could be years ago. If comparison could be added to make between performances such a distance apart, that of last evening on the part of both the soloist and orthogonal particular variables where the selection of the part of both the soloist and orthogonal particular variables where the selection of the part of both the soloist and orthogonal particular variables where the selection of the part of both the soloist and orthogonal particular variables where the part of both the soloist and orthogonal particular variables where the part of both the soloist and orthogonal particular variables where the part of both the soloist and orthogonal particular variables.

For the first time since the elections the London Trades and Labor Council will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Labor Temple. Routine business only is scheduled for the consideration of the Library (Chaminade), a delightful bit of interpretation. Mrs. Robert Buchner & Ramsay for plaintiff, and W. C. Fitzgerald and J. M. McEvoy for defence.

summer, Miss Hilda McMillen received the gold medal for the highest standing in all Canada in the singing examinations in the senior year, and Carmen Learn, also a pupil of Mr. Jordan's, for the highest standing in all Canada, in the singing examina-

Geneva, Switzerland, during the month Vienna.—The former Austrian archduke and admiral, known as Leopold tonight. He was accompanied by his WARD. Phone 1977.

Vienna.—The former Austrian archduke and admiral, known as Leopold tonight. He was accompanied by his liu advertising agent for a local newspaper. wife, who traveled to Europe with him.



VET another London baby offers a challenge to the claim of physical perfection advanced by the little tot from Kalamazoo This time it is wee Allan Schram, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schram, of 183 Garfield avenue, who was but six months old on Dec. 18, and weighs

Baby Schram measures 26 inches from finger tip to finger tip, 15½ inches from hip to toe, 10½ inches from shoulder to tip of finger, 17½ inches about the head, 1714 inches around the chest, and 171/2 inches about the abdomen. This baby stands 26 inches tall.

Baby Norton is 81/2 months old, and weighs 25 pounds. He stands 31

inches tall, measures 19 inches about the head, 18 inches about the chest, and 17 inches about the abdomen. From hip to toe he measures 18 inches and 31 inches from finger tip to finger tip. His small arm is 12 inches long.

#### Score of Londoners May Spend Christmas Week in Quarantine

DR. W. S. DOWNHAM, medical officer of health, figures that between 15 and 20 persons in the city will have a questionably happy Christmas this year. These are persons who, on account of illness, must spend the Yuletide period under quarantine. Com-pared with a year ago, this number shows a material reduc-tion. Twenty-two new cases of disease were reported last week diphtheria leading with elever victims. The others were all minor diseases.

### PARTRIDGE GIVEN TERM IN BURWASH

Former L. and P. S. Conductor Found Guilty of Stealing Tickets.

Miss Ahrens had the difficult role of guilty of taking tickets and giving then ppearing first, gaining confidence as to another party, by a county court jury the progressed through the Allegro last week, was sentenced to Burwash concerto. The largo was given with prison farm for a period of not less than firmness of touch and beauty of singing tone, which she sustained through years, less one day, by Judge Macbeth

the crispness and style of her playing in the Capriccio Brillante, Op. 22. (Mendelssohn). Miss Lenore Coughlin played the Hiller Concerto in F sharp awarden \$103, less credits of \$15, by from technical mastery, with fine tings. There was no order as to costs, rhythm and dramatic appreciation.

Brilliant Finale.

Brilliant Finale.

distance apart, that of his distance apart apart, that of his distance apart apart

Traust, admirably suited to her clear, itexible soprano voice.

The singing of "Lo, Hear the Gentle Lark," Bishop, by Miss Hilda McMiller, to flute obligato by Ingleborg Hausch was a vocal and artistic triumph, the beautiful voice sufficiently flexible for the demands of the florid coloratura. beautiful voice sufficiently flexible for the demands of the florid coloratura number, scarcely distinguishable from the flute at times in its purity. Mrs.

#### LONDONERS SHARE IN SILVER MINE SUCCESS

tor Piper and City Treasurer Bell. This would involve the sale of some 36 houses still on the commission's hands.

At the end of this year the two-year terms of office of Chairman Cunliffe and Commissioners will fall to the 1922 council. It may be that the move to abolish te commission will then make its appearance.

Messrs. Hayman & Willis, general contractors on the Pine Lawn houses, at their signatures to the move to the Pine Lawn houses, and their signatures to the move to abolish the commission of the Railroad Maintenance of Wednesday evenings as previously.

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oard the Huron & Erie, knowing that the school authorities contemplated Itering their methods in this respect offered to take over sole responsibility for all the penny savings of London's public school pupils. The bank voluneered to establish a more simple mode of handling the deposits, and in addi-tion to this, acknowledged itself ready to personally see to all collections.

W. A. Tanner, secretary of the board. explains that he has forwarded particu-lars of this offer to the department in Toronto, asking permission for the local board to proceed with the change. Mr. Tanner points out that in one respect alone the schools will benefit largely by the offer of the Huron & Erie. That is the matter of collections.

In the past it has been quite a prob-em for the teachers to determine just down to the 70-foot level silver values weekly collection. It is not always re-running as high as 1,000 ounces have garded as strictly judicious to send any been encountered. The mine is conmonths it is next to impossible to allow the janitors of the schools to leave their boilers, or forsake other neces-sary duties to go to the bank,

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## nonstration of the way to blow it. The women's department editor who RECOVER BULLION FROM LAURENTIC

## TWO ARE SHOT IN SHOE SHINE PARLOR FIGHT

Taken in Toronto Hospital in Critical Condition When Police Arrive.

BELIEVE WOMAN IN CASE

Police Unable To Get Name of Armenian Who Fired First.

TORONTO, Dec. 19 .- Sam Pelebosian, an Armenian, was shot by an unknown two are known to have taken effect. shoeshine parlor at 1080 Queen street west. The unknown man later turned the revolver on himself, fired a bullet through him head and a red. through his head, and both are in a critical condition in Western Hospi-

According to information gathered ecenly arrived in the city from St. bosian's shoe shine parlor, where, on room, where he met Pelebosian, and curities on

Matos Altinian was in the store at the time, and is held by the police as a group of American banking interaction a material witness. When the shooting took place, he ran into the store of J. Aggate, grocer at 1082 Queen street west, and shouted that some one of this class amount to \$232,000,000.

The National City Company, heading to, can see our ships destroyed. "It is not generally known, but, ests, will announce the public offering the fact," said the earl, "that numerous countries now have larger standing armies than Britain. "Included are Greece, Czecho-Slavia, Jugo Slovak and Rumania the latter.

sleeping when he heard Aitinian thumping on the back door. He rushed into the store, and found Pelebosian lying in the back room, and the unknown man, near the door. Police from headquarters, under Sergeant of Detectives Mitchell were soon on the scene. Hunt Woman in Case.

The reason for the shooting is have been a dispute over an Ar-enian woman. Pelebosian is said to we brought the woman as his future Earl of Cavan, On Toronto wife from Armenia, but when she ar-rived here, she left him, proceeding St. Catharines, where she marrie another.

The unknown man, who did the shooting, is said to be the brother of the woman, now living in St. Cathar-

store, in the room above were Mrs. Military Adviser To British Bennett, and her three children, Marbennett, and her three children, Marjorie, aged 6 years; Adele, a year and
a half, and Joseph, aged three years.
They rushed from the house when the
shots were fired.
Neighbors in the vicinity believe
three shots were fired although only

three shots were fired, although only

#### PERPETUAL DEBENTURES

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.-The Cana dian Pacific Railway has sold four

This is the first time that the comentering, he rushed through to a back pany has placed any of its senior securities on this continent, financing carl. "The ships will be taken out and fired a shot that took effect in the abdomen.

The assailant then turned from the room, rushed toward the front door, and fired a shot through his own head.

Raises Alarm.

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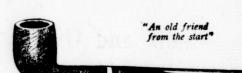
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# OF ARMS PARLEY

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per cent perpetual consolidated deben-luncheon of the Canadian Club. This tures to the value of \$25,000,000 to the afternoon he saw Toronto by motor, He had gone to Pele- National City Company of New York. Club and Voung Consider City Lines. of Company of New York.

The first time that the comaced any of its senior sethis continent, financing
the control of the company of the

with 23 divisions in the field. It is my opinion that it is now necessary to hold another conference on armies and war generally, at which the laws of warfare, the use of poison gas, aeronautics, etc., can be determined. As to submarines, I am afraid there is at present no possibility of securin the abolishment of their use." In addressing the Canadian Club, the

Insure 10-Year Peace. "The settlement of the Anglo-Jap anese treaty by the four-power pact to the satisfaction of Great Britain, the United States, France and Japan

"Not till then will it be safe to till thing bordering on the include our hands to laws reducing land forces and regulating the use of gas, airplanes and bombing," he added.

"I command the troops at Alderaction or phrase and is weakened only and novelty, the theatres of London-mand the troops at Alderaction or phrase and is weakened only and novelty, the theatres of London-mand the regular news feature round out the bill.

Because of their relative cheapness and novelty, the theatres of London-mand the regular news feature round out the bill. shot," the general continued. "My business is to see that they are ready for the defence of the ralm. As most of continuity.

by the fact that it takes a couple of have become immensely popular of improbable jumps to maintain its thread late and may become a real power for good in the community, but to accommend the property of the property in the same you know, they have been away for the last year. I hope and pray that settlement in Ireland will give me sets.

ronowing the settlement of the naval call the Hawaiian offerings seen in all public opinion is the most france and Italy would listen to the arguments of Great Britain the United States of Paradise," and several material force in the universe. tates and Japan, the earl said there ould be a return to improved business onditions in the world.

#### MOSCOW SOVIET WILL LEASE CITY THEATRES

MOSCOW, Dec. 19. - The Mosco soviet has announced that the Musical Drama Theatre, the Lutetia Misch, and wo other theatres which the local city covernment has supported, will be eased to private concessionaires, and as asked Russian theatrical managers theatres and operating them as private enterprises.

This is in accordance with the general policy of the Moscow soviet to follow the example of the central government and unload responsibilities which have been too great a tax on its bread supply, fuel supply and power of or- Hodkinson release.

COURT WELCOME, I. O. F.,

court physician, Dr. Duncan; chief ranger, Wm. Skeates; vice-chief, T. Kilby; recording-secretary, W. Jenkins; financial-secretary, J. B. Baskette; treasurer, I. A. Thatcher; orator, J. Mallett; senior woodward, F. Jones; juntor woodward, A. Beatty; senior beadle, A. Lee; junior beadle, Sam Knight; organist, Companion Miss Parkins; trustees, Tom Ball and G. Gal-pin; finance committee, Wm. Salter and Henry Watkins; central committee Wm. Jenkins, Sam Knight, G. Skeates Henry Watkin, T. Kilby, Wm. Salter committee, I. A. Thatcher, H. After the election the Wiffles de-

feated the Waffles at carpetball, score,



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## High-Class Vaudeville Policy Fills Seats At Grand Theatre LONDON, Dec. 19.—David Lloyd

Applause Greeting Three Acts of Excellent Entertainment Shows Appreciation of Patrons For Clever Dancing, Singing and Instrumental Novelties-Pictorial Feature "The Pleasure-Seekers," Proves Wholesome, Satisfying Story.

than that presented in London for some time, vaudeville that so far as the three acts presented Monday go, ac-tually is "big-time stuff," features the tually is "big-time stuff," features the Grand Theatre program for the first

promise a great deal and quite as often as not are flatly disappointing. The plot is not very new; it is worked out very simply, and the style of production is comparatively modest, but the tion is comparatively modest, but the result is a satisfying and quietly thoughtful as well as an entertaining play, which is saying a good deal for any picture when the truth is told.

A Chaplin comedy adds humor to the program, and the Pathe Review

Something decidedly good in jazz

the program, and the Pathe Review Includes some really beautiful and artistic sections. Pictures change three times a week under the new Grand policy, "is Life Worth Living," star-voked a small storm of applause. A

Vaudeville of a distinctly better class widely different from the other two, han that presented in London for and it wouldn't be easy to pick any one

Party Overwhelmed With Engagements At Queen City.

The change in policy at the Grand will indeed be a welcome one for many London theatregoers, who are fond of good vaudeville, if the high standard set for the first three days is maintained in future programs

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Breakfasting at the York Club, he later visited the University of Toronto and the city hall, and addressed a luncheon of the Canadian Club. This afternoon he saw Toronto by motor, and this evening spoke to the Empire.

Bood vaudeville, if the high standard standard set for the first three days is maintout singing, dancing and impersonating hits, they apologized for offering another song they had only tried out in Detroit last week. Actually, it didn't seem as good as the rest of their bill, sand their explanation sounded so natural and truthful-like that they received another round of applause more clived another round of applause more than the extravagrant the city hall, and addressed a luncheon of the Canadian Club. This afternoon he saw Toronto by motor, and this evening spoke to the Empire.

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Something decidedly good As for the vaudeville it is uniformly pleasing effect the musical preponder-

## Fears Parents Will Frown On Doraldina Creation, "La Rumba"

Feature Film At Loew's, "Pa ssion Fruit," Is, However, a Perfectly Clean and Wholesome Picture, Without a Single Questionable Action or Phrase.

story of the modult tropics played to ging and balancing turn. The principal is a near-capacity house.

The sensational title and delicate hints, featured in certain of the advance ussla also in.

"Not till then will it be safe to tie ir hands to laws reducing land forces."

Story of the modult tropics played to ging and balancing turn. The principal is a finished performer and merited hints, featured in certain of the advance notices, intimating the coming of sometil fifteen minutes with a racy line of the story of the modult tropics played to ging and balancing turn. The principal is a finished performer and merited hints, featured in certain of the advance notices, intimating the coming of sometil fifteen minutes with a racy line of verbage that seemed to take well.

while he welcomed all conferences that made for the peace of the world, the Earl of Cavan said his first call was to see after the safety, honor and welfare of the British Empire.

Following the settlement of the naval question, which would be effected if the "Bird of Bered" in the most exploited dancer of the present generation, originator of the present generation, originator of the present generation, originator of the inadvisable to allow their children to shimmy," according to her press agent, and it is needless to allow their children to shimmy, according to her press agent, and the present generation, originator of the inadvisable to allow their children to shimmy, according to her press agent, and it is needless to allow their children to shimmy, according to her press agent, and it is needless to say more, for after question, which would be effected if the "Bird of Bered" in the inadvisable to allow their children to shimmy, according to her press agent, and it is needless to allow their children to shimmy, according to her press agent, and it is needless to allow their children to shimmy. That's why many parents may deem to hear or patronize the Christmas offerings for the sake of posterity.

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## arguments of Great Britain, the United States and Japan, the earl said there would be a return to improved business and said there would be a return to improved business. Feature, Is Variety Production

Work in Maurice Tourneur's "The Last of the Mohi cans."

submit proposals for taking over the rectness of detail is further exemplified by the screen version of Johan Bojer's powerful novel of the same name, "The Maurice Tourneur productions "The

#### FEARS LOSS OF WIN BIG HAND IN SATIRICAL COMEDY

"Our Little Wife."

The Grew Players scored a decided hit in the New York comedy success by Avery Hopwood. "Our Little Wife." at the Majestic Theatre Monday night, so much so that after every act the players were forced to respond to cur-

that she met, was indeed excellent and put just the requisite amount of feelput just the requisite amount of feelput first the requisite amount of feelput first the feelput first

both received much merited applause.

Miss MacDonald has more opportunity in this play than she has had for some

method and also a yaw!.

Captain Daniel Mills of Kingston commanded the vessel. The remainder of the cast were concerned, and Mr. Hyman showed that he is not hailed as the leading man for Mr. Grew for nothing. His work was of sterling woodman, second engineer, of Wolfe Island; George Woodman, second engineer, of Wolfe Island; E. Smithers, steward, of Pressuelity.

TENDER IN STORM

Concretia Believed Sunk With Crew of Twelve.

WAVES TELL WEATHER.

London.—Air ministry experts are watching the waves. The formation, size and roil, they say, foretells the direction, area and intensity of approaching storms.

The comedy bristles with real satire; and that it was fully appreciated was shown by the applause that greeted a number of the lines. It is undoubtedly one of the best comedies that the Majestic players have put on and should draw crowded houses the remainder of the week.

"Our Little Wife." Dodo Warren, as played by Miss Virginia Mann, was played by Miss Virginia Mann, was played by Miss Virginia Mann, was played woman who just couldn't help being nice and intensity of the week of the vessel. Sixteen men are supposed to have been aboard. Captain Taylor, in his message, said he had chartered a tug at Cape Vincent and had visited Main Duck Island, Charring young married woman who just couldn't help being nice and intensity of the week where the tender might possibly have taken refuge.

Half of the men aboard were residents of Prescott and relatives there were re-

construction, was built in Montreal five vears ago. Her speed was about eight miles an hour. She carried a power motorboat and also a yawl.

for nothing. His work was of sterling quality.

Harold Moulton as a French waiter was admirably cast. Mr. Moulton in this bit of character acting showed his best since joining the company.

Duncan Penwarden, Rickey Secrest.

Elizabeth Fox, Wallace Ray and Wm.

H. Malone, are all good in their respective parts.

Island; E. Smithers, steward, of Prescott; R. Dullmage, gas man, of Prescott; Thomas Wilson, winchman, of Prescott, and B. Hall, Edward Craig, Bruce Campbell, Charles Halliday and J. Maley, all of Prescott; R. Smith of Kingston and D. Lawson of Ottawa.

Wesley and Garfield were the two lighthouse keepers. Their residence is not known here.

## GERMANS MAKE

clusively with German reparations and the year is suggested. The cut figured Germany's plea that she will be unable out for all conductors and brakemen to pay in full the January and Feb- is .266 per mile, or about 40 cents a day

ruary installments.

No official information is obtainable as yet as to the attitude of France affected to consider carefully the rate affected to consider carefully the rate. and it wouldn't be easy to pick any one out as a headliner without being unfair to the others.

The official communique issued prepresentatives to a conference to be after the adjournment of the conferheld in Detroit on Jan. 19, 1922, so that Miller and Rock crowd up in mind ence asserted that the conference was a mutual agreement can be reached. for attention first, not that they are better than the others, but that they offer something genuinely clever and and British experts who will submit DEATH OF MRS. C. J. ROWLEY. ST. THOMAS, Dec. 13.—The deat occurred Sunday evening of Mrs. Mar occurred Sunday evening of the family residence, 31 Chestnut street. Besides her husband, Mrs. Rowley leaves three sons, Burton Earl of Salt Lake City, Lloyd and Lawford Glen of Los Angeles, Cal., also three sisters and one brother.

residence, No. 8 Omemee street, Tues-âay at 2 o'clock to South Park Ceme-tery. Rev. P. N. Harding will conduct the service.

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of this week. This film is the latest Hodkinson release.

"The Face of the World" is truly a variety production, and there is undoubtedly no class of moving picture enthusiasts but will find some portion but will be a support is equally well chosen for their respective roles, more especially J. P. Lockney, the character actor, who has played opposite many of the foremost feminine stars of the day. The remainder of the support is equally well chosen for their respective roles, more especially J. P. Lockney, the character actor, who has a played opposite many of the foremost feminine stars of the day. The remainder of the support is equally well chosen for their respective roles, more especially J. P. Lockney, the character actor, who has appeared to such as the support is equally actor and the has played opposite many of the fore-

The Independent Order of Foresters, Court Welcome 12, held their annual election of officers recently, and elected for 1922: Court deputy, Bro. J. Hamer; court physician, Dr. Duncan: chief

Grew Players Reach Acme in Canadian Lighthouse Ship

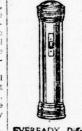
of Prescott and relatives there were reing that was needed into her part, which could easily have been over or underplayed.

Gertrude Gustin and Rose MacDonald make the most of their parts, and both received much marked anylayers.

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# Wife Does Not Like Country Life, Hubby Objects To City KINGSTON, Ont.. Dec. 19.—Nothing is known here of the fate of the government steamer Concretia, which left here Friday to remove the keeper and his assistants from the Main Duck Light.

Dislikes of Young Couple Lead To Alimony Suit, But the

p.m. The first case to come up for hearing was one of two alimony suits on the docket. It arose out of the hatred of Eva Abbott of St. Thomas for life in the country and the aversion which her husband, Archibald Abbott, maintains towards the city.

Bridgeman of St. Thomas annulment of the marriage of his daughter, Pearl, to James Wayson battle on the grounds that the daughter, Pearl, to James Wayson believe the light only through the presence of some ship on the reef. Yesterday Capt. Moore viewed the light with a high-powered telescope from the still an infant, and that the ceremony roof of a barn on the highlands, maintains towards the city.

Mills, and the husband will not move Justice Orde intimated that the court to the city. The wife is suing for alimony. The couple were given an opportunity to settle the trouble out of court.

The suit of the London Western Trust is suing her husband, W. A. Pickell, Company executors of the will of the lake of St. Thomas, for non-support, al-

Company, executors of the will of the also of St. Thomas, for non-support, allate Noah Zuance against John G. leging that cruelty on his part caused a Palmer and others, involving lands at New Sarum, valued at \$3,800, also came

Estelle May Timpany, administratrix

maintains towards the city.

Both apparently are willing to live with each other, but the wife will not go to her husband's farm at Payne's mills and the husband will mills also an infant in the eyes of the law CRITICIZE BANK'S

up for a hearing, but will probably go of the estate of the late B. J. Timpany, by default.

Seeks To Annul Marriage.

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arising out of the purchase of certain Perhaps the most interesting case of bonds alleged to belong to the estate.

# LAST TRIBUTE TO LATE JUDGE

Funeral of Judge Ermatinger Held in St. Thomas Monday Afternoon.

who died in Amasa Wood Hospital Friday night last, was held at 2 o'clock from the family residence, Stanley street, to Trinity Church, and thence to the St. Thomas Cemetery on Walnut street, a short distance from his late home.

H. Adreds of people from all walks of life gathered at the church to pay last respects to a man who was honored and beloved, not only by the churchmen with whom he was so closethe courthouse, and prominent men from the various organizations with which he was connected.

The services at the church were con Huron, preached the sermon.

#### FIFTEEN BOILS ON **NECK AT ONE TIME**

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#### Answers to

YOUNG MOTHER: What you must guard against is chafing. While there is

#### DOUBT SAFETY OF GOVERNMENT SHIP

of Court.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 19.—Sittings of the whole session is slated for Tuesthe supreme court, presided over by Justice Orde, opened here today at 5 p.m. The first case to come up for hearing was one of two allmony suits annulment of the marriage of

## PLAN TO MERGE

TORONTO, Dec. 19.-Toronto bank rectors and financial men are strong- from drowning last January. The boy criticizing the proposed merger of had gone through the ice in the harbor.

the Bank of Montreal and the Merchants' Bank, on the ground that it will result in harmful concentration on financial power in one centre. The consensus of opinion seems to be that there should be a distribution of the

Merchants' Bank business among the chartered banks. The head of a bond house said: "I consider that it is a very bad thing for so much power to get concentrated in that manner. The people won't stand for a little group of half a dozen men controlling the finances of the country, and if this thing goes on any longer we will see the governmen forced to take over all the chartered

#### RECEIVES MEDAL FOR SAVING BOY

Hare, a war veteran, was presented with the Royal Humane Society's medal by Mayor T. L. Church at the meeting secretary and treasurer respectively. of the city council here this afternoon for saving Alfred Craig, 10 years old,

## SECRETARY DIES

tary of the organization for many

#### CRERAR ELECTED GROWERS' HEAD

WINNIPEG, Dec. 19 .- Hon, T. Crerar was re-elected president of the United Grain Growers, Limited, at a neeting of the directors here today. C Rice-Jones was re-elected vice-presi dent and general manager; John Ken-nedy of Winnipeg was elected second

Fream, Calgary, and F. M Black, Winnipeg, also were reappointed

LONDON .- Snuff-taking, once a social

#### SET FOR FRIDAY NEXT

[Special to The Advertiser.]

to induce a number of prominent residents to offer themselves as candidates for the council. A spirited meeting is expected with a full review of the year's work by the present council.

## COUNTERFEITER

Kingston Penitentiary was the sentence which Judge Coatsworth, in the sesisons court today, handed out to Mike Nessef, who was convicted last week of having coined fraudulent 50-cent pieces.

#### \$15,000 LOSS IN TILBURY FIRE

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 19.—William McDougall, one of Hamilton's best-known businessmen and musicians, died today. He was cornet soloist of: cived at the town hall Friday night, the 13th Regimental Band, and secretary of the organization for many with learn interest. Is pecial to The Advertiser.]

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[CHATHAM, Dec. 19.—The Beuglett block in Tilbury was destroyed by fire at an early hour this merning, the loss being in the neighborhood of \$15,000. Those who suffered less in the own Hospital of William Kinsman The cause of the fire is unknown.

#### FEDERAL EMPLOYEES TO ASSIST UNEMPLOYED

the majority of the Ottawa civil service receiving salaries that do not permit them to make any very large con-tributions to the relief of unemployed 2 GETS TEN YEARS tributions to the relief of unemployed 2 o'clock from C. A. Tow in the city, the heads of the various to South Park Cemetery. TORONTO, Dec. 19.—Ten years in the by the incoming administration to as-

Federal Employees, to Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, premier-elect of Canada, in regard to unemployment in the city.

with keen interest by ratepayers generally.

Those who suffered loss in the fire a year's illness. Mr. Kinsman Circumstances indicate that more than the usual "pep" is being injected into the situation, and it is understood that efforts are being made to induce a number of prominent and the cause of the fire is unknown.

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house. The funeral takes place Thursday a

# CITIZENS PAY

GOOD MAN

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 19 .- The funeral Judge Charles Oakes Ermatinger

ly associated, and those with whom he worked in his judicial capacities, but by all with whom he came in con-Among those present were Hon. Mr. Justice Orde of Toronto, a friend of more than 30 years; members of the Elgin Bar Asociation, officials from

ducted jointly by Rev. J. W. J. Andrew, rector of Trinity Church, and Rev. P. M. Harding of St. John's Church. P. M. Harding of St. John's Church, while the Very Rev. Dean Tucker of London, representing the Bishop of

A Man of Courage. Dean Tucker spoke feelingly of a warm friendship which had existed between the late judge and himself even this morning.
before they were of the same diocese. The four me
the believed that regret and sorrow have been dru

that life were true to ideals of God. gave way under their combined if was that law which prompted the strength. Once inside, one of the men judge to do the things he had done. is stated to have pulled a revolver and

The pallbearers were: Dr. James A.

Anyone who has suffered from boils

can sympathize with poor old Job.

Botls are simply evidences of the bad blood within coming to the surface and Just when you get rid of one, another have resulted to both sides in the seems ready to take its place and pro-

All the poulticing and lancing you

impurities, and then every boil will dis-Mr. Roy McSwain, High Bank, P. E.

of them and felt much better. I think B. B. is a grand blood medicine, and can recommend it highly."

Correspondents: guard against is chafing. While there is no particular objection to using powder it is much better to use CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM before powdering the baby. A liberal application of CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM to the affected parts after each bath will go a great way to prevent chafing and irritation of the skin. You will also find it a wonderful preventative of chapped or red bands. CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM keeps the skin soft and smooth and reinforces the natural oils of the skin in performing their natural functions. You can buy CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM (City Passenger and Ticket Office, corner Richmond and Dundas streets, London. for Toronto-Winnipeg is afforded by through standard sleeper leaving To-ronto 8:45 p.m. daily via Grand Trunk to North Bay, thence "Continental Lim-ited."

#### Railways Putting On Extra Mail Cars To Meet Big Rush.

order to handle the expected rush of Christmas mail and parcels this week, the Michigan Central Railway is putting on extra mail cars and increasing their staff considerably. Other railroads in the city are reported to be doing likewise, and every to be doing likewise, and every effort will be made to get the merchandise to its destination by

Early Hours of Monday Morning.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

county police tolls as a result of a take hold-up they pulled off in the at-

The four men, who are alleged to would be felt universally at the loss at the M. C. R. station and demanded of such an honored man.

"He was a good man," said the admittance. The night operator re-Dean. "It is of small moment whether fused to let them in. The alleged des-man should be distinguished in his peradoes thereupon commenced an as-chosen profession unless the basis of sault on the station door, which soon

He was a man of courage, winning fired it several times.

He was a man of courage, winning distinction in his profession. Throughout his career he represented the majesty of the righteeusness of God, as all judges in administering the law of the courage winning fired it several times.

The frightened operator managed to reach the telegraph key and signalled for help. The call for help was received at Windsor and St. Thomas, and detectives were at once dispatched to "He was a member of the Provincial Legislature, a great student of history, and a profound believer in Jesus Christ."

The dean referred also to the great church work of Judge Ermatinger. He

## was, he said, a great believer and supporter of church union.

rived in the city today from Winnipeg According to all reports he is here to attend a conference of Progressive organizers, and members-elect on large questions of party policy, but he would make no statement as to the object of his visit when interviewed.

"I have nothing whatever to say,"

#### FEAR REVOLUTION OF PORTUGUESE

broken out in Portugal, according to a dispatch to the Daily Chronicle from

controversy. The hospitals are crowded with wounded and dying.

The dispatch adds that Cunha Leal.

ent services via Canadian National Rafiways enable you to take full ad-vantage of the long week-end, made vantage of the long week-end, made-possible by the holiday falling on Mon-day. Modern all-steel equipment makes for comfort and safety; courteous attendants enhance the service.

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# FOUR STAGED

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QUARTET ARRESTED

CHATHAM, Dec. 19 .- Matthew Trom

CHATHAM, Dec. 19.—Matthew Tromblay, John Coveny, Roy Vanavary and Stan Mullen, all of Tilbury, are in county police tolls as a result of a take

# OF PROGRESSIVES

pallbearers were: Dr. James A.
A. A. McCrimmon, Judge C. Colter,
Davidson, E. A. Miller, K.C.,
Maxwell, C. St. Clair Leitch,
W. K. Cameron, K.C., and J.
leader of the Progressive party, arrived in the city today from Winnipeg.

#### Warm, Comfy "I never give interviews."

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A revolution has It began with cannonading along the

who formed a temporary ministry last week, was attacked in the Carlos Bar-racks, and he and his followers were

compelled to beat a retreat. The fate of the premier is not known. CHRISTMAS TRAVEL Via "The National Way"

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Going home for Christmas? Canveni-

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The "National," comprising through all-steel compariment - observation -library car, standard and tourist, sleep-

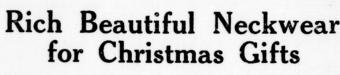
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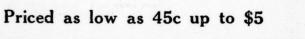
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EVENING

#### The Pacific Scandal.

Surely this is a lenient view of the stitutions have held. matter, and one that an impartial historian could hardly take.

An inkling of what was going on in the Conservative party even before the breaking of the Pacific seem to be progressing well at Scandal can be gathered in part Washington, there is a very outfrom a phrase in a letter which Sir John wrote to Lord Monck follow- standing note in the press in Enging the election of 1872. After re- land concerning the demands that ferring to his strenuous work in the France is pressing at the peace concampaign, and to the issues that ference. were being considered, he conclud- In many cases suspicion and re-"Added to this, of course, crimination have taken the place of commission that gather round an as we are by some thousands of greatest of all perennials. administration of so many years' miles from the actual scene of opduration as ours."

Parkins' life of Sir John A. Macdonald, referring to the Pacific be difficult for the average Cana-Scandal, declares: "As a chapter dian to understand this latest develin Canadian history the story of the opment. Pacific Scandal is not a pleasant one for Canadians to read, or for a Advertiser says in explanation of

into the matter, when documentary towards our ally, and naturally we its neck locally. evidence exists in the form of the think that there is great justificacharge by Lucius Seth Huntington, tion for our attitude. It is not so His charge read as follows:

lation of last session as to the agreement with Turkey or the Weis- blow this winter. Pacific Railway, an agreement was baden agreement with Germany—as made between Sir Hugh Allan, act- the widespread belief that France ter agreed to furnish all the funds Europe which Germany held before castor oil." necessary for the construction of the 1914. contemplated railway, and to give a Canadian company, with Sir Hugh so fully alive to the dangers of that trouble on the dry law. Allan as its head-

tween these parties-

Mr. Abbott, M.P., that Sir Hugh strength which such reconstruction lions of dollars. Allan and his friends should ad. u ust bring with it. England, on vance a large sum of money for the the other hand, urges that until railway-

"That accordingly Sir Hugh Allan did advance a large sum of money world, there can be no guarantee for the purpose mentioned, at the as to the effectiveness of any proinstance of ministers-

"That part of the money expendwith obtaining the acts of incorpora- combat. tion and charter were paid to him

make.

"It is ordered that a committee of seven members be appointed to of them, laboring under the impresgranting of the charter to Sir Hugh a lasting nature. Allan and others: with power to send for persons, papers and thought out at Washington will have ness to the truth of the statement. in in my nose, and running from records, and with instructions to re- to be worked out in Europe. In this port in full the evidence taken be- process no single nation can scheme

committee." Historians, of course, differ in de. ceedings. tail as to what followed. One thing is certain, Sir John, in a letter to the governor-general, admitted the spending of the money, claiming exmemorable sessions of the Domin- taken were "the best razors, a new ture. ion house, at the conclusion of pair of clippers, 12 boxes of cigars, which, on November 5, 1873, Sir 1,000 cigarettes, chocolate bars and John handed in his resignation, and \$30 in silver." Alexander Mackenzie was called upon to form a government.

#### Our Banking System.

take over the Merchants Bank. It with a second-best razor. may take a year or so for the plans to be worked out, but that is merely tonsorial parlor when you were

an item in the general plan. themselves, to the public and to other concerns of a similar nature town that the barber had \$30 in his ments, illustrating the existence of to be open and frank in their deal- posession the chances are the editor slavery in this province in the lat-

The Merchants Bank, until a few trying to borrow half of it. days ago, was apparently in good | The most impressive thing about 18 years of age, who lately came shape. Its stock on the market the old barbershop was the ingeni from New York with the Loyalists, showed nothing to indicate that ous use that used to be made of the She has had smallpox. The wench things were not in first-class shape. government blue books. When cut has a good character, and is exposed The public is not in a position of in two the pages made ideal resting to sale only from the owner having Editor Advertiser: going to a bank and finding out places for the whiskers of the com- no use for her at present. Likewise handed out annually are accepted found out why governments issued mare. For particulars, inquire of suggestions as to the disposal of profits in most cases as read by the non-blue books, although no person else the Printer.

have of anything being wrong is a days to be parted from your whiscrack in the market, and the stock kers and have the certain and derstands thoroughly every kind of projects should be financed by the whole registers a drop of several points. rather comforting assurance that housework, particularly washing country and not by a comparatively few Then comes the announcement that an investigation had been ordered ushered into the box-stove along 13 years old. Also a good horse,

result it had been found "that the carefully prepared at Ottawa and bank's rest was seriously impaired." carefully discarded every place else. In other words, all at once a sup- The other thing the barber was posedly strong concern finds out famous for was that he knew every that it cannot carry on, and a body. He could recite the communstronger bank comes in and takes ity roll-call and put the front part

right on every name. But, good over the impaired institution. We are not discussing this from land, he didn't sell chocolate bars TELEPHONE NUMBERS:
the standpoint of the banker, who and cigarettes. These are new may have 150 very fair reasons to styles, and, of course, we must bow From 9 p.m. to 8:30 a.m. and holidays give for what has happened, but to them. rather from the angle of the averditors and Reporters; 1174, Composing
Room; 76, Circulation Department.

18. rather from the angle of the average man, in business or agriculture, the barbershop, and specially prein whose mind it is necessary right pared papers camp in its place. London, Ont., Tuesday, Dec. 20. now to build a feeling of optimism That's why the government is cutand faith for the business recovery ting down on publishing so many that is now taking place. It is posi- of them. The barbers were the only Lester and Shury. tively necessary, if this is to be folks who used to holler for more Discussing the Pacific Scandal, as done, that public confidence in our and more of this class of reading it is referred to in Canadian history, financial institutions be maintain- matter. 

England and France.

Although affairs between nations

erations, and from the birthplace

of international prejudices, it may

An English correspondent of The

position that they view with increas-

Great bodies of people, millions

Robbing the Barber.

the old barbershop. Think of the

the late Sir John A. Macdonald. standing that Canadian banking in- where bang goes one of the ideas Barley, per bu. ..... 20c and memories that we picked up in a village when quite young and have

### LITTLE 'TISERS

Another upheaval seems to be due

were all the sins of omission and confidence and goodwill. Removed and bulb catalogs say, is still the

Quite a lot of green stuff is al-

Washington may decide something biographer of Macdonald to deal the trend of feeling that "it is many about the future or fate of Turkey, years since the English press has but right now the price of 55 cents It is not necessary to go furthen been so outspoken or so unfriendly per pounds seems enough to save Form VI., Elgin Wetherell; Form V.,

member for the county of Shefford, much the successive pin-pricks handkerchiefs that are being sold and that are responsible for the present this Christmas, there's something "That in anticipation of the legis. deplorable situation—the Angora more than the north wind going to inquire at Mr. William Boxburgh's practically a confiscation of these

When doing the Christmas shopblocks the way to world resettle ping at the end of the list that car- or ex-clergymen who have been ing for himself and certain other blocks the way to world resettle- ping at the end of the list that car- or ex-clergymen who have been canadian promoters, and G. W. Mc ment and disarmament by a policy ries nuts, candies, lemon peel, rais- elected to Parliament or the legisla-States capitalists, whereby the lat- the same predominant position in put down this item: "One bottle

"It must not for one moment be

purpose of aiding the election of Germany and Russia are on their able length, discusses the "Cost of gressive, in Springfield. In Saskatcontract for the construction of the council-chamber and permitted to if the editor of the Journal is going received a call to a church in Moose take part in deliberations which to have one at his house. Boy, call Jaw, but, upon his election, decided concern the welfare of the entire Ottawa.

solicitation and under the pressing posals which the other powers may made as to what the King govern- Calgary with the support of Labor ment will do. One thing is certain, and the U. F. A. The point of view in the above there are no great processions of ed by Sir Hugh Allan in connection is perfectly logical and hard to promises to be filled. The premier- in the Manitoba Legislature, and elect made it plain all through that there are a number of others in the A crippled Germany and a sick his future course would be deter- legislatures of the provinces. by the said United States capital. Russia are not going to make mined by the collective wisdom of ists under the agreement with him- France any better or any stronger. the men associated with him.

The Monetary Times expresses inquire into all the circumstances sion that the rest of the world is the opinion that "one reason why connected with the negotiations for camping on their neck, finds no pro- business is dull at the present time the construction of the Pacific Rail. gress toward world understanding, is that it is handicapped by excesway with the legislation of last ses- without which the Washington con- sive taxation and government supersion on the subject, and with the ference can accomplish nothing of vision." And in those few words the situation is well stated, and al-Many of the world problems most any businessman can bear wit- matter how I try, the cold is sprout-

Just received a lot of literature fore, and all proceedings of said for domination. It is against the about California oil wells, also join the dollar race—a grouch is whole tenor of the Washington pro- blanks for ordering stock in oil com- written on my brow and planted on pany. Some place in our attic my face. is a trunk, and in said trunk are some beautiful oil shares, with wells crock to fix this sort of thing, it thing to do re one's room? Please ans in the corners. From said oil wells takes ten minutes for to turn my The Tillsonburg News tells of a the oil spouts like streams of gold. winter time to spring. tenuating circumstances. Then fol barbershop in that town being it's the only place the oil ever did

Western Canada has started an invasion of Ontario in the turkey who's full of pep and zest, he wants Now, we can grieve and sympa- business, and crates of western me to lie down at once with musthize with that barber in the loss of turkeys are being brought into On- tard on my chest. Another knows his best razors, and we can like tario cities at lower prices than a dose of salts, a quart of catnip wise grieve and sympathize with his quoted for the home-grown birds. tea, will make my carcass look patrons, unless he takes quick ac Formerly Ontario was looked upon brand new, a wondrous thing to see. Unless something unexpected tion to replace those "best razors." to supply the West with turkeys, turns up, the Bank of Montreal will It's no fun at all getting scraped but now the West grows a big other castor oil, another has hot enough turkey crop to spill over lemonade, drunk while she still doth But what a change has come over into Ontario.

young having cigars, cigarettes and the fact that a Canadian newspaper curin' sort of things was squirted Financial institutions owe it to chocolate bars, and \$30 in silver. as late as the month of May, 1785, into me, I stop and rub my achin' If it ever leaked out in our old published the following advertise- spine and scratch my burnin' head,

of the town paper would be around ter part of the eighteenth century: To be sold-A negro wench about The elaborate statements munity. The old-time barber had will be disposed of a handsome bay

ever seemed to know for sure, so A gentleman going to England The first intimation the public it was quite possible in those golden has for sale a negro wench with her object to the establishment of any or your facial decorations were being and cooking. And a stout negro boy, of the bank's conditions, annd as a with a mass of figures and facts cariole and harness. For particulars certainly not by this method which is

#### 25 YEARS AGO TODAY

Here We Have Items of Local and District Interest, As Recorded in The Advertiser of 1896.

York.

TUESDAY, DEC. 20, 1896. Rev. Mr. McVitty of Rodney is the guest of Rev. R. N. Knowles, 427 guest of Rev Ridout street.

A successful concert was given in St George's school house last night by the boys of Miss Andrew's class, assisted by Miss Milligan and Messrs. McMillan, Spence, Chapman, Webster,

The local market, as reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son: Wheat, per bu..... 78c Beans, per bu. ......

The Stratford Young Liberal Club been harboring and nursing ever will hold their inaugural meeting to-night, when addresses will be delivered by Hon. Chas, Fitzpatrick (solicitorgeneral), Hon. E. J. Davis, ex-Speaker Ballantyne and others.

About 30 members of St. Thomas Council, No. 35, Royal Templars of Temperance, paid a visit to Lambeth Council, No. 562, Wednesday night, there being a large turnout of Lam-beth members. The following program was ably rendered: Trio, Messrs. W. Santa Claus, despite all the seed Hunt, T. Vanstone, and T. Hamlyn, Lambeth: reading, Miss S. Mann, Lambeth: dialog, Messrs B. Waterhouse and C. Busby, St. Thomas; duet, Mr. T. and E. Vanstone, Lambeth; Address, Mr. W. Jordan, St. Thomas; solo, Mr. W. Hunt, Lambeth; recitaways displayed around Christmas time, including quite a bit of green time, including quite a bit of green time, including quite a bit of green ways. However, the control of the lecture introduced the following program Reading Miss Higman.

At the annual Collegiate Institute concert the presentation of prizes was made by Dr. McCabe, chairman of the Collegiate Institute board. The winners were as follows: For best essay, Form VI., Elgin Wetherell; Form V., Minnie Hill; Forms III and Christian Minnie Hill; Forms III, and IV., Nellie Pearce; Forms I, and II., Sarah Heard. Two of the matriculants were present Judging from the number of W. T. Baskerville and A. B. Walker,

Upper-town, Quebec, 10th May, 1785.

From the number of clergymen Mullen, acting for certain United which seeks to secure for France ins, cheese, candy canes, etc., better tures in the last few years it would seem that the ministry of the church was becoming, to some slight extent at least, a stepping-People who blame all our troubles stone to political life. Whether it the former a certain percentage of thought that Englishmen are indif- on prohibition should look at Ire- is a step up, or a step down, reinterest, in consideration of their ferent to the peculiarly difficult land, where they haven't prohibi marks the Winnipeg Free Press, the interest and position the scheme geographical position of France. On tion. And no doubt if Ireland were future will tell, and no doubt will be marked on the ballot-card with the agreed on being ostensibly that of the contrary, it is because they are dry folks would be blaming the depend upon the individual. No less word "drawing." Faithfully than five clergymen, or men who have been "of the cloth," have just "That the government were aware ing alarm the isolation which The charge is made by reputable been elected to Parliament from the that negotiations were pending be. France, by her irreconcilable atti- papers that bootlegging has become Prairie Provinces. Three of them tude, is creating for herself. France so profitable in United States that are from Manitoba-Rev. T. W. "That subsequently an under- refuses to contemplate the recon- in many cases those engaged in it Bird, Methodist pastor at Benito, standing was come to between the struction of Germany and Russia, are investing their money in non- who was elected as a Progressive in government and Sir Hugh Allan, and because she fears the military taxable securities, running into mil- the constituency of The Pas; Rev. J. S. Woodsworth, who is in charge of the Central Labor Church in Win-The Ottawa Journal, at consider nipeg, and Mr. E. A. Hoey, Pro- been explained, it is the sign of an ministers and their supporters at feet again there can be no real the Christmas Plum Pudding." It chewan, Rev. A. J. Lewis, Progress strung temperament. The true sign of the general election, and that he peace for Europe—and that until moralizes quite a bit from one end to sive, was elected in Swift Current volatility lies in the distance between and his friends should receive the these countries are invited to the the other, but it doesn't say for sure where he has a church. He has just the eye and the eyebrow. to remain where he is. In Alberta William Irvine, a former clergyman, Already many wild guesses are was elected as Independent in East the eyebrow, so as to make its location

Several former clergymen also sit

#### NOAH'S POETRY

Speakin' of Cures.

When drafts come blowin' in the door about this time of year, they come and play around my dome and camp upon my ear.

And in a day or so from then, no my eye.

'Tis then I sally out to work to

My friend next door he has his

While on the other side my lowed one of the stormiest and most broken into, and among things spout in connection with the ven-friends they swear by Lickem pills, time. If you go away at Christmas you to take the kink from out the ribs and cure the ache and chills.

Down at the shop I meet a man Another has a favorite quack, an-

boil. So when I start to reckon up just An exchange draws attention to what results might be, if all these and think that rather than be cured,

#### TO THE EDITOR

THE CANTEEN FUNDS.

Sir.-Re the canteen funds disposa committee's impudent and uncalled for

from the expeditionary force canteens. Whilst no ex-soldier would in any way men who were during their service working for a lower wage than any other body of men in this Dominion, and

| junior leaving graduates the following

received their diplomas; A. E. Clarke, S. McGibbon, D. A. McLachlan, L. T. Miller, F. F. Saxton, Jennie Clark, Kate Gallagher, Julia Griffith, Mary Johnson, Frances McKellar, Eliza Payne, May Rason, Lulu Ray, Cornie Thompson and Clive M. Thompson Thompson and Olive M. Thompson, The model school examiners, Inspectors Carson and Dearness of this city: Inspector Johnson of Strathroy, and Mr. S. S. Jones of the Collegiate Institute staff here completed their examination

of the work of the candidates at both tems and especially to their livers would the London and Strathroy schools yesterday afternoon. Mr. Alex. Milne, city, has gone on a three months' business trip to New

Miss E. Leonard will receive the Mc-Roberts gold medal at Princess Avenue School tomorrow afternoon

Superintendent Copp and Assistant Superintendent Dunn of the Askin Street Methodist Sunday School enter-tained the teachers and officers of the different societies connected with the church to a social last evening in the

Rev. R. L. Holden's jubilee singers gave a concert last night at the asylum, which was greatly appreciated. Mrs. Holden gave several recitations. Mr. Percival's impersonation of a female soprano was fine

The second of the series of lectures

Mr. TenEvck has been appointed asand two of the senior leaving class, sistant to the rector of the Memorial C. H. Barnes and F. L. Letta. Of the Parish in London.

The return of these funds direct is said to be impracticable, so I would suggest that the money be divided into say 2,000 prizes of \$1,000 each and that

Lord Byng would no doubt help the ex-soldiers in this matter.

In this way everybody, I feel sure, would feel satisfied and the funds dis-

posed of in a proper manner.

I would especially urge all veterans' associations to bring this matter before their members before they cast their ballots, so that suggestion space W. B. CURTIS.

#### READ YOUR CHARACTER

[By Digby Phillips.]

NO. 65-VOLATILE EYEBROWS. Many people think that giggling is the sign of volatility. It isn't. As has unusually active brain and a high-

Young ladies who insist on transforming their eyebrows into those thin, sharp lines should be careful to pluck the hairs from the top rather than the bottom of seem as close to the eye as possible for it's the distance from, not the close-ness, between the brow and the eye which denotes volatility of temperament. Incidentally, volatility does not mean inability to think, but a lack of tendency to a habit more than an inability. This is an important thing to remember when facing a person who has such eyebrows, for there is always the possibility, if not the probability that the person has rea-

lized and corrected this habit. If the high eyebrows are arched it de-notes an artistic and impractical temperament coupled with the foregoing characteristic. If they're straight it indicates a certain modifying element of practicality back of the tendency toward thoughtlessness.

Tomorrow-Candid Lips. (Copyright, 1921, by Public Ledger Co.)

#### LEGAL QUERIES

BOOM BENT

When one is boarding in a private mily and going away for two weeks t Christmas, what is the customary wer soon. NOVICE. Answer,-When a room is rented by

the week, payment is made regardless of whether the room is occupied all the with the party from whom you rent the room.

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#### THE LIVER

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP. INCE prohibition there has been more poison, masked un-

prohibited in the spirit that the small - boy goes behind the parn or garage to indulge in a cornsilk cigarette. Were they drinking ante-pro-hibition liquor, the harm to their sys-

not be so great. The liver will bear up under continued strain for an amazing length of time. But when it does break down it

The quickest way to wear out the liver is by making it continually fight against poisons thrown into the body. One of the liver's greatest duties is to protect the body from toxins or poisons. It will do this effectively for a long

For instance, a man drinks a little too much whiskey or some other alco-holic beverage. Even if it is good whiskey he throws a strain on the The liver does its work and the liver. man either feels no effects or he finds the need for a purge after which he feels better. He keeps up this habit for years and then suddenly he finds he had developed cirrhosis of the liver. Poisons against which the liver protects us are not always poisons when they are swallowed. The bacteria in the large intestines make poisons or toxins out of certain parts of the food was delivered last night in the Waterloo Street Presbyterian Mission by
Rev. J. G. Stuart. Rev. Walter Moffatt acted as a harden as a local street and the liver, when working properly, can
convert them into harmless chemicals Some organs like the lungs are liable o infection, but the liver is very seldom crippled except from overwork. Bad habits, again we see, are the forerunners of much illness.

#### THE JEST.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE. The Bingville Board of Selectr

ad many sessions, and finally formupride of the county. So the constable felt no worriment when he stopped a "Ye're pinched for violatin' the auto

laws," he pronounced.
"Which one?" inquired the traveler.
"Durned if I know, but ye certainly
hain't come all the way down Main

street without bustin' one of them.

A CULINARY BATH.

help of an inexperienced maid, to ge the Sunday luncheon. The flurried refused to work, confessed that she

had forgotten to wash the lettuce "Well, never mind, Marie," said the considerate mistress, "go on with the coffee and I'll do it. Where do you

keep the soap?"

at the "white" entrance, the A. D. C. on duty told them they could not enter together, for the lady, having a blue vited to a reception given by a certain ticket must present herself at the other viceroy of India received, by mistake, door. der the name of tickets of different colors—one white,

reckon.

Many people have learned to drink Accordingly, blue and white tickets since it has become were sent out. The "whites" were to powder!"

tion between his personal guests and those young official with a stony glare, said: "Young man, my husband and I are not a Seidlitz powder!"

door.

The wife, says Mr. Frederic Villers

The wife, says Mr. Prederic Villers whiskey, swallowed recklessly than we should attempt to roy had decided to make some distinctions to hot wear his possent grant and decided to make some distinctions and decided to make some distinctions and fixing the years and fixing the years of Adventure," refused to be separated from her husband by such an absurd regulation, and fixing the years and fixing the years of Adventure.

enter a certain door, which gave them

When the man and his wife arrived

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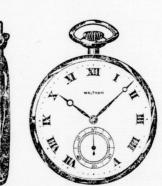
\$1.39, \$1.75.

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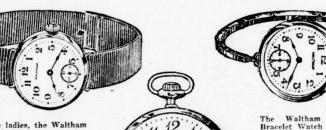
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#### SUMMONS GANDHI TO APPEAR AT CONFERENCE

London, Dec. 20 .- (Canadian Press Cable.)—According to a Reuter cable from Cabutta, an important development in the political situation in consequence of Viceroy Reading's readiness to receive on Dec. 21 a deputation at a round table conference on the become much less important than might question of the Indian unrest, is the be imagined from reading the Soviet prospect of Gandhi. the revolutionary constitution. It has over 2,000 members.

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POOR

# Unemployed of British WITH FAMINE

Congress of Delegates Will Hear Kamenoff Report On Food Situation.

LENINE HEADS COUNCIL

Belief Current That Government Seeks Opinion On Economic Changes.

MOSCOW, Dec. 18 .- Many formidable questions appear on the agenda of the Ninth All-Russian Soviet Congress, which is to convene here tomorrow. Foremost among these are the consideration of the preliminary results of the new economic policy, which extent, and the famine which threatens to wipe out millions of Russians in the Volga districts before the next har-

It is more than a year since the last

## leader, attending the viceroy's confer-ence. He has been summoned from by means of which delegates are selected to attend conventions in provin

Congress at this time is probably due to the fact that the government desires a formal approval of its changes in economic policy by a more or less representative body.

economic council, will discuss the pro-gress of plans for the revival of in-dustries. The re-establishment of agriculture will also be considered

## CRITICIZE LUXURY TAX RESTRICTIONS

French Newspapers Term U. S. Action "Misplaced Generosity."

newspapers are protesting against what they term "the misplaced generosity" of the government in refunding to Americans when they return to the United States the 10 per cent luxury tax they have paid on purchases. Th newspapers say the government is giving away hundreds of thousands of francs in this way which rightfully belong to the country.

with not a little surprise. Many who have tried to get back the total of their luxury tax have discovered the difficulties are many. The first and most essential demand of the government officials at the port of embarkation is that all receipts of purchases must be pre-sented. Luxury tax concerns women

comparatively few, so the luxury tax, so far as most homeward-bound Americans are concerned, usually remains in

# AWAIT SINN FEIN

the Irish Independent, in a sevencolumn headline this morning. The newspaper declares that, according to information in well informed Dublin circles, there is grave danger that the result of the debate may not be rati-

The Independent adds: "It is stated that a few members who are not satisfied with the terms of the treaty, and at the same time consider they cannot in honor repudiate the plenirom voting."

ing themselves representatives of the Irish people is one of the most amazing tragedies in a tragic history."

## **MASSEY-HARRIS** COMPANY HEAD DIES IN TORONTO

Thomas Findley, Captain of Canadian Industry, Succumbs After Lengthy Illness.

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TORONTO, Dec. 19 .- Thomas Findley, president and general manager of the Massey-Harris Company, agricultural implement manufacturers of Toronto, Brantford and Batavia, N. Y. died at his home here tonight after an illness extending over a year.

Outside his connection with the

Massey-Harris Company, Mr. Findley was associated in the management of a large number of industrial and financial concerns, including the Verity Plow Company, Brantford, director, president and director of the Bair Wagon Company, Woodstock, Ont. director of the Canadian Bank of Com merce; director of the National Trus Only workmen, soldiers, satiors and Company, Toronto; director of Black-peasants who do not employ any labor-ers except their own families, are entitled to vote under the constitution.

Thomas Findley was born at Rond.

a dictatorship of the proletariat, and do not pretend that their government has the support of a majority of Russians.

At every session of the All-Russian Soviet congress, a central executive committee of about 200 members is elected, which holds office until the next congress is called, and is the body in which the chief functions of government are vested by the constitution.

In practice this committee, whose members are scattered all over the Russian republic and federated governments, has been found unwieldy. It is too large to assemble conveniently. By degrees the actual control of affairs shifted to the council of commissars,

terian Church in Canada.

of a serious break-up, and at that time he resigned the onerous duties of active The story of the late Mr. Findley's career is the tale in real life of the farm boy who rose to not merely riches, but to outstanding influence.

Under Mr. Findley's direction, free medical attention, old age pensions and cafeterias and recreational facilities for employees were inaugurated by will discuss the famine. Chicherin will grievances of employees within the report on international relations and plant, while an objective, which death Bagdanoff, chairman of the supreme prevented his attaining, was the soluion of the problem of the protection the dependents of those emplo should die prematurely before should die prematurely before they had established a competency for their families.

In politics, Mr. Findley was a Liberal although in later years he broke with the party upon the tariff issue, and was

## HAPSBURG CELEBRATED

Budapest, Dec. 19 .- After the sitting dethronement of the Hapsburgs wa pronounced, the members of the sp farmers and agrarian party went to the Kerepes Cemetery, where Louis Kos-suth is buried, and the leader of the party, Szabo, minister of agricultur placed a magnificent wreath on the tomb, with an inscription on the ribbon "Kossuth, Thou Hast Conquered."
In a short speech the minister re called how the hore of the war for Hungarian independence pronounced the dethronement of the Hapsburgs in

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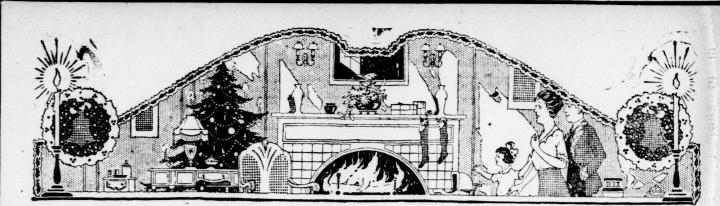
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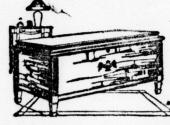
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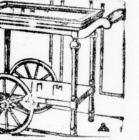
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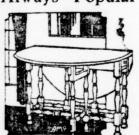
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These artistic Telephone Tables and Chairs can be had in either walnut or mahogany. finished. A special compartment for the telephone book is provided under the table. We have other styles, ranging in price from \$15.00 up.

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We positively will not carry any Dolls over this Christmas. Every price has been cut.

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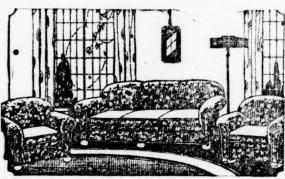
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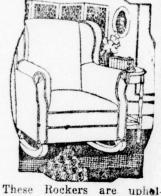
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#### **Christmas Demand** ONDON, Dec. 20.-(Canadian Press cable.)—London's or-ganized unemployed, who re-cently secured higher main-

**Gapital Make Extra** 

ganized unemployed, who re-cently secured higher main-tenance grants from the local authorities are now making sup-plementary demands for extra allowances for Christmastide. Most of the local unemployed are demanding double rations which the authorities generally have refected, and also toys for have rejected, and also toys for their children, which in some cases have been granted.

As an instance of extreme de mands, at Lewisham, the un-employed demanded an increased maintenance amounting to four guineas weekly, and also double rations for Christmas, with ex-tras for clothing. The head of the deputation declared that "if you don't give us a decent din-ner for Christmas, it is time we nelped ourselves." The demands f the deputation were firmly re-

Generally, London's borough councils are adopting a sym-pathetic attitude towards the yed, especially with labor majorities, but are unable to help the men to a great extent, owing to the financial stringency and the im-poverishment of the rate payers.

#### cial capitals which designate the dele-gates to the Moscow congress. Only Workers Vote.

Bolshevists make no claim that the elections to the congress are democratic. They frankly call their system a dictatorship of the proletariat, and do Ontario.

Thomas Findley was born at Bond Lake, in York County, in 1870, and attended school at Sutton, Western Ontario.

which corresponds to a cabinet, and is under the chairmanship of Nikolai Lenine.

Heads Government.

A respectation and president and general manager in turn.

Mr. Findley took an active part in the work of the Canadian Manufacturer's Association, and was a member of the board of finance of the Presby-

Lenine, who is the legal head of the government and is generally spoken of as president of the republic, will preside over the ninth all-Russian Soviet Congress by virtua of his positive constraints. Congress by virtua of his positive constraints and constraints are constraints and constraints and constraints are constraints. As early as five years ago the decreased had sought medical advice. It was only a year and a haif ago, however, that his constitute haif ago, however, that his constitute has a superior constraint. Side over the ninth ail-Russian Soviet congress by virtue of his position as chairman of the central executive committee of that body. He signs treaties grants pardons, receives diplomatic representatives and performs other more or less formal tasks, but has no such powers as are vested in the American president.

ever, that his constitution showed sign of a serious break-up, and at that time he resigned the onerous duties of active manager of the Massey-Harris Company to Thomas Bradshaw. He sough ers at Rochester, Minn., who were unable to check the progress of his illness.

The calling of the all-Russian Soviet

Will Discuss Famine. Leon Trotzky will address the con- Massey-Harris Compa gress concerning the army and military of his success in industrial rec affairs. Lenine will speak on the schemes was reached with the org changed economic policy. Kamenoff tion of the workmen's council to

Sessions of the congress generally last about a week and resemble the national convention of an American political party more than a session of the American congress. Commissars make reports in the recent campaign a strong advo cate of protection. report, and nominations are made for DETHRONEMENT OF which is promptly elected, and the session adjourned.

Paris, Dec. 19. - Several French

Americans have read these protests almost entirely, and most of them forget or lose these receipts. Those who know of this demand are

# VOTE ON TREATY

Continued From Page One

from voting."

Commenting on the delegates' speeches yesterday in justification of their signing the agreement, the Freeman's Journal says: "That they should be called upon to defend and even their work from the struggle to save their work from de-struction at the hands of persons call-

# THE SPORTING SECTION

From All Sportdom

# KITCHENER 3-2

Carried Students Into Overtime and Lost by "Lucky Shot."

#### HAD ONLY TWO PRACTICES

TORONTO, Dec. 19.—Kitchener gave le S. P. A. cupholders a real shaking-p in the final game at the arena here ame with but two practices under heir belt, and they carried Varsity atto overtime before they finally lost ut, 3 to 2.

out, 3 to 2.

It was a lucky goal that won the same. Ned Wright carried the puck flown and was chased into the southwest corner of the rink, where he tried a pass out. Hainsworth got low down, and in trying to sweep the puck asided the hit his ankle and rolled into the net. It was a heart-breaker, and Kitchener did not deserve to lose the game in that way.

Even with that break against them they should have tied it up again later, but Varsfiv's defence withstood all attacks.

#### TISER PRINTERS LOSE TO PRESS

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| The scores:                          |            |       |           |
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| . Bell                               | 166        | 155   | 142-463   |
| V. Vincent                           | 106        | 97    | 203 406   |
| Floyd                                | 153        | 124   | 154- 431  |
| . Hutchinson                         | 144        | 157   | 124- 425  |
| V. Dalton                            | 181        | 167   | 195- 543  |
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| . Smith                              | 173        | 130   | 147-450   |
| McLean                               |            |       |           |
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| H.  | Smith           |       |     | 173  | 130   | 147- | - 450 |
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| Vilson    | 149  | 174   | 178- 501  |
| 'erris'   | 157  | 140   | 114-411   |
| IcDougall | 163  | 157   | 153-473   |
| dartin    | 188  | 155   | 194- 537  |
| ones      | 171  | 226   | 176- 573  |
|           | -    |       |           |
| Totals    | 828  | 852   | 815-2495  |
| Two-Men   | Tea  | am.   |           |
| lartman   | 204  | 194   | 172- 570  |
| chliman   | 196  | 191   | 178- 565  |



Dancey Williams Aldridge Brown Totals

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BASEBALL? MUST BE A GYME, WOT?



majors

By a series of elimination games, the Canada's greatest all-round living athlete, has issued a challenged to Jim Thorpe, the famous Indian all-round vidual teams they belong to each year four "national" teams are formed, English, Irish, Scotch and Welsh.

Standing.

Won. Lost.

21 9 Regular World Series.

They are made up according to the nationality of the players, and the members are the best of the various ship of the players, and the more sare the best of the various ship of the players, and the series of elimination games, the Canada's greatest all-round living athlete, has issued a challenged to Jim Thorpe, the famous Indian all-round athlete, considered the world's championship, to take place at either Cleveland or Toronto, or partly at each city. Knox is 44 years old, and fears no athlete over 43 years.

Rook suggests the following events: championship, to take place at either Cleveland or Toronto, or partly at each Are they rassling or in a boxing bout?

machinists.

Machi

ft. 2 in.

Running high jump—Knox, 5 ft. 7 in.:
Thompson, 5 ft. 11½ in.; Thorpe, 6 ft.
11-8 in.
Pole vault—Knox, 12 ft. 6 in.; Thompson, 10 ft.: Thorpe, 9 ft. 6 in.
Broad jump—Knox, 24 ft. 2 in.:
Thompson, 21 ft. 4½ in.; Thorpe, 23



I ET'S be fair when a busher stands up at the bat, so nervous he doesn't realize where he's at. We know by the way he is swinging the wood, he's trying the best he knows how, to make good. And if we just root for him, friendly, a bit, then he might come through with a rip-roaring hit.

becomes great. Let's be fair to each fielder-bird when he begins; what if for awhile he makes plays with his shins? If he gums the game with some horrible boots, we can't banish gloom with our howls and our hoots.

ERE gallops the fielder who plays perfect ball? The errors must come if he's human at all. Let's be fair to the fielder-lads, struggling and new; ish; one daughter, May, at home; two WHERE gallops the fielder who plays perfect ball? The errors must come if took Honus Wagner some time to come through.

ET'S be fair to the youngster we see on the mound, although with base hits all the war clubs resound. He's gaining experience with every clout, and that's why we shouldn't yell, "Take that guy out" Perhaps all he needs is a wee bit of praise to mow 'em all down a la Douglas or Mays. He's wild and he's predeceased her about four years ago robbly, but now, have a heart! Those Matty and Johnson guys all had to start. in West End Military Hospital, England FAVORS FORM IF

BREEDERS AIDED

horse races, came before the ap-

pellate division this morning on the appeal of W. Hewitt, sole distributor

the paper for Toronto. Chief Justice Meredith expressed the pinion that it was immaterial whether

WAS ILL EIGHT WEEKS.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 9 .- George Wil-

wee of the M. C. R. in the capacity locomotive engineer, passed away Sunday morning after an illness of ight weeks' duration. Mr. Haines was sensioned from the road a year and

Besides his widow, he leaves one sister, Miss Nancy Haines, Bridge-burg, and four brothers, John and

half ago.

effort this year to see that fans get talk.



Slithery Dan-No, we haven't heard that George Mains is about to be the new business manager of the New York Giants. However, as Mr. McGraw is going in for expensive hell, clausers to within the control of the control all players, he might as well

oal players, he might as wen carry it further.

June Roses—Yes, we have a cut of the new Alert manager, but he's bribed us not to print it. We have his telephone numr. though. Inquisitive Nan-What suspect about the hockey players is true, generally speak-ing. Don't lay any bets until you see him in a bathing suit

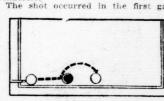
BURIAL IN TORONTO.

MUNCEY, Dec. 19 .- Mrs. McTavish, rife of the Rev. H. W. McTavish of the Muncey Methodist Indian Mission passed away Sunday morning at 3 o'clock after a lingering illness, being confined to her room for three months. The body will be taken to Toronto

for burial on Wednesday in the family olot in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. sons. Bert of Walkerville, and Harold of Toronto; and one brother, Fred Ward of Toronto, from whose residence, 95

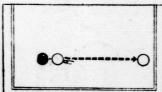
## This Shot Beat Hoppe

TORONTO, Dec. 19 .- The question Here is the shot that beat Willie Hoppe out of the world's billiard Hoppe out of the world's pillard championship, as diagramed by Jake hether the Daily Racing Form is in ontravention of the criminal code Schaefer. The shot occurred in the first gam which prohibits information intending assist in bookmaking or wagering

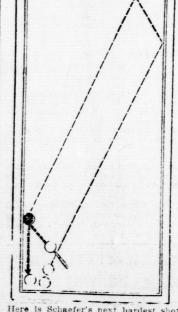


the information given could be used for betting if it was honestly given for the guidance of breeders, owners e chief justice declared, if he was nying a horse he would like to know what it could do and what others who ball to

Jake Schaefer has diagramed what he thinks is the hardest shot in bil-lairds. The cue-ball and the red ball are only one inch apart. This is a draw shot and the fact that they are am Haines, for many years an em-



burg. and four brothers, John and Jacob, Bridgeburg: David, Port Colborne: Marks, Niagara Falls. He was a member of Knox Church, Lodge 76, I. O. O. F.; Edna Rebekah Lodge, Elliards to put just the right amount of stuff on the cue-ball to draw it back for a billiard and get position for a brother shot.



Try it on your piano.

# LOT OF STAGE MONEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 .- Most of the big deals expected at the winter base-Alerts are evidently making a real ball conclaves did not get farther than

#### Cup Tie Draw

IN RECENT DEALS

LONDON, Dec. 19. — (By Canadian Press.)—The draw for the first round of the competition proper of the Association Cup, the emblem of the soccer championship in England, was announced today. The games will be played on Jan. 7. The draw follows:

Bristol City vs. Notts Forest.

Portsmouth vs. Luton.

Middlesbrough.

Portsmouth vs. Luton.
Hull City vs. Middlesbrough.
Leicester City vs. Clapton O.
Blackburn Rovers vs. Southport.
Gillingham vs. Oldham.
Preston N. E. vs. Wolverhampton.
Newcastle vs. Wrexham or Newport.
Manchester C. vs. Merthyr or Darlingon.

Alers are evidently making a real effort this year to see that fans get a consistent of the condition has been seen and seed that the constitution of the constitution of the constitution of everybody.

Seating the fans has become a big problem to the claim, in giving the seating the fans has been as the constitution of everybody.

For course, it work to prove a specified a minimizal golf course as prevailty of the claims. A Detroit doctor has precised and minimizal golf course as prevailty of the claims.

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That ought to be as good treatment for Lombon as it is for Herny Detroit.

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### **ALERTS WANT** ICE ACTION

25 Show Up At Monday Night's Workout At "Y."

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Black, Grey, Brown or Navy Pure Silk Socks. pair .....\$1.00 Silk and Wool....\$1.25

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#### Men's Gift Belts---

With sterling silver ini tial buckles, solid cowhide \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 to \$3.50

#### Linen Kerchiefs---

Irish Linen Handkeechiefs, hemstitched, boxed, 1/4 and 1/2 dozens. Priced \$3.00 and \$3.75 ½ doz. Fancy-Bordered Handkerchiefs, each ......50c

#### Pure Silk Cravats---

Italian and French hand-loomed pure silks, in wonderful colorings and patterns. Priced ...\$2.00 Pure-Silk Knitted Ties, in good patterns and colorings....\$2.00, \$2 50, \$3.00

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At this price we have grouped all our broken ranges of \$1.50 lines, and also included ties bought to sell at \$1.25. A large assortment to select from; all pure silk. Special price ..... \$1.00

#### Silk Shirts---

Shirts of silk poplin were exceedingly popular with men last summer, and we are showing a large assortment now for gifts ......\$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50

#### Wool Taffeta Shirts--

Tooke's Pure-Wool Taffeta, neat cluster stripe effect, in mauve, blue and black. Priced .....\$8.50

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Wabash Blues—Fox-Trot . The Columbians Tuck Me To Sleep (In My Own Kentucky Home)—

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He Took It Away From Me—Blues
Southern Quartet

Plantation Lullaby—Medley Waltz
Prince's Dance Orchestra

Kentucky Home-Fox-Trot

Song of Love-Waltz

Jabberwocky-Fox-Trot

April Showers from Bombo Weep No More (My Mammy)

I'll Be Good but I'll Be Lonesome

Le Coq d'Or-"Salut à toi soleil"

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Spring Song (Songs Without Words)

(Hail To Thee, Sun)

Long, Long Ago .

Shipmates O'Mine

Sleep, Baby, Sleep

Cry Baby Blues No One's Fool

Who's Been Around?

The Columbians

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Vernon Dalhart | A-3500

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Zimmerman and Grandville \ A-3462

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The Happy Six

The Happy Six | A-3498
The Happy Six | 85c

tion of 25 per cent in wages paid to miners prior to the Montreal agreement, which went into effect Nov. 8,

#### Fifteen thousand miners are affected. ASK 21 DEMANDS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 - Declaring despite the resignation of the Peking reduction in wages offered cabinet, the Chinese delegates stated forced by Japan on China in 1915 "are

# TERRORIZE U.S.

BE CANCELLED Lindenfeld Declares Intention Was To Kill J. P. Morgan and Show Defiance To Wall St.

POLAND

FROM

WARSAW, Poland. Dec. 19 .- Wolfe Lindenfeld, alias William Linde, arrested here at the instance of the United States secret service for alleged connection with the Wall street bomb explosion of September, 1920 has made three written statements to the police, one of which, in English, covers his activities for the last sixteen years.

Silvester Cosgrove, the operative who brought about Lindenfeld's arrest, yesterday cabled the United States department of justice the name of a blacksmith who, according to Lindenfeld, manufactured the bomb and en-gineered the details of the explosion. osgrove declares that Lindenfeld's confession corroborates his previous statements that the plot was financed in Moscow, and that the motive was to kill J. P. Morgan, striking terror into America and showing the world hat Wall street was not beyond de-

(At the time of the explosion Mr. Morgan was in England.)

The Polish authorities are particularly interested in Lindenfeld's Russian connections in 1996. They claim he was hen active in the Polish Social Decatic party opposing Russian rule, but that he turned traitor to the Poles, join-ing the Russian secret service and working against the Polish revolution-aries. These activities on his part he came so widespread that eventually hey were exposed, and he fled to

now in the hands of the Polish political police, is said to the police of this year, Lindenfeld's statement regarding his now in the hands of the Polish political police, is said to show that he has been working against the Poles again, this time in co-operation with the Russian communists.

On healt of this collection with the Russian collection.

## CANADIAN DOLLAR OVERDRAFT AND HITS NEW LEVEL

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.-(Canadian Press.)-Owing to an unusually heavy demand for Canadian exchange here toents, the highest point it has touched ince, Dec. 19, 1919, when the rate was St. Thomas Board of Educa-

It was impossible to assign any special reason for today's high quotation, be-yond the fact that there was heavy ouying of Canadians.

#### PROGRESSIVES TO HOLD CAUCUS AT SASKATOON

currently reported he came as a representative of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie Cing to place before Mr. Crerar and Hon. A. B. Hudson a basis on which were invited to co-operate in the they were invited to co-operate in the administration which Mr. King is about to set up. If such a proposal was made to the Progressive leader, it will be placed before the conference at katoon on Tuesday.

#### STEAMER CREW WINS HARD FIGHT WITH GALE

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Dec. 19. After weathering the severest storm in years on Lake Ontario, the steamer Clyde, bound from Philadelphia to Chicago, started this morning to lock through the Welland Canal, which was kept open for her, although officially closed on Thursday.

The Clyde, with Capt. Kendall in charge, had just "picked up" the Niagara Light, on the south shore of Lake Ontario, when the blizzard struck her at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The en-tire crew was called to duty to fight the gale for the remaining twelve niles to Port Dalhousie. Keeping the steamer well off shore, Capt. Kendall reached Port Dalhousie pier at 1 p.m., having taken nine hours to make the twelve miles. It was nearly three hours late when Capt. Kendall decided to r:n into Port Dalhousie, making the space between the piers safely. The cargo of 800 tons of sugar was undamaged.

#### EXPECT W. D. EULER TO GET CABINET POSITION

KITCHENER. Dec. 19.-Kitchener itizens, as well as the citizens of North Waterloo, are waiting with keen inter-est the cabinet anonuncement of the premier-elect. General opinion through-out the city and riding, as gathered by local representatives of the press, indicate a desire on the part of the electors for the appointment of W. D. Euler to a cabinet position. Most of the prominent citizens who have expressed them-selves on the subject feel that, side from the fact that Mr. Euler, as a result of his record in the last session of the house, is entitled to appointment, the riding because of its importance as an industrial center, and because of sup-port given to the Liberal candidate should be recognized by the premierelect in the selection of his Indications are that if Mr. King fulls recognize his native riding in hinet appointments, there will

#### NEILL RECOMMENDED FOR NEW CABINET

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 19.-Allen W. Neill, elected as an independent mem-ber for Comox-Alberni, bit who has announced his intention of giving the Liberals his support, is rec as one of two ministers from British Columbia under Hon. Mackenzie King If present plans are carried through. A fight to put Mr. Neill in the cabinet has been launched here by some of his supporters from Comox-Alberni and backed by prominent Liberals from

#### Their License Will Cost \$250!



Viscount Lascelles, and William Bull engrossing their marriage license.

communists.

On behalf of Lindenfeld, his friends say he lived humbly with his father while in this city, and they discount the Polish accusation that he was involved in espionage plots. They assert he never displayed much money in their presence, and that when not with

# HAVE SURPLUS

Banks dealing in Canadian funds said tion Closes Most Successful Year in History.

ATTENDANCE GROWING It was manimously

CAUCUS AT SASKATOON

ST THOMAS. Dec. 19—The last meeting of a most successful year was held by the board of education Monday held by the board of education Monday and the Progressive members-elect of parliament of Manitoba. Saskatchewan and Aberta will be held at Saskatoon on Tuesday of this week. Hon. T. A. Crerar, leader of the Progressive party, is out of town, and it is believed he has left for Saskatoon to attend the caucus, which is expected to go a long way towards removing uncertainties of the present political situation.

The call of the Progressives to a conference follows a visit to Winnipeg last week of Andrew Hayden, national organizer of the Liberal party. It is currently reported he came as a representative of Hon, W. L. Mackenzie

Andrews and Inspector Taylor was ap-pointed to investigate and settle, if pos-sible, a claim made by the Knox Church for \$100, alleged to have been the amount

en, when the room was used for schoo ere closely watched.

ST. THOMAS. Dec. 19.—The last that the public schools and th

Lafayette Blvd.

at First Street

Three Blocks from

Detroit's Busiest Corner.

Garning for Detroit

fame for hospitality

sponding month of last year the average attendance showed an increase of 106 in the same period. The school nurse reported making a total of 636 THOSE OF EX-CONVI outine inspections in November and 24 complete physical examinations.

commercial department of the late Institute, also resigned to accept the year.

Each of the members in turn, inEach of the Members

tion, was received and accepted. Fresulting members, especially to the work of Mrs. McCulley. One and all expressed the deepest regret.

Although the registration at the various schools showed a decrease of six during November over the corresponding month of last year the aversulting the supersulting members, especially to the work of Mrs. McCulley. One and all expressed the hope that she is re-elected at the coming election. Trustee Consideration of the chairman, Mrs. McCulley, and Dr. Bennett.

#### THOSE OF EX-CONVICT

namely, Trustees R. W. Johnston, Mrs. Paterson has received a letter from sympathizer, both were fatally we McCulley and Dr. F. E. Bennett thank- Albert J. Cawdron of Ottawa, superin- in a gun fight early today. The

tion, Royal Canadian Mounted Police,

a position in Chatham.

The resignation of Reg. W. Kidner as a member of the industrial advisory committee of the board of education, was received and accepted Pressure of work was given as the reason. The board accepted the resignation with the december of the resignation with the december of the same of the resignation with the december of the position of the collegate in turn, including Secretary Newton, Inspector awaiting trial on charges of passing worthless checks.

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According to the finger prints sent by Chief Paterson, Superintendent Cowdron says they are identical with those of umber 12394, Harry F. Pindlay, who has served sentences for passing bogus cheeks in Ottawa, Port Arthur, Fort William, Toronto and Ham-liton. Findlay is also wanted in Winni-reg and Sherbrooke. Harry F. Findlay

used to pose as an officer in the militia. TWO KILLED IN GUN BATTLE.

Sioux City. Ia., Dec. 19 .- Deputy Cornwall, Dec. 19.—Chief of Police Sheriff Lewis R. Jones, 22, son of Sheriff W. H. Jones, and Hessen Kaled, a strike

# The Club that buys your Christmas Gifts

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plenty

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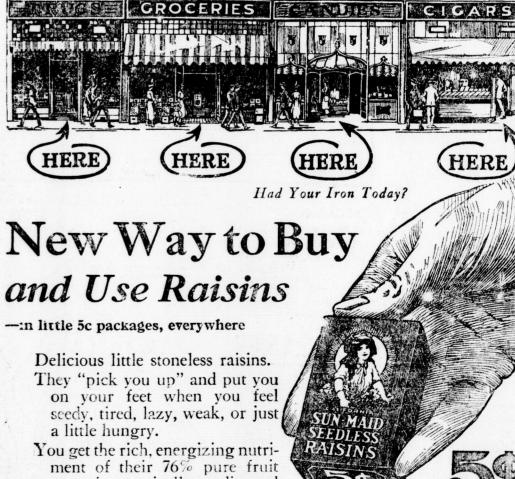
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#### DON'T PAY TOO DEAR FOR CHRISTMAS BIRD

#### Advice of Turkey "Magnate," Who Predicts Drop.

Talking about turkeys—and it is a live subject with people who are entertaining Christmas day—have you dealer in London is of the opinion you probably did, that is, if you gave more than 55 cents a pound. In years gone by, he has handled as many as 60,000 turkeys at the Christmas sea-son, including those shipped to the west. This year he doesn't expect the number will total up much more than a quarter or a little more of that number, possibly fifteen or twenty thousand. There are reasons

One big reason is the high price turkey. Another is the turning the tables by Western Canada. A third reason is the wholesale-buying up of turkeys in Western Ontario by merican dealers.

To get back to the question of ce, "Sixty cents a pound is usense for turkey," says this says this experienced dealer, "and the people who have the nerve to charge 65 cents should be made to eat the birds themselves. We have filled all or-ders, even special weights, for 55 cents a pound, when we paid 52 and 53 cents. There is a possibility that the people raising turkeys will be glad people raising the people raising the to take less before the end of the week, 50 cents a pound or even less. This depends, however, on the of turkeys lett in the country, the number that are shipped in.
I have been getting calls today tell-300 turkeys still available here.

sent to pay it, whether, in other words, they will allow themselves to be held up.

"The opinion of big Toronto buyers, with whom I have been in communication today, is the same as myown, that turkeys have gone over the top in price, and there is nothing to in price, and there is nothing left for them to do but to come back. That is why we are holding back in buying this week. Big Toronto dealers state that they are only buying on consignment this week, that is, letting the people ship the birds to them at their own risk, to be sold for the best price they will bring.

American Invasion.

The Ponch design (below) which down, giving to the eyes of the wearer The brim is of green velvet.

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BROWNIE PACK

GIVES PARTY

The Brownies from the Y. W. C. A. on and the Barracks were the guests of turkeys, from Moose Jaw, Saskaton, the Cronyn Memorial Brownies at a Christmas party given in their honor turkey price they will bring.

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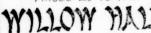
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BROWNIE PACK

Ontario turkey farmers and dealers.

The West, which will always insist upon acting precedus, has beaten old Ontario at its own game this Dealer old Ontario at its own game this



A Small Hat Is Best For Day Wear



there, an indication that there still a good many left. Another hat. And they've become quite colorwill influence the price ful dots on the landscape!

American invasion.

"I telephoned a big Buffalo dealer Monday to see how things were there, just to get a line on the market to satisfy my own curiosity. He fold this were the satisfy my own curiosity. He fold this is released to the Canadian to the Western Ontario dealers to the Canadian to the Western Ontario dealers to the Canadian the price right under the feet of Ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-to-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-to-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-to-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-to-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-to-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-to-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-to-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and our playing games are the lesses boards in Ontario dealers in feature was the presentation of twenty-the four badges to the Cronyn Memorial the price right under the feet of On-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-the feature was the presentation of twenty-the four badges to the Cronyn Memorial the price right under the feet of On-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-the feature was the presentation of twenty-the four badges to the Cronyn Memorial the price right under the feet of On-ontario dealers turkey laid down playing games, and during the after-the feature was the presentation of twenty-the feature was the pres

markets to worms.

For years the London dealer shipped thousands of turkeys to the West

Western turkeys Saturday, laid down

Western turkeys Saturday, laid down 25 or 30 thousand ten years and more

Western trade.

BY MARIAN HALE.

Smacks of the tricorn and flares befascinating shadows. Purple grapes in comingly away from the face, is of clusters drip from the brim of the black faile with oriental embroidering. citron-yellow velvet toque with its and they've become quite color-

The two Marie Louise hats venture the crown of the be-feathered toque. The Ponch design (below) which down, giving to the eyes of the wearer The brim is of green velvet.

satisfy my own curiosity. He fold me the edge was off the market; that birds selling for 53 cents a pound living weight Saturday had gone down living weight Saturday had gone down markets to worms.

West this year?

And this is where a practical deminate to the way things such carloads, it is stated, have come at the come at the constration is given of the way things such carloads, it is stated, have come at the constraint of the constraint

at 45 cents a pound, in order to sup-

oads, the record low mark for the Vestern trade.

This year he isn't shipping any.

The doesn't believe in bringing coals

vere guests with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hammond, Craig street,

Fred Gammage, Urbana University, is visiting his family at 761 William street for the holiday season,

Miss Mary Booth of this city left where she will spend the winter.

Col. Chas. Panet of Ottawa spen the week-end with his brother, Major-Gen. H. A. Panet, and Mrs. Panet.

Mrs. Bowlby of Windsor returned on Monday after spending the week-end with her aunt in the city. Mrs. W. A. Duggan of Oil Springs

to the guest of her cousin, Mr. T. G. Dockstader, Wortley road, for a few

Mrs. Gilbert Doane and Mrs. Dow Lucas of Ottawa will spend the holidays in town, the guests of Miss Fairbairn,

Dr. M. A. Pratt of New York is spending the Christmas holidays v his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Webster and family are leaving this week to spend with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. MacGregor. Christmas with Mrs. Webster's par-Christmas with Mrs. Webster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt, Brantford.

of Windsor, are expected "Look before you leap in paying for Mrs. W. H. Braddon, 546 King street. Mrs. J. H. McMechan, 364 King street. The past patrons and past may

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones are giving a dance at their home on King street during the holidays in honor

Miss Edith Greer of Grace Hospital,

#### **DUCK FOR CHRISTMAS**

"white meat," re-make quite moist.
member that a duck
Orange

evenly in the bottom of the roaster.

stuffing.

Peanut Stuffing. Two cups hot mashed potatoes, 1 with nuts and serve cup soft, stale bread crumbs, 1 cup (Copyright

Dr. R. A. MacGregor, Mrs. Mac-Gregor, Miss Bonnie MacGregor and Douglas MacGregor, of Lansing, Mich., evening was the social evening held will be holiday visitors in town, staying by Trinity Chapter O. E. S., when the

Prof. Edward Ardagh of Toronto University, and Mrs. Ardagh arrive in trons and past patrons of the of Windsor, are expected in spend Christmas with Mr. and holidays with Mrs. Ardagh's mother, City participating

Mr. and Mrs. Mervil MacDonald and sion were:

HE duck is a happy chopped peanuts, 4 tablespoons minced family for the Christ-mas dinner. However, if the family prefers

Combine dry ingredients. Add but-ter, melted and enough hot milk to

Orange Sauce.

member that a duck has none.

A duck is prepared for roasting in exactly the same fashion as a turkey or goose. A hotter oven is required for each with the factor of the

is required for cook- Melt butter and add carrot and onion onions, peeled but not sliced, inside.
Steam for an hour. Remove onions and do not serve. Then stuff the duck a fine sieve. Return to fire, season

and do not serve. Then stuff the duck for roasting with a stuffing that may be served. Truss and put on rack in roaster.

Dredge with flour and sprinkle some

Put in a hot oven, and when brown Four apples, 11/2 cups of sugar, 3/4 add one cup of water. Do not reduce heat. Roast an hour, basting every 10 le prunes chopped pistachio nuts.

Pare apples and cut in half-inch street.

Col. W. G. Coles, and Miss Marian Coles are in Detroit, owing to the illness of Col. Coles' mother, Mrs. F. H. Coles.

Minutes.

A special sauce is often served with duck, especially when the bird is not stuffed. Apples and prunes served to of the sugar and water. Add lemon tree for the children, to be held on juice and apple rings.

Simmer until apples are to consider the college of the sugar and water. Add lemon tree for the children, to be held on juice and apple rings.

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absorb most of the sirup. Put a cooked and pitted prune in each ring, sprinkle

An interesting event of Monday out-going executive entertained. Confeature of the program, the nie at their home on King four sons, Ross, Fergus, Allan and grant, of Toronto, are expected in town daughter, Miss Marjorie Mrs. MacDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Munro, Ruth Chapter; Fred Staples, Forest City Chapter; Thomas Rowe, past grand patron of the Ontario Chapter; Mrs. MacDonald's parents, Mr. and Rev. W. Leslie Armitage, Trinity Mrs. MacDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. MacGregor, Burwell street. Chapter; George Logan, Ruth Chap-ter; Robert Wallace, Forest City Miss Anne Spry, King street, was the Chapter; Albert Trick, Ruth Chap Mrs. R. F. Grindley of Chicago, and Miss Anne Spry, King street, was the hostess of a delightful party last their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Greer.

Mr. Wemyss Chisholm of Simcoe, accompanied by Mrs. Chisholm, will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Chisholm, Queen's avenue.

Miss Anne Spry, King street, was the hostess of a delightful party last the hostess of a delightful party last the hostess of a delightful party last their Bert Thomas, Ruth Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Trinity Chapter; J. I. Doidge, Ruth Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, and narcissi were charmingly arranged in the living-rooms. After games and in the living-rooms. After games and music, supper was served. Assisting were Miss Irene Spry and Miss Margery Tolhurst.

Chapter; Albert Trick, Ruth Chapter; Wrs. Gammage, Trinity Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Trinity Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Arith Chapter; Mrs. Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Agith Chapter; Mrs. Chapter; Albert Trick, Ruth Chapter; Wrs. Gammage, Trinity Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Arithment Chapter; Mrs. Chapter; Mrs. Albert Trick, Ruth Chapter; Wrs. Gammage, Trinity Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Agith Chapter; Mrs. Chapter; Mrs. Albert Trick, Ruth Chapter; Wrs. Thomas Rowe, Agith Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Agith Chapter; Mrs. Toloidge, Ruth Chapter; Mrs. Albert Trick, Ruth Chapter; Wrs. Thomas Rowe, Agith Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Trinity Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Agith Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Trinity Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Thomas Rowe, Agith Chapter; Mrs. Thomas Rowe, Thomas Rowe, Th One of the most enjoyable parties held at the university was the Christmas Lit, given Monday evening at the Greenaway Tripity Chapter; Mrs. F. G.

dining-room, thrown into occasion, each table centred with gay little Christmas tree surround by glittering snow, lighted by candles, and having as indiv saucy little green and red A few words of cordial welc

said by Miss Sutherland, just before clever young toast-mistress. Miss Margaret Strang, to "Our ciation." Much appreciated musical numbers were a Scotch duet by Miss Jessie Martin and Mrs. Nelson; solo, ing even after the outside is seared than for turkey. A good way to prepare a duck is to put three small onions, peeled but not sliced, inside.

Steam for an hour. Remove onions

Steam for an hour. Remove onions evening engagements.

#### **CLUB NEWS**

for their Christmas activities. Some Two cups hot mashed potatoes, 1 with nuts and serve.

cup soft, stale bread crumbs, 1 cup

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OAKHURST SCHOOL ENTERTAINS Pupils of the Oakhurst School have invited their parents and friends for the Christmas concert on Thursday afternoon. The interesting program includes French songs and dialogues by senior pupils, as well as English numbers. There is to be a clever trons, little playlet, "Christmas Eve," a sixteenth century mystery play, be-sides the singing of old Christmas After the program tea will

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Petticoat Specials

deep pleated flounce; colors of rose, Paddy green, Jersey Silk Petticoats, good quality Jersey silk,

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bust, reinforced front, wide busk steel, four hose

supports, elastic insets; regular \$4.00. \$3.00 Christmas special

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boning, dainty embroidery trimmed, elastic inset

wearer, especially when seated. Per

pair .....

pleated flounce, in colors of rose, copen, \$5.95 purple, Paddy green, navy, black. At

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#### Very Useful Christmas Gifts

White Saxony Flannelette ..... 19c, 25c, 30c, 35c Flannelette Blankets, with blue and pink borders, in grey and white ......\$2.50 and \$3.00 Lovely Scotch Wool Blankets, large size, extra special, Per pair ......\$11.50, \$12.50, \$15.00 New Light Prints, in stripes and regatta patterns. All-Linen Toweling. Per yard. 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c

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in plain and drop stitch, all-silk tricolette, overblouse style; colors of rose, flesh, honeydew, navy, 

New Georgette Blouses, trimmed with beads and silk embroidery, overblouse and tie-back styles; colors of flesh, rose, apricot, maise, sand, taupe, white, navy, black...... \$4.95

Blouses in Silk Crepe de Chine, overblouse style, fronts trimmed with embroidery and beads; colors of apricot, rose, flesh, maise, sand, navy and white; all sizes. At...... \$4.95

Wash Satin, good heavy quality, bright finish, washes perfectly, yard wide, white and \$1.50 Striped Habutai for blouses or skirts, heavy weight, shown in a fine range of designs, 36

inches wide. Per **\$2.00 \$2.25** Botany Serge, all wool, fine veave, 52 and 54 Cluny Lace for Christmas Doilies from 25c to \$1.00

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Hemstitched Runners, white, each .........69c Embroidery Pillow Slips. Pair, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$4.00 

A Satin Dress, neatly boxed, a very popular Christmas gift, Duchess satin, full 36 inches wide, will not cut, in shades of black, navy, brown, taupe, Russian, henna, capri and jade. \$2.50

Boudoir Caps of washable satin, lace and ribbon trimmed, in blue, pink, maise and white, real novelties ......\$1.75, \$1.89 and \$2.25 New Silk Camisoles, lace trimmed, in colors of

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#### 50c

Men's Durable Leather or Cord End Braces, in box. Men's Fancy Silk or Silk-Covered Wire Arm Bands,

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Suspenders, in box. Men's and Boys' Kum-a-Part Cuff Buttons, nice designs. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, hand-worked initial.

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splendid Heavy Weight Pure Wool Sweaters, in fancy patterns and plain colors; all with collars; all sizes; are selling elsewhere up to \$9.00. Fine Shirts-\$1.48 \* \$5.75

Arrow, Forsythe and Lang Fine Shirts, in a wonderful array of attractive patterns, in fast-color fabrics; full sized bodies that will please every man; 14 to 18...\$1.48 \$1.85, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50

Fine Pongee All-Silk Shirts, in natural shade, some with collar to match; all sizes ..... \$5.00 Plain White All Silk and smart new patterns, in heavy weights. Special .... \$5.75

#### 75c

Men's and Boys' Silk or Knitted Ties, good patterns.

Braces, in fancy Christmas box. Fine All-Wool Cashmere Socks, in black or mixed

President or Secretary

grev. Fine Silk and Cashmere Socks, in fine, good colors.

Men's Heather Worsted and Cashmere Socks, in fine qualities and sizes....79c, 2 pairs \$1.50

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#### BIG SALE OF BATH ROBES-Splendid weights, in both

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#### Twin Contest Prize Winners!



So splendidly did the small readers of The Advertiser respond to the "Twins Contest," just closed, that the judges have had who pretended to be his friend.

Tweedle-Dee then told the twins that great difficulty in deciding on the winners. Not only did hun- the key they were searching for, lay them. dreds of budding Western Ontario authors and authoresses send under a large rock beside the river dreds of budding Western Ontario authors and authoresses send and that the fiver was a day's journey in original adventures of the twins, but these adventures were from where they now were. The twins track of replied. so well written that it was almost impossible to make the choice. In deciding on the winners the judges finally took into consideration the age of the writer, as well as the merit of the story.

The first prize, five bound volumes of "The Adventures of the story.

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The second prize, a golden-haired doll, goes to Mary Hinnegan of Sombra, Ont., age 8.

Adventure at the River.

Once upon a time there were two little

The third prize, also a doll, goes to Millie Weidendorf, R. R. 4, Elmwood, Ont., age 7.

The fourth prize, a doll's tea set, is awarded to Grace A Forrest, R. R. 2, Kippen, Ont., age 10.

The fifth prize, a two-pound box of candy, goes to Edith Schmidt, 351 Ontario sireet, Stratford, Ont., age 13.

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Colverly-written adventures of "The Cleverly-written adventures of "The Adventure at the River."

MILLIE WEIDENDORF, ELMWOOD, and everyone said:

ONT., R. R. NO. 4. AGE 7.

Adventure at the River.

Adventure at the River. to give five consolation prizes, which will take the form of boxes of candy. The winners are: Irene West, 261 Talbot Margaret Mann, 1025 twins, Nancy and Nick. One hot sum-Dundas street, London, age 12; Margaret McNiven, R. R. 8, London, age 12; Anna M. Doble, R. R. 3, Blyth, age 11; Bessie Rogers, Lynedoch, age Rover had missed them, however, and

the Advertiser is endeavoring to the river just as they were about to he said The Advertiser is endeavoring to the river just as they were about to mail all the prizes so that they will sink.

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#### SHIRLEY FRASER, 8 VICTORIA second time.

started to pinch their toes, and pushed them on through the door he had just come out of. They did not stop until they came to a light pick with the started to pinch their toes, and pushed them on through the door he had just come out of. They are to be light pick with the started to pinch their toes, and pushed the had just come out of. They are to be a light pick with the started to pinch their toes, and pushed them on through the door he had just come out of. They are to be a light pick with the started to pinch their toes, and pushed them on through the door he had just come out of. They are to be a light pick with the started to pinch their toes, and pushed them on through the door he had just come out of. They are to be a light pick with the started to pinch their toes, and pushed them on through the door he had just come out of. They did not stop until they came to a light place, when out

they came to a light place, when out from the magic door came another little creature, Spring.

Spring warmed the twins up and pushed them along another path. They went on and on until they came to another door when out came Summer. Then it became so warm that the twins woke up, and found that they had dreamt it all.

Twins Play Santa Claus.

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The twins had an uncle who was very sick at this time. His family was poor, fallen asleep at the top of the hill and dreamt it all.

# dreamt it all. MARY HINNEGAN, SOMBRA, ONT. AGE 8. Twins at the Farm. The fairy gave them a number of presents from the good fairy, and some processes.

Nancy and Nick, the twins, went medicine to make their uncle better. On

"Wouldn't it be nice to visit Santa.

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I wish the Fairy Queen would take us there."

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Just to please Mrs. Hen, the twins went behind a bush and waited. Pretty soon the old hen went to the ince to visit Santa.

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Just the nout of the fire jumped a Brownie, carying a pair of green shoes for each of the twins.

"I will take you there," said the Brownie. So slip on these magic shoes."

They must be below to ready to roast.

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soon the old hen went to the trough gave some of their toys away to other

its wanderings. Nick picked the lamb up and carried it back to the shepherd. The shepherd was very pleased with Nancy and Nick, and to their astonish-ment the old man turned into a fairy, told a secret of the fairies to a gnome,

that they would start at once.

After traveling a day they found the North Pole to report to Santa Claus. key and took it to the Queen of the Would you like to come with me

#### R. R. No. 7, THAMESVILLE, AGE 13.

#### big joke they had played Mr. Alligator by throwing stones down his throat. MARGARET ELLEN JACKSON.

#### R. R. 1, WILTON GROVE, AGE 12. Twins at the Circus. As Nancy and Nick, the two twins, were once talking to Mr. Pim Pim,

"That long passage, my dears, leads

to a beautiful earth."
Oh how Nancy and Nick wished they could see this earth, but wouldn't go without having permission from the

SHIRLEY FRASER, 8 VICTORIA

APARTMENTS. AGE 8.

In Jack Frost's land one bright winter day, when the sun shone brightly on the snow making each little flake book like a tiny piece of silver, Nancy and Nick, the twins, got their sled and went up the hill.

They started up the hill and went on and on and on until they saw that they were on the wrong road. They passed through a snowdrift and on the other side they found King Winter's fairy-land. Then they went up a little hill, and then out popped a little creature, who stopped them.

"Who are you?" they asked.

"They Jack Frost," he said, as he started to pinch their toes, and pushed second time. He caught her and caught her and get the show their kindness to their dear old again.

Water Nancy had come up for the second time. He caught her and caught her and their wish been granted than their Magical Green Shoes carried them to the started bottor, who had been phoned for, was already there. He soon got the water from her lungs and then she was put in bed, with hot water bottles around her. Two hours her apple to the elephant, and it knocked it out of her hand into the cape. She immediately crawled in after it. The crowd was so amazed they became speechless. Nick bounded in to save his sister, who, without fear, was going on toward the elephant, after her apple, until she was within reach of the elephant's trunk which now brushed the provided them to shore. They also learnt a lesson the provided them to be a carried them to the started to pinch their one by the second time. He caught her and carried them to the started was feiner and she was put in bed, without having permission from the fitting without having permission from the fitting without having permission from the fair when her hand their wish been granted them to the start hundred them to the start hundred them to the staken quickly home in the car, and it was found that the doctor, who elephant's trunk which now brushed her curly hair. Had he not been chained he might have taken her up in his trunk and squeezed her to death.

#### FLORENCE BON FONTE, 119 NELSON STREET, STRATFORD, AGE 13

One day Nancy and Nick were sitone day Nancy and Nick, the training to the library of the their uncle better, on the their uncle's farm for a visit.

After dinner they decided to visit the barnyard. There they found old Mrs. Hen sitting on a nest.

"Go 'way! Go 'way!" she cried. "You turkey in the oven ready to roast.

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"Wouldn't it be nice to visit Santa. I wish the Fairy Queen would take us

to get a drink. Nancy and Nick then children. They thought that the way popped another Brownie with two fur

them on and were ready to start. morning the gnome awoke, and when They were carried towards the North he found them gone he quickly over-

EDITH SCHMIDT, 351 ONTARIO
STREET, STRATFORD, AGE 12.
Visit to An African Jungle.
One day Nick and Nancy were sitting out in the woods. "I know," said Nancy, "let us play that we are in an African jungle."
"I wish that we were," said Nick.
"So do I," said Nancy."
"Just at that moment a mushroom stood in front of them and said: "Here store-houses. He showed them his work-shops and store-houses. He was very busy, and like found them gone he quickly overtook them. He was just going to the cold on the way. They went on and on over the house-tops and bare white country, until they were set down in front of a large snow-house. They walked towards a door which was opened by a Brownie. They walked in and were welcomed by a cheery "Adventure With the Frog."
Nancy and Nick slipped on their magic shoes and started on a Fairy-land trip.

"Just at that moment a mushroom stood in front of them and said: "Here are two pairs of green slippers. Put them on, and wish for whatever you like." With that the mushroom was gone again.
"Let us wish to go to an African jungle, then," said Nancy.
"Yes," said Nick, and then they both wished that way. No sooner did they wish, than they were walking in an African jungle.

As they were strolling about the jungle they thought that they had not seen any animals yet. Suddenly in front of them stood a big lion. He told them to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and to jump on his back. They did so, and they must start for loome. He gave them each a bag of candy and some pretty toys and sent to jump on his back. They did so, and they must start for loome. He gave them each a bag of candy and some pretty toys and sent they have them each a bag of candy and some pretty toys and sent they have them each a bag of candy and some pretty toys and sent they have them each a bag of candy and some pretty toys and sent they have them each a bag of candy and some pretty toys and sent they have them send to jump on his back. They did so, and they must start for loome. He gave them each a bag of candy and some pretty toys and sent trip.

They twink were very sad when Santa they did not have any cup, so Dick dipped his hand into the water, when look looked astonished, but the little from the clearest water. They did so, and they would be delighted to help. Santa gave them a big

Nancy and Nick, the twins, were great friends of the fairles. They started out to find a key which had been lost. On their way they met an old man who was watching sheep. Nick spoke to him. The old man returned Nick's greeting, and asked Nick if he had seen a lamb that had strayed away from his flocks.

Nick said that had strayed away from his flocks.

Nick said that he had not seen any lamb that day. But Nick and Nancy set off to hunt for the lost sheep. They found it lying in a field exhausted from its wanderings. Nick picked the lamb

land. The next day they saw the mouse and killed it, thus ending the terrible

giant.

Twins Visit Santa Claus. One day, as the twins were playing in the snow, a little old man approached "Who are you?" said Nick.

"I am Santa's messenger who keeps track of the children who are good," he

They knocked at the door and a small

elf appeared, who took them to Santa They walked through the rooms and

and they would get her ball for her.

They wandered on through the woods

Measurement: Bust..... Waist ......

They hid the ball inside of Nick's from the date of application.

Nick read: "To Nancy from Santa."
"Oh!" said Nancy, "this is where
Santa Claus lives."

Then they heard the jingle of bells.

Another door opened. They ran out quickly into the hall and out of the No one could ever catch it, and very He had been sent to watch the flocks on the mountain-side because he had RENE WEST, 261 TALBOT STREET.

AE 12. | quickly into the hall and out of the lock tree, and ran into the bush to hunt for a Christmas tree. They pushed their had ever beheld it. Now this



with my golden ball, and I can't find The twins told her to stop crying. Age (if child's or misses' pattern).....

They wandered on through the woods and found themselves by the side of a cave. They went inside and found there the gnome who had stolen the ball and hidden it. He tried to persuade them to live with him.

When the gnome was asleep the children awoke and proceeded to search the cave for the ball.

They found it in a crevice in the wall near a large hole, and if someone had gone over that way they would have fallen down the hole.

Measurement: Bust..... Waist.....

CAUTION: Be careful to inclose the store in the pattern is bust measure, you need only mark 38, 44, or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 26, or whatever it may be. If a skirt give waist and register the cave for the ball.

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They want found themselves by the side of a found themselves by the side of a capes the W. P. B. Wishing every reader of this Mail-Box a Merry Christmas. SHOE TREES. Certainly it would be proper to active the massure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "years." Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from the date of application.

#### THE SORCERER'S SPELL



#### AGE 12. "The Magic Horse."

a Christmas ree. They jushed their horse was like other horses, only way through the undergrowth. There could fly, which other horses can't. had a favorite place where it loved to go and get a cool drink. This place was a clear spring of water bubbling up out of the ground. Many people had tried to catch it but had failed. There was a little boy who used to hide behind the bushes and watch it descend out of the sky and drink of the clear water. This horse's favorite feeding place

was up on a high mountain, where Gnomes and Brownies dwelt. The Gnomes and Brownies used to

postage and also a small donation to the hospital fund.

WESTERN STAR.

Nancy and Nick decided to get this horse to go riding around Fairyland on. Mr. Mushroom, their very dear friend, gave them a wonderful bride. When the bit was placed in the horse's worth it would at once become such as the postage and also a small donation to the hospital fund.

WESTERN STAR.

Eastern Star tells us that her patches have been all sent out, so I put the right?

We specialize in cleaning furs.

Parcels called for and delivered.

The provided in the horse's well at the parches have been all sent out, so I put the right? mouth, it would at once become sub nissive to any one.

Nancy and Nick went to its favorite

spring, and when it came to drink, they jumped lightly as feathers unto its back, put the bit into its mouth and away they went to Fairyland, to

#### Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

THINKS GOOD FELLOW FUND WONDERFUL.

Dear Miss Grey: I have been a reader of your

Mail-Box page for some time and certainly enjoy the letters. I know a gentleman who is a friend of the family. He is an elderly man. Do you think it would be proper to accept presents from him. I am only nineteen years old. Don't you think the Good Fellow Fund is a wonderful

thing? I do, as there are so many

little children in want of warm clothing. Hoping this letter es-capes the W. P. B. Wishing every

#### Western Ontario Women's Activities

Address News For This Column to The Editor of Woman's Page.

MANDAUMIN W. M. S. The annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Mandaumin was held recently at the manse. The following officers for 1922 were elected: President, Mrs. Hoden; first vice-president, Mrs. Aiken; second vice-president, Miss

home helpers' secretary, Miss Helen MacDonald; strangers' secretary, Miss Margaret Knight; literature secretary, Miss Agnes Dunn; oragnist, Mrs. John During the year, two new life mem-

Dunn; treasurer, Mrs. Archie Mac-Donald; secretary, Mrs. James Dunn; assistant secretary, Mrs. John Dunn;

Indingite they thought to the took them close to the three twin spot off and followed him into the cave.

Here they found a little baby lion the cave.

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CARLYLE RUMBLE,

R. N. O., BELTON, AGE 10.

"Adventure of the Mouse."

"And Nancy and Nick, "and here is my handkerchleft to do it with."

So, Nancy bandaged up the baby lion and it stopped crying and licked Nancy shand asaveral times. The lion, too thanked Nancy and Nick, and and it stopped crying and licked Nancy shand saveral times. The lone to see the rest of the fuller on the class of the first one can be said:

MARGARET HOWARD,

29 BURWELL STREET, AGE 13,

Adventures of the Lest Lamb.

Nancy and Nick, were playing under list of the mother all about meeting Mrs. Green Frog. a friend of the core of the mother and the copy of the mother and the stopped crying and licked Nancys hand saveral times. The lion, too them to see the rest of the fuller on the little of the mother and it stopped crying and licked Nancys and Nick, are not the little of the little of the little of the little of the little one and said: "His crying." The lion took them to see the rest of the jungle.

Adventures of the Lest Lamb.

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Empire by her name, News of this was brought to London this week-end by Mrs. Lowlby, regent of the Municipal Chapter of Windsor, who spent a few days in town visiting relatives.

the order in the Border Cities was told by Mrs. Bowlby, who has been prominently identified with the I. O. D. E. for several years, With Mrs. Casgrain, wife of Col. Casgrain, who went overseas from London as O. C. of No. 3 Hospital Unit, as organizingsecretary of the Municipal Chapter ters have been organized in a few months. Two of these have been named after pioneer families in Es-sex County, "Baby" and "McIntosh."

enlivening touch.

**BLOUSE** 

The Advertiser for years, and are

I often see letters from Boxites who ask for old shoes. I have three or four pairs of shoes, all size 3, which I would be glad to send to

any of the needy ones, if they will pay postage. My address is with Miss Grey. GERTRUDE.

Dear Miss Grey,-In the issue of

your paper of Dec. 7, Eastern Star would forward velvet patches for a quilt to party who would pay post-age on same. Kindly find inclosed

postage and also a small donation to the hospital fund.

all interested in your corner.

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A glowing story of the activities of

any of the need, not pay postage. My address is with miss Grey.

It was very good of you, Gertrude, to give these shoes, and I am quite sure someone will take advantage of the offer.

pliment to Col. Cass.

In all, Windsor now has seven live chapters, Mrs. Bowlby stating that a keen interest is taken by the order in her city in promoting the Girl Guide movement.

A flicker of scarlet on black frocks designed for day wear is a smart and

Ontario Dry Cleaners

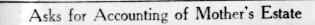
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# News of the World of Today as Told by the Camera



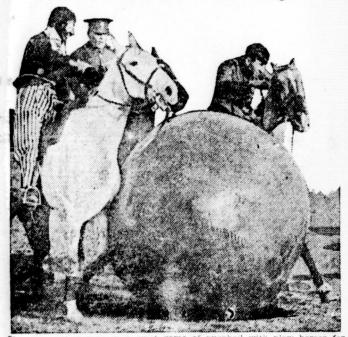




an action in a court of law to procure a statement of the financial



Farm Life Not So Dull in Kent, England





J. ASHLEY and Miss Elia M. Robbins of London, England, thought there wasn't enough splash to a church wedding, so they hired a motorboat, and after that everything was plain sailing.



A LANSON B. Houghton owns one of the largest glass factories in the world, is worth thirty mil-lion dollars, and has a good knowl-edge of Germany. He has been slated for United States ambassa-dor at Berlin.







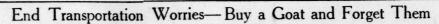
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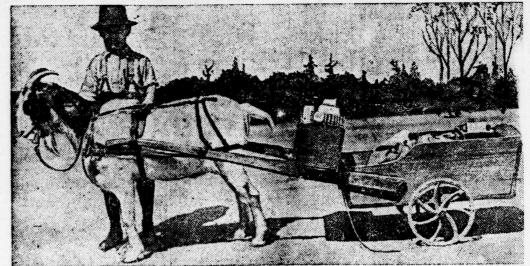
peal, but they can't fool us. We know it's only leap frog spelled

Come On, Girls!—High, Low, and Over We Go!

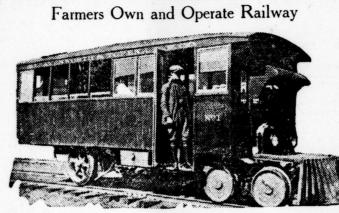








a delivery system for a grocery store.



WHEN the steam road, serving their territory, went out of business some farmers in Kansas bought the rails and rigged up an old auto

They Believed in Having a Splashy Wedding

WARREN G. Harding, president of the United States, is unusually fond of horseback riding. Last summer he rode on a long

camping trip with Edison, Henry

Ford and Howard Firestone.



JIM Joe, a Chinese merchant of Agua Prieta, Mexico, made \$250,000 by smiling. He landed in Mexico knowing neither Spanish or English, but could smile in all languages. His customers liked his smile and his business prospered.



HER Majesty Ena of Spain, a granddaughter of Victoria the Good of England, in her hospital uniform looks quite like any other Red Cross worker.



HARRY W. Haley has been re-leased from the Military Prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, Prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, after serving five months of a six months' sentence for desertion, under the name of his friend. Thomas G. Jones. Prior to deserting from the American forces, Jones saved Haley's life in France. Later Jones went to Canada and married. Haley, learning that Jones was "wanted" for desertion, assumed his, name and surrend-dered. Recently officials learned of Haley's self-sacrificing deception, and released him, but they claim that Jones, if he returns to the United States, will still be required to serve out his full sentence.



WINIFRED James, an English woman writer, author of "Letters to My Son," in private life is Mrs. Henry DeJan. Her later books advance new ideas on how to steer safely the bark of domestic felicity.

#### Trio of Fair Admirers Are Aged From 6 to 60

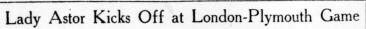


GENERAL Pershing, who headed the U.S. forces in the world war, remains as much a national hero as ever. Whenever he leaves the disarmament parley at Washington, which he is now attending, there are always eager admirers to greet him.

#### Foch Lays First Brick of New Fraternal Hall



WHEN Marshal Foch visited New York City recently he laid the cormerstone (it happened to be a brick), for a new Knights of Columbus hall. The brick was handed to Marshal Foch by Babe Ruth. Arch-





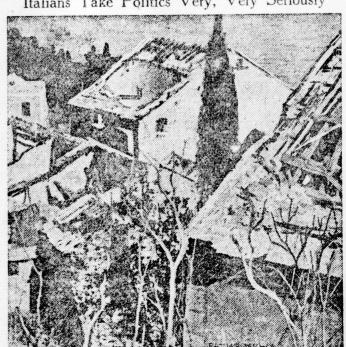
FOOTBALL crowds cheered the titled daughter of T she opened the game between London (Eng.) University and Plymouth Albion recently.





DON E. DE BOW of Omaha, Neb., is part owner of the biggest ruby in the world. His partner is John Mihok. The ruby weighs 23 9-10 carats and is worth \$119,500, but the owners are really poor men. They don't want the ruby recut, and it is so large no jeweler will buy it in its present size, fearing a resale would not be

#### Italians Take Politics Very, Very Seriously



A cisti held an election recently, in which dynamite and bombs played a prominent part. Obviously, as the wrecked buildings and debris showed after the battle, it was a still hotter campaign than the one recently wrecked buildings. waged in London, Ont.

Stayed So Long Chauffeur Came Back Without Him.

DRIVER WANTED BRANDY

Tagney Declares He Will Get Receipt Next Time He Rides. EXPRESS THANKS

Next time Mike Tagney hires a taxi cab he is going to get a receipt for his money. He had some harsh words for taxi operators in general, and Ed. Kerr in particular, when he stepped into the witness box in police court Tuesday morning to tell the magistrate the truth and nothing but the truth about a certain taxi ride he took on the evening of Sept. 20 last.

"I hired his taxi at the G. T. R., and he drove me over to Billy Bell's for a drink," said Tagney, when given an op-portunity to state his side of the case 'He bought the drink and then he drove me out home to Crumlin. He was to wait for me, because I had to ome back and see a man about a horse, but I guess he got sore and ran away from me, because he didn't get any brandy. I had no brandy to give

I might have said something to him about brandy in a joking way. I had a must have thought I had a barrel of

Figuring on the Brandy.

"T've been in London a long time and have never beaten any taxi driver, but they have beaten me. I paid this man \$2.50 to take me out, but nothing was said about coming back. I guess he was kind of figuring on the brandy. However, he beat it and I had to walk into town.

When Kerr was giving his evidence Mike insisted on interrupting, and the court finally became so annoyed that Tagney was threatened with a cold dark cell if he didn't keep quiet.
"He said he was going to give me

bottle of brandy when I got out there," said Kerr, who couldn't explain to the satisfaction of the court how came to give Tagney \$1 when the latter was supposed to owe him \$5.
"If you are Cickering with this man
for liquor, you won't get any satisfac-

on here," said Magistrate Bartlett.

Will Get a Receipt
"I drove him out to Crumlin" continued Kerr, "after we had a bottle of beer and he told me he was going to treat me right and give me a bottle of brandy. I waited outside the house from 9:30 o'clock till 11, but he never came STAGE CONCERT back, so I drove back to town.

But why did you give him \$1?" questioned the court. I don't understand myself why I did and that's the truth, so help me,'

"I don't know what to make of this New Organization of Egerton

Tansaction," said the court.
"Tagney, you will have to pay this man \$2.50 for his trip back to the city. You apparently owe him that "
"All right, but I'll get a receipt for the next drive I take," stated Tagney.

Chief Birrell spoke a few words in behalf of the prisoner, and stated that a warrant had been issued for his arrest after his failure to appear in court. Tagney was arrested Monday night.

#### PRESBYTERY HOLD MONTHLY SESSION

#### Discuss Question of Visiting Out-of-Town Patients in Hospital.

resbytery was held in the First Presbyterian Church, Tuesday morning, when reports from the various commit-ees were received and general busi-

Edmonton, Dec. 20.-Five Eskimoshree men, a woman and a child—were nurdered, and a fourth man shot, probably fatally, at a point thirty miles of the Hudson's Bay Post on Wager Bay, Kent Peninsula, in a shooting affray which took place on Aug. I. according to a report just received by Superintendent Jennings of the R. C. M. P., from Inspector S. T. Wood of ered sufficiently to permit the inquiry Liverpool Dec. Tree River Detachment, Arctic



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## Eats for Christmas Dinner Same Price as Last Year OF BANKS WILL

thought brings of stalwart gobblers who season, being 35 cents a pound last year were always pompous as they strutted, kings of the farmyard, and who main-Hired Car To Go To Crumlin, tain their dignity right to the day more than last. when they are brought, legs in air, to A quick survey of grocery stores rethe Christmas table, and the smallest vealed the fact that those ingredients male member of the family scarce able which go to make up the delectable

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University Authorities Ex-

tend Appreciation to the

Chamber of Commerce.

At the directors' meeting of the

Chamber of Commerce Tuesday letters

were read from Dean Fox of the arts faculty of Western University and Col

Brown, executive secretary of the uni-

versity, thanking the members for the work done in connection with the uni-

A letter was received from the The dore Roosevelt International Highway

Association regarding the marking of

will soon be reached.

A recommendation will be sent

operation from the membership com

supervision of the teachers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 .- The early raw

versity bylaw.

to move with eyes bulging after an astonishing gourmandic performance, pronounces R. I. P. over the remains.

Paterfamilias who would after the remains. Paterfamilias who must struggle with the bugbear H. C. of L., will find on going to purchase the traditional bird identical in price with last year. Christmas fruits and nuts are alm

that they are the same as last year, 50 to 55 cents per pound.

Geese are cheaper this year. They

In the cafes turkey dinners will bring from 85 to 90 cents per plate, which is also the same as last year.

#### \$5,000 Damage Caused by Bomb Explosion in New York City

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Damage the explosion early today of omb which had been thrown of aced in the hallway of a buildon Grand street. The scene of the explosion was only one block from police headquarters, and the concussion gave officers there a scare, as they believed for a few minutes that threats to bomb Wall street had been carried out

#### the highway that extends from Port-land, Me., to Portland, Ore. It was the the highway that extends from Port-land, Me., to Portland, Ore. It was the intention to mark this highway right GRABS TURKEY, across Canada, but the provincial gov-ernment objected, and will only allow it marked at Niagara Falls and Wind-ESCAPES FROM sor No decision has yet been reached by the directors regarding the Made-in-Canada train for the tour of France but it is hoped that some arrangement

whereby immigrants coming to London from seaboard can be accommodated Bird. the same as in Toronto. Immigrants

arriving at Toronto are house free o around that district than anywhere FARMERS REPORT THEFTS

else. It is requested that London be given the same chance in this re-spect. Capt. Watt reported several Chased by County Constable Alex. Shaver through the down-town section new names of members, and stated that he was getting 100 per cent co-Shaver through the down-town section of the city Tuesday morning, a turkey thief made good his escape from the clutches of the law shortly after 11 o'clock by mingling with the crowds at the Grand Trunk depot. However, Mr. Shaver says he knows the man, and he will spend Christmas Day in the good old county jail.

Citizens who were on the line of travel from the market square to the Grand Trunk via King, Richmond and all the land the proposed it as more desirable than the proposed it as more desirable than the proposed it as more desirable than amalgamation and as in-

to be forthcoming.

Special features of the program were numerous dialogues and choruses rentered by the classes of the school under to talk for publication at the present to time, stating that it will all come out

MRS. MARY MCATEER DIES.
The death took place in St. Joseph's cast of zero temperatures as far south to strengthen the swheter Mary McAteer of this city. Besides her husband, Mrs. McAteer is survived by one son, John, and one daughter, Nora.

MRS. ANN SHOPLAND DIES.
The death took place at the family residence, 439 Quebec street, Monday of Mrs. Ann Shopland 44 years old of Mrs. Ann Shopland 45 years old of Mrs. Ann Shopland 46 years old of Mrs. Ann Shopland 46 years old of Mrs. Ann Shopland 47 years old of Mrs. Ann M The death took place at the family residence, 439 Quebec street, Monday, of Mrs. Ann Shopland, 44 years old. The funeral will be held from her reslowed by slight gains all around, and then something of a reaction. Corn and oats were easy in the abidence Wednesday. The funeral ser-vices will be held in St. Mathew's

sugar market was unchanged with no sales. Spot centrifugal, 3.67c and later deliveries 3.60c for uncontrolled, while the committee quoted old crop Cubas at 2½c cost and freight, equal to 3.85c. Raw sugar futures were quiet. Prices were one point higher to one point net ower at noon.

There was no change recorded in real control of the control of the

Paris.—The latest lasmon in jewelry and to the value of t

# SURE MERGER **MEET SUCCESS**

Date.

averse to taking responsibility in the mindquarters.

matter, it was decided that the only course possible in the public interest was to grant preliminary sanction.

It is not recorded that any of the incoming the

of the Thornton, Davidson Brokerage the provincial minister of agriculture for the inspector of immigration to be retained in London all the year round, and that some arrangements be made whereby immigrants coming to London from seaboard can be accommodated be accommodated be accommodated be accommodated.

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The October bank statement showed no impairment in the Merchants Bank reserve, though such impairment must at that time have been known. The financing of the wheat crop this year, both owing to lower prices and speedier movements, was easier for the banks movements, was easier for the banks than for many years past. It would therefore appear that the bank's position was due to heavy eastern speculation other than that involved in the Thornton Dayldson enterprise.

MAY OPPOSE BANK MERGER.

# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

# GEESE FIND READY

Geese were in abundance, and sold

ed at from 25@28c per lb.

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Hay and Straw—
Hay, per ton.... 17 00 to
Straw, per ton.... 10 00 to

tated that things were beginning to look up.

The October bank statement showed to impairment in the Merchants Bank do, 11 quarts...

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the supervision of the teachers.
Mr. Murray's class of young men put on a dialogue which was much appreciated.
Mrs. White's class of young ladies gave a dialogue entitled "The Love of a Bonnet"
The primary class sang a chorus under the leadership of Mrs. North.

Ume, stating that it will all come out later.
Thieving throughout the county is increasing at an alarming rate, according to the farmers who attend the local market. Many turkeys have been "lifted" during the last few weeks. D. Gray of Hyde Park reported that he had eight of the leadership of Mrs. North.

Ume, stating that it will all come out the down of the whole reserve fund of the Merchants Bank had been impaired—which the president did not state—three would have been no reason for any merger. The reserve fund of a bank of Hyde Park reported that he had eight of Hyde Park

## THREE YEARS FOR THEFT

Artz, civil servant, aged 42, who plead-GOLD AND SILVER

London, Dec. 20.—Closing: Bar silver, 25% deper ounce.

CUT STEEL JEWELRY.

Paris.—The latest fashion in jewelry here consists of cut steel buckles.

readily at 25@30c per lb.

Ducks were slower, prices being quot-

It is not recorded that any of the prospective members of the incoming government were consulted, but to the new administration will fall the responsibility of ratifying the final merger.

Securities Not Hindrance.

It is held here that a mere impairment of reserve would not prevent a bank from carrying on, providing that the impairment did not exceed, say, 50 per cent. It has been held that the losses sustained by the Merchants Bank were due primarily to the failure of the Thornton, Dayidson Brokerage of the Thornton, Dayidson Brokerage over the mrice was noted; now quoted and the incoming from the incoming from the failure of the Thornton, Dayidson Brokerage of the Trice was noted; now quoted and the incoming from the incoming from the failure of the Trice was noted; now quoted and the failure of the failure of the failure of the failure of the Thornton, Dayidson Brokerage of the Trice was noted; now quoted and the failure of the Trice was noted; now quoted and the failure of the Thornton, Dayidson Brokerage of the Thornton, Dayidson Brokerage of the failure of the fa

AT HOPE MISSION

Citizens who were on the line of travel from the market square to the Grand Trunk via King, Richmond and able than amalgamation and as involving less responsibility upon the government.

New Organization of Egerton

Street Baptist Church

Hold Christmas Festival.

The Hope Baptist Sunday School held their Christmas concert Monday in inght at the Hope Church, Westminster Township, a mission of Egerton Street Baptist Church, organized only three months ago, and having since that time made very rapid strides.

The talent, which was largely local, was supplemented by entertainers from the city church.

Special features of the program were bumpones disclosured and floruses ren.

Citizens who were on the line of travel from the market square to the Grand Trunk via King, Richmond and as involving less responsibility upon the government.

The bank, so far as can be seen could only mend the situation by increasing its capital, and for a bank to government.

The thief skidded dangerously as he took the corner of York and Richmond and became so excited that he threw his ranged overcoat over the fence with each obtained on the market. He vanished into the Grand Trunk station, and here the some danger. What attitude do dairy, lb. 42 to do, crocks, lb. 40 to do, crocks, lb. Butter, creamery, lb. 40 to do, dairy, lb..... 42 to do, crocks, lb..... 40 to

when reports from the various committees were received and general business conducted. Rev. John Elder, mod-service of the presbytery was in the chair.

The question of providing a minister to visit out-of-town patients in the different hospitals of the city was discussed and it was decided to carry on with the same arrangements as last year.

The general interest committee reported that for the further interests of the church, the sections of the country be grouped and provision made for ten groups with a convenor for each group to arrange for meeting sand speakers to create interest in the various questions involved. W. R. Meeting sand speakers to create interest in the various questions involved. W. R. Meeting sand speakers to create interest in the various questions involved. W. R. Meeting defended by a strongly entrement elementy force which fought with groups.

FIVE ESKIMOS KILLED

IN ARCTIC SHOOTING

Mr. Frank Hunter's boys put on a humorous dialogue, entitled "Pulling and the was decleted to carry on the was provided and provision and the chair.

After the concert a lunch and a box and the was decleted to carry on the Moors. The operation proved difficult, the place for the groups with a convenor for each group to arrange for meeting sand speakers to create interest in the various questions involved. W. R. M. S. Meeting defended by a strongly entremented enemy force which fought with groups and provision may be a convened on the country be grouped and provision made for the city of the provision of the country be grouped and provision made for the groups with a convenor for each group to arrange for meeting sand speakers to create interest in the various questions involved. W. R. M. S. Destination of the provision of the convention of the convention of the provision of the convention of the provision of the convention of the convention of the provision of the convention of the convention of the provision of the convention of the convention of the provision of the convention of the convention of the prov

TIMBER PROBE SESSION
POSTPONED FOR DAY

Winnipeg, Dec. 20.—Opening: Wheat—Dec., %c to ¼c lower at \$1.09\% of 112\% of 110\% of 110\% of 110\% of 110\% of 10\% of 10\% of 110\% of 10\% of 110\% of 10\% of 10\%

CANADIAN STOCKS Toronto, Dec. 20.—The following quo tations on Caradian stocks in London were received by A. J. Pattison & Co

STANDARD EXCHANGE

## DISTRICT MARKETS

SALE ON MARKET

ST. MARYS.

ST. MARYS. Dec. 19.—A feature of last week's market prices was an advance in bran, shorts and live hogs, and a strengthening of potatoes. All other farm products were steady, Quotations Part of last week's market prices was an advance in bran, shorts and live hogs, and a strengthening of potatoes. All other farm products were steady, Quotations: Fall wheat, \$1/21.10: do., spring, \$1: cats, standard, \$40c; bariey, \$0/260c; peas, \$1: flour, pastry, cett., \$3.25; do., ewt., \$1.40: shorts ton, \$28; do., ewt., \$26; maple syrup, gal., \$25.50@2.75: maple syrup, \$25.50@2.75: maple syrup, gal., \$25.50@2.75: maple syrup, \$25.50@2.7

#### LIVE STOCK

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—That ratification of the proposed merger between the Bank of Montreal and the Merchants Bank is inevitable, is the opinion in official circles here. Had it not been, Sir Henry Drayton and the outgoing government would never have granted preliminary leaver for the carrying on of the necessary negotiations for the consummation of the absorption. It is possible that the finance minister was in fuller possession of the facts regarding the selling bank's condition than is the public. In any case, the question was thoroughly canvassed in council, and while averse to taking responsibility in the matter, it was decided that the only ocurse possible in the public interest was to grant preliminary sanction.

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Quotations: Choice, \$11613; medium, \$8 @10; common, \$3@6.

@10; common, \$3@6.
Milch Cows-Caoice, each, \$80@160; springers, choice, \$90@110.
Sheep-Receipts, 459. Lambs are seling a shade better at \$10.50@11. Handy weight sheep sell up to \$5.75. One thou-sand lambs are left over from yester-Quotations: Ewes, \$1 50@5 75;

day. Quotations: Ewes, 3130/2378, lambs, \$10@11.

Hogs-Receipts, \$20. Hogs are steady at \$10 50@10 75, fed and waterel. Quotations: Selects. \$10 50@10 75; light. \$9 50@9 75; heavy, \$8 50@8 75; sows,

East Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 850; dull. Calves—Receipts, 7,200; slow for good quality; mixed, \$7@7 25; yorkers, \$7 50@ 775; light yorkers and pigs, \$7 75@8; oughs. \$5 25. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 4,200 slow; lambs 25c lower at \$5@10.75 others unchanged.

FLOUR

TORONTO, Dec. 19 .- Manitoba flour-On track Toronto, cash prices; first patents, \$7.40; second patents, \$6.90. Ontario flour—30 p.c. patent, deliv-ered, in bulk seaboard, \$5.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 19.—Flour un-hanged. Shipments, 40,375 barrels. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Flour steady; spring patents, \$6.50@7; spring clears \$4.50@5.20; hard winter straights, \$5.50 @5.80; soft winter straights, \$6@6.50.

HAY

TORONTO, Dec. 19.—Baled hay—On raék Toronto, carlots; extra No. 2, per on, \$22; mixed, \$18. Straw—Carlots: per ton, \$12.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Hay, steady; No. 1, per ton, \$27@29; No. 2, \$25@27; shipping, \$21@23. TORONTO STOCKS Toronto, eDc. 20 .- The local stock

exchange was without any particular feature this morning, the most active stocks, Brazilian, C. P. R. and Steamship preferred holding within narrow limits. The bank section was quiet, with Imperial Bank losing 2½ points on sales of 34 shares. Transactions in bank

stocks were light. Bonds quiet.

Lyall changed hands at 331/4, as com-

pared with 41 yesterday pared with 41 yesterda Sales. 75 Ah. Sales ..... 10 do, pfd. 55 Atlantic Sugar 90 Brazilian .... 25 F. N. Burt 25 C. S. L., pfd.... 132 C. P. R. ...... 5 City Dairy, xd... 10 Consumers' Gas .131 130 131 .90 ... ... 85 Dom. Steel 20 Mackay, pfd. 20 Maple Leaf . Shredded Wheat. 10 Toronto Railway Banks 4 Commerce 6 Hamilton 6 Hamilton 175
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3 Royal 20014,
25 Standard 206
14 Toronto 188
33 Union 141
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Bonds—
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MONTREAL STOCKS Montreal, Dec. 20.-The local stock exchange was strong during the first half hour this morning, and several fractional advances were recorded. Abitibi and Canada Steamships were both unchanged at 30% and 15 resp tively. Dominion Bridge advanced to 691/2c. Laurentide also registered point gain at 73. Breweries were un-changed. Bank of Montreal sold at 21: this morning. This issue recently sold

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Chicago, Dec. 20.—Provisions reflect ed steadiness of the hog market. MONEY.

New York, Dec. 20.—Sterling ex-change steady. Demand Great Britain 4.21: Canadian dollars, 6% discount.

at the opening of today's session, whi investment shares continued their i regular or heavy trend. Latest deve opments bearing on the arms confer ence contributed to the further strengt of foreign exchange. OILS

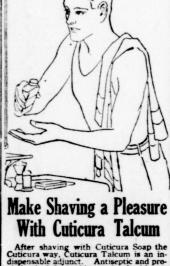
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New York, Dec. 20-Wall Street, 1 .m.-Speculative issues featured constructive side of the stock mark

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NEW YORK STOCKS

Liverpool, Dec. 20 .- Turpentine Spirit



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aneous program of merit.

BORN. MARRIED. DIED

OOPER—At Victoria Hospital on Monday, December 19, 1921, Russell Cooper, beloved husband of Clara Maybell Cooper, in his 25th year. Funeral will leave his late resi-dence, 189 Richmond street, on Wed-nesday, December 21, at 2:39. Ser-vices at 2 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. McATEER—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Monday, Dec. 19, 1921, Bridget Mary, dearly beloved wife of John

McAteer, also mother of John and Funeral notice later.

Funeral notice later.

SHOPLAND—At the family residence, 439 Quebec street, on Monday, Dec. 19, 1921, Ann, beloved wife of John Shopland, in her 44th year.

Funeral services at St. Matthew's (English) Church on Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this in-21, at 3 o'clock. Friends and quaintances please accept this timation. Interment at Mount Ple ant Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Thomas Adams and family wish to thank their many friends and neigh-tors, also the Sherlock-Manning Plano tributes.

Mr. and Mrs. Baske am. to thank their many friends for the beautiful floral tributes and kind sympathy shown in their recent sad be-reavement.

Mr. James McLean and Mr. James stevenson and family wish to thank heir friends and relatives for the dindness shown to them in their recent

LOST AND FOUND LOST-34x4 GOODYEAR CASING AND

rim, Monday evening or Tuesday morning. Finder please return. Grif-fith & Sadler, 418 Talbot street. Re-TWEEN Central and York on Ade-laide. Will finder please phone 1060J?

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watch, Monday evening; Equity printed on face of watch. Kindly return 512 St. James street. Reward. 1lu LOST - PURE SCOTCH COLLIE bitch, sable and white. Believed to be in or near London, Reward, David Ashworth, Denfield P. O. Granton

DOST—TWO CHECKS; ONE \$273, other \$17; drawn by F. Rutherford, in favor of W. M. Patton. Payment has been stopped at bank. Please return to this office. Reward.

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OFFICES OF REEVE, FIRST AND second deputy reeves, and councillors for the said township, a meeting of the electors of London Township will be held in the Town Hall. St. Johns, on Monday, Dec. 26, at the hour of 12 o'clock (noon), for the purpose of nominating fit and proper persons to serve for the year 1922. Dated this 19th day of December, 1921. Mary Grant, clerk London Mary Grant, clerk, London

PUBLIC MEETING OF THE ELECTORS of the township of London will be held in the Town Hall, St. Johns, on Tuesday, Dec. 27, 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 township for the year 1922. Dated the 19th day of December, 1921. Mary Grant, cierk, London Township.

Westminster Nomination

A meeting of the municipal electors f the township of Westminster will be eld in the Masonic Hall, Lambeth ON MONDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1921, at noon, for the purpose of nominating fit and proper persons for the offices of reeve, first and second deputy reeves and councillors, for the year 1922.

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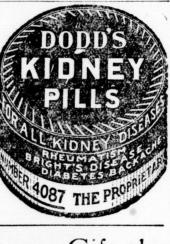
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#### ANNOUNCE WINNERS IN SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST

Pupils of grade 6 classes in all the public schools participated on Decem-ber 9 in an essay contest, the winners of which were announced Monday by V. K. Greer, senior school inspector. The scholars were given to ome Canadian history

donated the prizes, an dealing with the last great ...., one for each school. The following is the list of successful writers and their school: Aberdeen, John Keith; Alexandra, Nor-man Drake: Chesley avenue, Edward Hobbs; Ealing, Pearl Long; Empress avenue, Alton Jeffries; Lord Roberts, stewart Murray; Lorne avenue, Mary Heasman; Pottersburg, Elaine Moffat; Rectory street, James Joyes; Riverview, John Eurtenshaw; Ryerson, Fred Burr; Simcoe street, Sophie Fleishman; St. George's, Helen McCormick; Tecumseh avenue, Nellie Gerrard; Victoria, George GILLIES' NEW WOOD PRICES Slann; Wortley road, Lenore Crawford;

#### ADMIT KING'S SON TO COMPANY OF TAILORS

street, Dorothy Cole.

LONDON, England, Dec. 19 .- Ancient connections between British royalty and the City of London have been reaffirmed by the ceromious admission of the Duke of York, King George's second son, to the "Worshipful Company of Merchant Taylors," the first honorary mem-ber of which was Edward III., who reigned some 800 years ago.

After the swearing in, the duke said, that having been previously admitted to the drapers, the mercers and the needlemakers' guild, he was happy in rounding off his connection with the clothing trade by becoming a "taylor" also; but he confessed that he was glad he did not live in the days of James I., when the banquet given in honor to a new member included a dish of owls and cuckoos.

WAR TOYS SHUNNED. London.—Stores displaying warlike oys have found a decided slump in their Christmas trade. Children are urning to mechanical playthings this

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## JUSTICE ORDE LOSES FRIEND THROUGH DEAT

Supreme Court Sittings Suspended During Funeral of Judge Ermatinger.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 19.—In respect to the memory of Senior Judge Ermatinger, Monday night. who died in Amasa Wood Hospital on Friday night last and who was buried siderable zest by the members of the

Orde made a touching reference to the death of the late judge, who for 35 years had been one of his closest personal friends. nal friends.

in Montreal that I first met Judge Ermatinger, he said. "And the friendship which began then became a warm one indeed.

that I should arrive here on the day of

Crown Attorney Angus McCrimmon, the oldest member of the bar in Eigin County, said that he spoke for the bar as a whole when he stated that the death of the judge was a decided loss to the community as a whole and one which could not be easily replaced.

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W. H. Cameron, barrister, also made etc. Individual instruction. by the bar and the city of St. Thomas.

UNABLE TO GET DATA. THOMAS, Dec. 18 -Nothing de-ped from the visit of Crown Attor-

to Dunwich, Friday. They went there to inquire into the rather pecullar cir-cumstances surrounding the destruction by fire of a store a few weeks ago, but cording to Mr. McCrimmon, they were unable to learn anything concerning the origin of the blaze from persons living

#### WINS DOLL IN CONTEST OF GOOD CHEER CLUB

Mrs. George Mathew, 524 Grosvenor street, is the winner of the beautiful doll in the contest conducted by the "Good Cheer" Girls' Club, the drawing being made by the news editor of The London Advertiser in the editorial rooms

his afternoon, today's session of the club and the impartial selection of the supreme court did not begin until 5 o'clock this afternoon.

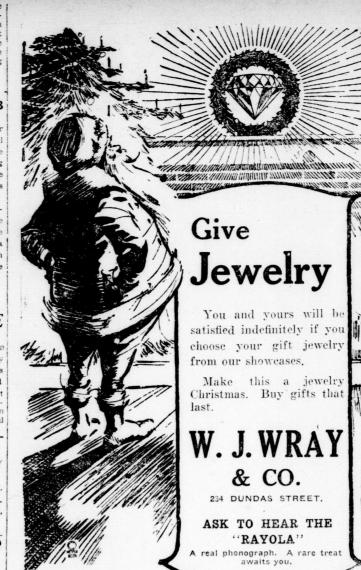
In opening the court Hon. Mr. Justice wide range of contestant, who had taken

#### It was 35 years ago, at a meetof the senate of the English Church L. & P. S. R. CASE

OTTAWA, Dec. 19. - (By Canadian) every loaf is labeled. Ask for it at your grocer's, or phone 1929.

See Every loaf is labeled. Ask for it at your grocer's, or phone 1929.

See Every loaf is labeled. Ask for it always found the judge to be a press.)—Judgment was reserved today by the board of railway commissioners on the application of the London and church work. The last time I presided at the family home every evening, and I had looked forward to doing the same thing on this occasion. It is sad that I should arrive here on the day of the michigan Central Railroad Company.





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We are London headquarters for "stout" and "long slim Combinations, at suit \$4.50 and \$5.50 Flannelette Pyjamas, heavy good white and striped Two suits \$5.00 Solid Buck Gloves that sell at \$5.00 a pair. We will offer \$3.48 eight dozen in grey shades at pair ......

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