CHAMBERLAIN CLAIMS 100 MAJ. BALFOUR SEES A MODEST 60; PERCY'S DEATH EMBARRASING

Clip Power of Lords at Polls, Says Sir William Robson, and Charges Unionists With Holding Out False Inducements to Working Classes—Balfour on Stump Again and Denounces Home Rule.

London, Dec. 30 .- The Canadian Associated Press is informed that Mr. Balfour is looking forward to a majority in the Commons of sixty, while Mr. Chamberlain hopes for one hundred.

Sir Gilbert Parker at Aylesbury said that "since Canada gave us a preference England has doubled its shipping with her, and last year the English workmen got nine millions in wages out of the purchases of Canada." Through the death of Earl Percy, candidate in South Kensington, the Conservatives have found themselves in a somewhat difficult position, another candidate will be chosen immediately, says the secretary of the Con-

servative Association. Rt. Hon. C. E. H. Hobhouse, at East Bristol, said it was the experience of all nations that had tried protection that the consumer and not the foreigner had to pay the duty. The Liberal alternative was the budget. The Liberals hoped by the free trade policy to attract to the country as much capital as possible. When it was in full work they would take from it toll according to the wealth it produced, and the convenience it afforded to the public.

CLIP POWER OF LORDS.

Sir W. Robson, at South Shields, said what the Government had done was before the country. They had attempted a good deal more than they had done. The failure of their attempts, however, was due to the power exerted by the hereditary chamber, which he hoped would receive a clipping at this election. Conservatives said that if they taxed bread the foreigner would pay it. That was a serious charge, but he was going to suggest that the promise that the foreigner would pay their taxes was made by men who knew in substance that the inducement they were holding out to the British working Plass was false.

BALFOUR STUMPS AGAIN.

London, Dec. 31.-Mr. Balfour, par ially recovered from his recent illness, addressed electors of Haddington last night. He avoided tariff reform, devoting himself largely to denouncing the Government's home rule declaration and alliance with the Socialists.

The Dreadnought Clamor.

Dreadnoughts said Mr. Lloyd-George, for the landlord's child, so that the in a recent speech. He remembered workman's spare store to feed his a great meeting in the city, presided child should be diminished in order noughts should be instantly laid down, have none of that, and Lord Rothschild would not pay not good; but trade was just like the (Laughter.) There was a very cruel sea in that it ebbed and flowed. Since tion for work also, and his total numking in the past who ordered Lord the budget was introduced trade had ber of jokes on men and women are 24 Rothchild's ancestors to make bricks steadily improved, unemployment had less than last year, which was not conwithout straw. (Loud laughter.) gone steadily down, imports and the first was a much easier job than makports had gone steadily up. The trade ing Dreadnoughts without money, of the woollen mills of Yorkshire was and the number of deaths this year is knowledge of the best of the budget. without straw. (Loud their very best to upset. Now they ter.) What to said they did not object to paying for wearing was the pensions, but that, in order to ob- (Laughter.) Sackcloth, he believed, tain the money, the Government was made from jute and ashes came ought not to put a tax on the land of from coal. Their use would improve the country; and they asked, Why the trade of Dundee and Wales.

e Dreadnought Clamor. | not tax food? (Cries of "Shame!") | clamored for additional Tax the food of the workingman's by Lord Rothschild—(hisses)— that the estate should be preserved for demanded that eight Dread the landlord's heir. Liberals would (Cheers.) When Government had ordered four, the budget was brought in trade was laughter.) gone steadily down, imports and ex-sidered one of his busiest years. did people would wear tweeds. (Laugh- 82 less than in 1908. Now they ter.) What they really ought to be sackcloth and Their use would improve CANDIDATES AGAIN

ASK FOR VOTES

Night Was Fairly Well

Atlended.

Their Records Before the Electors

-An Evening of Speeches.

paign, the meeting was a very quiet

Bylaws Favored.

One of the pleasing features of the

meeting was the strong support given

the storm sewer and garbage system

bylaws. Ald. Ferguson, Ald. Beattie

and Mayor Stevely particularly came

out strong for these public works, and

insisted that both were absolutely

Bonusina Industries.

(Continued on Page Six.)'

SPECTACULAR FIRE IN HEART OF PITTSBURG

Five Buildings in Business Section Consumed at Great Loss.

Pittsburg, Dec. 31.-The most spectacular fire seen in this city for several years caused a loss estimated at \$150,000 to five buildings located in the heart of the down-town section hovering about zero and the water freezing to their persons, the firemen fought the blaze, which enveloped one of the buildings within three minutes of the time it was discovered. The municipal campaign was held last sorry to lose you, but wish you Godfire started in the Union Electric Comevening at the city hall, when a score speed."

pany supposedly from crossed wires of conjugate for public office called the Mr. Jolly replied briefly It was gasoline in these buildings added to until a number of candidates found no the fierceness of the fire. Other build-audience to address, and refrained from ings damaged were the McCandless oratory at the midnight hour.

his years of service, and hoped that the new year would be most prosperous for all. Several others spoke in complimentary terms of Mr. Jolly. & Gordon Men's Furnishing Company In keeping with the present camand the J. J. Gillespie Art Store.

Several people living in the build- one, nothing happening at any time to Methodist church gave a series of ings were removed by firemen and disturb the tranquility of the most policemen, while the occupants of a highly-strung individual present. bath house which was threatened were forced to leave the hot room and come into the cold.

EIGHTEEN MONTHS FOR SUIT THIEF

George Bell, of Strathroy, Got All

George Bell, of Strathroy, who stole lar, and the presentation of the merits

Magistrate Noble, of Strathroy, Wednesday and was sentenced to 18 months in the Central Prison.

Case of Denham vs. Patrick Heard at

County Court.

Judgment has been handed down by Judge Macbeth in the case of Wm. self he had been given most gener-H. Denham against J. H. Patrick, of our support. At this time he was ask-London Township, heard at the last ing a continuance of that support in session of the county court. The his candidature for the mayoralty, and action arose out of the dismissal of Saturday.

Denham from the employ of Patrick. Ald. Beattie dealt with the necessity the former claiming that there had of inducing industries to come to London, if the city was to advance and action. The defendant brought into court \$210 in full satisfaction for the claims for wages made by the plaintthe former claiming that there had of inducing industries to come to Lonclaims for wages made by the plaint- failure of industries to come to the iff. Judgment was given for the was due to the fact that the city ofplaintiff for \$120 in addition to this fered nothing, and could give nothamount, and the costs of the action. ing.

Messrs. P. H. Bartlett and E. W. ssrs. Other cities were going out into the open market and bidding for indus-Scatcherd for the plaintiff and Messrs.

THERMOMETER CREEPING UP BUT IT IS VERY SLOW WORK

Six Above Zero Last Night Compared With Zero the Night Pre viously—Some Ice Is Being Harvested on the North Branch.

been so slow that the man on the street has hardly noticed it. There has been periodic though slight snowfalls during the past few days, not enough to be a serious inconvenience, but sufficient to cause father to arise from his downy bed half an hour ealier than usual, that he may get a little exercise before breakfast.

It is eminently good for him, judging from father's language as he dons his bath robe and carpet slippers to take a look out and see that it has been blowing and snowing again, a philosophic listener would judge that fgather did not care so much for his welfare as for his comfort.

The Temperatures. It has been fairly cold, too, lately.

Wednesday night the mercury tool dency toward creeping upward lately, a sudden dive, stopping only when it but its progress in that direction has reached zero, while on the day followbeen so slow that the man on the ing the best it could do was 12.5 degrees above, which on paper looks fairly warm, but in reality is quite frigid enough to make the outlying por ions of the pedestrian's anatomy places of some anxiety. Last night it was 6 above zero, which

is somewhat more comfortable than zero, but is still enough to give many a harassed householder a busy morning thawing out the water piper. At 8 o'clock this money it was 12.5 degrees above, and still going up Peo ple who hav enot realized how cold it two were test runs. has ben should look at the ice that is being taken off the north branch of the pletely frozen to a depth of 11 or 12 private alarms were sent in. inches.

CITY'S NATURAL INCREASE

Fewer Births, Marriages and Deaths in 1909 Than in 1908-Marriages Were Equally as Popular in July as in June— Big Reduction in Number of Deaths From Tuberculosis.

month.

The vital statistics for the year shows the greatest birth rate during show a slight falling off in every de- the year, 102 "kiddies" fieing ushered partment, although the proportions of former years have been fairly During 1909 there have been 961

births, 433 marriages, and 663 deaths as compared with 1.040 births in 1908, 457 weddings and 745 deaths. The city's natural increase in 1909 was 298. The birth rate shows a falling off to the extent of 80 approximately, and is clear proof that the Stork has not

been as thrifty a bird during the past

year as it should have been. All Round Falling Off. Dan Cupid has shown a disinclina

February, in spite of the storms, A PURSE OF GOLD HOLIDAY GIFTS FOR ARTHUR JOLLY

Popular City Hall Official Who Has Resigned Is Kindly Remembered.

Meeting in the City Hall Last Mr. A. E. Jolly, who for the past eleven years has been connected with the assessment department, was this noon presented with a purse of gold HALF MILLION OF LOSS by city hall employees. Mr. Jolly leaves today to take over his father's busi-

A VERY TAME AFFAIR Assessment Commissioner Grant, referred in eulogistic terms of Mr. Jolly's services for the city. He rehere today. With the temperature Ald. Ferguson and Ald Beattie Place wished him great success in his new gretted the cause of his leaving, but undertaking.

A Competent Man.
"The department is losing a The final meeting of the present ing official," said Mr. Grant. "We are

adjoining buildings. It is said that stages, but it gradually thinned out their unfailing kindness to him during pasoline in these buildings added to until a purpose of conditions for the conditions and the conditions and the conditions are conditions and the conditions and the conditions and the conditions are conditions.

Presentation to Miss West nan. Rev. J. W. Baird, of Hyatt avenue

limelight views in the school room at Askin street church last evening, Solos structures. by Miss Bloxam, Miss Taylor and Mr. Harding, and recitations by Miss Grace Rowntree and Rowland Reynolds were also illustrated. Miss Hilda West-man, who is leaving for Toronto, to take up deaconess work was presented with an engrossed address.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW SNOWY.

1	incre absolutely	TOMORROW SNOWY
	necessary to protect the citizens. The	FORECASTS.
	sentiments expressed appeared popular, and the presentation of the merits	Toronto, Dec. 31-8 a.m. fair. Today-Fresh southwesterly winds;
	of the bylaws will undoubtedly result in their success on Saturday.	Saturday-South and southeast winds; moderately cold, with light snowfalls.
	Ald. D. A. Stewart, on motion of Mr. W. R. Colby and Dr. J. D. Balfour, was selected as chairman.	Stations. 8 d.m. Min. Weather.
	Ald. Beattie.	Port Arthur 16 4 Fair
	Ald. Beattie was the first speaker. He expressed his pleasure at address-	Parry Sound 22 8 Snow Toronto 16 12 Cloudy Ottawa 8 0 Fair
	ing such a gathering, and thanked the electors for past favors. On every	Father Point 10 8 Cloudy
	occasion when he had presented him-	Minus (-) weans below zero.

WEATHER NOTES. The Atlantic coast storm has passed away to the eastward of Newfoundland.
The weather has moderated a little in Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec, but is nov turning cold again in Alberta.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES. Toronto, Dec. 30-8 p.m.-During last night the disturbance off the Atlantic Minimum and maximum temperatures

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, zero-29; Victoria, 32-2; Vancouver, 37-42; Edmonton, 20-30; Battleford, 10-22; Calgary, 34-44; Moosejaw, 12-33; Qu'Appelle, 10-34; Winnipeg, 2 below-14; Port Arthur, zero-16; Parry Sound, 16 below-12; Toronto, 2 below-17; Ottawa, 4 below-6; Montreal, 2 below-8; Quebec, 14 below-8; St. John, 14-12.

March showed the greatest death rate during the year, pneumonia and other spring diseases carrying off 71. The leafy month of June may be popular with those matrimonially lined, but July was just as popular in

1909. In both months 52 couples were more or less happy.
During the year 38 illegitimate children were born. There are no statisties for comparison, so it cannot be learned whether this is larger or smaller than the usual rate.

Work of Tuberculosis. The death rate from tuberculosis shows a most gratifying decrease. In 1908 there were 54 deaths from this ment are responsible for the change. Continued on Page Nine

GO UP IN SMOKE

Valuable, Belated Christmas Packages Destroyed in Great Fire.

Offices and Storerooms of American Express Company at New York Destroyed.

New York, Dec. 31.—Belated Christmas packages and other valuable express parcels in large numbers went up in smoke today, in a fire which destroyed the American Express Company's offices and store rooms near the Grand Central station, causing a

loss estimated at \$500,000.

The flames raged for several hours pany, supposedly from crossed wires, of aspirants for public office asked the with considerable regret that he was in the main building and smaller with considerable regret that he was in the main building and smaller and spread rapidly to the Footer Dye support of the ratepayers. There was leaving the city's service, but it must structures adjoining, covering the Works Company, occupying the two a good crowd present in the earlier be. He thanked the city officials for greater part of the block. At periods the fire was punctuated by explosions believed to have been supplied by oil barrels among the goods in the warewhen the flames shot fiercely out after one of these blasts, which served as well to spread the flames.

The Adams Express buildings nearby were threatened, but hard work by the firemen saved these

watch the firemen's hard fight against its stubborn persistence.

A large part of the loss was said today to be due to the destruction of the valuable furs stored in the warehouse, and which were to be shipped today to Europe. Some of the furs saved, but in a damaged condition,

A MISS LEEMAN WORKED FOR GREENE-SWIFT CO.

Likely To Be the Woman Who Was Found Dead at Hamilton.

The Advertiser found it impossible to exactly locate the former address in London of Miss Anna Leeman, the woman who was found dead in a house in Hamilton under unusual circumstances. It is supposed, however, that she is the Miss Susannah Leeman, whose name appears in the city directory of 1906, as the proprietor of a boardinghouse at 115 York street. When The Advertiser reporter visited this house, it was learned that Miss

Leeman had given up the boardinghouse some years ago and had gone to work for a wholesale clothing firm in and that you were not aware of it? the city. The meagre description that the

Hamilton report. It was also learned that a Miss S. Leeman had worked for the Greene-Swift Wholesale Clothing Company, but had left their employ sometime are on the list now, and that if you are within the past two years, the exact date not being known.

are on the list now, and that if you are was remanded till next Friday cuted." date not being known.

Local Brigade Had a Busy Time of lt in 1909.

OSSES TOTAL \$130,000

Department.

The fire department had a busy During the twelve months they re sponded to 185 alarms, 50 more

Of these 140 were fires, 17 were chimneys, 26 were false alarms, and Over the telephone 115 alarms were received. Forty-five boxes were pulled, That part of the river is com- 19 verbal alarms were given and

> A serious feature of the statistics is that 26 alarms out of 185 were false alarms, or practically 15 per cent. During the year the department travelled 259 miles. Over 8 miles of hose were laid, or to be exact, just 45,300 feet. There were 4,850 feet of chemical hose laid in addition, and ,196 feet of ladder were used. The Losses.

The insurance on buildings where fires were discovered amounted to \$445,400, and the loss by fire amounted

The insurance on contents amounted to \$505,260, and the loss was \$63,425. The total loss by fire was \$130,905. The most serious fires during the year were the following—Jan. 19, Globe Casket Company; May 28, W. J. Reid & Co.; Aug. 31, Parisian Laundry and barns in rear of same, and Nov. 11, Ontario Spring Bed and Mattress Company. into rather a chilly world during that

"We have had quite a lot of work do," said Chief Aitken. "There have have been many runs, and some seri-ous fires. However, the report is quite satisfactory.'

FIVE PERSONS KILLED IN ROCK ISLAND WRECK

The California Special Derailed Near Town of Trenton. Missouri.

Trenton, Mo., Dec. 31. - Passenger morning. All of the cars were over- the Montreal Express on the Central,

SONS RUSHING HOME TO ATTEND FUNERAL

Remains of Late Col. Dawson Will Likely Be Interred on Tuesday Next.

If the sons of the late Col. Dawson, who reside in Irvin, Alta., can arrive deeply interested in several educational large addition to the Hyman tannery, and the city in time, the funeral will be and philanthropic societies. Several and many others. Many fine houses, Word was received from them last night that they were leaving at once was president of the National Arts for London, and they expect, unless delayed by storms raging in the west, to arrive home Monday night. The funeral will be held to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, and Rev. Richard Whiting, of the First Methodist Church, will conduct the services.

ON THE INDIAN LIST

house. Two men were badly injured Peculiar Case of Fred Coughlin Who Was Allowed

to Go.

A peculiar situation developed in The blaze was a spectacular one, and the police court this morning as the thousands of persons gathered to result of a charge laid against Fred Coughlin, an Indian lister, who didn't know that he was a member of the

brigade. While P. C. Fysh and Sergeant Birrell were making their rounds on Christmas Day, they rambled into the Hodgins House bar and found Cough-

P. C. Fysh did not know that Coughlin was on the list and made Sergeant iBrrell acquainted with him. How It Happened.

A littlew hile after the sergeant recollected that Coughlin was a lister, and as a result an information was a like, and in consideration for you laid. Coughlin it gooms was a result as I like, and in consideration for you laid. laid. Coughlin, it seems, was put on Jail instead of paying the fine." laid. Coughlin, it seems, was put the list on April 24 of this year. On and ever since he has been at the April 26 he left for the Northwest, and police station. He will be released never got the registered letter which tonight. Inspector aGlpin sends all listers. Coughlin returned about the end of September, still in ignorance that he was a lister, and he told the court that ever since that time he has been going in and out of bars whenever he wanted

A Peculiar Case. "This is a peculiar case," said the court, "Are you prepared to go in the

any notice that you were on the list, "I certainly am," said Coughlin, and he went into the box and made the re-

Prominent Citizens Have No Hesitation in Indorsing the Construction of a System to Take Away the Storm Water in London.

Two of the three money bylaws to be water in any sewer not intend submitted to the people will undoubt- the engineers to be used for such They are the storm sewer poses. bylaw and the garbage system bylaw. The underground system bylaw has apparently no friends, and it is said it will be beaten.

sewers in every section of the city is meeting with hearty approval. Last vening, practically all the candidates for the leading municipal offices took a stand in favor of it.

In consideration of the subject, would be well to consider some the opinions of men who understand the situation thoroughly.

Some Opinions. Engineer Willis Chipman-The hygienic sewer is sufficient for that pur ose for a city of 100,000 inhabitants. was never intended for a storm-

storm water is necessary. City Engineer Graydon-A storm- larly in need of such a system, and water sewer has been a necessity for it would make a vast improvement in years, and it is badly needed at the the other sections. present time. We cannot get along very well without it. I have urged that such a system be established for vears.

Mayor Little, in 1897-No attempt!

water sewer, nor is it sufficient such purposes. Another system

Storm Sewer Necessary. Ald. Ferguson-It has been recognized for some time that a storm sewer was necessary for the proper The expenditure of \$70,000 for storm draining of the city. In our efforts to economize, we have failed to com-

Last mence a necessary work. It must be built soon. Ald Beattie-The ratepayers will be penny wise and pound foolish if they defeat the storm sewer bylaw. Mayor Stevely-A work of necessity upon which depends the efficiency of the present system of the city. Ald, Gerry-It should have been laid years ago. We cannot delay laying it

much longer. East End Is Intereted.

Many other opinions of competent citizens could be given, but these are for typical.

The east end of the city is particu-All the raterayers consulted appear impressed by the necessity of such a work, and will undoubtedly support

the bylaw.
This is one bylaw that should be should be made to carry off storm voted for,

BANKER SPENCER TRASK **BUILDING PERMITS** KILLED IN ACCIDENT

A Noted American Financier the Victim of a Rear End Collision.

New York, Dec. 31.-Spencer Trask one of New York's best known bankers, met death today in a disastrous rear-end collision on the New York Central Railroad near Croton, N. Y. in which three other passengers are reported to have been killed. Several persons were injured, some it is feared,

fatally. Meagre details of the wreck from train No. 3, westbound, on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, known son River, where the accident occurred.

turned and the train caught fire, burn- when it was rammel by a south-bound ing fiercely. At least five lives have freight looming up suddenly out of the permits in 1908, for a value of \$464,190. river mists.

Spencer Trask was one of New York's leading citizens, and one of the country's best known bankers. Born here in 1844, he entered the banking business immediately on his graduation from Princeton, His financia lacumen was quickly recognized, and he quickly became a power in the banking world. Mr. Trask was quick to recognize

the banker identified himself with the good showing. There have been some Edison electric enterprises The banker was a director in many railroads and realty companies, and was Murray Shoe Company's building, a was married in 1874 to Miss Katrina

MAN SLIPPED HIS FOOT MAGISTRATE WAS LENIENT

BUT DIDN'T KNOW IT Had Been Living Good Life Bu Got Too Much Christmas

Magistrate Love handede out a were issued as follows: unique decision this morning when he fined James Gannon \$10, and costs January amounting to \$2, and gave him the February option of spending one day at the March

placed on the Indian list some time August Since that time he has been a model Oc young man, and according to his November

mother has been good and kind to her, supporting her as he should. On Christmas Day, however, he happened to go into a bar-room in order to get a friend out, and as a result broke the law by being in the hotel. Took the Day.

"I understand that you have been behaving excellently," the court told Gannon this morning, "and although I must, according to the law, fine you \$10, I can make the option as short

ROY SANDERSON PLEADED GUILTY

Was Femanded Until Friday Next for Sentence.

Roy Sanderson, the 17-year-old boy who was arrested yesterday charged with stealing three rings and a purse containing a dollar bill and some loose change from Mr. Frank O'Brien, of present occupants of the house were able to give seemed to tally with the Hamilton report.

A will dismiss the case against you," said the court. "Under ed to be tried by the judge, and the circumstances, I don't think I pleaded guilty. As the boy has been would be justified in doing anything confined in the Mimico Industrial else. You understand, though that you School and escaped from there, his was remanded till next Friday for

Tremendous Increase Over 1908 Is Shown By the City Engineer.

TOTAL \$850,134 IN 1909

Figures for the Twelve Months of This Year and Last Year Will Be Found of Interest.

The building returns for the year are most satisfactory, and show that nearly double the amount of building was indicated that Mr. Trask and the other done in 1909 a compared with 1908. as the California special, was derailed victims of the collision were in the During the twelve months fust closed there miles east of Trenton at 8:40 this rear sleeper of the second section of the central.

The difference in value amounts to April took the palm for building, not less than \$177,250 worth of permits

A Steady Growth. The growth has been steady, and shows that the citizens as a rule have

faith in London. This year there have been many the genius of Thomas A. Edison, and houses built, some 400 or 500-rather a large addition to the Hyman tannery,

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December Figures.

The month of December just closed showed an increase over the same month of last year. There were 17 perwhile in December, 1968, there were 13 permits issued for a value of \$22,-

At the city engineer's department the

officials are much gratified at the

BANK CLEARING SHOW A TREMENDOUS INCREASE Are \$5,218,296 Better This Year

Than They Were in

London bank clearings for the year show an increase over 1908 of \$5,218,-

December of this year shows an in-London Township, appeared before crease of \$496,256 over December of

The figures are as follows: The total clearings, 1909, were \$62, 093,337, against \$56,875,041 in 1908. During December of 1909 the clear ings totalled \$5,901,317, against \$5,405, 661 for the same month of last year,

That Was Coming to Him. a black serge suit from Mr. J. of the bylaws will undoubtedly result

JUDGMENT FOR PLAINTIFF

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the debentures to be issued therefor, and that such bylaw was registered in the registry office for the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, on the 24th day of December, A.D. 1909.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be issued the same or any part thereof must be for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor, and that Dated the A.D. 1909.

Registry Office for the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, on the 24th day of December, A.D. 1909.

Any motion to quash or set aside Council of Council of

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

a bylaw was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City a bylaw was passed by the Municipal of London on the 20th day of Decem-Council of the Corporation of the City ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue of London, on the 20th day of Decemor debentures to the amount of \$529.25, ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue for the purpose of paying for the trunk of Debentures to the amount of \$14. sewer in Bruce street, between Marley 124 03, for the purpose of paying for Place and Ridout street, and for levy- the Tile Sewers mentioned therein, ing rates to meet the debentures to be and that such Bylaw was registered in issued theretor, and that such bylaw the Registry Office for the City of was registered in the registry office London, in the County of Middlesex for the city of London, in the county on the 24th day of December, A.D. of Middlesex, on the 24th day of De- 1909.

same or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the made within three months after the first publication of this notice, and first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter and this 24th day of December. cannot be made hereafter. this 24th day of December, A.D. 1909. A. D. 1909. S. BAKER, City Clerk.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bylaw was passed by the Municipal the Corporation of the Council of the Corporation of the Condon, on the 20th day of December A. D. 1909, providing for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue in the United States circuit court for the bern and the court for the c issue of debentures to the amount of \$696 66, for the purpose of paying for the trunk sewer in Adelaide street, bethe cement sidewalks, curbs and gutthe southern district of New York, sweeping as they seem to have been, the company of the cement sidewalks, curbs and gutthe cement sidewalks, curbs and gutthe cement sidewalks, curbs and gutthe cement sidewalks. tween South street and Nelson street, and for levying rates to meet the de-Bylaw was registered in the Registry to so widen their scope as to take in bentures to be issued therefor, and that such bylaw was registered in the County of Middlesex, on the 24th day dividuals who were relieved from the registry office for the city of London, of December, A.D. 1909. 24th day of December, A.D. 1909.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this 24th day of December, A.D. 1909. S. BAKER, City Clerk.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a bylaw was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of London on the 20th day of December. A.D., 1909, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$1,889 18 for the purpose of paying for the trunk sewer in South street, between Maitland street and Adelaide street, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor, and that such bylaw was registered in the Registry Office for the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, on the 24th day of December, A.D., 1909.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter. Dated this 24th day of December,

S. BAKER, City Clerk.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT bylaw was passed by the Municipal Corporation of the City of London on the 20th day of December, A.D., 1909, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$752 03 for the purpose of paying for the trunk sewer in Rectory street, between Simcoe street and Hamilton road, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor, and that such bylaw was registered in the Registry Office for the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, on the 24th day of December, A.D., 1909

Any motion to quash or set aside the first publication of this notice, and the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this 24th day of December A.D., 1909.

S. BAKER, City Clerk.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a bylaw was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of London on the 20th day of December, A.D., 1909, providing for the issue debentures to the amount of \$7,684 for the purpose of paying for the trunk sewer in Victoria street, between St. George street and Adelaide street, and the 24th day of December, A.D., 1909.

Any motion to quash or set aside tures to be issued therefor, and that such bylaw was registered in the Reg- be made within three months after istry Office for the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, on the 24th day of December, A.D., 1909.

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Uncle Sam's Prosecuting Department

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cannot be made thereafter.

A.D. 1909. S. BAKER, City Clerk.

of London, on the 20th day of Decem-41 10, for the purpose of paying for treet, and for levying rates to meet the Registry Office, for the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, on the 24th day of December, A.D. 1909.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first rublication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this 24th day of December, A.D. 1909. S. BAKER, City Clerk.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a bylaw was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of London on the 20th day of December, A.D., 1909, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$35,-587 01, for the purpose of paying for the pavements mentioned therein, and bylaw was registered in the Registry Office for the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, on the 24th day of December, A.D., 1909. Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months after

cannot be made thereafter. Dated this 24th day of December. A.D., 1909.

S. BAKER, City Clerk. of London on the 20th day of December, A.D., 1909, providing for the issue 095 81 for the purpose of paying for the trunk sewers mentioned therein, Experiments made in Kir the Registry Office for the London, in the County of Middlesex on the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter. Dated this 24th day of December

.D., 1909. S. BAKER, City Clerk.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that; a bylaw was passed by the Municipal dating the bylaws therein mentioned, men's accident liability, under the new a bylaw was passed by the Council of the Corporation of the City and that such bylaw was registered in Municipal Council of the Corporation of London, on the 20th day of Decemthe registry office for the city of London, on the 20th day of Decemthe registry of Middlesex, on the Council of the Corporation of the City and that such bylaw was registered in provincial workmen's compensation act, of the City of London, on the 20th ber, A.D., 1909, providing for the issue don, in the county of Middlesex, on day of December, A.D., 1909, providing of Debentures to the amount of \$112 62 the 24th day of December, A.D. 1909. for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$1,290 97 for the purpose of paying for the trunk sewer in Ridout paying for the trunk sewer in Ridout street, between a point 90 feet south of Victoria street, and avenue, and for levying rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor, and that the debentures to be issued therefor, and that the debentures to the amount of \$1,290 97 for the purpose of paying for the same or any part thereof, must be and some step probably will be taken with three months after the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS Dated this 24th day of December, A.D. 1909. S. BAKER, City Clerk.

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Dated this 24th day of December,
A.D. 1909. S. BAKER, City Clerk.

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AFTER TOBACCO TRUST

Wants Wider Scope to Act. General George W. Wickersham and on the warpath.

his special assistant, J. C. O. McReynolds, today presented to the supreme court of the United States a lengthy brief in the cases of the Government against the Tobacco Trust, which will be argued next week in that court. The attorney-general takes the posi-

ters mentioned therein, and that such the supreme court to extend them as Office, for the City of London, in the the foreign companies and some in- that there was skating yesterday at the county of Middlesex, on the the same or any part thereof, must be requested. After showing that in 1890 the day of December, A.D. 1909. operation of the verdict. Many other Any motion to quash or set aside extensions of the judgment also are made within three months after the competition was free, coalitions were first Fublication of this notice, and given to show that the compilinal assets has grown until its combined assets Dated this 24th day of December, amount to \$400,000,000. It is asserted that the combination manufactures all of the cigarettes for export and al-NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bacco and of the cigarettes for do- guished. most three-fourths of the smoking to-Bylaw was passed by the Municipal mestic sale, more than three-fourths ouncil of the Corporation of the City of the plug, twist and fine cut tobacco ber, A.D. 1909, providing for the issue cigars that are made. It is declared and almost all of the snuff and little heim, is dead at Winnipeg. of debentures to the amount of \$3,- that "the defendants have persistently the trunk sewer in Nelson street, be- wicked and unfair methods and used street and Rectory their great power in oppressive ways. the debentures to be issued therefor, been actuated by a fixed purpose to A Deputation Interviews Minister and that such bylaw was registered in destrey competition and obtain monopolies. "Competitors have gradually disappeared, and the combination, now prevents others from entering."

is declared that substantially all were induced to throw out independdelphia, New York, and many other specified places, and that independent obbing in New York was destroyed by the organization of the Metropolitan Tobacco Company.

The advertising methods of the trus are referred to as a means of influencing both business and public senti-\$10,000,000 were expended in this way in the single year of 1906.

TRAINING FOR FARMERS

New Brunswick Government to Supply Instructors Along Various Lines.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 31. - W. Hubbard, provincial secretary for agriculture, states that the Provincial Govrnment still import fertilizer materials to be distributed to the farmers from six or more depots in the prov NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ince, and farmers are to be instructed bylaw was passed by the Municipal how to use it. He estimates the reouncil of the Corporation of the City duction in the cost to them 25 to 50 per cent. He states also that the provincial horticulturist will be appointof debentures to the amount of \$16,- ed to give instruction in apple-rais-

Experiments made in King's County and that such bylaw was registered in with alfalfa have been successful and the department will urge stock-raisers to cultivate it for fodder. Hubbard ex-Scotch farmers to settle in the prov ince in the spring as a result of the immigration campaign.

The Government will encourage the quantities from Ontario, and will im- for duty with imperial units. ort more cattle and other stock for

breeding purposes. COMPENSATION ACT.

which goes into effect on Saturday. increase in rates will range all the way from 40 to 400 per cent, and it is claimed ready declared that his committee here are many ambiguities in the act.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Fire at Essex, Ont., yesterday did Part of Ludwig Mond's collection of

of the British nation. Three deaths in New York City due to cold wave.

Montreal City Council takes active measures to stamp out typhoid fever epidemic.

John Tilk, a cigar Guelph, is dead. Fire underwriters give merchants of Guelph a 50-cent rate, with discount.

A gyroscope railway is to be built in the Okanagan Valley in British Col-

Railways in Nova Scotia badly tied

Moroccan tribesmen are once more Portland, Oregon, was shaken by an

earthquake yesterday. Canadian railways have refused to nelp in the Montreal winter carnival.

Long lost masterpieces of Mino da

Fiasole discovered in Italy. Delagrange, the French aeronaut, flies 124 miles in a monoplane.

The southern cold wave is so severe Striking switchmen and railways

still in conference at Chicago in attempt to settle trouble. Nine concerns are to tender for the

new Quebec bridge The fire in the hold of the White

Star liner Celtic has been extin-H. P. Liscombe, formerly of Blen-

RETIRING ALLOWANCE FOR INSPECTORS

Education on the Matter.

Toronto. Dec. 31.-A deputation of strongly entrenched, unduly restricts, 50 public school inspectors, headed by the business of those in the trade and Major J. J. Craig, M. P. P., himself an inspector, waited on the Government established jobbers in New England yesterday with four proposals for Combine to Prevent Another Ice dealing with inspectors who will be ent products, as were those of Phila- retired under the statute passed last spring by the Ontario Legislature.

The four schemes suggested were: That a retiring allowance or annuity of \$500 per year be given each retired Amherstburg," said C. L. Mercereau, tion to adhere to its non-license policy inspector, the Government and the county to advance the money jointly. That the Government and county each advance \$1,000 to all retired this year, and to decrease by \$100 each year

from now will get nothing. That a retiring allowance of \$2,000 should be provided, less the present value of annuities which may accrue under the proposed superannuation of teachers and inspectors.

That no consideration be given inspectors appointed since 1900, but an traffic open. annual payment of \$20 per year for every year of service be allowed to hose appointed prior to that date. Hon. Dr. Pyne promised to give the matter careful consideration.

THREE CANADIAN CORPS

mperial Government Approves of Do minion's Plan of Revival.

London, Dec. 31.-The Canadian Associated Press learns it is probable the Imperial Government at an early date will announce its approval of the revival, suggested by the Dominion Govpects some hundreds of English and ernment, of three old Canadian regiments of infantry.

This probably means that, in connection with the imperial defence farmers to raise more of those prod- movement, three regiments of Canaucts now imported in considerable dian militiamen might be exchanged

THE PITRE CASE.

Montreal, Dec. 30.-Judge Bruneau conday of December, decountil of the Corporation of the City of London on the 20th day of December, and the Council of the Corporation of the City of London on the 20th day of December, and the Council of the Corporation of the City of London on the 20th day of December, and the Council of the

TAFT PLEDGED TO ANTI-CANNON WAR

President Will Unsheath Sword the Instant Speaker Betrays Him.

Washington, Dec. 30-President Taft has pledged himself to do all in his power to bring about the downfall of Speaker Cannon.

This statement comes from a member of the House, who has been commissioned by the President to deal with the insurgents.

The President's plan is to postpone any active campaign against the speaker until after he has submitted his legislative programme shortly after Congress convenes in January. He has reason to believe that some promises made to him in regard to that programme will be broken, and if his suspicions prove to be founded on fact he will line up against Cannon on the

It is, of course, well known that the President is particularly anxious to pass a ship subsidy bill at this session. He is equally desirous that the party pledge for postal savings banks be redeemed and he wants the Sherman anti-trust laws and interstate laws amended.

Cannon to Violate Pledge.

On these four propositions the presdent has a solemn pledge of support Cannon. The prediction is made by a member of the house who knows of that pledge that the speaker intends to keep only a portion of it. He has already lined up the house organization for the ship subsidy bill, and the present intention is to have it go through the house late in January

or early in February. Representative John W. Weeks, chairman of the house committee on postoffices and post roads, has alwill not report a postal savings bank and some step probably will be taken with bill. He prefers to do nothing on that kind of legislation until after the monetary commission, of which he is

a member, makes its report. Weeks' statement reflects the attitude of the speaker, and the president, therefore, can expect no support from the house organization in the matter of a postal savings bank masterpieces is to become the property bill.

Sherman Law to Be Protected.

If the President adheres to his original plan of asking for somewhat radical amendments to the Sherman law and the interstate commerce law, under the leadership of Townsend, of Michigan, he will find serious opposition in the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce. There is good reason to believe that a majority of the committee is already committed to the policy of "Let well enough alone," and will oppose any important changes in existing law.

The President, then, will have the support of the Cannon organization on the ship subsidy bill, and will not have that support on postal savings banks and Sherman law and interstate commerce law amendments. When it becomes apparent that the pledges for surport of his legislativ programme will not be kept, the president, according to those who have been in consultation with bim, will make his first move against Cannon.

Insurgents Await Command. White House explains the apparent

inactivity of the insurgents. The president does not want to endanger legislative programme by fighting the house organization before his rec ommendations are sent to congress and he wants to give the house leaders every chance to redeem their pledges. He will ultimately be found against Cannon, but he will make that move quicker than he had originally intended unless he receives what he regards as fair treatment. The President's promise to aid in deposing Cannon, it was learned today, was made not long after the trip down the Mississippi River. He had been besieged on the one hand by the radical house insurgents and on the other by Cannon's friends. The latter persisted in expressing the belief that, the liquor interests with a view to inasmuch as Taft had given Senator forcing the hand of the Government The fact that the President declined cide to grant licenses. to do so is now a matter of history. The campaign, the department de Neither did he deal with the insurgents on the trip as a body. He did, being given to press work, calculated however, send for a member of the being given to press work, calculated to east discredit upon the departments who had been prominently identified with the insurgents up to the mental attempts to enforce the local tariff session, when he became "regu- option law and to stamp out illegal

President RAILWAYS WILL **KEEP RIVER CLEAR**

Plackada Like That of Last Week. Detroit, Dec. 30 .- "While the river

is now comparatively open, owing to license of the Haileybury clubs by the our having cut out the gorge near department, and its announced intencommodore of the Pere Marquette has precipitated a battle royal on the steamship fleet yesterday, "all is not part of hostile interests. as rosy as it would be in summer Reports are now in the hands of time. I have no doubt, however, that the head of the department, Hon. W. the advance for the next ten years. By we will be able to keep enough clear J. Hanna, which are interesting in this plan inspectors retired 11 years water to enable us to avoid any such character, and may lead to unusual way they clean out the system of overway cut out, and, as I said before, I

water to enable us to avoid any such blockade as existed last week. The developments. A recent contribution to the campaign is a report from Copalition to the effect that "blind pigs" were doing a land office business over two sure when you go to bed—then topology way cut out, and, as I said before, I

Christmas, and that "the lid was lifted the comparison of over-week's treat
CASCARETS—too box—week's treatway cut out, and, as I said before, I for fair."
believe we will succeed in keeping

> there is no current in the river, and is about the most absurd known in this "and, though vast multitudes remain the water is remarkably high, caused wide Dominion. It is too pitiable to be non-Christian there is scarcely a spot by the inability of the stream to got laughable." through into the lower lake. All the The origin of several of these ad- race is not felt, and in which the unwater flowing seeps through the ice. vertisement readers is being officially civilized and semi-civilized native peo-"Of course, while we will keep the investigated. In many cases the local ple are not being penetrated by ice chopped as fine as possible, it will officers declare them to be untruthful ideas and habits of those more adwedge into the lower wall. The tug and libellous. Hackett, Pere Marquette, No. 14, and the Lansdowne, I think, will be able A CRITICAL TIME to do the work and avoid any further blockade. It was a hard fight to release the boats in the river, but it was accomplished with no damage."

Only one "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

The Gauschaufel is simply an open air

WEATHER PROBS.

Store Closes at Six o'Clock Today

-Special Prices-

In Ladies' Tailoring, Skirt and Waist-Making Departments. We are taking orders now for January in these departments, at prices advertised in Thursday's paper, which show savings as much as \$8.00 on a Tailored Suit. Select your goods and have your measures taken, as no orders will be booked or time reserved before selection of goods is made. This is necessary, as these orders must be put in operation at once, and only a limited number of orders will be taken, sufficient for the winter

—In the Restaurant-

-Dainty Afternoon Teas-

Special service today from 2:30 to 6, when appetizing luncheons will be served continuously. There is scarcely anything you might ask (that is served in a first-class restaurant), but will be found on our menu card.

-Afternoon Parties-

During the winter months special attention will be given to afternoon parties. We are now in a position to handle large numbers. Our new, enlarged restaurant can be arranged to seat nearly 300 people at one time, and informal teas or luncheons can be arranged for on short notice, serving you a course at almost any price you wish.

-Inspect Our Kitchen-

This is one of the best-equipped kitchens in the Dominion, and all modern cooking, warming and other devices have been installed. An inspection will be very interesting to all who are interested in the kitchen. You are invited and welcome to go through. FOURTH FLOOR-TAKE ELEVATOR.

HANNA'S PROHIBITION **DUBBED A FARCE**

"The Lid Was Lifted for Fair Up Cobalt Way on Christmas Day.

Toronto, Dec. 30.-The provincial license department has learned that a paid campaign has been launched by Aldrich his indorsement, it would be to relinquish its present prohibitive only fair to treat Uncle Joe likewise, policy in Northern Ontario and de-

clares, has several phases, emphasi at the earnest solicitation of the selling. This is being done by the publication from time to time of grossly exaggerated and untruthful stories of conditions alleged to b prevailing in non-licensed districts. "Every time a newspaper repeate

one of these stories," an official stated "it is unwittingly publishing what some papers are being paid to origin-The recent cancellation of the liquor

According to the department the cloven hoof is disclosed in the closing

"The trouble lies in the head of Lake sentence which read, "For an out and he said, that today nine-tenths of the Erie, which is badly choked with ice, out farce the Ontario Government's habitable earth was under the control This is shown from the fact that so-called prohibition in a mining camp of the so-called Christian powers,

FOR CHRISTIANITY

Ambassador Bryce Speaks to Students on Evangelization of the World.

Ambassador James Bryce was the chief who disregard the teaching of their respeaker at the night session of the con-ligion" and then described the present vention of the student volunteer move- age among English-speaking peoples ment in Convention Hall, Bishop Hart- as unprecedented in its power to draw zell, of the Methodist Church, whose men to the pursuit of wealth and enfield is Africa, also spoke.

Ambassador Bryce characterized the had been such progress in recent years, fields.

AT-HOME **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Printed or Engraved

The Mallagh Bookshop 183 DUNDAS ST., LONDON.

Poor Appetite

indicates weakness of the stomach nerves which control the desire for food. It is a sure sign that the digestive organs need the help of

BEECHAM'S

N- Y-'s

It's nice getting them in, . . getting them out. But there's CASCARETS are known to hundreds of thousands for the natural and easy

CASCARETS—toc box—Week's treatment. All druggists. Biggest seller in the world. Million boxes a month.

vanced nations." Attention was called to the breaking up of the old ideas and customs in backward nations, and the advance of western civilization and with these changes the necessity that was laid Christian nations to "implant a

new and better faith." Ambassador Bryce then spoke of the harm done among un-Christian peoples Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 31.-British by "members of the Christian nations

joyment. The address closed with an exhortapresent time as a critical and also tion to live lives "in the true gospel auspicious one for Christianity. There spirit," whether at home or in foreign

Condensed Advertisements. No Advertisement Accepted Less Than

Fifteen Words.

Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set and the set Meetings-When no admission charged, one cent per word each insertion
Articles For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodg-lings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—
First March 1988 (each First insertion, one cent a word; esubsequent insertion, one-half cent word. No advertisement less than fifteen

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DEATHS. DAWSON—At his residence, 288 Princess avenue, on Dec. 29, 1909, Lieut.-Col._M.
D. Dawson.
Funeral notice later. 63u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

GRAND-Tonight AND TWICE TOMORROW "MARCELLE" LOUISE GUNNING WITH JESS DANDY Prices: Nights, 25 to \$1 50; Mat.,25 to \$1

ALLAN LINE C. P. R. St. John, N. B. to Liverpool. DOMINION LINE **CUNARD LINE** ew York, Fishguard and Liverpool WHITE STAR LINE New York, Plymouth, Southamptor New York, Queenstown, Liverpool. ANCHOR LINE

AND OTHER LINES. F. B. CLARKE

416 RICHMOND STREET. NEXT BANK OF COMMERCE. WESTMINSTER RINK-CADET BAND

tonight and New Year's afternoon and night. Admission, 10e and 15c. b VICTORIA RINK-SKATING TONIGHT SIMCOE ROLLER RINK-SKATE THE old year out and the new year in to-night. Skating and music until 12 o'clock. Admission, 35c. Skating New

morning. Band afternoon and evening. NORTH END RINK-SKATING EVERY afternoon and evening. Corner Gros-venor and Wellington streets. Admis-

PRINCESS RINK — OPEN TONIGHT for skating, Music, Tony Vita's Orchestra. Grand sheet of ice. Doors open at 7:30. Skating till 10. Admission, 10 and 15 cents.

JUBILEE RINK — BAND TONIGHT, also New Year's afternoon. Paris and London O. H. A. hockey match, New Year's night. Excellent ice, Fine music.

DANCING-NEW YEAR'S SOCIABLE, Monday evening, Jan. 3. Invitations only. New classes for beginners: Ladies, Tuesday: gentlemen. Thursday; chil-dren, Saturday afternoon. Phone. Dayton & McCormick.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENTS
—Tissat's "Life of Christ." in limelight
views Advertising matter and tickets
free. Terms, address Box 262. London TONY CORTESE, ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers Music furnished for all occa-sions. 161 Maple Phone 1570.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets Phone 1265. Tony Vita's Italian Harpers. 122 Queen's avenue.

LEARN TO DANCE-R. B. MILLARD, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention to waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching Low rates Lessons any hour.

RELIGIOUS MEETINGS.

SUNDAY, 4 P.M., AUDITORIUM. SAM SMALL, the great Southern evangelist. Subject, "His Majesty the Devil." Wellington Street Methodist Church Sunday pight. Church, Sunday night. 64 u

A WATCH-NIGHT SERVICE WILL BE held tonight, New Year's Eve, in the Memorial Church, beginning at 11 o'clock, Addresses by Rev. John Morris and Rev. Canon Hague. A Happy New

BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR SALE-GOOD BUSINESS; NETS \$3,000 year profit; selling on account of bad health. Apply Box 55, Advertiser.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED AS SICK nurse; wages reasonable. 666 Maitland WANTED - POSITION AS HOUSE

KEEPER, by respectable woman, for widower, or two in family; good refer-ences. Apply Box 58, Advertiser. 62c

DERMATOLOGY.

COMBINGS MADE UP-BRING YOUR combings to 2231/2 Dundas street. For-ZXV BUTLER'S, 235 DUNDAS-HAIR GOODS, hairdressing, face and scalp treatment. Superfluous hair removed.

DENTAL CARDS.

DR. G. -H. KENNEDY, DENTIST-Specialty, preservation natural teeth. 1631/2 Dundas. Phone 976. VETERINARY SURGEONS

N. S. TAMLIN, V.S. — OFFICE AND hospital, 453 Talbot. Phone 865; resi-dence, 768.

DR. J L SCOTT-OFFICE AND HOS-PITAL, 348 Talbot street Phone 2650: residence, 2968 Manufacturer of Dr. cott's Instant Louse Killer and Poul

WILLIAM McDONALD, SUCCESSOR to J. H. Tennant Office, 137 King: resi-dence, 121 Pathurst street. Phones, office and residence.

SURVEYORS

W. FARNCOMB. CIVIL ENGINEER and surveyor, Bank Toronto Chambers OSTFOPATHY.

HEDLEY V. CATON, OSTEOPATHIC physician. Consultation free. 554 Rich-mond street. Phone 1572. . SAGE, GRADUATE AMERICAN chool Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo. The

Alexandra Apartments Telephone 3105 DR. LEON PATRICK, GRADUATE LOS Angeles College of Ustconathy, member American and Ontario Osteopathic As-sociations. Telephone 2628. 212 Dundas

HOTEL CARDS.

RATES, ONE DOLLAR AND UPWARD, at Hotel Harrison, King and Talbot

DUKE OF YORK HOTE:, DUNDAS street east-Modern, up-to-date. \$1.25 and upward. J. M. Young, proprietor. METROPOLITAN HOTEL-\$1 AND UP-WARD. Dundas and Wellington. Wm. J. Wright, proprietor.

TOWNIE HELD WANTED STENOGRAPHER-MUST HAVE CON-SIDERABLE office experience. Clary Manufacturing Company.

WANTED AT ONCE — CAPABLE woman to act as child's nurse. Apply Mrs. George O'Neil, Tecumseh House. D WANTED FOR GENERAL usework: two in family; references housework: two in raining, required. 294 Princess avenue. WANTED-HOUSEMAID FOR HURON Co'lege. Apply to Miss Cornell, lady superintendent. 63c

FIRST-CLASS MULLINER WANTED Apply Box 62, Advertiser. 63c XPERIENCED DINING-ROOM GIRL wanted. Apply London Quick Lunch, 201 Dundas street. GENERAL SERVANT-NO WASHING; good wages. Apply 383 Clarence street.

AN ASSISTANT COOK WANTED AT once. Apply Stewardess, Victoria Hospital. 62tf EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT

wanted: references required; small family. Apply 216 St. George street. 62c EXPERIENCED GENERAL wanted. Apply 282 Piccadilly. GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. AP-

A GOOD GENERAL-FAMILY three; references required. Apply be-tween 6 and 8 p.m. 528 Dundas street.

WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL maid. Apply Mrs. George Belton, corner of Central avenue and Wellington street.

EXPERIENCED GENERAL MAID wanted. Apply 571 Queen's avenue. 60tf

MAIR HEID WANTED

VANTED-YOUNG MAN, 18 TO 20 years of age, for inside work; must have fair education, write a good hand and be thoroughly trustworthy. Address, stating references, Box 61, Advertiser office.

FARY THE RARBER TRADE-NEW system, constant practice, careful instruction; few weeks complete course tools free; graduates earn \$12 to \$18 weekly; write for catalogue. Moler Barber College 221 Queen east, Toronto 21tf

ORGANIZERS WANTED - APPLY TO Alfred Tyler, 355 Clarence street. TEACHEDS WANTED.

WANTED - TEACHER FOR JUNIOR room for school section No. 17, London Township; salary, \$400 per annum, Ad-Ramsey, secretary-treas-SECOND CLASS NORMAL TEACHER wanted for S. S. No. II, East Nissouri, male or female; duties to begin Jan. 3; salary, \$500. A. Whetstone, secretary, Lakeside P. O., Ont. 501

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST ABOUT DEC. 5-SET ROSARY on gold chain. Finder return to Advertiser. LOST-LADY'S SILVER CHAIN PURSE (Wednesday evening), containing sum of money, etc. Reward on return to this office.

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City Clerk's office, Dec. 23, A. D. 1909. 58u-24,31 S. BAKER, City Clerk.

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Not to Buy Liquor for Them But to Doctor Them.

MAGISTRATE FAVORS IT Liberal Club will be reor Wednesday evening next.

liams Agrees.

In the course of his remarks to Indian listers at the police court this

There are any number of habitual ent. drunks who could be sent there for treatment with most beneficial re-sults. I would gladly avail myself of tourney of the South London Liberal the opportunity many times and could Club held last evening the prize was the great principle of autonomy would

Chief Williams Agrees. Chief Williams also warmly indorsed ance. The South London Club the magistrate's view. "It would be a hold another whist evening on Friday splendid thing," he said, "and I hope next. the Government will make provision for treating inebriates."

STILL ANOTHER CHARGE

will not be great. Had No Bells. fined \$1 by Magistrate Love this morning for driving about without any throughout by the perfect order and but venture the opinion that the close attention of the large audience, the British aristocracy has furnished. The following committee was largely its full quota of talented men for the bells on his horse or vehicle. Police Court.

fined \$1 for driving over a bridge Duncan, Mr. D. Forsyth and Mr. Jos- will be considered on its merits, and faster than a walk. | Coordinate of the property TUBERCULAR PATIENTS

WILL NOW BE ADMITTED Old Isolation Ward Turned Over for the Use of Incurables.

building at Victoria Hospital was opened today as a building for the care of tubercular rations. Life building. His foot caught in a rug, But so far as the was victorial building for the threwing him headlong down the stone classes are concerned, the same old steps. His head was badly cut, and his grinding conditions will prevail. The The old building has been combetely renovated, and now presents a per-lectly adapted for treating those suffering from tuberculosis

moved to his home in an auto and will price of brooms, bananas and be confined to his bed for a couple of steak will still continue to mount skyweeks. He will be 70 years old next ward. Nor will it remove the glaring inequalities which now exist between inequalities which now exist between feetly adapted for treating those suf-There are at the present time 20

over to the new wards today. STOCKS. Special to The Advertiser from Edward Cronyn & Co., Toronto, TORONTO, Dec. 31.—Noon quotations 1834: Nova Scotia, 44: Silver Leaf, Temiskaming, 72½: Trethewey, 1.41.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAG, Dec. 31.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 5.009; market weak; beeves, \$3.90 to \$4.70; Texas steers, \$1 to \$4.85; western steers, \$4 to \$6.15; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$5.25; cows and heifers, \$2 to \$5.50; calves, \$7.25 to \$9.25. Hogs—Reto \$5.50; calves, \$7.25 to \$9.25. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 23,000; market weak and generally 5c lower: light, \$8.95 to \$8.45;; mixed, \$8.29 to \$8.65; heavy, \$8.30 to \$8.65; roughs, \$8.30 to \$8.65; pigs, \$7.29 to choice heavy, \$8.45 to \$8.65; pigs, \$7.29 to \$8.15; bulk of sales at \$8.30 to \$8.50. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 10,000; market steady; natives, \$3.50 to \$5.50; westerns, \$3.70 to \$7.55; lambs, natives, \$7.25 to \$8.50; western, \$5.75 to \$8.50. EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; slow and unchanged.

Veals—Receipts, 550 head; active and Thi a reward of their good records in Veals—Receipts, 550 head; active and steady. Hogs—Receipts, 6,500 head; fairly active and 5c to 10c lower; mixed Yorkers and pigs, \$8 50 to \$8 55; roughs, \$8 to \$8 25; stags, \$6 75 to \$7 50; dairies, \$8 75 to \$8 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,500 head; sheep slow and steady, lambs active and 10c higher; lambs, \$5 25 to \$6 75; veerlings \$6 25; to \$7 50. \$8 75; yearlings, \$6 25 to \$7 50.

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LIBERAL DEBATING CLUB AND MOCK PARLIAMENT

To Be Organized in Hyman Hall Next Wednesday.

The Debating Club and Mock Parlia-

Wednesday evening next.

Warious states of the Union was free and untrammeled; and to this was Thinks It Should Be Provided at the Guelph Sanatorium—Chief Wil
ler have been selected as leaders, and ascribed their wonderful progress and prosperity. The agitation culminated tion will be made by the members of in a political contest in favor of comthe club. Speeches will be delivered,

and the organization completed. At the same time, further arrange- letter to his constituents, and the eyes morning, Magistrate Love said he Club minstrel show. Committees are ments will be made for the Liberal of the people were opened to the real hoped that provision would be made at work, and the final touches to the iticians are denouncing in unmeasured terms Mr. Chamberlain's preferential

South London Liberals.

send drunks down there, and am sat- won by Mr. Robert C. Sellars with a be violated. "Hands off" was the cry. handsome one, and was donated by Mr. This wise and excenent counsel, non-ever, no longer prevails, and today we There was a fine crowd in attend-

KING ST. SCHOLARS

A unique and fascinating entertainment under the auspices of the sang Street Presbyterian Church Sunday School last evening attracted an audience that completely filled the East and who vesterday pleaded End Hall. The hall is not a credit to the continuation is a bit confused. How is it that men who support a Canadian tariff of 30 to 40 per cent hold up both hands for free trade as it is in England? For a Canadian statesmen to advocate a tariff for revenue purposes is good and wise; but for a British statesman to youth, who escaped from Mimico re-tence that completely miss the last tariff for revenue purposes is good and cently, and who yesterday pleaded End Hall. The hall is not a credit to guilty to two charges of theft, was the city. The wails are dirty and the charged before Magistrate Love this plaster off the ceiling in great patches, very had and foolish. He becomes an experience that the latter than the latter t

WURKY MAGISTRATE LOVE

A hand appeared.

The first part of the programme consisted of a cantata given by Mother Goose and her temperance family in the form of recitations, colloquies, solos, duets, semi-choruses and choruses. The personnel was as follows: Canada, Miss Marie Dyer; Great Britain, Mr. Frank Duncan; Mother Goose, Miss Laura Dean; Highland piper, Victor Riddle; Jack and Gill, Gordon Tolby and Winnie Snelgrove; Bed Riding Hood, Bessie McLood; Polly this morning when A. C. Wheateroft, the Spoe Bessie McLood; Polly the majority who will not greatly the majority who will not greatly

First many report of the hospital trust of the hospital trust of the year is being prepared, and will be issued in a short time. The hospital will be issued in a short time. The hospital will be issued in a short time. The hospital will be issued in a short time. The hospital will be issued in a short time. The hospital will be issued in a short time. The hospital will be institutional forms of government as board will not have an overdraft, as Ethel Patterson: good-night drill, six against the weakness of human nature is usually the case, but the surplus girls carrying candles. "God Save the in general."

Frank Harris, a colored man, was ined \$1 by Magistrate Love this morn
That the young people acquitted flerce tirade of abuse which has been themselves creditably was evident throughout by the perfect order and but venture the opinion that close attention of the large angles and but venture the opinion that The following committee was largely its full quota of talented men for the responsible for the success of the enservice of the Empire. Such papers, In the police court this morning James O'Bryan, a gent from nowhere in particular, was remanded for a week Mrs. Dyer, Miss Buskard, Miss Ferthe Manchester Guardian would have all particular, was remanded for a week Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss us believe them "Sinners above all Mrs. Dyer, Miss Dyer, Miss

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

TO SENATOR COX golden prespects now being held out Has a Bad Fall While Leaving His almost imperceptible. It will not solve

Office This Morning. of the money to be raised under the budget will probably go to old age [Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Dec. 31. — Senator Cox pensions, and some to build meet with rather a serious accident Dreadnoughts to protect Canadian What was formerly the old isolation | Winter leaving the office of the caught in a rug, while leaving the office of the Canada commerce. leg bruised to the bone. He was re- cost of living will not be reduced. The moved to his home in an auto and will price of brooms, bananas and beef-

patients of this nature in the hos-pital, and they are all being moved

The inmates of the Aged People's Home were entertained last night, the quets "to a few favored guests" at occasion being the annual Christmas 300 a piece, and nungry children will TORONTO. Dec. 31.—Noon quotations at the Standard Mining Exchange today: celebration. There was a large Christicator. 36c: Chambers-Ferland, 23; Green-Meehan, 13; Kerr Lake, 15; Coster, 33; Green-Meehan, 13; Kerr Lake, 15; Coster, 33; Green-Meehan, 13; Kerr Lake, 15; Coster, 33; Green-Meehan, 14; Kerr Lake, 15; Coster, 33; Green-Meehan, 15; Kerr Lake, 15; Coster, 33; Green-Meehan, 16; Kerr Lake, 15; Coster, 34; Coster, 35; Coster, 36; Coster, on the Standard Mining Exchange today:
Beaver, 36c; Chambers-Ferland, 23;
Crown Reserve, 4.29; Cobalt Lake, 15;
Foster, 33; Green-Meehan, 13; Kerr Lake, 15;
Sol; La Rose, 4.95; Little Nipissing, 224;
Nipissing, 10.60; Otisse, 21; Rochester, 182; Nova Scotia, 44; Silver Leaf, 1312;
Temiskaming, 7246; Trethewey, 1.21;
Temiskaming, 7246; Trethewey, 1.21; Ware, Miss Armstrong, Miss Black, Miss Alexander, Miss Silcox, Mr. Atchison, Miss Landgraff. Dr. Niven acted as chairman.

DISTRIBUTE \$75,000 The Boston Elevated Railway Remem-

bers 3,500 Employees. Boston, Dec. 31.—Thirty-five hundred conductors and motormen employed by the Boston Elevated Railroad Company received a New Year's gift today from the company of \$25, and \$25 in gold as

This company distributed this year Newton, at Iona. \$75,000, the largest sum ever given since the custom was inaugurated seven TORONTO'S CLEARING years ago, and makes a total of \$403,

New York, Dec. 30.—Arirved: Pennsylvania, from Hamburg: Cedric, Genoa; York.
Venice-Arrived: Argentine, New York.
Cape Race-Signalled: Minnewaska,
London; Caronia, Naples.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. Lloyd-George and Others. To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Some twenty-five years ago the late Mr. Erastus Wyman, with the help of Liberal politicians and newspapers, conducted a campaign throughout Canada in favor of unrestricted reciprocity with the United States. One of their ment in connection with the Young main arguments, which appealed Liberal Club will be reorganized on strongly to many Canadians, rested upon the fact that trade between the mercial union, to which the Liberal party was committed. After the election, Mr. Blake published his famous nature of the movement.

A Good Move.

"It would be a splendid thing if something of this nature were provided." he told The Advertiser afterwards.

"It would be a splendid thing if the care invited to be present. Much into the behating to strengthen the bonds of Empire, What was so good for the United States would be very bad for us. I cannot understand this change of front. Can it be explained?

Another thing that perplexes me is this: During the Balfour-Chamberlain regime Canadians were urged to take see newspapers in Canada putting up will Government, only equalled by that of British Liberal organs themselves. I am at a loss to account for this change also. Can it be explained?

Like many others, I am deeply in-terested in the present campaign in HOLD ENTERTAINMENT Great Britain, and especially with the

charged before Magistrate Love this plaster on the cening in section morning, by Antonio Guadalfo, an making it very difficult to heat the litalian section man, who lives near place. The furnace is out of repair, and four stoves were in operation last goods from him to the amount of \$15. Sanderson pleaded guilty to this charge also and was remanded for a week for sentence.

BOYS IN POOLROOMS

When the incoming council putting the hall in condition to hold up their hands. A large number of hands went up. When the nays were called for not a hand appeared.

Welly had and of the human race!

Again. We are developing a land-system here, and especially in our Northwest, identical in every respect with that of Great Britain. We have individual men and corporations in possession of thousands of acres. These will be the rich, wealthy landlords of the future, and the thousands of emigrants who flock to the country in the years to come will be "Hewers of wood and drawers of water." It would seem,

allowing minors in poolrooms was brought to light in the police court this morning when A. C. Wheateroft, charged with allowing a boy 15 years old to play pool at his establishment, offered the defence that the boy's parents had stated that they had no objection to his being there.

A Poser for the Magistrate.

"I will have to consider this," said the court, "as it is a new phase of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the court in the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the court in the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the property of the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law of the property the matter I will reserve decision for a week, and if I find that the law allows a minor to frequent a poolroom, if he has his parents' consent, I will not fine you. Otherwise I will have to

Jack Horner, Raymond Rusn; Jack the class of the class of the class of the costumes were appropriate and in some cases highly amusing.

Part II. was made up of drills, half of this number was ever recorded in any election in London during the costumes were appropriate and choruses as the cost of the cost Part II. was made up of drills, readings, pantomimes, and choruses, as follows:

A colloquy, Wilfred Anderson and Wm. Orr; recitation. Earl Beadle; pantomime, "The Cross," six girls; a doll show, seven little girls; reading, Miss Tryphene Thomson; red, white and blue drill, 24 girls; reading, Blanch Buskard; tambourine drill and line and selection in London during the past 50 years, and that frequently post 50 years, and that freque

in particular, was remanded for a week marie Dyer, Miss Laura Doan, Miss Galileans," in short the very scum for being drunk and a vag. Roy Putnam and William Heatherly were each fined \$1 for driving over a bridge. Miss Clark, Miss Thomson, Mr. Frank After all, the Lloyd-George budget fined \$1 for driving over a bridge. ask himself. What will be the probable results if the proposed legislation is enacted? It is safe to say that the

will hardly be realized. The improve-

the problem of the unemp'oyed. Some

ment in the working-classes will

I shall not attempt to account for the

the various classes of society. It will not touch the pockets of such men as Andrew Carnegie, John D. Rockefeller,

AGED PEOPLE'S HOME J. Pierpont Morgan, the late Mr. Harriman's wife. man or Harriman's wife. Wealthy millionaires will continue to give their costly, luxurious ban-

London, Dec. 29, 1909. Personal Mention

isiting in Toronto and Montreal Mr. F. Dalton has returned to Toronto after spending Christmas week with his parents, 576 Maitland street Miss M. McCoy has returned to To. ronto after spending Christmas week with her mother, Waterloo street. Mr. and Mrs. D. McArthur, of London, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Spittler, in Fingal. Miss Lizzie Newton, of London, spent Christmas the guest of her brother, G

BIGGEST ON RECORD

Toronto, Dec. 31. - Toronto's finan-New York, Southampton, cial growth is seen in the following Liverpool — Arrived: Monmouth, St. comparison of bank clearings. For the cial growth is seen in the following Havre-Arrived: La Provence, New year ended today clearings at Toronto were the largest on record, totalling \$1,437,700,477, which is \$270,798,041 greater than 1908.

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LONDON, FRIDAY, DEC. 31.

THE BRITISH ELECTIONS AND CANADIAN OPINION.

Mr. Fred Daly's letter in another Why, Nothing!" He sees no good to tical manner for strengthening relathe working classes in the Lloyd- tions between the two countries. George budget. In the House of Comduring the few months in which the safer place for investment. new scale of liquor taxes had been in operation. He characterized this as "surprising." and a cheering omen for Kingdom.

rescue of men, women and children from the workhouse: the afforestation of waste lands; the building of roads; the break-up of the land monopoly, and the division of the land among small holders; and, generally speaking, the scientific development of natural resources of the country. There are British statesmen who earnestly believe the working classes will benefit by these policies. At any rate, they propose to Spanish 551 700,000 try to remedy social evils, instead of London's trade is greater than that Many a man would do well to live up

stuffs. They will not love Canadians \$350,000,000 annually. or Australians more if they imagine One striking feature of the statistics

British politics from the same motives United that prompted Mr. Daly to write a let- 000,000, were being fought in this country. They ing of United States ports in the near are as ardent defenders of the anti-future. budget peers and of the hereditary principle as Mr. Daly seems to be. No. one denies his assertion that the British aristocracy has contributed many least some of the municipal candi- lower classes-should have been left talented men to the service of the Em- dates. pire, but this is no argument for makundistinguished scions the chester Guardian to hear that they an "ominous hush." have been calling the aristocracy the scum of the earth. The Citizen is a that in his lifetime Gladstone was as applause.) Conservative journal, moderate in its fiercely assailed as Lloyd-George is tone, and the Manchester Guardian is today, and for the same reason. a newspaper of the highest ideals, considered by many to be the best in

LOOKING TOWARD CANADA.

It is interesting to note that while a royal commission is engaged in looking into the trade relations between Canada and the British West Indies with a view to their improvement. to this country as a market for their interest in preventing it. products. These include many things which Canada must import such as tropical fruits, coffee, cocoa and cotton, while there are a number of lines election, forced by the peers, is merely of manufactures in which we might a referendum on the budget. The Herdo a profitable trade with the south, ald knows perfectly well that other

Little, if any, Venezuela coffee, which issues, such as home rule, the educa- shouted a man on the curb.

A leading journal of Caracas, El Proopening up trade with the Dominion. declares that Canada, owing to the degree of industrial development to which she has now attained and her position as an important part of the British Empire, must henceforward be considred as one of the prime factors in the struggle for the capture of the markets of Spanish-America and the opening up of those torrid regions. "Up to the present time," says the Caracas paper, "Venezuela has not sought to enter into trade relations of any kind with Canada. The capitalists of that extensive and wealthy Dominion are now investigating the best means for

stablishing navigation lines between ts ports and those of the southern continent, for developing asphalt and petroleum deposits, working mines, cultivating and exporting acid and semiacid fruits, and fostering the production of some of the most valuable prime materials of this zone." The paper suggests the establishment of a consulate of the first-class at Montreal, and the appointment thereto of serious blunder. It would have identified a man capable of furnishing the Dominion with full information as to have enabled the British Tory party to the possibilities which Venezuela offers say that Canada, as a whole, was opcolumn reminds one of the old college to Canadian capital and of sending posed to the Lloyd-George budget besong. "What's the Good of Anything? Venezuela data as to the most prac-

Canada is willing to do business with mons the other day Mr. Lloyd-George Venezuela and other South American identified Canada with a policy of taxing Kiddle, 59 Wilson avenue, West Lonpointed with pride to the drop of 20 republics. With Castro out of the way, the food of the British people for the per cent in the consumption of liquor the former country is doubtless now a

MERCE.

think, in view of his record, that this one-half the tonnage of the world's sult be will be under the control of the control of the world's sult be will be under the control of the control of the world's sult be under the control of the control of the world's sult be under the control of the control of the world's sult be under the control of the co think, in view of his record, that this merchant marine flies the British flag. sult, he said, might be to breed anticolonial sentiment, perhaps even sullen strongly to Mr. Daly, as it does to Sea-borne commerce has assumed tre-batted. Our motives would certainly the temperance workers of the United mendous proportions, and with the de- have been regarded as selfish. velopment of Canada. Australia, Span-out of the fight, and let the people of the it is bound to expand rapidly. The free trade or protection without reference financing great schemes of social bet- latest report of the United States to Canadian interests or desires. We are terment—insurance against unemploy-bureau of statistics apportions ships disinterested, though we are not uninterested. ment, sickness and invalidity; the and tonnage among the various nations

	Cittel Courses Me accession		
l	as follows: N	umber	
f	Flag. of	Vessels.	Tonnage
•	British	11,563	18,700,000
	American (including		
	lake traffic	2,250	4,800,000
	German	2,178	4,232,000
	Norwegian	2.148	2,000,000
	French	1,517	1,883,000
	Italian	1:100	1,300,000
1	Japanese	870	1,142,000
	Russian	1,400	1,000,000
	Swedish	1.550	900,000
	Dutch	565	900,000

turning from them helplessly or cal- of any other port in the world, amount- to the gaudy necktie he received on ing to \$1,620,000,000 a year, and Liv-Mr. Daly complains that Canadian erpool's is almost as much. The innewspapers and politicians who fav- coming and outgoing ships of Hamburg ored closer trade relations with the and Bremen combined carried freight United States some years ago are to the value of \$2,025,000,000 during suited for each other? "holding up to scorn all those who are 1997, while Antwerp's share last year quite similar. endeavoring to strengthen the bonds of was \$1,000,000,000. The French ports and he doesn't care much for me. Empire." There are Canadians who of Marseilles and Havre do an annual honestly cannot see, as Mr. Daly can, business of close on a billion dollars that the bonds of Empire will be between them. The growth of Japanstrengthened by levying duties on Can-ese merchantmen since 1880 has been that will suit you exactly in your next adian products which now erter the remarkable, the tonnage having in- dash for the cole. How did you like the British market free of charge. Prob- creased from 89,000 to 1,142,000, while last pair I sold you? ably more than half the British people the trade of the three ports of Yoko- best I ever tasted. are opposed to taxes on imported food- hama, Kobe and Nagaski now totals

that they must pay these taxes as the is the indifferent showing made by price of Canadian and Australian loy- the United States. It is true that alty, "Pretty plainly," says the Cana-country ranks second in vessels and dian correspondent of the London tonnage, but if what is employed on Times, "the increasing preponderance the inland lakes is deducted the oceanof foreign population in the Canadian going tonnage will be found almost muted into a fine lot of farthings, west cannot be kept loyal to the Em- negligible. The American flag has pire unless it is given a bribe in the almost vanished from the high seas, shape of a tax on the food of the peo- whereas fifty years ago the United ple of Britain." It is humiliating to States mercantile marine was chalself-respecting Canadians to read such lenging Britain's supremacy. The ship- asked—to explain to you—why we reject- paper a flame was caused to shoot old medical rule against eating before stuff, and to think that it is being cir- building industry in the republic has ed-the budget. When I was last in Lonculated in Great Britain in the name been almost killed by the tariff upon of Imperialism. The attitude of the every material that enters into the every material that every material that enters into the every material that every material London Morning Post is the honest construction of ships. It lives upon my duty then—and I am equally proud—eyebrows the gentleman is none the one. It dismisses the cant about im- the lake business, of which it has a mongst us—certain progressive spirite. The lake business of which it has a smongst us—certain progressive spirite. one. It dismisses the cant about imposing taxes to please the colonies, monopoly under the coasting laws. amongst us—certain progressive spirits— that never more will be
upon whom—all true patriots—must act oil can in lighting a fire. and admits that the tariff scheme is The United States is low in the scale, as a check. My father-opposed-as long conceived in the interest of British too, as regards commerce. Shanghai, as he could—the introduction of railwith trade amounting to \$256,000,000, ways into this country. His advice—was side at 38 Dundas street west and who in the end—disregarded. When I travelled had the misfortune to be both taken pears to be doomed, now that the Canadian newspapers are discussing outranks New Orleans, the second up to London-last week.—I felt may the majorithm than ill at Christmas time, are now able to States port. while Calcutta, Bombay ter-because they are deeply interest- and Singapore, with \$910,000,000, dens-I was disgusted to learn-that these ed in the issues. Mr. Daly seems to exceed by \$40,000,000 annually all vandals had burrowed-even under the have a notion that only Liberal papers United States ports excepting New have a notion that only Liberal papers in Canada are "interfering," as he calls York and New Orleans. In view of discover—that trams passed along the London, and sprained her ankle. She lowed, and it was found that the it, in British affairs. As a matter of the competition of the Canadian route, should have referred that I not been ill—I was placed on a street car and sent to subject actually throve on it. The fact, the Asquith Government is being which bears particularly hard on New should have voted against that measure her home in the east end of the city. as bitterly attacked by Conservative York, there does not appear any likelias bitterly attacked by Conservative look, there does not appear any likelinewspapers in Canada as if the election hood of an improvement in the show-saud's—two days ago—I looked back—up-

Good-bye, 1909!

It will be a happy New Year for at

The year 1910 opens without a warrulers of the people. It will be news cloud. This is a cause for anxiety, acto the Ottawa Citizen and the Man- cording to Lord Rosebery's theory of because it sought to create war between

The Toronto Star says with truth

A Saturday election has some ad-Great Britain, an opinion which The vantages. The public will have a day Advertiser, as a constant reader of it, of rest after the terrible strain of this Schoolmasters' Association has solemnly

vear's municipal campaign

ments are trying to find a basis of cooperation on certain problems. If it the angel of peace would sing for joy. But it will come in spite of the classes South American republics are turning in both countries who have a selfish

> The Hamilton Herald pretends to be so simple as to believe that the British

strongly upon them. Many Churchmen, rear wheels of his wagon. for instance, are divided between ad- "I told you to look out," said the gresista, discussing the possibilities of miration for the budget, and distrust man at the curb. hierarchy insists that the educational load of ladders did to my rig." issue take precedence over home rule. Many militant Nonconformists also put the educational bill before everything. To the Welsh people disestab- turned on in his shop one night, and lishment is the principal subject of in- upon arriving in the morning struck terest. Perhaps the majority of the a match to light it. There was a terelectors are of the opinion that the rific explosion, and the shoemaker was question of the absolute veto of the blown out through the door almost to House of Lords dominates everything the middle of the street. else. There are a dozen cross-currents and after helping him to arise, in and side-issues. If the House of Lords can reject a budget and refuse supplies every year, it can turn a govern- of business, which was now burning ment out every year and destroy democratic institutions.

CANADA'S THE WISER COURSE.

[Toronto Star.] present Canadian Government has been attacked because it would not throw its weight on the side of the advocates of preferential trade in Great Britain. Such a course would have been a very Canada as a nation with the cause of one of the British political parties. It would cause it makes no provision for protective or preferential duties. It would have the House of Lords, which rejected the Toronto, budget in order that a protective budget might be substituted. It would have Winston Churchill at the imperial conference of ministers, held in 1907, said that it would be a dangerous thing to associate the idea of empire and of the colonies with an enhancement, however Practically one-half the vessels and small, of the necessities of life and in-

> BEARING FRUIT. tive campaign carried on for some years

past is bringing results. BURN IT. [Toronto Star.]

would one do with one's money A HIGH IDEAL [Buffalo Express.]

SURE TO GET ALONG.

Belle-But do you think you and he are I don't care much for him

PROOF OF THE PUDDING. [Weekly Telegraph.] Shoe Dealer Here are a pair of boots

Explorer (reminiscently)-The

SINGED HIS WHISKERS [Indianapolis News.]

An extremely heavy loss of Santa Claus whiskers by fire is also reported.

SNOW BLANKET Winter wheat needed just such a white

A BUDGET SPEECH.

woods Baron.] \$50,- ever-that my father was right. my way yesterday to the Zoological Gar- ailments. happened-in the last cided)-be put down to-the curse of you have raised a monster-worse than any that Frankenstein brought into be-

Gentlemen, we rejected the budgetthe classes. England will never be at peace-unless the classes keep to their proper stations. The upper class to rule -and the lower class to obey. (Loud

WOEFUL IGNORANCE.

When will sensible English public men cease talking nonsense about Canada? A London cable tells us that the British public school hove to offset the American invasion" of the West, and to solve the problem of whether the flag to fly over the Parliament buildings here shall in twenty years be the Union Jack or the Stars and Stripes. Somebody ought to cable over the fact that at least seventyfive per cent of the American "invaders take out their naturalization papers just as soon as is possible under the law, and ecome good British subjects

NEW NAME FOR FIREMEN.

[Buffalo Express.] him was a fire engine.

is declared to be superior to the Bra- tional question and the contitutional; The farmer pulled in close to the zilian article, reaches Canada, the right of the peers to reject finance curb, and after the engine had passed great bulk of the exports going to the bills, could not be kept out of the con- started toward the middle of the street VESTERN ADVERTISER WEEKLY. United States, where the coffee is the test because masses of people feel whizzed by and took off one of the

of the Government's school policy. The "I know you did," said the farmer,

Irish party asks Irish voters to sup- "and I did look out, but look at what port the Government, and the English those drunken painters with the wagon

JUST IN TIME.

[Lippincott's.] A German shoemaker left the gas

A rasser-by rushed to his assistance

The little German gazed at his place quite briskly, and said: "No, I ain't hurt. But I got out shust in time. Eh?"

WEST LONDON

Mr. Arthur Keene's new red pressed rick residence on Surrey avenue is ust about completed and is a creditable addition to West London

Miss Mae Clarke, Wharncliffe Road, West London, has returned home after spending the Christmas holidays with her brother, Mr. Chester E. Clarke, placed Canada definitely on the side of manager of the Grand Union Hotel,

supposed benefit of the colonies. Mr. illness at his home with an attack don, will be sorry to learn of his

> Mrs. Hodgins and two children, formerly of the Hodgins House, are new arivals in West London and have taken up a residence on Alexander street.

Hundreds of small children dotted the ice at the foot of Dundas street yesterday afternoon and enjoyed the excellent sport afforded as a result of the steady cold weather. A little snow ish America, Siberia and even China, United Kingdom settle the question of nearly so laborious for the youngsters to clear the large space in the morning as it would have been to shovel a path for their mother at home. Many home-made snowplows and brooms were brought into play, and in a short period the snow-covered river was [Toronto Star.]
The decline in the number of deaths sheets of ice in the city. Several men turned into one of the most beautiful from tuberculosis shows that the educa-stood on the bridge and remarked that it would be a good money-making proposition for them to keep the large square in shape and charge an admission. The children, had they heard the remark, would no doubt have taken If it were not for Christmas, what very unkindly to the proposition.

> Mr. Walter Sage, son of Rev. Mr. Sage, of St. George's Church, is hom on a visit. He resides in Toronto.

> Court Excelsior, A. O. F., have va cated their lodge rooms in the Old Collins' Hall, West London, and have secured more convenient quarters near the centre of the city.

Abundance of ice is now obtaina Nell-Oh, perfectly! Our tastes are on the river, and west end icemen state that their source of supply will if it were lawful to do so. not run short for a long time to come. Large numbers of men are employed cutting and hauling. "Ice will be plentiful and of a superior quality next tion—a kindly temper turned toward summer," stated a dealer, "but you the world. Such a disposition is worth can safely say that ice will never be a ton of gold. A man can do more cheaper than it has been.

> Mr. Leathorn and family, of Wyatt street, West London, are moving to any other grace. The genial man is Ingersoll, where Mr. Leathorn has secured a position.

London, had a narrow escape last beauty and joy of all things.—Columevening from being burned severely bus Journal. about the face and arms. The gentleman and his wife had just returned after spending the evening at the home The flakes will be trans- had burned itself out, owing to a lack are giving way before the simple appliof a friend. They found that the heater [Prepared by London Punch for a Back-starting a fresh fire. A sprinkle of ing habits has been more widespread coal oil and a lucifer and all was ready. don-in 1892-I helped to reject-the home burning off parts of a fine pair of eye- by the medical profession itself for rule bill—of the traitor Gladstone. Ladies brows and narrowly missing scorching amongst us-certain progressive spirits- that never more will be use the coal ficial to many nervous people, and is

Mr. and Mrs. Birmingham, who re- has been more persistent, but it ap ways into this country. His advice-was side at 38 Dundas street west and who The be around again, although not entire- istry department of the University of

The need of a physician's office in West London is becoming more noticeable every day. This is the weather fifty years. And all the misery-and un- when there are many ills and pains, villages and towns today-must (I de- tention, and the absence of a doctor elementary education. Ladies and gentle-deplored. In the centre of this everwho can be called in on short notice is men. I say-without hesitation-that the growing city there are many doctors where they were—that in raising them West London has been given the goshingles hanging out, but alas, poor by. Why does not some young doctor grasp the situation and locate in the suburb? His success is already sured, as a glance over the population of the west side will prove.

> Miss Nell Wood, of Grand Rapids, is visiting at Ms. Newman's, 28 Rogers and tomorrow matinee and night. The avenue London West.

GENIALTY.

The preacher said there is no place n heaven for sour people; nor is there really any place on earth, but these are some people who too often insist upon occupying such a place. They wouldn't if they knew how little they were liked. A person may show sorrow and feel the pressure of a gloom upon his heart, but to be sour. crabbed, ill-natured, is to express a phase of disposition that is extremely distasteful, if not disgusting.

To be sour is to find fault with everybody except oneself. It is the worst side of egotism. It is being mad at the world. Nobody enjoys being A farmer was driving in Elk street that way. It is punishing oneself, in a few days ago. Coming close behind order to evoke sympathy, but it never works. Nobody cares for a sour per-"Look out for the fire department!" son. One feels nore like kicking him

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The opposite of this splendid condition of soul is sweetness of disposibusiness with it make more friends. create more happiness and insure happier homes than he can with almost always welcome. He is like a flower, a streak of sunshine, the song of a A resident of Wharncliffe road West bird-he is in harmony with the

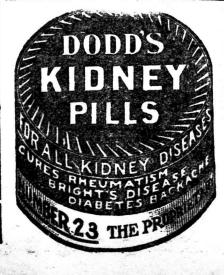
DRINKING AT MEALS.

In a very few minutes the cation of practical tests. Perhaps no remaining clinkers were racked out and other one idea with reference to eatand more persistent than that it is Ladies-and-gentlemen, I have been in placing the lighted match to the injurious to drink water at meals. The through the open door of the stove, going to bed has been discountenanced long time now, and it has been repea; edly shown that a reasonable amount not infrequently a cure for insomnia.

The rule against drinking at meals professors in the physiological chemcountry, gentlemen-has been spoiled. On ly recovered from the effects of their Illinois have set about making experiments to prove the digestive value An elderly lady had the misfortune while eating. One quart of water at earth. Coming back-from the British to slip on an icy sidewalk yesterday each meal was the prescription foitheory is that the water, diluting the saliva, "causes the digestive fluid to assume greater digestive activity. Manchester Union.



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MADAME'S WARD

now looking back at me, with a deep caught my eye, understood, and gave color creeping up under the clear pal- a short bitter laugh. lor of his dusky skin. "Perhaps I shall be able to do so tomorrow?"

important." ing which renders it necessary for me is it?"

to decide at once whether I return to Jamaica or remain in England. I that way!" I said, helplessly, feeling must see her before answering it. You unable to say anything else. understand, I see. Good-bye for the "Why not? It's only to you. What Of course, I understood, and I could "Lies?" I repeated, not help showing that I did, as I un- "Act them, at any rate-I don't see

comfortably felt when I confusedly much difference. What else do you gave him my hand, and started off call it?" toward Redpots again. Confound the "Not that," I returned, feeling refellow, I thought, taking me into his lieved that here at least there was confidence in such a fashion. So we something upon which I could speak Lowe, of Crampton, was the scene of crast states, increase in the number Mrs. Hugh M. Gunn. were not at the end of the 'pickle' out, and speak energetically. 'It's a very pleasant event yesterday, being yet, it appeared. He was going to complicate matters now a little more of course—or to say anything, for that Rose Lillian, to Mr. That is states in the number of the number of farms is remarkable.

Mrs. Hugh M. Gunn.

Mrs. Hugh M. Gunn.

Miss Tennant, of the marriage of their only daughter, and there has been going on for 20 (Rev.) James Barber.

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any address on receipt of ten cents in hadn't been an idiot." stamps or silver.

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PATTERN DEPARTMENT,

able to break. Presently Yorke gave another short laugh, and touched my shoulder.

"Don't look so wretched, Ned, and don't bother yourself about it. It isn't your fault; one would think it was to look at you. But you ought to see pretty plainly that I can't well stop here. I am not an absolute block of wood, you see, and, after even this, I don't think I should make a success of standing aside and watching St. George or that confounded Froude get her."

I had meant to lead up to the sub-

LONDON ADVERTISER, ject, and to break this luckless news

at Jericho, or Jamaica, which would to him before going away; but now, have suited me quite as well just then. When he himself introduced Froude's I turned in at the gates of Redpots a name, I felt my face redden, and good deal more miserable and out of knew that I looked like a fool. Yorke's good deal more miserable and out of eyes were too keen not to see it, and temper than I had been when I left for a moment he started and stared Mount Chavasse.

Dr. Yorke was at home, the servant who admitted me said, but added that he had a patient with him just then. No doubt he would be at liberty directly, if I would wait. I said I would wait, and decided to do so in the hall, since from there I could keep my eye upon the door of the surgery. I had not been there a minute when it creaked and opened to let out Lotty Red Riding-hood, with a scarlet cloak on, and a puckered hood of the same color drawn over her dark curls. The little cry she gave at the sight of me

out and shook hands. parture by means of a side door.
"Come into my den. There's no one by the both the state of the there but the skeleton, and you can love for him was as complete and as say, and I the same."

one of the big chairs by the fender, it gloomy, and miserable enough he his reiterated resolve to get out of looked, but obstinate and angry, too, and I began to see that Miss Natalie Orme had contrived to rouse a temper as flery and to insult a pride as resolute as her own. Even if she were ready to speak now, it would want more than a few soft words to mollify Roger Yorke. And now, between these two who should have been together, there loomed in my mental vision the tall stiff figure, the white face, the watchful keen black eyes, and the cold perpetual smile of the master of Holmedeane. It was in this very room that Yorke only a few weeks ago had blurted out to me the story of his love for Nat; and now things were in this precious pickle: I thought of it as I glanced about me, and my heart sunk

"You're thinking that I'm a bigger fool now than I was then, eh, Ned? "Oh, yes, I should think so!" I an- Well, you're right. I had made a fool swered, carelessly. "She'll be visible of myself then-a thing which any then, no doubt, if it's anything very man can do when he likes; this time

lies women tell, though, don't they

'How do you mean?"

In thinking that Natalie was either eaking or acting a lie in saying that he loved you and in behaving as she The only lie there has been is pretending that she doesn't - the

"Did she tell you to say that?" he isked, turning upon me quickly, "No," I was obliged to admit, awk-

"Of course not. She played the game as long as it pleased her, and then dropped it. Well, she is the first woman to whom I ever gave the chance of making a fool of me, and"-with a leep breath-"she shall be the last!" "It's she that's made a fool of, not you," I retorted. "She loves you." "Ah, I don't care about that sort of love, you see, Ned, my boy! It's too changeable, eh? Well, I shall get away from here."

words of the preceding night.

this confounded place, do you? Not I. strikes me. No-I'm off."

"You can't mean it, Roger," I said, four years, being first elected in 1901. blankly, with a grief and consternation which I know were perfectly selfish.
Was I to lose my best friend for the willful vagaries of a fickle little chit of a girl? I thought in mingled pain and anger, anathematizing Miss Nat as I had never done yet. "You don't nean it?" I interrogated, helplessly. "Don't I?" Yorke returned, with rough laugh. "I mean it to the extent of letting Whittlesford see the last of

me in a week-that's all.' "And you will stay away?" I ejacu-

"Unless and until I am dragged back -you may take your oath of that."
"And Dizarte?" I was beginning,

front and back is most stylish. The more than it would have done a few pattern is cut in five sizes, 4, 6, 8, 10, weeks back, when I had the same notion in my head." He rose and walked to the window before adding in a lower A pattern of this illustration sent to tone, "I should have gone then if I

"I don't see what good you'll do by cutting off," I said, ruefully. "Don't you?" He wheeled round again suddenly with another laugh as hard and harsh as the last had been. Please send above-mentioned pattern, as you silly young fool, that you sit gaping like that? Do you think I shall go and make a hole in the first piece of water I came near, or let daylight into

myself with that blessed little that scared you that day? Pooh! Fool as I am, I am hardly ass enough for that. You may make your mind easy on that score. She would never will ingly see me again, she said last night, didn't she? All right. Now I say that I will never willingly see Natalie Orme again unless she sends for me. And, considering all things, I fancy that's about the safest pledge that I could

A silence ensued—a silence which I felt at once too stupid and too miser-

at me. Of course I only reddened more furiously and looked more stupid, if that could be. "I see," he said slowly—"I see. No need for me to wait, eh, Ned? Which of them

"Froude," I answered, blurting out the name, and anxious, now that the plunge was made, to get it over. gone, and upon my word, Roger, I tention to the electrical supply interthink she must have been half-crazy Wilde, looking as pretty as a little when she did it. She screamed and fell down in a dead faint directly after Well, I said that, and a great deal

more, enlarging upon Nat's hysterical state and wild talk when she told me, brought Yorke to the door, too. He and also upon her eagerness to see started as he saw me, and then came him again, before that interview with mysterious someone at the gate in "I thought I should see you today, the park fence had poisoned her mind Ned," he said, as Lotty, dropping her and aroused her passionate temper demura little courtesy, took her de- against him. Blunderingly I reiterated say whatever it is that you want to strong as his for her. I repeated, too, as many as I remembered of the thous-But, when we got into the room, and and one shy, loving speeches of had imitated him in dropping into which I had perforce been the only recipient. But I might as well have held my tongue. Well as I had thought seemed that we were both tongue-tied. that I knew my friend, I found that Yorke sat staring moodily at the fire, he had more obstinacy and sternness and I sat staring blankly at him, won- in his nature than I had ever given dering how I could best contrive to him credit for. When at last I rose to tell him about Fraser Froude. Pale, go, I had nothing to take with me but Whittlesford as soon as possible.

GREAT OIL TANK BURNS; LOSS HALF A MILLION

(To Be Continued.)

Twenty Million Dollar Plant o Standard Oil Company Was Imperilled.

threatened to lestroy the \$20,000,000 years is revealed by an investigation in Westminster attending the golden Williamsburg, Brooklyn, was got under of Chicago, co-operating with eastern of Woodstock, are holidaying with lower and lower. Roger, looking up. morning. The blaze started with an According to the report of the in- their grandmother, Mrs. J. McMurphy unexplained explosion in one of the vestigators the land in farms, with watchman turned in an alarm, and stock, is today worth almost thirty renewing acquaintances in the routed out the emergency night force, billions of dollars, his is 44 per cent lage. which occupies two large blocks. mportant."

The fremen prevented the maze from tresent values are two and one-half spreading beyond the tank where the spreading beyond the tank where the times the farm values 30 years ago. That's all the difference. Not much, and which renders it necessary for me is it?"

The fremen prevented the maze from tresent values are two and one-half times the farm values 30 years ago. No such increase in agricultural land by verely from the celd. Every building values was ever before known in the last on Bruce spont Christmas in Inger-"For goodness' sake don't talk in in the plant is covered with a heavy history of the world in any country, soll, coating of ice this morning, the deluge of water poured on by the firemen hav-been created in the United States dur-school, is spending the holidays at he

A CRAMPTON WEDDING

of Mr. Chas. M. Rickard.

than they were already complicated, matter—but upon my honor you're Rickard. The bride as charmingly years a tendency toward the amalgabad luck to him! I wished St. George wrong there!"

Course—or to say anything, for that rose Lillian, to Mr. Charles Miles were already complicated, matter—but upon my honor you're Rickard. The bride as charmingly years a tendency toward the amalga
Misses Minnie McDonald, of Toronto, gewind in a handsome lace dress over mation of farms distant from market and Bella, of Woodstock, are visiting Rickard. The bride was charmingly gowned in a handsome lace dress over a white taffeta silk, and wore the conventional bridal veil. She entered the room leaning upon the arm of her father, to the strains of Lohengrin's father, to the strains of Lohengrin's worlding Warch, played by Mrs. (Rev.) movement has more than offset the former, so that there is a slight in
Rickard. The bride was charmingly gowned in a handsome lace dress over into latger holdings. On the other their mother, Mrs. H. McDenald. Miss Mabel McKinnon is the guest of Tweed friends.

Mr. S. Finlayson, of the Traders' Bank, is holidaying at his home in Grence. father, to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, played by Mrs. (Rev.) Knowles. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. Knowles, M. A., of Avon, under a beautifully constructed arch of evergreens and mistletoe. After the ceremony, the guests, to the in the states of the old south is indicated by the construction of these states of the old south is indicated by the construction of the states of the old south is indicated by the construction of the public school staff, is visiting at her Peterboro bone. join in extending congratulations.

DR. BEAMAN DEAD.

Ottawa, Dec. 20.-Dr. Wm. C. Beaman, one of the leading physicians of "What do you mean?" I cried, the city, died rather unexpectedly this startled, and recalling old Dizarte's morning. He had been a sufferer for "Get several years, but trips to Europe and South Africa it was thought had re-"Yes-and as quickly as possible, stored his health. He was taken sud-You don't suppose I want to stop in denly ill in bed this morning, and died I've had about enough of Whittlesford born near Ottawa, and was a graduate street last night, and is now in the hos- McLachlan. Miss McLachlan has alin a few moments. Dr. Beaman was to last me for the rest of my life, it of Queen's. He was a member of the city council and board of health for

DOCKS BURNING.

LIQUIDATOR NAMED. Toronto, Dec. 30 .- Mr. J. P. Langley has

ELECTRICAL SUPPLY CO. LOOKING FOR MERGER

Unprofitable to Three Big Concerns Involved.

Toronto, Dec. 30. - The World says: Mergers in connection with some was only last night, after you had the large companies have turned atests, and it is now asserted that the tion companies are making overtures

for an amalgamation. The three large Canadian electrical supply concerns are the Westinghouse Company of Hamilton, the Canadian General Electric Com-

pany of Toronto. Recent competition companies in which tenders were responsible for their acts by the citi given is thought to have lost money zens. The mayor receives \$3,600 to the concern which has obtained the year and the commissioners \$3,000. Ti contract, and has evolved the idea there is already an effort under way it numbers 105,000. to assimilate the large electrical in terests into one whole and thus avoid future cutting of prices. Besides the British preference works

harm to the electrical manufacturing interests, so much harm, in fact, that drastic measures are called for on th part of the financial institutions be-FARMS GROW BY

U. S. Holdings Worth Thirty Billions—Values Are Nearly Doubled.

MILLION IN DECADE

Chicago, Dec. 30.—An enormous increase in the value of U. S. farm lands line. New York, Dec. 30.—A fire which and livestock during the last ten Mr. and Mrs. James McBurney are plant of the Standard Oil Company in conducted by the Orange Judd Farmer wedding of her sister, Mrs. Begg.

nnexplained explosion in one of the vestigators the land in farms, with Mr. W. W. Marray, of the C. P. R. 30,000-barrel storage tanks. The their buildings, implements and live construction camp, at Port Hope, is which set about emptying the forty more than 1900. The figures for the Mr. and Mrs. John McLelland ar other tanks scattered about the plant, latter year show an increase of about spending the holiday season at Mrs 25 per cent over the previous decade. McLelland's parental home in Preston The firemen prevented the blaze from Present values are two and one-half Nearly one million new farms have ing frozen as it fell. The loss is about ing the past ten years. This increase is as great as that of the previous decade, though the relative proportion spent a day in the village recently. is less. The number of farms has increased in the north Atlantic states 6 daughter Isabel, of Woodstock, are vis per cent, south Atlantic states 9 per iting Mrs. Bain's mother, Mrs. Hugh Miss Rosa Howe Becomes the Bride cent, north central states 15 per cent, Munro. south central states 17 per cent, western states 100 per cent. In the south- D. Gunn, of Detroit, are spending the The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. West; as well as in the mountain and holidays with their parents, Mr. and

number of 35, repaired to the drawins; eative of a movement that will probroom, where a sumptions wedding ably be much more extensive in the breakfast was served. The presents mext ten years, 11 is substantial evidence and numerous show departs of a movement that will probnome.

Mr. and Mrs. II. E. Fair and childeparts of the presents of friends in Lonwere both costly and numerous, show-dence of a more diversified agriculwere both costly and numerous, sawa- dence of a more diversified agricul- ing the popularity and esteem in which ture, and reveals the cutting up of the young couple are held. Mr. and large plantations into smaller holdings boro, spent the holiday with her mother than have gone to points west worked by constant and children, of Scarback bases for points west worked by constant and children, of Scarback bases for points west worked by constant and children agriculture. Taking the United States as a whole, there are now almost three times as many farms as in 1870 and 2,000,000 Messrs, Clare Porter, of St. Thomas, and Pow of the Traders' Bank, Ingmore than so recently as 1890.

BACK TO ENGLAND.

Toronto, Dec. 30.-Elliott Saunders, an Englishman, brought here two years ago been looked forward to for some time by the Salvation Army, as he alleges, is was held in the town hall under to be sent back to England, as he has auspices of Knox Church Ladies' Ald lean shifting around the States and here Society. The hall was taxed to its all his two years on this side. He was utmost to accommodate the large audifound hungry and frost-bitten on the ence which greeted

WIRES STILL DOWN.

St. Johns, Nfld., Dec. 30.—The telegraph The remainder of the programme was land lines are still down as a result of furnished by Mr. Alexander, humorist. New Orleans, Dec. 30.—It is report-the recent storm. The steamer Home, of London, and the quartette, consistence of the recent storm. The steamer Home, of London, and the quartette, consisting of Messrs. Wm. J. Campbell, Jas. Texas, are burning. The report is be-ports a tempestuous passage through the ing investigated.

Straits of Belle Isle, which is now filling Kay. The chairman for the evening with Arctic ice. Seals are numerous in was Dr. John Matheson, St. Marys. the straits, and 700 have been taken in Battle Harbor this week. This is said inated on Monday: For reeve, George een appointed liquidator of the National to indicate a good spring fishing. The M. Creighton and A. E. Campbell; for Press Company, which is to be wound upon the application of W. A. Spence.

The assets and liabilities of the concern to make the concern plant next spring.

To indicate a good spring fishing. The M. Creighton and A. E. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. H. Williams, John Douglas, D. R. Ross, James Boles, D. M. Sutherland, Dr. L. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Holohan, J. Campben, for councillors, Thomas Hol

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COMMISSION DEOS GOOD WORK IN DES MOINES

Recent Competition Has Proved Dr. Chester W. Millar Tells of Progressive Civic Government in Western City.

Dr. Chester W. Millar, of Des Moines, Iowa, an old school friend of Inspector leading electrical machinery construct C. B. Edwards, B. A., was in the city today, and while visiting Mr. Edwards was seen by an Advertiser reporter. Dr. Millar spoke in glowing terms of the success of the city government of Des Moines under a new system. The Chalmers Company of Montreal, and city is at present governed by a commisison in place of aldermen.

The members of the commission ac as heads of departments, and are held success of the system is clearly that the combination of electrical sup- denced by the phenomenal growth of ply interests would be beneficial to the city in the past few years. In 1900 these companies. It is rumored that the population was 62,000, while today

NEWS FROM EMBRO

Marriags of Miss Maggie McCormick and Mr. Edwin Marshall. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Emoro, Dec. 29. --Mr. Ira H. Ross, of ockwood, Sask., has arrived here on visit to relatives in the vicinity. Miss Barbara Ross spent Christmas Ingersoll, where she attended the uneral of her cousin, the late Mrs Rev.) McDonald. Mr. Robert B. Ross, of Calgary, is

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Campbell and little daughter Julia spent the holiday with Woodstock friends.

A quiet wedding took place at the manse on Wednesday afternoon, Dec 22, when Mr. Edwin Mitchell and Miss Maggie Cormick were united in mar riage by Rev. James Barber. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will reside on the third

Dr. and Mrs. Green and children are

Miss May Cody, of the Rocklane

Mrs. J. H. Davies, of Woodstock Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Bain and little

Miss Mary Jane Gunn and Mr. Chas. Miss Tennant, of McDonald Hall.

ther, Mrs. Angus McKay.

and Roy, of the Traders' Bank. Ingersoll, were visiting at their home for Christmas. The grand Scotch concert which has

ways been a favorite with Embro audiences, but her singing on this night surpassed all ether occasions.

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efinitely settled, but it will be been \$10,000 and \$12,000 per annum. Cost Met By Tax.

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nat section will be compelled to pay he rate fixed upon. •

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and \$12,000." said Mr. John Graham. In mentioning this sum, there is nothng mentioned as to a revenue. From ate about 200-horsepower. That could used for many purposes, heating did not consider that at all. In addition there are clinkers or some mathat are splendid for roadmaking, and we might obtain revenue from that

"The situation has not been decided There would be absolutely no objection to that save for sentibad odors or anything of the sort. If

should be adopted. The city needs reat this bylaw.

BANK TELLER'S THEFTS AMOUNT TO THOUSANDS

Confesses That He Took \$175,000-Spent Most in Games of "Chance."

frauded of \$175,000 by a teller named Harry Willhardt.

ried, and has been connected with the cost. bank since his youth. He has confessed to the defalcation.

robbed of \$125,000 in 1908 by a book-keeper, who killed himself after arrest. Although the auditing system was thereupon "reorganized," the deviated that he might not have been declared that friends of is, to give my best service to the city, and administer any department with the insurance rate in the city were innordinately high. Every year, from \$350,000 to \$500,000 was paid out in best of my ability. If elected I will do best of my ability ability ability. If elected I will do best of my ability ability ability ability. If elected I will do best of my ability The same branch of the bank was only came to light by chance.

An official statement issued by the tank explains that the teller's method was the simple and familiar one of forging the signatures of customers ing himself the money out of funds in positors, with whose balances he was people. tampering, and after entering the stolen amounts, would return the ac-

counts certified as correct. Willhardt is said to have wasted his ill-gotten gains in trying to get some- on Niagara power. He had been told speaker insisted that the thing for nothing in stock exchange that he was to get \$50,000 if the plant rates would be lowered if there had speculation and in riotous living. His of the London Electric was sold to denced by the plant rates would been ample fire protection, as was evispeculation and in riotous living. His of the London Electric was sold to denced by the preferential rate refriends believed that his opulence was the city. He denied absolutely that he ceived by companion the rate redue to his wife's fortune and to his had ever been offered, directly or insystems installed.

The candidates for the city and the city are considered by the preferential rate reknow a number of people signed that candidates for the city and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkler petition to get Mr. Beck to run, and considered by companies that had sprinkle

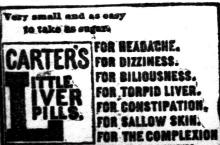
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CANDIDATES AGAIN ASK

Continued From Page One. tries, and London would have to do the same if she were to hold her own.
Toronto had a large fund, acquired from the sale of tax lands, and money was used to induce factories to locate in that city. Brantinduce ford, Hamilton and other places were similarly situated, and it was the duty of the city of London to purchase land and inaugurate a campaign for industries. On principle he was op-

posed to bonusing, but it was a neo-sity, and the citizens must real that. He advised that a fund be exto be sold at a nominal price to man clared that it was a matter entirely The necessary money could be raised by subscription or debentures or by the formation of a joint stock company, and would certainly yield a revenue.

railway. He came 140 miles to assist was not in settling the trouble, but was not met for three weeks. When they did not take ten mintainly yield a revenue.

Priestley's 54-inch Serge, regular 75c, sale price

lar 75c, sale price joint stock company, and would cermet for three weeks. The formation joint stock company, and would cermet together it did not take ten mintainly yield a revenue. tainly yield a revenue.

The Tax Rate.

Ald. Beattie dealt with the criticism regarding the high tax rate. It Beattie has said regarding the neceswas but little higher than the average sity of storm sewers," said Ald. Fergurate for the past 10 years, and was en-son. "It is the only way to take the tirely due to the growth in the deben-ture debt, and school expenditure. The You have had much trouble in the speaker pointed out that the deben-ture debt of the city was growing at an alarming rate. The increase in only way to preserve your present systaxes from assessment had been eaten tem in any sort of efficiency. I advise milar to the present street water up for the past two or three years by you to vote for it." of prices has not the board of education. Ten years but it is probable ed on the number the local improvement debt charges would not be great, and the people will a single indihad been mounting rapidly also in the meantime. In 1899 these debts amounted to \$301,870.94, while last year they had reached the total of the first the stream of the country of the coun had reached the total of \$696,012.46, a stroyed much cheaper than the present It is proposed to cover about three-earts of the city with the scheme. sidered that there were too many Within that area, the system will be sidewalks and curbs and gutters in compulsory, and those who reside in certain quarters, and advised that less

A Misinformed Man.

cut down the tax rate to 18 mills if elected," said Ald. Beattie. "That man cannot be well informed as to civic sters' strike, and insisted that he had affairs. The council controls about affairs. The council controls about stood for fair treatment for the work\$200,000, little more than the board of ingmen. education handles. If the rate were "I am of the opinion from information we received that the cost of maintenance will be from between \$10.000 purposes. The absurdity of such a tin table. A large part of the expenditure during the present year was purposes. The absurdity of such a tin table. statement is manifest.

The Bylaws.

the quantity of garbage to be disposed in dealing with the bylaws, Ald, beattie advised the ratepayers to vote down the \$70,000 for underground work thought such work was desirable, but speaker.

apon, but it will probably be on the storm sewers, but each year the ex- years, and it was necessary for the river bank quite close to the centre of penditure has been put off, owing to citizens' safety that it be wisely and a desire to keep down the rates. Every honestly spent. He had not a past year cellars are flooded, and roads record to defend in civic matters, and mental reasons, as there would be no damaged, and the council has been this might be an advantage. usked to pay damages. While we must In referring to the great success of the long hauls would be saved, and would lessen the cost.

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This was not be great success of the artesian well scheme, he lamented that there had been uncalled for opposition to this proposition in some quarters. "I think the idea we have adopted penny wise and pound foolish to deters. This was not fair, nor right, as the best one for the city, and I think the idea we have adopted penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city, and I think is the best one for the city, and I think the idea we have adopted penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is the best one for the city, and I think it is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a penny wise and pound foolish to determine the city and I think is a

He also advocated the garbage by-electric scheme. Those the system would have to pay for it. zens. and he advised them to vote for it.

The Power Question.

with his position on the power ques- the citizens of London. has been caused in financial circles tion, and declared that his object in by the announcement that the Frank- opposing some phases of the question fort branch of the Mitteldeusche was to obtain better terms for the fort branen of the leading estab- city. He pointed out that while the utilities commission, followed, and delishments of the empire, has been deround numbers \$3,000,000, and there that he had consented to be a candiwere thirteen municipalities in the date. He was persuaded that he busizone, nevertheless London was asked ness experience would be of assistance The embezzler is 37 years old, mar- to pay \$671,000, or one-fifth of the in solving the problems bound to arise

Falls than London, had to pay only favor and to the best of his ability. about one-third of London's price. He declared that he might not have been dustries was due, in great measure, was thereupon "reorganized," the de- out, London would have received better the contract falcations now discovered have been ter treatment. However, the contract vears ago the underwriters upward the day. going on for a number of years, and had been signed, the city was tied up citizens to obtain a more adequate to light by chance. to the scheme, and, if elected, he would water supply, and their wishes not give his best attention towards making being complied with, the rate was init a success in every sense.

Sunday Cars. was taken up, and he declared that if tional one-half per cent was added. carrying heavy cash deposits and pay- elected and the census of Assessment Had sufficient water been supplied, his keeping. Each month he would ob- ulation of 50,000, he would see to it been increased to such a great extent, tain the current accounts of five de- that the bylaw was submitted to the land the people of London would have

stand. Ald. Beattle stated that he had been rate was greater than the rental. The directly, one cent for his services, and systems installed. delared that he considered it good business to purchase the London Elecbusiness to purchase the London Bletting and eliminate all competition. Ald, tric and eliminate all competition. Ald, ness foresight," said Mr. Pocock.

Beattie also denied that he was in any interested eliminate the been badly been badly way, directly or indirectly interested in the City Gas Company.

In closing he asked for their support, and promised to serve the best

interests of the citizens. Ald. Ferguson.

Ald, Ferguson followed. He pointed to his record, and declared that he had endeavored to serve the city faithfully and well. There had been no glowing petition presented to him asking him to run, but scores of citizens of every walk of life, and of all political stripes, had asked him to be a candidate, and he had consented.

Ald. Ferguson gave a number of statistics showing the uncontrollable expenditure. Among them was the de-from this railway. That is but a fair benture rate, \$198,000, hospital expen-return on an investment of \$300,000. ditures \$10,000, administration of jus- Look at the Southwestern Traction tice \$9,850, police department \$48,000, Company. It was sold not long ago \$10,682, hospital trust \$35,000, board of road is yielding a great deal more than health \$5,070, relief \$8,527, compensa- our road, although it is not so good a penditures over which the aldermen for trade. We should receive much had little or no control. There was left better returns from our road but a small proportion for spending, that, and it is the citizens' right to get and of that a large part was also uncontrollable. This included the fire assets. Take the little road at Guelph, brigade, \$40,000, and other similar mat-

inordinately extravagant.

declared the people should decide themselves. When a petition was presented asking for a plebiscite, he voted to allow the people to express their opinions on the subject. When the population reached 50,000 he would again vote to have the citizens declare their minds on the subject. When the population reached the standard set by the Legislature he would have a

vote taken if elected mayor.

His stand was similar to that of Ald. Beattie on the power question - he fought long and hard for better terms.
As the matter was now settled, he would assist all he could in making

the scheme a success. Briefly he dealt with the difficulty over the purchase of land for the pumphouse on Horton street, and derailway. He came 140 miles to assist

Supports the Bylaw.

"I agree with every word that Ald.

method and much safer.

The Smoke Bylaw. Ald. Ferguson took the credit for passing the smoke nuisance bylaw. This would prove of inestimable benefit to the citizens in the future, and The other areas will be taken in from ime to time, as they see the need of t, and will be taxed accordingly.

"Some person said that he would cut down the tax rate to 18 mills if within the city limits."

The system decided upon will be education handles. If the rate were the incinerator type, capable of completely destroying 50 tons of garbage daily. There will be no need of fuel.

The matter of deputations was dealt with at some length, and he showed that in other years the expenses for deputations had been confuel.

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> In concluding he asked for the support of the electors, and promised economical civic government.

Mr. A. T. McMahen, candidate for in connection with the power plant. He the utilities commission, was the next the present state of the city finances to seek public office, and he had not would not permit of the expenditure sought the honor. In response to a terial coming from the incinerator of such a sum. He desired to keep the large petition he had consented, and cost of construction as low as possible, would give the citizens the benefit of "The storm sewer system is an abso- a long business experience in the solulute necessity," declared Ald. Beattie, tion of civic problems. Large sums of "Every year there is a demand for money must be spent in the coming

> that London had some system of gar- the promoters in making them most bage disposal. The initial expenditure successful, as the schemes were unwould be \$30,000, and those who used doubtedly in the interests of the citithought There was no doubt of its necessity, should select men in hearty sympathy with both schemes, and he promised was dealt with fairly, and that a wise The speaker dealt at some length and economical government was given

Mr. Philip Pocock Mr. Phil. Pocock, candidate for the during the coming year, and if elected St. Thomas, further away from the he would do his duty without fear or The failure of London to obtain increased one-half per cent. Still the citizens and water commissioners fail-His attitude towards Sunday cars ed to solve the problem, and an addi- tention as he would his own. He came Commissioner Grant showed the pop- the insurance rates would not have eulogium of Hon. Adam Beck. been saved thousands of dollars. eople.

His platform was "No politics in Pocock estimated that \$150,000 His platform was No pointes the been unnecessarily contributed because of the failure to solve the water ques-Ald. Beattie stated that he had been tion. In some quarters the insurance

Business Foresight. "The need of civic bodies is a busi- ticket." Think of an insurance rate of about 5 per cent. No manufacturer would for a moment consider coming to London in face of such conditions. Efficient fire protection, with plenty of the conditions of the condition of all teaching. Only the foundation of all teaching only the foundation of all teaching. Only the foundation of all teaching this.

The L. and P. S. Railway.

and declared it to be unwarranted. and Port Stanley Railway," continued the speaker. "It is preposterous think that the city receives but \$15,000 collegiate Institute \$40.000, public and for \$535,000, and a few weeks later separate schools \$167,890, library board changed hands again for \$700,000. That tion to injured firemen \$2.000—all ex- road, nor has it as great opportunities than

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FOR NEW YEAR'S CHEER ORDER CARLING'S

UNIFORMITY

"I have made only one pledge-that voted on,

Ex-Ald. Wyatt followed, and exthe water commission, and would give the business of the city the same atout as an advocate of municipal ownership, and wound up with a fulsome

Ex-Ald. Matthews. Ex-Ald. R. F. Matthews started the

experience in the council should stand him in good stead on the water commission.

"I have had no requisition asking me the power and water problems." to run," said Mr. Matthews. know a number of people signed that

one of the prime requisites for the inducing of industries to come hare one of the prime requisites for the industries to come have one of the prime requisites for the industries to come have one of the control of th here, they would lower the insurance the efficiency of the staff.

Mr. Matthews charged that about dozen men tried to run the city, but they could not run him. He was for the people, and if they wanted a man of that stamp, elect him.

As for Sunday cars, Ald. Ferguson in civic affairs, and the business of of the city had taken a very active in-

the city should be conducted along terest in this, and it was largely date for the anti-vaccination league, proper business lines.

plained that he was a candidate for oughly, and I am going to see, if the statement that the teachers were elected, that the citizens get a fair deal on every hand. "I am also a warm advocate of the power policy. I have always been, and cination, and asked for the support of will continue to be so. You can lose the electors on the anti-vaccination nothing by electing a man who knows platform.

the problem from every angle. "I am certain a large number of those on the petition for the other gentlemen will vote for me. In my civic lowed. By this time few people claimed himself as the independent tiemen will vote for me. In my tivic lowed. By this time few people recitizens' candidate, and considered that career I have tried to give everybody mained in the hall. Mr. John G. Richtlie approximate in the career I have tried to give everybody mained in the hall. Mr. John G. Richtlie approximate in the career I have tried to give everybody mained in the hall. Mr. John G. Richtlie approximate in the career I have tried to give everybody mained in the hall. Elect me, and have one member on the solicitation of a

The candidates for the board of ed-

obligation to vote the rest of the that it would be his aim to keep the kindergarten to the highest state of be content. "There is only one such name on the efficiency. He criticised the plea for economy that was used in dealing with the future. You talk of obtaining new industries, but the lack of foresight in industries, but the lack of foresight in I was told at the car shops the other ject of the board, they should have be claimed, and was of the opinion keeping industries from our midst. lieve it."

Think of an insurance rate of about 5 Mr. Matthews promised clean, ecoper cent. No manufactures in a was told at the car snops the other started at the collegiate, and not at the foundation of all teaching. Only a small percentage of the children of

J. I. A. Hunt solicited the votes of ducing of industries to come here, and and the lawn services. With these the electors, and took the ground that chairman on motion of Ald. Cooper we should use business forestebs in we should use business foresight in restored, the revenue would be as great double sessions for the kindergartners this. as ever. He called the underwriters was the proper thing from a business the greatest trust in Canada, and standpoint. It was giving the privileges doubted that if all the water within of the kindergarten to a larger numcism levelled at the outgoing council, sight in connection with the London hundreds of miles were concentrated ber of children, and did not destroy hand and port Stanley Balloned it to be unwarranted.

Reorganize the Collegiate. W. R. Colby came out flat-footed

for the reorganization of the collegiate. and claimed that many high-salaried teachers were not earning their stipend. He alluded to the very unsatisfactory returns at the recent depart-Mayor Stevely thanked the electors mental examinations, and claimed that for past favors, and asked them for these unsatisfactory results were due, their support as a candidate for the not to difficult papers, but to poor water commission. He pointed out that management at the collegiate. As for the business of the year had been con- the kindergarten, he did not object to ducted along economical lines, as evi- double sessions particularly, but he denced by the surplus of \$5,000 this did object to cutting off one hour from year. He put in a good word for the storm sewers bylaw and the garbage system bylaw. He quoted ex-Mayor send little children out of school in ters. There was notice room for the session, exposing travagance, and of this the council of and it is not to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the the middle of the session, exposing travagance, and of this the council of and it is not to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the the middle of the session, exposing travagance, and of this the council of and it is not to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the the middle of the session, exposing travagance, and of this the council of and it is not to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the the middle of the session, exposing travagance, and of this the council of and it is not to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the the middle of the session, exposing travagance, and of this the council of and it is not to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the little statement with re travagance, and of this the council of land it is not to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the line middle of the session, exposing 1909 had not been guilty. In spite of road. Our line is going begging at sewers, and declared that in the light them to dangers from street cars and sewers, and declared that in the light them to dangers from street cars and sewers, and declared that in the light the hours should be so timed of practical experience the storm sewers. The hours should be so timed the sewers as a sewer of practical experience the storm sewer into the future and several line to be compared to our Little's statement with reference to the light them to dangers from street cars and sewers, and declared that in the light them to dangers from street cars and of practical experience the storm sewer. criticism the council of this year would have a surplus of over \$5,604, a most into the future, and if Niagara power creditable record, and an effective answer to the criticisms that they had city could electrify that road, and make swer to the criticisms that they had city could electrify that road, and make any quantity of money. My chief in the council of this year would be sent that the little kiddies would be sent that the little kiddies would be sent that the same time that the older were not laid the city would have to home at the same time that the little kiddies would be sent into the future, and if Niagara power is were a necessity. If the sewers is were an ecessity. If the sewers into the city would have to home at the same time that the older scholars. He also favored repealing the polynomial of the proposition of the city would be sent that the little kiddies would be sent into the future, and if Niagara power is were a necessity. If the sewers is were an ecessity in the same time that the older were not laid the city would have to home at the same time that the older scholars. He also favored repealing the proposition of the proposition of the city would have to home at the same time that the older were not laid the city would have to home at the same time that the little kiddies would be sent that the little kiddies would be city could electrify that road, and make any quantity of money. My object in calling attention to these things is that business foresight is badly needed in civic affairs, and the business of the city had taken a gary active in.

We were not into the cuty would nave to home at the same time that the older face serious damage suits in the near scholars. He also favored repealing the bylaw making vaccination computes that business foresight is badly needed in civic affairs, and the business of the city had taken a gary active in.

on that ground.

Mr. G. N. Weekes followed, and gave

friend than I have been, and it is vaccination, and was in hearty doubtful that it would have been voted pathy with double sessions for on had I not used my good offices to kindergartners. He boosted the Colthat end. I know the situation thor- legiste Institute, and stood sponsor for McCutcheor

Mr. J. C. Spence gave a talk on vac

Audience Thins Out. A few aldermanic candidates fol-

of the board who is in touch with both citizens he had agreed to become candidate. If elected he would give economical civic administration. Ald. C. G. Moorhead was next, and stood on his record during the past two years. If it met with the comtheir duty done, and were under no form of anti-vaccination, and declared would be satisfied but its post of the later than the root of the later than the r

Ald. Cooper made a characteristic speech, and stated that the citizens of London would not have supported him 1910.

A vote of thanks was tendered the

PERE MARQUETTE RAILROAD COMPANY. Christmas and New Year's

Single Fare Good going Dec. 24 and 25; return limit, Dec. 27. Also good going Dec. 31 and Jan. 1; return limit, Jan. 3, 1910.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION

BRIDGE AND TORONTO. Arrive from the east—*3:45 a.m., 10:5t a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:28 a.m., 6:30 p.m., *8:00 p.m., 10:10 p.m. *3:00 p.m., 10:10 p.m. Arrive from the west—*12:09 a.m. *3:33 a.m., *11:30 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25

p.m.
Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:4:
a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., *11:40 a.m., 2:06
p.m., *4:35 p.m., *6:53 p.m.
Depart for the west—*3:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m.
*11:18 a.m., *11:48 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:18 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR. Arrive-10:25 a.m., 4:00 p.m., *6:50 p.m. :05 p.m. Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m.

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LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not
marked, daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. Arrive from the east—*11:25 a.m., †6:30 p.m., †7:02 p.m., *10:52 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*4:45 a.m., †12:36 Depart for the east—\$4:55 a.m., \$7:46 a.m., \$12:65 p.m., \$5:42 p.m.

Depart for the west—\$11:33 a.m., \$7:16 p.m., \$11:00 p.m.

*Daily. \$Daily, except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Depart-5:05 a.m., †7:10 a.m., 9:40 a.m. 2:30 p.m., †3:40 p.m., *7:15 p.m. Arrive—8:45 a.m., ‡12:20 p.m., 1:50 p.m.

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SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

SHOW FIRM HOLDS JOHNSON TO WORD

Chicago Theatre Gets Injunction to Enforce Verbal Contract With Jack.

CLAIMS HE FORGOT DATE

Corps of Trainers With Much Interest.

Chicago, Dec. 31.-World's heavyissued by Judge Windes of the circuit court restraining the big black from beginning Jan. 2.

The petition for the injunction was The petition for the injunction was filed by David B. and Max Weber, Trank G. Rankin and Basil A. Dillton. lated. The registrations: owners of the theatre. They asserted Stratford (junior) Wm. Gerby, Thos. in singles. The leaders follow: that in November they entered into an Rigg, R. M. MacInnes, Jas. W. Lowe, agreement with Johnson whereby he C B Killer I C Maynard Harold M Class 1—Owe, 2-6 of 15; No. 1, agreement with Johnson whereby he was to appear at the theatre during the week of Dec. 20 at a salary of A. Dillton, Ernest R. Holden, subsequently requested them to postpone the date of his appearance to the pone the date of his appearance to the ton Reid. Alex. Muir. Henderson Troy-

was a verbal one, entered into another contract for an extended tour, including the week of Jan. 2, and refused absolutely to abide by the agreement entered into iwth the Weber brothers. The bill also sets forth that large sums money have been spent in adver-

tising purposes. Was Little Concerned. Johnson appeared in court with

nd make a motion to dissolve the B. May.

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champion in testing films, to be used Lockhart, Gordon Coulter, Percy by the moving picture concern which zon, D Barrow, Patrick Boland, W. J. will take pictures of the big fight. Jack Carter, R. E. Vance, realizes he ought to make a fortune out of the lictures and he intends to see that nothing is wrong with any part of the picture-taking apparatus. Having had experience with the chines, Jack has a good idea of how things ought to be on the day of the battle, and he asserted yesterday that Hartwig Rechnitzer, Brother of Lonthe machine would be put throug

several severe tests. Goes to Logansport Tomorrow.

fight with Jeff.

of trainers which Jeffries is daily signing to assist him in training. "If signing to assist nim in training. "If' The proceeds of the evening went to fighters, wrestlers, trainers and athieffects, wrestlers, trainers and athieffects would win this fight, I am licked already," Jack said. "Why there's Mr. Rechnitzer is a brother of Mr. already." Jack said. "Why there's Corbett, Gotch, Attel, Roller, Berger, O'Kelley, McCormick, Tommy Ryan and a lot more who are sure to be seen in his camp. These men may help him in training, but they will not assist him much when he gets into the ring on July 4. He is the man who will have to beat me and not the

Won't Help "Jeff" in Ring.

These men may be able to teach Jeff something, but I doubt whether they will be able to do any more than to help get him into condition. I firmly believe Jeff knows the game as thoroughly as any of the men mentioned, said Griffith yesterday, "but it does and will fight me with the same tactics with which he won the championship and defended it against all comers

"If I am successful in this fight I hope the American people will give me wrong, because an umpire was in t the credit I believe will be due me. way, and the players could not see. Since peor old Bob Fitzsimmons was want them to stand on the outfield defeated by Bill Lang in Australia last side of the base line and give their week, the story has gone around that decisions there, the other umpire re-Fitz was too old and that Jeff will maining behind the catcher at suffer the same result. If these stories times. I think with this rule in force are true and if I succeed in winning we could have a whole lot less wrangfrom Jeffries, the people will say, 'He ling than we have now, and the public outfielder of the Denver Western League is a strong, husky fighter, while Jefwould get a little better ball playing fries was too old and has been out of for their money." fries was too old and has been out of for their money."

the game too long.' "Jeffries must know I am no slouch and I intend to get myself in superb condition for this fight, and if he does beat me, Jack Johnson will not be going around making any excuses. All I want is a square deal and an un-Jimmy Carroll, also of San Francisco. prejudiced opinion from the American Attell had the better of the first seven people after the fight."

O. H. A. DECISIONS Goderich Player Who Struck a Referee Refused Reinstatement.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—At a meeting of the O. H. A. sub-committee today it was decided to refuse the application for reinstatement of John C. Wiggins, of Goderich, expelled in 1907 for striking a referee, J. L. Thompson, bank clerk, moved from Listowel to Paris, received rermission to play with the

R. Johnson, of Hespeler, which has no team this year, was allowed to play with Preston intermediates. Permission was refused W. I. Lambe of Hension was refused W. L. Lambe, of Hepworth, to play with Owen Sound. Champion Watches .Jeffries' .Growing A certificate was refused Herb. Johnstone, of Owen Sound, under suspension for a year by the Western Football Association.

FRANK RANKIN TO

team from Stratford only two players ways the most important, is regarded took out certificates today. They are as the best that ever has been tabu
Frank G. Rankin and Basil A. Dillton lated

Harry Carnegie, Mark Turner, Wm. roy, Robert, No. 11, Palmer, R.H. No.
C. Ingram, Earl Woodley, Wm. E. 12, Bundy, T. C.
Hall, Cecil V. Purdy, Roy Woodley, Wilton Balfour, L. S. Corrin.
Strathroy (intermediate) — George Pell, T. R. No. 16, Inman, F. C. No.
Urquhart, Roy McCandless, James R. 17, Emerson, Nat.
Jervis, G. W. Prangley, E. L. McKellar. F. W. Robinson, Wm. Avery. Ted Wright, Stanley Menish, L. A. McKel-lar, Roy C. Avery, Alex. Collins, Stan-H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander. ford Smith.

Port Dalhousie (intermediate)-J. L. E. McLoughlin and G. J. James.

St. Paul's A. C., Toronto (intermediate)-Leo J. Layden, Ernest Lavigne, Most of the day aws spent bp the D. H. Croft, John Bartley, Eugene

Johnson will leave tomorrow for Logansport, where he is booked for a cone-night stand. He will not be back in Chicago until early in April, when he will start training at his home for the Jeffries battle. The tour on which the terms in which it had been adver- September to meet the doctor was in Ieduc, centre: Pare, right wing; Ratte about to start will take in tised. Rechnitzer, who is an ex-cham- attendance on Dr. Pflug. Boston.

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But when the months of the large partition of the large partitio events in the Jeffries camp. The champion is a close observer and sees deeper into things than a lot of peodeeper into things than a lot of peo-pie give him credit for. Few people a number of fancy and intricate moveknow that he used his own judgment ments, embracing a variety of some of in drawing the final articles for his the best figure work and musical rythm Says Case Was an Internal Affair Bethat has ever been witnessed in Galt. Jack Is No Dub.

Although his manager was present Jack did all the talking, and argued against points which Jeffries and his attorneys tried to have inserted in their favor after the fight.

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Mr. Rechnitzer is a brother of Mr. Rechnitzer, manager of the Do- peal from the finding of that board. minion Provision Company, of London.

WANTS RULE CHANGED

Manager Griffith Would Keep Umpires Pitchers From Michigan and Ohio and Out of Way During Play.

around in the way when you've got a good play, and have him step into it and knock the whole business. "Very often I have seen signals go wrong, because an umpire was in the way and the players could not see. I

won the "decision of the house" over

Winners of the Most Important 1909 Stakes

Event.	value.	w miner.	Second.	I miru.	Owner.
French Grand P	rix. \$74,155	Verdum	Rebella	Union	Rofhschil
French Derby	40,600	Negefol	Union	Oversight	Vanderbi
Futurity	31,000	Sweep	Candleberry	Grasmere	J. R. Kee
Belmont Stakes.	30,000	Joe Madden	Wise Mason	Don. McDonald	S. C. Hild
English Derby	30,000	Minorou	Louviers	William IV.	King Edv
French Oaks	25,000	Union			Edmond
Tidal Stakes	20,000	Hilarious	Fayette	Joe Madden	J. R. Kee
Lawrence Realiz	at'n 15,000	FitzHerbert	Olambala .	Fayette	S. C. Hild
Withers	11,070	Hilarious	Joe Madden	Fayette	J. R. Kee
Burns Handicap	10,000	King James	Dorante	Milford	S. C. Hild
Brooklyn Derby	10,000	Joe Madden	Fayette	County Clerk	S. C. Hild
California Derby	y 6,000	High Private	Joe Madden	Tom Haywood	H. A. For
Kentucky Derby	6,000	Wintergreen	Miami	Dr. Barclay	J. B. Res
Met. Handicap	5,000	King James	Fayette	Juggler	S. C. Hild
Suburban	5,000	FitzHerbert	Alfred Noble	Fayette	S. C. Hild
Brooklyn Handi	cap. 5,000	King James	Restigouche	Celt	S. C. Hild
Latonia Derby.	5.000	Olambala.	The Peer	Plate Glass	J. W. Gre
Los Angeles Der	rby 5,000	Joe Madden	Guy Fisher	High Private	S. C. Hild
Toronto Cup	5,000	King James	Arondack	High Private	S. C. Hild
					Anna Carlo

LARNED AT TOP OF TENNIS MEN

Singles Champion Is Ranked in Class By Himself on His 1909 Form.

perts, Are Rated Well Down the List.

New York, Dec. 30.—The annual weight champion pugilist Jack Johnson appeared in a courtroom for the occasion, however, it wasn't a "pinch" for speeding his motor car that brought him there but an injunction

That Series—O. H. A. Registrations.

PLAY JUNIOR AGAIN

ranking of the lawn tennis players of the United States for the past of the Un ranking of the lawn tennis players in That Series—O. H. A. Registrations.

In the remainder of the list the work of the ranking committee, Dr. P. B. Hawk, University of Illinois, Ur. Boston, and C. F. Watson, Jun., Orange, of players registered with the O. H. A. N. L. campages a surprise although in Nelson, and Nelson, and C. F. Watson, Jun., Orange, fight could not be held in San Francisco, Nelson, and C. F. Watson, Jun., Orange, fight could not be held in San Francisco, Nelson said. appearing in any theatre in Chicago of players registered with the O. H. A. N.J., came as a surprise, although, in Nelson said:

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"I have assurances from Hester that except the Alhambra during the week today. Of last year's junior champion its main features, the single list, al-

Altogether 93 players were ranked Singles.

Doubles.

Class 2-Owe, 1-6 of 15. No. 2, M. several friends, but aws not repre-ented by an attorney. The court ad-vied that he could come in any time Gordon Hand, Harry Bowman, Charles H. H. Hackett and R. D. Little. No.

GIVES ITSELF THE LAUGH

Members of Brooklyn Club Hold throughout each season. Mock Reception to Double of Explorer. New York Dec. 31.-Members of the

Bushwick Club last night held a mock Took Opening Match From Nationals reception for Dr. F. A. Cook, describclaim of discovering the pole has been handily. The teams were: discredited.

lesque was Dr. Charles Pflug, a Brook- centre: Marks, right wing; Norman, MARSH TRIMS A

tween Minor Leagues.

"The question involved is entirely The proceeds of the evening went to to what minor league club has title to

THE PHILLIES SECURE THREE NEW PLAYERS

an Infielder From Indiana.

on the draw Philadelphia won.

DENVER PLAYER SETS **NEW BOWLING RECORD**

Bowls Twenty-Two Strikes in Succession for an Average of 266 2-3.

Denver, Col., Dec. 30.-Ira Belden, an ATTELL BEAT CARROLL.

Portland, Oregon, Dec. 31.—In a "no decision" ten-round contest here last night. Monte Attell, of San Francisco, which is a record for the Rocky Mountain region, was made in a private game.

"FOXY" GRIFFITH MAKES A BAD PLAY

Red's Manager Caught By Own Boomerang-Refuses to Waive on Player and Loses Him.

had been caught in one of his own boomerangs. The Brooklyn club recently ask-

TAYLOR GIVES A MARKED CHECK

Puts Up a \$1,000 Guarantee That He Will Remain for Season With

Renfrew Club. Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 30. — Apparently there is no possibility of Fred Taylor doing the "Finnigan" act and again jumping back to the Ottawas. Taylor, it now develops, has given the Renfrew hockey club his marked check for one thousand dollars as guarantee that he will stay with the creamery town team for this season. He is to receive \$3,000 for the year in addition to a position and a bonus McLoughlin and Long, California Ex- in the event of their winning the Stanley cup.

NELSON IS AFTER WOLGAST FOR FIGHT

Wants Battle Pulled Off in 'Frisco or Not at All.

Milwaukee, Dec. 30.-Battling Nelson,

RULES MEETING TO BE OPEN ONE

Baseball Writers, Umpires and Managers Will Be Invited To Aid Committee.

week of Jan. 2, which was agreed upon.

Loss of Money Alleged.

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Teacher No. 11 Palmer, R.H. No. ern the championship day voiced his lieved from serving on the rules committee. The White Sox master wants his new manager, Hugh Duffy, to preside, and it was this request that prompted Johnson to arrange for monster gathering of the clans in Chi

cago during February. The American League rules commit-No. tee, as named by Johnson, consists of Wrenn. Messrs. Comiskey, of Chicago, Somers, of Cleveland, and Noyes, chairman, of National League Officials Indignant Washington. According to Johnson, Over Waiver Cases—Trace Seepwith the umpires and managers on deck, all the officials of the game will have better opportunities to meet and discuss the rules, thereby building up a platform of harmony to reign

MONTREAL WON

by 7 to 2 Score.

Montreal-Moran, goal; Ross, point; in January in Jersey City. Impersonating Cook at this bur- Povey, cover; Cochrane, rover; Kane,

The same com- Nationals - Menard, goal; Dubeau, left wing.

made of a mahogany chair to the coach, for a race with Marsh, There was a good Ralph C. Ridley. A cup, suitably en- crowd at the contest.

Is Officially Announced as Owner of Quaker Town Ball Lot.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 30.—It was officially announced this afternoon that Charles P. Taft, of Cincinnati, purchased the grounds of the Philadelphia National League baseball club from John I. Rogers and A. J.

Griffith, of the National League rules committee, says there is one rule relating to umpires which ought to be changed.

"I don't like to be called a kicker," and Griffith yesterday, "but it does make me mad to have an umpire of the made of the m took place this afternoon, Charles W. played by girls. The action followed a Murphy, president of the Chicago Na-spirited debate, in which the half-hundred to the chicago Na-spirited debate, in which the half-hundred to the chicago Na-spirited debate. tional League club, represented Taft.
Reach and Rogers were the owners of the local National League franchise

> Horace Fogel, in a statement issued today, said that all the shares in the ball club are owned by Philadelphia But Paris Match Had Already Been

KELLY GETS TWO BOUTS

Chicago Middleweight Will Box in Boston and Pittsburg.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Hugo Kelly, the Chicago Italian middleweight, was yesterday signed to fight before the Armory A. C. of Boston, Jan. 11, his probable opponent being Frank Klaus, of Pittsburg. Should Klaus refuse to meet Kelly, Frank Manalso has signed to box before Jimmy Dime's club in Pittsburg, although the date has not been set.

GANZEL GETS FIVE NEW MEN. Rochester, Dec. 30.—As a New Year's Cincinnati, Dec. 30.—Manager Griffith, gift to the Rochester fans Manager of the Reds, admitted tonight that he Ganzel purchased five players from the Brooklyn club. The players are: Edward Holly, shortstop; Harry Pattee, erangs. The Brooklyn club recently ask-ed for waivers on Pitcher Knetzer. All clubs but the Reds refused to waive. The deal gives Rochester a clear title Then Griffith sat back and waited until to each player. It also comes within an it was time to pay over the money and ace of completing the Rochester infield Jimmy Tooley will be the utility in- tice they can be counted on to play in and bound himself to the local club for fielder.

MINER BROWN IS ON HOSPITAL LIST

Cuban Trip Results in Fever, and Player Is Carried From the Train to His Home.

NAP RUCKER INJURED

Barnstorming Trip-A Chance For Magnates.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—A telegram tonight from Rosedale, Ind., told of the illness of "Three-Fingered" Brown, the result of fever contracted while touring Cuba with the All-Stars. Brown was taken and while returning from the tenrice and the returning from the tenrice and with the All-Stars. Brown was taken in while returning from the tropics, and was removed from the train at Terre the Irish and Scotch will be held at Haute. President Al Tearney, of the the Thistle Rink tomorrow morning. Three-I. League, received word tonight The Celts will be led by "Bill" Fulton, from the alling flinger to the effect that and the Scotch by Bart McDonald. from the ailing flinger to the effect that and the Scots by Bert McDonald. he was resting easy, and hoped to return to Chicago in ten days.

Nap. Rucker's Case. Brown is the second member of the Cuban party to be put to the bad as a result of the trip. Nap Rucker, the Brooklyn pitcher, strained a tendon in his leg while pitching in Havana, and is now laid up. He had been paid \$200 by his club to refuse an offer to go to the Pacific coast with the All-Nationals, and is now in doubly bad through breach of faith and his injury.

These two cases will go a long way toward strengthening the plans of the

AERO MEET O. K.

Announces That He Will

Sanction It. New York, Dec. 30.—President Cortlandt Field Bishop, of the Aero Club of Ameri-ca, announced this afternoon that he

MAGNATES FIND LEAKS

Over Waiver Cases-Trace Seepage to Quakers.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 20.—Magnates of the National League over the circuit are indignant because of the leak that has developed within the last two weeks re- 1, Wicket 20 to 1. garding the asking of waivers on players about to be disposed of. This seepage has been traced to Phila-This seepage has been traced to rimated elphia, it is claimed, and from a high John Louis 9 to 2, source in balldom it was learned today. Hamper 4 to 1, that steps will be taken by the national Fernando 7 to 10. by 7 to 2 Score.

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bounded as the man who mislaid the North Pole. It was a travesty on the reception of four months ago, when Cook, a member of the club, arrived from Copenhagen smothered in Danish laurels. Its object was to show that the members of the club appreciate the evening by a score of 7 to 2 the change in Cook's affairs since his ter of the match throughout and won be taken by the national commission to close it up.

The recent bulletins affecting the ask-ing of waivers, it is said by at least three club officials, all come from Philadelphia club officials, all come from Philadelphia commission to close it up.

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FOUR-FLUSHER Jolly 8 to 1.

Art Burn, of Calgary, Beaten at Five lord 8 to 1. Miles in Very Slow Time.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 30.-John Marsh Vancouver. B. C., Dec. of John Market 1 10m Dollan 2 to 3, Dreager 3 to 3, lapped Art Burn in their five-mile race Malecon 10 to 1, here last night at the Imperial Rink, and here last night at the Imperial Rink, and Col. Zeb 5 to 2, Vanadiam 8 to 5, won easily in the comparatively fast time tion was tendered to the Dundas Rug-by club, intermediate Canadian cham-pions, at the town hall tonight. Each then Marsh took the lead at the begin-1, Autumn Gi ON HALLMAN APPEAL by ciuo, intermediate pions, at the town hall tonight. Each then Marsh took the lead at the begin of the players was presented by Mayor pionent. St. Yves was present as a judge, but would not make any statement to but would not make any statement to your correspondent as to his future plans

OLD JOB FOR HERRMANN

Cincinnati Man Slated for Re-Election as Commission Head.

THE PHILLES FIELD

Chicago, Dec. 30.—President Johnson, of the American League, announced yes-bolt 4 to 1, League, announced as bolt 4 to 1, League, announced as owner of the American League, announced yes-bolt 4 to 1, League, announced as owner of which he is a member, will meet at Cincinnati next Wednesday. It is understood that a chairman will be elected, and common gossip is that Garry Herrmann, of Cincinnati, is sure of re-election.

Johnson and President Johnson, Sally Prestor to 2, Daradise Quaker Town Ball Lot.

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Paradise Quaker Town Ball Lot. the National League, are the two voters

VETO GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Illinois High School Athletic Heads Give Sport a Black Eye.

for a long time, and when they sold the club several years ago to a syndicate of local men, they retained syndicate of local men, they retained syndicate of local men, they retained owner-ship of the grounds. WANTED GAME TOMORROW

Aranged-The Probable Line-Up.

The junior team to represent London permit. against Paris tomorrow night will likely be: Miln, goal; McColl, point; Lackey, coverpoint; Prodgers, right wing; Carruthers, left wing; Orr, centre, and Mallen, rover. The locals expect a hard game and are going to do their utmost to win.

The Toronto A. C. inter-provincial

team wired Manager Scott, of the Lontell will oppose the Chicago boxer. Kelly dons, for an exhibition game here Saturday night, but as the junior game with Paris had already been advertised tion in the matter of liberality to horse the locals could not make connections. owners, the Coney Island Jockey Club A game may be arranged later on in will pass over to turfmen next year the season.

SPECIAL TO SIMCOE

Crowd Down for the Opening. of last season is adhered to - there London intermediates open the sea- will be \$120,000 split up among ownget the player. Now the Brooklyn man- for 1910, the only position remaining son at Simcoe Tuesday night, and the ers. agement writes it has decided to keep vacant being third base, which Man-management have had so many inquir-Knetzer. This plan to make it possible to recall a player after asking for wair. to recall a player after asking for waivers was formulated by Griffith. The Cincinnati manager says he's sorry Knetzer was recalled, for he played a wonder-

GALT CUP CHASERS LOSE TO WATERLOO

Fast Game Last Night Saw Reversal Matches Arranged for Next Week of Christmas Score.

(Special to The Advertiser.) here tonight by 8 to 4, the score of range conditions.

cover, Murphy; rover, Serviss; centre, return trip
Mallen; right, Doherty; left, Charlton.
Waterloo — Goal, Cross; point, yesterday with t Young; cover, Corbeau; rover, Stalker; Strained His Leg While Pitching on centre, Manson; right, Dusome; left. McLachlan.

IRISH AND SCOTCH

The play commences at 9:30. BRICKTON LLUB S..OOT

The Brickton Gun Club will hold ronto at Mutual street rink on Satur-

toward strengthening the plans of the magnates to bar all barn-storming trips by major league players, either by direct legislation or through the twelve-months'

The conditions will be the same as Montreal, where they will play the M. A. A. A. team tonight.

The following is looked upon as the probable linear of the Stratford invited to the st

WOULD-BE SOX EXCUSED Comiskey Disposes of Quartette to

San Francisco Club. Chicago, Dec. 31.—President Comiskey of the White Sox yesterday sold four players on his reserve list for next season, all going to the San Francisco Club of the Pacific Coast League.
The players to go are Catcher J. L. Renfrew is again after Albert Kerr, of would sanction the aeroplane meet at Los would sanction the aeroplane meet at Los cisco Club of the Pacific Coast League. The players to go are Catcher J. L. warring, secured from the Guthrie club; Pitcher Harry Stewart, of the club; Pitcher Harry Stewart, of the control of t Houston, Texas, Club; Pitcher Frank Miller, of the Des Moines Club, Outfielder Sylvester S. Flannagan, who last his last season in hockey. Do you wonder IN BASEBALL TRADES was dropped off on the coast last spring when the white legs visited the

TURF RESULTS

Oakland.

Sainotta 11 to 5, Metropolitan 5 to their way east. Sainotta 11 to 5, Metropolitan 5 to their way east.

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Salvage even, Little Buttercup 12 to 1, Col. Jack 7 to 1.

Jim Gaffney 13 to 5, Rosevale 2 to 1, John Louis 9 to 2.

Department 4 to 1. Bingenlar 4 to 1.

Rustem 6 to 1, Mike Molett 6 to 1, seasons. be taken regarding a Philadelphia club official at the National League meeting Chian Belle 9 to 2, Seasick 7 to 1, in January in Jersey City.

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Tampa. St. Deineil 2 to 5, Lou Lanier 10 to 1, Autumn Girl 3 to 2. Fundamental even, Alice Mack 3 to Serenade 4 to 1.

Warner Griswell 3 to 1. Canopian ago call for 1,500 points at 18.2 balk line for \$1,000 a side, and gross gate receipts even, Charlotte Hamilton 6 to 1. Red Hussar 8 to 1, Lillie Turner 4

to 1, Cassowary 4 to 1.

Jacksonville. Horicon 10 to 1, Clem Beachy 6 to 1, Sity, of Kingston, intercollegiate hoc-Scuples 13 to 10. Grande Dame 4 to 5, Hooray 6 to 1, Many Colors 8 to 1. Paradise Queen 7 to 2, Cowen 12 to 1, Furnace 9 to 1. County Clerk 4 to 1, St. Joseph 11

to 2, Oberon 6 to 1. NO ALLIANCE

American Amateur Athletic Union Without Connection in Canada.

New York, Dec. 30.-Jame E. Sulli-Dec. 22, the federation disbanded, and is now a part of the new body that will govern sport in Canada. The disbanding of the Canadian Federation now leaves the Amateur Athletic Union without an alliance with a Canadian governing body, and in future athletes from the United States desiring to compete in Canada, and Canadian athletes desiring to compete in the United States, must comply with the general rules of the Amateur Athletic Union in relation to securing a

THE RACING GAME **SURE IS LOOKING UP**

New York Tracks Hanging Up Big Money for Next Meet, New York, Dec. 30.-Not to be outdone by the Saratoga Racing Associa-

\$250,000 in the form of stakes, purses and overnight races. This sum will exceed the Saratoga amount by \$25,000. The spring meeting, which usually comprises 18 days of racing, calls for the approximate distribution of \$130. Intermediates Expect to Take a Big 000. In the fall, during 13 days of racing-if the schedule of racing dates

> RALPH WORKS SIGNS UP. Detroit News: Ralph Works, the tall

NATIONALS TO BOWL **GALT AND TORONTO**

Local Challenge Accepted.

The challenge of Ayres and Water. Waterloo, Dec. 30.—The Galt pro. worth to meet West and Culham on ockey team, which goes after the the National alleys, has been accepted, Stanley Cup next week, were defeated and the men will meet shortly to ar-

Christmas afternoon being reversed by The London bowlers will go to Tothe locals.

The London bowlers will go to Toronto next week for the challenge Following was the line-up.
Galt—Goal, Booth; point, Borland; and will probably be played on the

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HOCKEY PARAGRAPHS

even they have had in years.
Eatons and Toronto Rowing Club will Earl Gustin, formerly of Woodstock, is playing with a Cleveland team this sea-The Argos left Toronto last night for

probable lineup of the Stratford junior team: Goal, Bradshaw or Killer; point, Dillon; coverpoint, Monteith: rover, Lowe; centre, Maynard; wings, MacInnes

Lowe; centre, Maynard; wings, MacInnes and Hoiden.

Jerry Laflamme, of St. Michaels, is holidaying at his home in Woodstock and practicing with the intermediates of that city. He has put on twenty pounds since last winter, and is in good condition after a season with the St. Michaels O. D. E. L. and Canadian intermediates. Ottawa officials say they'll make no attempt to get Taylor back this time Renfrew appears to have a great deal more money than horse sense.

Manager Bate, of Ottawa, says this is

ut it seems to have nailed Fred Taylor this time. Winnipeg hockey players will figure in Eastern puck-chasing circles this winter. Not only will Walter Bellamy be on the lineup of the Mentreal Shamrocks, but Barney Holden and Tommy Dunderdale as well. Holden and Dunderdale are on

Hamper 4 to 1, Binocular 4 to 1, Belmere 13 to 5, Sink Spring 2 to 1, Belmere 13 to 5, Sink Spring 2 to 1, Inclement 5 to 1, Creston 8 to 1, Inclement 5 to 1, Creston 8 to 3, Boas 6 to 1. been with the Ottawa team for three

KANSAS CITY BOUTS OFF.

Gunston 10 to 1.

Enfield 9 to 10, Sugar Maid 7 to 1, sas City, was finally declared night. The men were to lave New Year's afternoon. Pepper's [olly 8 to 1.

Posing 10 to 1, Minnelette 4 to 5, to post forfeit money on time, was given as the reason for the cancellation of the fight. The contest between "Fighting Dick" Hyland and "Cyclone Johnny"

Thompson, set for Jan. 10, also has beer celled off. Tom Dolan 2 to 5, Dredger 6 to 1, BILLIARDISTS TO PLAY MATCH. New York, Dec. 30.—Pittsburg will get the Hoppe-Morningstar plum. Harry Davis, of that city, today completed ar rangements with the billiardists to play a three-night match some time in Febru-

QUEEN'S LOST MATCH.

to be divided. 25 per cent to the loser and

Sally Preston 20 to 1. George W. Lebolt 4 to 1, LaSalle 5 to 2.

Ballot Box 13 to 5, Otilo 4 to 1, RoseBallot Box 13 to 5, Otilo 4 to 1, Rosewere made in quick succession. game was rough.

OH. YOU TIGERS

annual banquet at the Waldorf on "Will the players be given anything this year?" Dr. Thompson was asked.

Hamilton, Dec. 30.—The Tiger ex-

ecutive decided last night to hold the

"Yes, lemons," said the doctor.

CHESLEY PROTESTS MATCH. Walkerton, Ont., Dec. 30. - In



The New Year The New Thought

-they come bounding in together-strong, proud, resolute—determined to outdo their predecessors. Let the New Year and the New Thought

Bring You to Our Laundry New Sanitary methods and never a failure in doing spot-

less work - remember, never

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For Mayor for 1910

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VOTE FOR

J.H.A.Beattle

FOR MAYOR FOR 1910

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W.J.

As School Trustee

SCHOOL TRUSTEE FOR 1910 W. R. COLBY

PLATFORM: No compulsory vaccina-tion; fair play to the kindergarten staff; thorough reorganization of the Collegiate Institute. 58-i-vtxwv **Electors of London**

Your Vote and Influence

Respectfully solicited for JOHN I. A.

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SCHOOL TRUSTEE

DR. J. D.

Solicits the votes of the Ladies and Gentlemen of London.

As School Trustee For 1910

Platform-Against Compulsory Vac-

59-i-tyxwy To the Electors of the City of Londor LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

Your Vote and Influence Solicited For

AS ALDERMAN, 1910, 59n

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE Respectfully Solicited for the Election of

DR. W. J. Stevenson

To the Electors of the City of London: LADIES and GENTLEMEN.

Your Vote and Influence Solicited for

W.S. Davidson AS ALDERMAN.

VOTE FOR GEO. E.

ALDERMAN FOR 1910

VOTE FOR J. H. AS ALDERMAN 1910

WILLIAM

for Re-Election

As Alderman for 1910

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN Your vote and influence respectfully

solicited for the election of JOHN G. RICHTER

Insurance Company.

For Alderman TANCOCK

Vote for the Following **Candidates**

NEIL COOPER. W. S. DAVIDSON.

R. C. ECKERT. J. GARRATT.

JAS. JEFFERIES.

E. ROSE. J. H. SAUNDERS. W. J. UNDERWOOD.

W. A. WILSON. G. WOOD.

CITIZENS OF LONDON

In the evening edition of the Free Press, also of The Advertiser, under date of Dec. 29, also other issues, an As Alderman for 1910 date of Dec. 29, also other issues, an advertisement appeared with the following heading, "Vote for the Following Candidates, Equal Rights to All," then followed a list of 10 names, amongst which appeared our names. This is to say that we gave no authority to anyone to insert our names on said list, and it was done without our authority or knowledge, and we hereby repudiate the said advertisement or any cards circulated bearing our names. other than those issued by the Citizens' Municipal League

W. J. UNDERWOOD. J. H. JEFFRIES. London, Ont., Dec. 31, 1909.

Company. Respectfully solicits your vote and in

As Alderman for 1910

VOLUNTEER Rigs Wanted

on Saturday next, Jan. 1, will kindly call at or notify the secretary, 100 Dundas street, not later than Friday evening, Dec. 31, or Saturday morning.

YOUR VOTES AND INFLUENCE Respectfully Solicited for

As Water Commissioner

A candidate who has a thorough

If you desire Clean, Progressive,

Economical Civio Government, vote for

TO THE ELECTORS OF LONDON: Ladies and Gentlemen,—I am a candidate for the office of

SCHOOL TRUSTEE for 1910. You are responsible as to who

A. S. MACGREGOR

Ladies and Gentlemen Vote For

For Re-Election for 1910

JAMES H.

AS ALDERMAN, 1910.

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CLEAN ECONOMICAL CITY GOVERNMENT

Fair Play to All. That Means You.

A. J. MORGAN **VOTE AGAINST Compulsory Vaccination**

Weekes, Hunt, Westland, Spence

For School Trustees The only candidates representing the Anti-Vaccination League, and all for Double Sessions in the Kindergarten.

ROY LAMPHERE DEAD. Michigan City., Ind., Dec. 30. - Roy Lamphere, convicted of arson in the the Western Pacific Railway is 7,800 here tonight, death being due to confamous Gunness case, died in prison



Physician Attended Him and Pulled Him Through.

Walter Prentiss, of Niagara Falls, a brakeman on the Grand Trunk, had a session of the Legislature which will close call from being asphyxiated yes- be called to meet in the last week of terday, when, after coming in from his January an amendment to the liquor run, he went to his room in a local license act is to be made whereby the hotel, and left open the door of a stove sale of intoxicating liquors is to be in the room and went to sleep.

William J. Underwood very sick, but managed to summon as-

Dr. H. A. Kingsmill was called and I stand for Clean, Progressive and

JACK FROST RULES TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY IN SUNNY SOUTH Ladies and Gentlemen: Your Vote

Southern States Experience the Any Multiple of Fifty Dollars Lowest Tenperature of Its fristory.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 31.-A cold wave prevailed over the entire South yes- ernment is now offering Government As Alderman for 1910 Southern Florida being exempt from The principal will be paid on the first the freezing temperature. The mercury of June, 1939, and the interest is paid ranged from 2 degrees above zero, at by check half-yearly on the first of Asheville, N.C., to 32 degrees at El June and December. Asheville, N.C., to 22 utglied at Tampa. A This is a "trustee and executed in Vestment" and can be transferred in Vestment" and can be transferred in

sula alone escaped the cold. This, according to the local weather bureau, was the coldest day of the 560,000, arranged by coldest December the South has ever Government last June. experienced.

thermometer registered ten degrees above in Atlanta, and for twenty days past freezing weather has been experienced here. There has been much At Birmingham, Ala., where

of six rescued yesterday were more revenue and expenditure, and it is bedead than alive with one of the childead than alive, with one of the children expected to die.

For the first time since 1886, there was ice in the Chattahcochee River at Atlanta, Similar conditions prevailed in the rivers of Tennessee, North Alabama and the western part of North

While it is believed that no serious Respectfully solicits your VOTE AND INFLUENCE to secure his elecboll weevil have been destroyed.

ISMAILIA NOBLES SELECT DR. ALEXANDER

Unanimously Elected Illustrious Potentate at the Annual

Meeting.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Buffalo, Dec. 3). - at the annual was re-elected unanimously as illussession for an act bringing into force trious potentate. This will make his the Juvenile Delinquents' Act of the second year in this office, and when it was found that there would be no opposition to his re-election, there was of detention, different altogether from the falls and the unique where they

Alexander, was given a fine reception. nobles for the dignity conferred.

The election of Ill. Noble Dr. Alexander as illustrious potentate for Is- tined for lives of crime. nailia Temple is a matter of congratulation to Mocha Temple Shriners, with whom he is very popular. Conratulatory messages were sent him by

number of nobles. Ill. Potentate A. L. Davis sent the following message on behalf of Mocha Temple: "Hearty congratulations on branch offices of the Ontario coloniza-

MONTREAL FEVER FIGHT.

Montreal, Dec. 31.-Since Wednesday partment. Steps will likely be taken general rearrangement along lines to provide a temporary hospital to careful expansion is, it is understood, relieve the suffering and distress among under consideration by the Governstoon, story," said Mr. Myler. poor patients who cannot receive ment, and an official announcement of

proper treatment at home. early next week. WATER COMMISSIONER

INDEPENDENT VOLUNTEER CANDIDATE

O THE PEOPLE OF LONDON: Ladies and Gentlemen,-Having had a large experience as Alderman and three years on the Niagara Power Union Executive, I offer myself as a candidate for Water Commissioner (Public Utilities), and trust that you will ise your best efforts to insure my election.

The Dominion Savings and Investment Society

Dividend No. 75

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of four per cent per annum upon the paid-up capital stock of this society has been declared for the current half year, and that the same will be payable at the offices of the Society, Masonic Temple, Richmond street, London, on and after the third day of January, 1910. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th of December, instant, to the 3rd of January, 1910, both days inclusive.

NATHANIEL MILLS, London, Dec. 13, 1909. Managing Director.

ON CHRISTMAS DAY

ANALYSIS OF

STRONG'S BAKING

POWDER

By J. F. Snell, Professor of Chem-

To W. T. Strong, druggist, 184 Dun-

To W. T. Strong, druggist, 184 Dundas street, London:
Dear Sir,—I have recently had occasion to test a sample of your Baking Powder for alum and acid phosphate of lime, the two substances commonly substituted for cream of tartar in the poorer brands of Canadian baking powders. I found your product entirely free from these substances. I note that Bulletin 174 of the Laboratory of the Inland Revenus Department not only classes yours among the pure

only classes yours among the pure cream of tartar powders, but gives such results on the amount of gas produced per pound of powder as would place your brand among the most efficient powders of its class.

Cake, Candy

For Holiday

PETERS' Two Shops

OPPOSE INCREASE

Entertainments

Toronto, Dec. 31.—The board of trade

at a special meeting of the counci

passed a resolution that an urgent appeal be made to all Canadian ship-

ping companies to resist any proposed

increase in ocean rates from Britain

and other European countries to Can-

ada on the ground that any such in-crease must tend to divert to the

factories of the United States trade

which the preference was designed to encourage with Britain. Copies of the resolution will be sent to the Prime Minister, one to the Minister of

Trade and Commerce and the Minis-

GUERIN FOR MAYOR

Issue Reform Slate.

Association, which is fighting for

Board of Control-Dr. E. P. Lacha-

of health; Mr. F. L. Wanklyn, vice-president and managing director of

the Dominion Coal Company; Louis

N. Dupuis, retired merchant, and Jos

Ainey, a carpenter and promine

to First Methodist Church, St.

Thomas.

Stratford, Dec. 31.—Rev. G. F. Sat

Methodist Church, St. Thomas, at the

Mr. Salten went from Stratford

ter his last pastorate in the Central, s

as a pastor. He has had two or three

other invitations, but after deliberation

REV. DR. CURRIE DEAD

Was Lecturer on Hebrew in the Pine

Hill College.

here yesterday of Rev. Dr. John Car-

was recognized as an able Hebrer

DENY MERGER STORY

Are Not in It.

an unqualified denial to the story that

pany, of Montreal, and the Canadian

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 31,-Mr. Paul

Myler, manager of the Canadian

scholar. Dr. Currie leaves eight el

he has now decided as stated.

that the people know him, not only

1911, subject to the usual

close of his pastorate here in June.

Mayor-Dr. J. J. Guerin,

labor man.

Montreal, Dec. 31. — The Citizens

reform, announces the following

INOCEAN RATES

and Ices

PETERS'

istry, Macdonald College, Quebec,

He Awoke in Nick of Time- An Attempt Will Be Made to Ammend the Liquor License Act.

Toronto, Dec. 30 .- At the coming prohibited on Christmas Day. Temper-It seems that Prentiss had just put ance people desire that the restriction fresh coal in the stove, and, being very should be made to apply to Good Fritired, went right off to sleep. He day and Thanksgiving Day as well as awakened some time after, and was Christmas. It is not likely that the fine prohibitive measures to Christmas had Prentiss removed at once to Vic- Day. Police records here for three toria Hospital. He was very sick for years show 155 drunks for three Day. Police records here for three some time, but had recovered suffi- Christmas days and ave for three New ciently last night to go to his home at Year's days, when hotels are closed on account of municipal elections.

ONTARIO GOVERNMENT STOCK FOR SALE

Can Be Had at 2 Per Cent Per Annum.

Toronto, Dec. 31 .-- The Ontario Govterday, not even the orange belt of stock for sale in any multiple of fifty dollars at two per cent per annum.

few Texas points and the extreme the same manner as stocks. This stock southern portion of the Florida penin- is free from all provincial taxation, including succession duty. The issue is part of the loan of \$3,-

At 8 o'clock yesterday morning the A GOOD SHOWING BY INTERCOLONIAL

ter of Marine. Ottawa, Dec. 31 .- It is expected that suffering among the poor, especially Hon, G. P. Graham will make during January the annual statement to Parliament respecting the Intercolonial Citizens' Association of minimum was twelve degrees above to it inasmuch as this is the first year zero, two negroes were frozen to death, of management by commission. It was and near Decatur, with the thermom- stated that the commission expected eter around five above zero, a family an even break at least of this year's slate for mayor and board of control: though laber trouble in Nova Scotia pelle, president of the provincial board

have interfered with coal shipments. DENTAL TEACHERS ELECT

Pedagogics Select Dr. Bryam, of Indianapolis, for President.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—The seventeenth ed by the Citizens' Association for damage has been done the Florida orange crop, Fernandina reports that coranges were frozen in that section.

Cotton planters of the southwestern section hall with delight the severe section hall with delight the severe hail with delight the severe one the election was muanimous. cold, believing that millions of the J. Q. Bryam, of Indianapolis, last boll weevil have been destroyed. promoted Rev. G. F. Salton Accepts Invitation to the office of president. Dr. D. M. Gallie, of Chicago, is vice-president. Dr. F. W. Gethro, of Chicago, was put in as secretary-treasurer, and Dr. B. to the executive board, in the place Methodist Church, has accepted an in-

left vacant by Dr. Gallie. This last was vitation to become pastor of the First the only office contested. THE JUVENILE ACT FOR THIS PROVINCE Mr. Salten went from Strattora to this church in St. Thomas in 1896, af-

Moral Reformers Will Ask the Legisla- reputation, but from actual experience

ture to Adopt It. meeting of Ismailia Temple, held last have decided to make application to evening, Ill. Noble Dr. W. L. Alexander the Ontario Legislature at the coming

When rising to thank the nobles for the distinguished honor done him, Dr. rie, professor of Hebrew in the Pine Hill College, a Presbyterian theological The indeterminate sentence and the institution. He was in his Sist year In a short speech he thanked the extension of the provisions of the juvenile delinquents may be arranged to take in first offenders and by kindly and sympathetic treatment reclaim the active ministry in Nova Scotia between these while very those where the control of the claim of the c

young those who seemed des-for lives of crime. the seemed des-for lives of crime. The being appointed to the chair of Hebrew and Exercise at Pine Hill. He TO CENTRALIZE OFFICE

The Ontario Government Closes Its

Agency at Liverpool. Toronto, Dec. 31.—The Provincial Government has decided to close the your unanimous election as potentate tion department at Liverpool. Under Manager of Westinghouse Says They for the second year. Three cheers and cabled instructions the offices will rease operations tonight.

The decision to close the office at Liverpool is incidental to the plans of the Government for the general explanation of the Albert indices and development for the general explanation. norning 75 new cases of typhoid fever pansion and development of the cenave been reported to the health de- tral offices on the Strand, London, A General Electric Company are about of to amalgamate.

"There is absolutely no truth in the A SNALLPOX CASE ALLOWED TO ESCAPE

Said to Have Had Suspicious Symptoms While at Large. Windsor, Dec. 31.- Dr. Bell, provis cial health inspector, is investigating case of smallpex now in an isolation hospital at St. Thomas The man was in Windsortwo wrek and a physician reported to Dr. Asabaugh, the local herlth officer, that the man had suspicious symptoms. In Ashbaugh went to the hotel at once

but the man bad left and no trace of him could be found. Dr. Bell is inclined to blame the Windsor physicians, who discovered Johnson's case, for allowing him to escape their observation, and trave about from city to city He also proposes to have the law amended which gives physicians 2 hours in which to report contagious

disease cases. WEIGHING OF COAL.

Ottawa, Dec. 30, - In amendment to a former order regarding the weighing of coal at frontier points in Ontario, the railway commission has issued a new order whereby the coal must be weighed by customs officials at the points where it is imported. In this way coal dealers will be re lieved of the prevailing and much complained of trouble of accepting

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

HAY ONLY OFFERING ON LOCAL MARKET

Sold at From \$14 to \$15 a Ton -Other Products Unchanged.

There was a very small showing on

they, too, were easy in price, \$1.20 being the top figure, while the majority of loads went at about \$1 15 or \$1 16 One load of wheat was reported to have been sold at \$1 06, but this could not be verified, and the standard price

remained at \$1 05. The price for live hogs for Monday has not yet been given out, but it is expected that it will remain at about

Other prices remain as follows: Grain.

Doultry, Dressed.

Veal, per cwt. 700
Spring lamb, per lb. 10
Dressed hogs, per cwt. 10 50
Live Stock
Small pigs, per nair. 5 50
Select hogs, per cwt. 7 60
Fat sows, per cwt. 5 00
Stags, per cwt. 5 00
Milch cows, each. 20 00
Fxport cattle, cwt. 5 00
Milch cows, each. 20 00
Lambskins, each. 75
Wool, washed, per ib. 20
Wool, magshed, per ib. 12
Hides, No. 1, lb. 11
Hides, No. 2, lb. 10
Hides, No. 3, lb. 9
Vegetables. Potatoes, per bag.....

Red cabbage, dozen...... Beets, per bu...... Parsnips, per bu

 Apples, per bag.
 40 to 90

 Apples, per bu
 20 to 50

 Apples, per barrel
 1 50 to 2 00

Fruits.

tations at Toronto are: First patents, Traders' Live Stock Exchange Asso-\$5 60; second patents, \$5 10; strong bakers, ciation of Kansas City declared a trust \$4 90; 90 per cent patents, Glasgow and ordered dissolved. freights, 29s. Ontario flour-Winter Receiver Whiteridge says Third avein buyers sacks outside. Millfeed— nue requires income of two in Manitoba bran, \$21 per ton; shorts, \$23 to get road out of receivership. Toronto: Ontario bran.

shorts, \$24, on track at Toronto, bags CHICAGO EXCHANGE Chicago, Dec. 31 Wheat Dec..... 118 May..... 11214 102 Corn, Dec...... 621/8 May..... 67
July 684 C674

 Jats, Dec.
 44½

 May.
 45½

 July
 43½

 441/ 435/8 43 % Pork Jan.....21 40 21 45 May.....21 62 21 65 21 37 21 55 Lard, Jan12 20 May11 82 Ribs, Jan. 11 32 May. 11 32 11 32 11 32 11 22 11 30 OILS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 30.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 43.
OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 30.—Credit bal-COTTON.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.-Cotton-Futures American Foundry. opened barely steady: December, 15.78c offered: January, 15.75c; March, 16.06c; May, 16.30c; June, 16.20c; July, 16.27c; Au-September, 14.81c: October Putures closed steady. Closing bids: December, 15.78c; January, 15.79c; February, 15.94c; March, 16.10c; April, 16.23c; May, 16.39c; March, 16.10c; April, 16.23c; May, 16.39c; June, 16.30c; July, 16.40c; August, 15.99c; September, 14.79c; October, 16.99c. Spot closed quiet, 20 points

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We also handle 30, 60, 90 day contracts.

Write phone or wire us your orders, cash or on margin. PATRIARCHE & CO. STOOK DEALERS PATRIACHE BLOCK.

TORONTO.

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SUGAR. SUGAR.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Sugar—Cane was firm but quiet; Java, 13s 3d; beet is quiet at the advance; December. 12s 4½d; January, 12s 4½d; May, 12s 8¼d.

TORONTO, Dec. 30.—Sugar—Montreal granulated, in barrels, cwt, \$4 55; do, in bags, \$4 50; yellow, in barrels, \$4 49; do, in bags, \$4 40; Acadia, bags or barrels, \$4 65.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Sugar—Raw steady and unchanged; refined quiet. Molasses—Steady.

COFFEE.

There was a very small showing on the local market this morning, and there was practically no change from the figures of yesterday.

Hay was the only thing that was affered in any quantity, and it showed a tendency to be slightly easier. The highest figure paid during the morning was \$15, while some loads of inferior quality went as low as \$14. There was a fair demand, owing to the approaching holiday, but the showing was not at all what had been expected. There were a few loads of oats, but they, too, were easy in price, \$1 20 being the top figure, while the majority the story of the story at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, in response to the partial decline of one-half franc at Havre, but ruled very steady on a scattering demand from local bulls, in the absence of important offerings. The early loss, which was shown only by one or two months, was recovered late in the day, the market closing steady. Net unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, in response to the partial decline of 5 points, in response to the partial decline of 5 points, in response to the partial decline of 5 points, in response to the partial decline of 5 points, in response to the partial decline of 5 points, in response to the story at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, in response to a decl

LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO, Dec. 30.—Trade good; 44 Niagara Navigation 136 Northern Navigation 122½ Sheep and lambs, 280 hogs and 75 calves. Quotations: Export cattle, choice, cwt. Quotations: Export cattle, medium. \$5 10 Peaman 59 sheep and lambs, 280 hogs and 75 calves. Quotations: Export cattle, choice, cwt, \$5 50 to \$5 75; export cattle, medium, \$5 10 to \$5 25; export bulls, \$4 to \$4 50; export bulls, light, \$3 50 to \$4; export cows, \$4 25 to \$4 75; butchers' cattle, choice, \$5 10 to \$5 40; butchers, medium, \$4 25 to \$4 80; butchers, common, \$3 50 to \$3 75; butchers' cows, \$3 75; butchers' bulls, \$2 50 to \$3; medium, \$3 to \$3 60; stockers, common, \$2 50 to \$3; stockers, bulls, \$2 25 to \$2 75; feeders, heavy, \$4 90 to \$5; feeders, short-keeps, \$5 to \$5 25; milch cows, choice, each, \$40 to \$60; milch cows, common, each, \$25 to \$48; springers, each, \$25 to \$60; sheep, ewes, cwt, \$4 25 to \$4 65, steady; bucks, \$3 to \$3 25, steady; lambs,

\$60: sheep, ewes, cwt, \$4.25 to steady; bucks, \$3 to \$3.25, steady; li \$6 to \$6.90, slow: calves, \$3 to \$7.25, st hogs, selects, \$8; hogs, fats and u weights, \$7.75, off cars.	9
steady; bucks, \$3 to \$3 25, steady; la	ar
\$6 to \$6 90, slow; calves, \$3 to \$7 25, st	e
hogs, selects. \$8; hogs, fats and u	11)
weights, \$7 75, off cars.	
STOCKS.	
MONTREAL, Dec. 31 Asked	
Canadian Converters	
Canadian Pacific1811/2	
Detroit Electric	
Dominion Coal. com 91	
Dominion Steel, com	
Dominion Steel, pfd	
Duluth, com	
Halifax Electric124%	
Havana Electric	
Havanan Electric, prei	
Tillnois Traction, pret	
Lake of the Woods, com	
Havana Electric, pref 100 Havanah Electric, pref 9234 Lake of the Woods, com 1434 Laurentide Paper, com Laurentide Paper, pref	
McKay Com	
McKay cold	
McKay, pfd Minn & st. Paul	
Mt. I., H. & Power	
Montreal Street Railway 22158	
Montreal Telegraph	
Nipissing 11	
Nipissing	
N. S. Steel & Coal 70	
N. S. Steel & Coal, pref	
Ogilvie Milling. com	
R.& O. Navigation 95	
Kio de Janero	
Sao Paulo Tramway	
Toledo Electric. 10 Toronto Railway	
Torchio Kaliway	
Twin City. 115½ Quebec, com	
Penman, com	
Pecerte 410	
Reserve	
Merchants Bank	
Molsons Bank	
Bank Montreal Duluth-Superior 6712	
Royal Dank	
Rubber bonds 99	
Converters 91	
Union Bank141	
Rubber, com	
Rubber, pref	
Canadian Colored Cotton	
Dominion Textile, pref105	
Textile, com	
Asbestos com 30 Dominion Coal bonds 99%	
Dominion Iron and Steel bonds	
Kewatin Milling bonds	
Mexican Electric bonds 80	

Morning Sales: C. P. R., 25 at 18134; do, rights, 13 at 10; Montreal Railvay, 50 a 222, 55 at 22134, 25 at 2214; Power, 45, 10 125, 105 and 10 at 136, 25 at 1364, 190, 2 and 10 at 1364, 100 at 1353; R. and O.,

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Mexican Electric bonds....... 80

Black Lake com

wheat patents, for export, \$4 20 to \$4 25, in buyers sacks outside. Millfeed-nue requires income of two million to

European and American markets closed tomorrow. Telegraphers reached settlement with Big Four. Rhode Island probe postponed

112 Rhode 1114 Jan. 12. Output of municipal bonds during 61% 1909 exceeds \$331,000,000. Rogers Brown Iron Company sells

> Reported movements of currency in dicate loss in cash by banks of \$1,975,-

Twelve industrials advanced 17 Twenty active railways advanced Market Lane, for The Advertiser. NEW YORK, Dec. 31-Noon. Open. High. Low. 2 p.m

Amal. Copper 90½ Anaconda Copper 53½ American Sugar1225% 4634 461/2 Amer. Locomotive ... 61 American Refining ... 10434 Amer. Cotton Oil ... 6714 671/2 67½ 122½ 118 79¾ Chesapeake & Ohio.. 89 Consolidated Gas...15934 Col. Fuel & Iron.... 50½ Chicago & N. W.... 182 182 | Stree, com. | 36% | 35% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33 Distillers 365/8 Kansas & Texas ... 49% Louisville & Nash .. 158 New York Central .. 125% Northern Pacific ... 145½ Norfolk & Western. 99¼ National Lead 90¼ Ontario & Western. 49¼

33% 74% 137% 158%

Rock Island 54½
Rock Island, pfd... 93
Southern Railway... 33½
Southern Ry, pfd... 74¾
Southern Pacific ... 135½
St. Paul 158

TORONTO, Dec. 31. ell Telephone anadian General Electric 110 Dominion Steel, com 71% Dominion Steel, pref....... Intercolonial Coal, com. 914
Illinois, pref. 914
Lake of the Woods, com
Laurentide Paper com. 914 Laurentide Paper pfd
 Mackay, com
 92

 Mackay, pref
 7734

 Mexican L. & P.
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 Mexican Tramway
 12156
 Penman...... Penman, pref. Rogers, com,..... Rogers, pref Sao Paulo Shredded Wheat St. L. & C. Navigation 129
Toronto Electric 127
Toronto Railway 129 Tretheway........ Bank Commerce.... Bank Ottawa 21)
Royal Bank 230
Standard Bank 230 Bank Toronto 2:0 Traders Bank 145% Huron & Erie 20 per cent
Landed Banking
National Trust
200
Ontario Loan
Ontario Loan 20 per cent
Real Estate
Toronto Mortgage
Black Lake
81 Black Lake S1
Porto Rico bonds
Dominion Iron and Steel bonds Black Lake

ao Paulo.....591 Trust, 7 at 200; Rio. 50 at 91½; do, bonds, 2500 and 2500 at 92½; Ogilvic, preferred, 1 at 125; Tri-City, 10 at 200; Twin City, 50, 25, 50, 10 at 5 at 115½, 25 at 115½, 25 at 115½, 25 at 115½, 10 at 15¼; Duluth-Superior, 15 at 115½, 10 at 15¼; Duluth-Superior, 15 at 15½, 25 at 67¼, 7, 3, 25 and 25 at 67¼, 10, 25, 25 at 67¼, 25 at 167¼, 10 at 15¼; Duluth-Superior, 15 at 15½, 25 at 167¼, 10 at 115¼; Duluth-Superior, 10 at 15¼; Duluth-Superior, 10 at 15¼, 10 at 115¼, 10 at 115¼; Duluth-Superior, 10 at 15¼, 10 at 115¼; Duluth-Superior, 10 at 15¼, 10 at 15¼; Duluth-Superior, 10 at 15¼, 1

Mexican Light and Power bonds. ...

142; Asbestos, preferred, 10 at 99; Bank Commerce, 10 at 196; Shredded Wheat, at 43, 10 and 5 at 434, 15 at 433k, 10 at 13c; Porto Rico, 75 and 25 at 3514; F. N.

plus 2½ per cent. There will be no session of this ex-

change this afternoon.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 31.—Wheat—Spot dull: No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures quiet: December nominal; March,

rutines quiet; December holling March, 88 1½d; May, 78 11¼d. Corn—Spot quiet; new American mixed, 58 8½d; old, do, 58 9½d; futures quiet; January, mixed, 5s 9½d: futures quiet: January, mixed, 5s 5½d: January, La Plata, 5s 7½d. Hams —Short cut dull, 61s 6d. Bacon—Short ribs weak, 64s; short clear backs dull, 62s 6d; belifes easy, 69s. Turpentine spirits dy. 6d. Rosin—Common steady, -Steady, 6d. Rosin-Common 10s 3d. Linseed oil-Firm, 32s 9d.

A FAMOUS SINGER.

Some sixty years ago the most rain and one sixty years ago the most rain and most rain Mr. Thomas Martin, of Alloa. At that gal and ultra-vires of both parties, and although many attempts have been Mr. Thomas Martin, of Alloa. At that in law no contract, time there resided in the town a halfwitted character, named Stuart, alias stated that her case had narrowed that about the fifth century some bolidays with friends at Mullifarry. the Kae, or Keaw, so named from his down to the one point, that she was workmen accidentally penetrated this fancied resemblance to a jackdaw. not getting as much as desired for vault. They looked in and saw the Nothing pleased this man better than the land. When she accepted the magnificent sarcophagi, but, in trying on a Sunday to get near the precentor, easement for \$500 on her for 39 years to enter the chambers of the dead. on a sunday to get near the precentor, especially if he were a stranger, or a candidate, and by singing on a different key, to throw him off the tune. Mr.

double sessions, the wholesale dismissalous fire they were repulsed by flames of fire bursting forth from within.

The telephone line is being extended all of the teachers was arbitrary and done without proper consideration, nor are doing their best to spread the line had any trustee the right to make and over the township. We will all be able to be repulsed by flames of fire bursting forth from within.

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In cities it is very difficult to keep the face clean, so many particles of who has been appearing more fre-coal dust from chimneys float in the quently in the rolice court than any-for their fellow-countrymen, willing to air, and so much dirt from the streets, one else in town for drunkenness, was make exertions and sacrifices for the The face should be cleansed at once morning was not only charged with the from these impurities; if not a crop of heing drunk but with breaking the blackheads will soon be seen. Women are afraid of applying soap and water

to their faces. tradition arose and has been persisted or 21 days and for being drunk \$5 or in that water is not good for the face, and that soap is positively injurious. One cannot have a good complexion unless the face is kept absolutely clean. To do this the face has to be attacked street, and will move into it at the first with vigor. 'A soft cloth, or better yet, of the year. bits of eotton dipped in alcohol or cologne, and water, will remove dirt from the face after it has been scrubbed and supposed to be thoroughly cleansed. With bits of cotton, grease, such as cold cream, can be used, and will also cleanse the face and remove the smaller blackheads.-Family Doctor.

"THE OLD LADY WITH THE WHITE SHAWL'

Ellen Steiner Was Given Four Months in Jail by P. M. Love.

Ellen Steiner, "the old lady with the white shawl," who became a familiar figure in London during the summer was fined \$1 or four months in jail this

morning by Magistrate Love. "I want to make sure that you will have a comfortable place where you well taken care of for the wintake you they have only to pay \$1." "I am very comfortable where I am," the Memorial Cruhch. said Mrs. Steiner, who has been at the jail for some weeks. "But some of with the funeral was that all the my friends may take me next week."

WORK CAN PROCEED ON HYDRO TOWERS

The Work of Erecting Poles and Stringing Wires on Mrs. Felker's Farm May Go on.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—"I confess I did not feel any difficulty in dealing with not feel any difficulty in dealing with the case. I think that these defend- Under Auspices of the Sunday will be over 60 cases during the year. There were but 17 last year, and no ants have acted by direction from the commission down. They are not trespassers, and the action must be dismissed and the injunction dissolved with costs." This was the finding of Chief Justice Falconbridge, rendered resterday in the non-jury sittings, in the action brought by Mrs Louise J. Felker, of the township of Gainsboro, near St. Ann. against the F. H. Mc-Guigan Construction Company; C. L. DeMuralt & Co., and the Niagara and Ontario Construction Company, working under the direction of the provincial hydro-electric power commission, for an injunction restraining the defendants from erecting the hydro-elecric power transmission line across her

In rendering judgment, his lordship said in part:
"The question is a very narrow one. The facts are undisputed, and I have no hesitation in giving judgment now. There is no cause, so far as I can see, why I should reserve. It is all a question of construction of section 10 of the act of 1909. We have heard much about the jurisdiction of the Province of Ontario, and of complaints as to its exercise of power and authority. Within its own jurisdiction the province is supreme. Had the Legislature chosen to confiscate this property without offer of compensation, it would have been perfectly right in law, if not in morals."

"We hear much of the dangerous Morning Sales: Black Lake, 25, 25, 25 and 25 at 23½, 20, 25, 25, 100, 5 and 25 at 23½, 5 at 25½, 10 and 10 at 66, 25 and 15 at 67½, 50, 25, 25 and 40 at 67; 3,000, 500, 4,000 and 500 at 80; Sao Paulo, 1, 2, 5 and 2 at 14%, 5, 25, 50, 25 and 25 at 15½; 3,000, 500, 4,000 and 500 at 80; Sao Paulo, 1, 2, 5 and 2 at 14%, 5, 25, 50, 25 and 25 at 15½; 3 and 2

tric, 25, 3 and 3 at 118; N. S. Steel, Xu., 1 at 70½, 3, 5, 25, 25 and 50 at 70; Dominion Bank, 10 at 24½; Imperial Bank, 20, 4 and 5 at 23½; R. and O., 50 and 25 at 31½; R. and O., 50 and 25 at 31½; R. and 20 at 74; Soo, 50 at 1½; Crow's Nest, 25 and 20 at 74; Soo, 50 the stay twenty days instead of the usual thirty days.

The case involved the crossitar warn-out part has been removed and

the Ontario Legislature the Ontario it arrives everything will hydro-electric comm?ission were au- right. Ex-dividend: Dominion Telegraph, 1½ thorized, in spite of the public works per cent; Imperial Loan, 3 per cent; Imperial Life, 6 per cent; Nipissing Mines, for the erection of the transmission act, to expropriate the right of way The contention of the plainiff was that under the latter act he Ligisla-

anyone else. the Ontario Power Company, for elec-Some sixty years ago the most fam- hydro-electric power commission and King David and his successors are still

George Ellis, formerly chief buyer entered the desk as a candidate, sure explaining the negotiations with the of which has been forgotten. enough, there was Stewart sitting only plaintiff, said that he had been distwo seats away in front. Before the missed for voting for German at the CHURCHILL'S NOBLE PERORA-

Mr. A. F. Lobb, K. C., appeared on

ANDREW THOMPSON APPEARS LOST

SOAP AND WATER FOR THE FACE Is Now a Regular Visitor at the Police Station.

Andrew Thompson, a young man Somewhere in the dark ages the charges, and on the first was fined \$10 shall surely conquer now.

DAMBRA & WALSH

Tailors, have taken over the store oc cupied by Slater Bros., at 223 Dundas

Winnipeg, Manitoba, is erecting twenty warehouses, factories and a eleven schools and educational institu tions, twenty business and office struc-tures, and 22 apartment houses, several of the latter costing about \$200,000. Since been erected or are building in the city.

EAST LONDON

LITTLE BOY BLUE'S TOYS WERE BURIED WITH HIM

Pathetic Feature of Interment of Remains of Little Frank Nansan.

Nansan, son of Bugle-Sergt. Nansan, of Wolseley Barracks, was held yester," the court told her, "If any of your friends or relatives ever want to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The services latter has been purposely introduced were conducted by Canon Hague, of or, as is more probable, is merely pre-A pathetic feature in connection say.

buried with him.

The pall-bearers were four former playmates from St. George's school. Among the floral offerings were wreaths from Col. and Mrs. Hodgins. Major and Mrs. Kaye, Q. M. S. and Chemical News. Mrs. Sproule, Q. M. S. Lawrence, Drill Sergeant and Mrs. Black, and a harp from the father and mother, with the words, "Called to Play in Heaven."

UNIQUE ENTERTAINMENT IN EAST END HALL

School of King Street Church.

chool of All Saints' Anglican Church of this disease.

red being present. The supper was served at six o'clock ery tales, after which the following in 1908 there were 17 cases, with programme was carried out: Carol by deaths. Bessie Billings, piano solo by Louis ing the year as compared with 7 Kirkpatrick, recitation by Miss Mabel 1908. Warner, chorus by Misses Winnie Thomrson, May Hill, Pearl Dibsdale, Mable Warner and Bessie Billings; recitation by Isabel Thompson, dialogue by Miss Dibdale's class, piano solo by Thelma Secord and solo by Miss Pearl Dibsdale.

ADVENTISTS CONVENE

Twelfth Annual Session Opens Today in This City.

The twelfth annual session of the Ontario Conference of Seventh Day Adventists will convene in their house of worship on Rectory street tomorrow Falconbridge conceded at 9 o'clock for the election of officers. it to be a delicate point of law, and and for the transaction of such other one had, in a sense, to read between business as may come before the meet-

ing.
The meetings will continue over with preaching element carried over the towers," Saturday and Sunday, with preaching continued his Lordship. "The com-mission must safeguard the public in Daniells, of Washington, D. C., presiis a different matter, of course. Here Seventh Day Adventists, is expected,

The case involved the question worn-out part has been removed and whether by the act of 1909 passed by a new piece sent for, and as soon as

CHRISTIAN BURIALS AT JERUSALEM.

Until about 50 years ago Christians ure could not override it by the act in Jerusalem, and Franciscans as well, of 1909, passed in the interest of the were buried without a coffin, the latcommission, which, she claimed was ter simply in the habit of the order. a corporate body, and that the commission could not confer the right on At the grave the hood of the deceased was sewed shut over his face, and time with her brother Frank. The plaintiff also claimed that the thus he was bedded in the earth. The Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Frank Ontario Legislature had no jurisdiction former burial place of the Catholics Downing, of Lucan. over the Niagara River, which is a was in the valley of the Cedron, along-boundary between the United States side the Garden of Gethsemane, at the and Canada, and, therefore, could not foot of the Mount of Olives, where the three months with friends and relaconfer that right to use the water on Jews are still buried today. Only a tives. They had a very narrow escape the Ontario Power Company for elec- Jews are still buried today. tric purposes or any other object. The century ago a new churchyard was laid their train having been over-turned contract, they claimed, between the out on Mount Zion, the place where near Chapleau, but they luckily esmade to find it. An old tradition says When she accepted the magnificent sarcophagi, but, in trying in trance to the vault, the exact location

TION.

[Winston Churchill at Manchester.] We trust the people, and we come to The budget has been murdered. John Brown's body lies a-moldering in the grave-(laughter)-but his soul goes marching along. (Loud cheers.) A spirit of social service and of social justice, of a larger brotherhood possible among men, of a conscious and concerted effort towards a better state of things. That spirit lives tonight to vivify and fortify our line of battle, and, I will add, to purify and sanctify our cause. (Cheers.) And wherever throughout the land men being drunk but with breaking the struggle; there we shall find enthusiasm liquor laws by being in a room in the and resolves which will support us; there London House, where liquor was sold. we shall find an inexhaustible and bound-Thompson was found guilty of both less strength, sustained by which we long-continued cheers.)

"CORK METAL."

shown under the name of "cork metal," which was said to be 40 per cent lighter than aluminum, and to have numerous other properties which should make it a rival of the latter.

arouse my interest, as a consequence of which I have submitted it to chemical analysis.

In appearance the metal resembles very strongly the alloys known as magnalium. The surface presents a lustreless whitish grey color, both sheets and bars showing the scorings and scratches so frequently found on badly-rolled or drawn aluminum. Careful analysis gave the following result Aluminum 0.04 per cent Iron 0.017 per cent Zine 0.48 per cent Sodium 0.21 per cent

Magnesium99.30 per cent It will be seen therefore that essen-The funeral of Frank Edward John tially "cork metal" is nothing but magnesium to which a small amount of zinc has been added. Whether this sent as an impurity, I am unable to

As the metal evolves hydrogen when Christmas toys that deceased had re-ceived, including a little sword, were sary to use organic solvents for the sary to use organic solvents for the John G. Ritcher, J. A. Tandetermination of the specific gravity In alcohol this was found to be 1.762, thus confirming the conclusion that cork metal is, in fact, magnesium.-

CITY'S NATURAL INCREASE

(Continued from page 1.)

There has been a very large increase in the number of scarlet fever cases. for the first eleven months there were December were not available, but there

Diphtheria Cases. Diphtheria showed a great increase. For the first eleven months there were 46 cases, with 4 deaths, while last

year there were 30 cases, with 1 death. The senior classes of the sunday December will show quite a few cases tainment in the basement of the ease, was responsible for three deaths, hurch last evening about two hund- while whooping cough caused three deaths also.

There were only two cases of typhoid and was followed by illustrated nurs- fever recorded, with two deaths, while Miss Dibsdale's class, reading by Miss | There were 10 cases of smallpox dur

Statistics By Months.

	The statistics by	mor	iths are	as fo
	lows:			
	500 400		Mar-	
)	Birt	hs.	riages.	Death
	January	60	32	
	February	102	18	
	March	75	23	
	April	95	37	
	May	83	16	
	June	80	52	
	July	85	52	
	August	69	37	
	September	74	46	
à		78	40	
٠	November	78	40	
3		82	38	
V	December 11.11			-
	Totala	961	433	6

December's Figures. During the month of December there were 82 births, 38 marriages and 57

deaths. During the same month of last year, there were 76 births, 34 marriages and 60 deaths, showing that the statistics the Board, and hopes to get the clause this month are very favorable indeed. rescinded in January next, with the Pneumonia got in its deadly work help of Messrs. Graham, Gunn and during the month just past, seven others now on the Board, and of the deaths being recorded from this dis- new blood to be elected on Saturday case. Cancer was responsible for four He also stands firm for Kindergardeaths, and consumption two. There was a great mortality among children, no less than twenty succumbing during December. Eleven people Kindergarten service to the whole

Christmas week with friends in Port Huron.

Mr. George A. Malleable Iron Works, Port Huron, spent Christmas with Adelaide friends. Mr. Richard Doun had a very successful sawing bee recently. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ellis and family are home from the west to spend the winter with their old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Paine, who have been in the west for the last three years, are home to spend the winter with friends and relatives. Mr. Archie Campbell, of Morris-Miss Ethel Martin has gone to Ham-

burg was home for Christmas ilton, where she will spend a short Mr. Lewis B. Jaines and son Harry

of Oliver, Sask., are home to spend caped serious injuries. comes that forty were hurt. Mr. Lewis Miss Mae Doun and Mr. Tanton. London, are spending the New Year's Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Curtin and family were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos, Chambers, for Christ-

to Tell-a-phone soon. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miner spent or class of teachers.

Christmas at Arkona

D. S. Campbell was elected reeve of Adelaide by acclamation. Mr. Woods, of Exeter, is spending a Donn Miss Anna McGrath leaves shortly

W. Mason. We are having excellent sleighing. Mr. Telford Dell, of Sarnia Business college, spent a few days with Ade-

aide friends recently. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McInroy, of Saskatoon, are home for New Year's. Mr. Bert Doun and sister Selinda spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Burton Daniels, of Lobo. Mr. Fred Thrower spent a few week

at the Soo, where he attended wedding of his aunt, Miss Etta Thrower, which took place on Christmas Day. People here are wondering where all fruit, clothing. It looks as if someone was making an easy living at someone eise's expense. However, the mystery may soon be solved, as the suspected party is being watched.

Miss Maud Allan appeared at Imperial Conservatorium, St. Petersburg, with a symphony orchestra, At one of the recent aeronautical and gave a complete evening's enter- you have given me? tainment, including selections from helped me to repay in some small her well-known classical dances and measure the debt I owe to the teach exhibitions samples of a metal were tainment, including selections from

the "Vision of Salome" The Union Castle liner Sabine is re- the education of my children, turning to Cape Town after her among the pleasant memories fruitless search for the liner Waratah, nected with their school life there which, with about 300 persons on none that stand out more vividly that Great secrecy was maintained as board, has been missing for the latter of this wonderful metal, months. The Sabine covered 14,700 ten. AN INTERESTED London, Dec. 31, 1909. Great secrecy was maintained as board, has been missing for four the years they spent in the kindergar but its properties were such as to miles in a zigzag course.

CITIZENS' **MUNICIPAL LEAGUE**

List of Our Candidates Revised to Date, Dec. 31, 1909

WATER COMMISSIONERS

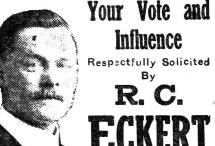
(Utility Board) A. T. McMahen, Phillip Pocock, Wm. Wyatt.

ALDERMEN:

Hubert Ashplant, John Dunkin, James Fitzgerald, James H. Jeffries, Harvey Kilbourn, Henry Pocock, cock, William J. Underwood.

One other candidate whose name has appeared in the literature sent out by the league, viz.: R. C. Eckert, is not now indorsed by the league.

Further, certain statements are being circulated that one of our candidates, viz.: Hubert Ashplant, is a Socialist. This is to say, that if any one named Hubert Ashplant is a So-42 cases, with 1 death. The figures for cialist, it is not our Hubert Ashplant.



As Alderman for 1910

I FAVOR SUNDAY CARS. 60-i



Trustee

G. N. Weekes.

Trustee G. N Weekes' years' on the Board of Education shows ed, non - partisan, progressive and fear-

to say that much of the remarkable progress made 1909 is due to his initiative or to his perseverance. Mr. Weekes has

It is fair also

Vaccination from the Regulations of ten economy just introduced, an econ-

city, four new centres, and still save

Mr. Weekes should certainly be elected. (Advertisement)

CORRESPONDENCE.

School Board Affairs.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: In this, my last letter, I would like to review the points I have tried to make againt the recent action of the board of education.

*1. The cry of economy is a false one, used only as a vote catcher. Even 17, says: "As the purpose of this reorganization is not to reduce the taxes but to give the taxpayer value for his money, the new plan will enable the board to extend the benefits of kindergartens to districts now without them." And besides this, there is proof of wasteful extravagance in other de partments for which no one is held

responsible. The plan proposed is against the advice of those most experienced in the work and would undoubtedly lessen the efficiency of the kindergartens by reducing by one-third the training given to the child and handicapping the teachers in other ways. 3. The kindergartners have proved again and again that they are not seeking to get a whole day's pay for half a

day's work, but their sole desire is to

raise their work to the highest possible standard, and they have given freely of both their time and means to this 4. Whatever may be said in favor of double sessions, the wholesale dismiss-

paraging remarks about any teacher 5. In the re-engagement of the teach. ers, every principle of justice and grat. itude to those who have served the city long and faithfully was outraged few days with his sister, Mrs. Richard and personal influence substituted Those who are responsible things surely do not represent the in-Toronto to visit her sister, Mrs. telligent citizens of London.

May I add two more thoughts? The kindergarten belongs particularly the workingman. It is where the children of the poorest have their young, minds developed along right lines where the chasm between home and school-often a terrible child-is pleasantly bridged, and where they first receive that training in the amenities of life which their ofter overworked mothers cannot give them the Will the workingmen vote to impai the irow-the efficiency of their part of the ed ucational system, that the expens may be multiplied in the part to whi chickens are going, also hams, their children rarely attain—the Colle giate Institute? Again, the propos change is at best only experimental Why not try it as all experiments are tried, on a small scale, under competent supervision, before disorganizing

Finally, Mr. Editor, will you accept my most hearty thanks for the space ers of London for their noble work i AN INTERESTED PARENT.

the the whole system?

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Clachan, Dec. 30.—Charles MacKay, hart was called and set the fractures. who has spent the past summer in the Mr. Carr's Promotion.

west, is home for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McColl and children are home from the west. Gordon Meyer, of St. Thomas, spent

Christmas with his parents, Mr. and succession to Mr. E. A. Evans, Mrs. Herbert Meyer. John Scott, of Chatham, is spending his holidays at his home here

Roy MacKay, of Chatham, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Josiah MacKay. Robert Johnston, who has been

the west for the past three years, is visiting friends here. The remains of the late Harley Gibb, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gibb, were laid to rest on Monday afternoon in Purcell Cemetery. The funeral was largely attended. Deceased leaves to sisters, who have the sympathy of the community at large in their sad loss.

bat, are gradually lessening India's annual production of coffee.

College, Toronto. Professor Cotton will preach on "Present Day Questions of Moral Perform" in the control of Moral Performs in the control of the A machine has been invented to wrap with wire a telephone or telegraph pole to save it from gnawing horses.

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Morning Paper on Saturday

Saturday, New Year's Day, The Advertiser will publish an early morning edition only. It will be supplied to all

LONDON AND DISTRICT

Canadian Club Greeting. Mr. C. B. Edwards, the president of the Canadian Club, has received New

\$27,000 For Hotel. It is said that the Hodgins House, corner of King and Talbot streets, changed was

sold to Mr. T. H. Bastla for \$27,000. A Watchnight Service. A watchnight service will be held tonight in the First Methodist Church duties here ended at Christmas. at 11 p.m. The pastor will deliver "Old Year Meditation." The choir will

Painfully Injured. Mr. Joseph Johnson, of Nilestown, met with a painful injury recently, being thrown by a colt he was riding, and having two ribs broken. Dr. Bang-

Mr. C. E. A. Carr, who formerly managed the street railway company of this city, was yesterday appointed general manager of the Quebec-Richelieu Light and Power Company, in resigned that position to become chief have worked diligently to elect him. engineer of the system.

Lumber Contract Let. At a minority meeting of the board of works held last evening. W. Howie was warded the contract for lumber for bridges at \$40 per 1,000 feet. The usual accounts were passed. Those present were Ald. Geary and Ald.

Cooper and Mr. Atholl Marshall, acting secretary.

Local Option Sermons. On Sunday next, under the Domourn his loss his parents and three minion Alliance, special services will who will give the city's business close sisters, who have the sympathy of the be delivered in three of the Friedrich who will give the city's business close be delivered in three of the Episcopal attention. VOTE FOR R. C. ECKERT churches of London Township by Rev. FOR ALDERMAN. (Advertisement.) Leaf and twig diseases, difficult to com-College, Toronto. Professor Cotton

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Luke's Church, Broughdale. Professor Cotton has given much attention to this popular subject, and should be

be greeted by large congregations. Mr. Larkin Recovering.

Yardman James Larkin, of the C. P. opened the windows. He at once R., who was seriously injured some summoned Dr. Baugh, coroner. days ago by being crushed between a gate and a car at Hyman's tannery, is ecovering rapidly Watchnight Services.

Special watchnight services will be held in the majority of the city churches tonight, and in many of them face, breast and hands had swellen and by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss arrangements have been made for were discolored, besides being covered frene Gardner; Spiring, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. had spectacles on, From all appearable with the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Emma the old year out and the new one in. The former was represented by Miss Edna Nagel; Winter, Miss Edna Nagel Many of the pastors will also give ances she had had a fit, followed by a

Jan. 2, a series of addresses on the police took charge of her belongings. The addresses will be continued for 21 station.

Miss McVean Improves.

The condition of Miss Theresa Mc-Telephone office, shows slight improverecovery. Miss McVean has been very dangerously ill with blood poisoning.

GOOD TEACHER GONE

Nilestown Trustees Pay Mr. Charles F. Walker a Well-Earned Compliment.

was held on Wednesday, A. E. Barelected secretary and treasurer, and C. will be provided in the near future.

It was unanimously oted that a recommendation, voicing the testimony of trustees and section as to the highclass qualifications and efficiency as a school teacher, be drafted, and sented to Mr. Charles F. Walker, whose habit

Mrs. S. Rolph and her son Harry and in attendance. Everyone is cordially daughters, formerly of this place, but recently of Michigan, are now located Mr. A. Barnard is visiting his bro-

ther Carlos, of Port Huron. Mr. R. Elliott has been making his Canadian friends a visit.

R. C. ECKERT FOR 1910 ALDERMAN

The friends of R. C. Eckert prevailed on him to run as aldermen for 1910. Since announcing his candidature they Mr. Eckert's experience as a businessman and his connection with Gorman. Eckert & Co., fit him well for the office. One of his friends met him yesterday and said: "Well, 'Dick,' how's it going' Are you elected yet?" Mr. Eckert re-plied: "Not yet. I need more votes but they're coming my way fast, and hope to get the few more needed. If I succeed I will give the city's business KIND OF MEN THE CITY NEEDS.

According to the London Hospital, Piano Company, Limi'ed, 261 Dundas some English physicians are ordering street. patients to eat oysters that have been Closed, heated carriages for all ocwell soaked in sea water, as a cure casions. Hueston's Livery.

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pound Crystallized Fruits, a box ... 50c Genuine Turkish Delight, box 20c Choice Table Raisins, a pound 30c Select Figs, in bottle 35c California Navel Oranges, a dozen 30c, 40c and 50c Cranberries, Celery and Lettuce.

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FORMER LONDON WOMAN DIED W. I.E IN FIT

Said to Have Left Here for Hamilton a Few Months

Ago.

Hamilton, Dec. 31. - Lying full length on the floor of her bedroom at 138 Mary street, where she roomed, Hannah Leeman was found dead Wednesday night by Mrs. Smith, the lady of the house. The dead woman's face was covered with blood, and she look. ed a ghastly sight when Dr. Baugh and Constable Yaxley arrived. She had been dead about three days. The last time she was seen alive was on Sun-

Mrs. Smith's children were in the habit of watching for Miss Leeman as she returned from her work at the Canadian colored cotton mill. Last night, when Mr. Smith returned home, the children, thinking it was Miss Leeman, shouted, "No mail," as they were in the habit of letting deceased know if there was any mail for her. Ther Mr. and Mrs. Smith remembered that they had not seen deceased since Sunwent upstairs to her room and beheld the gruesome spectacle described. The police were at once notified, and P. C Yaxley hurried to the house. When he arrived he found the gas stove burning, which he quickly turned off and

No Foul Play. addresses at the watchnight hemorrhage. Nothing in the room in

Worked in London.

Hannah Leeman came to this city Vean, night supervisor at the Bell Ont., where she had worked in a cloth- minion Day was represented by a reci- gret at having to sever his connection ing factory for two years. She was be- tation by George Allison, and the with them. ment in St. Joseph's Hospital, and tween 40 and 45 years of age and beevery hope is now held out for her longs to Milltown, New Brunswick, where her relatives are living. She has weaving department in the Canadian Freparing the Thanksgiving dinner. Colored Cotton mill, knew the deceased reticent woman he ever met. She would by Mr. A. L. G. Clarke, who was re- persed after wishing Mr. and Mrs. not mix with any of her workmates, ceived by a chorus of little tots. The Trigger every success in their new and was a woman of very few words. chorus, "Oh, Bring the Crown," was home. Milestown, Dec. 30.—The annual meeting of the Nilestown public school three months ago and she told him the nill about three months ago and she told him the crowned by Miss Bertha Allison. The field was chosen. Mr. John Byers was owing to her inability to acquire the children, teachers and others. Year's greetings from kindred clubs in the same and the same will rest to between \$14 and \$15, and she had occasions she was and Vancouver, Hamilton, New York and upon H. Greenfield. The necessity for lost some time. The last time she Miss Minnie Raymond. a new well and a new ceiling to the was seen alive at the factory was on schoolroom was discussed, and they Friday night, and she was expected

back on Monday morning.

Relatives in Milltown. There is nothing surprising in the fact that Mrs. Smith did not discover the woman before, for those in the of rooming or taking roomers know how it is possible to go days without seeing another member of the household.

Miss Leeman, Mrs. Smith said, was very reserved girl, and did not mingle with the other people in the house. She had lived with Mrs. Smith only three weeks; prior to that she had lived next door, with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin, who left for the old country

hree weeks ago. Miss Leeman boarded herself, and in the room were eatables of all kinds, besides cooking utensile and a few publication until some time early day visitor with five daughter, Mrs. J. loses all right to her existence as an independent state. besides cooking utensils and a gas in the new year. But unless there is Jackson, Water street. stove. Her hat, muff and gloves were a very pronounced change in conditions

Church Chief Smith today sent word of Miss have been considerably lewer problem that the sail during this tions ers incarcerated in the jail during this tions Leeman's death to her relatives in year than in the year preceding. Milltown.

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A SPLENDID CANTATA IN BROUGHDALE CHURCH

An Entertainment of Unusual Interest in St. Luke's Church.

An entertainment of unusual interest was given last night at St. Luke's The doctor on his arrival examined Mina Crockett, followed by the chil-the body and contents of the room, and dren's chorus, "Come Holiday's All." MR. AND MRS TRIGGER satisfied himself there had been no foul Following this, there were representaplay. He then gave out that the woman tions of the New Year, and the four had been dead about three days. Her seasons. The former was represented

St. Valentine's Day.

ence joined heartily.

chorus "Hall the First of July." Thanksgiving Day. Thanksgiving Day was amusingly The last representation was that of that prior to her going to London, Ont., cantata was brought to a close by the

the near future. FEWER PRISONERS IN THE COUNTY JAIL

Statistics Show That Place Is Growing Unpopular With Certain Classes.

The jail statistics and those of the transferred to Wallaceburg. on the table, apparently laid there in the last few days of the year the when she returned from church.

The army reorganization in region is of special interest when the aspirations to be reported will be very ness was transacted. Deceased belonged to the Methodist much improved over last year. There have been considerably fewer prison-ing taken in the nearby municipal elec- Germany and Austria are considered

Big Falling Off. Especially is this noticeable in the one-half of the number of prisoners Canadian Smallwares building on the German Empire. who were entered for the correspond-ing quarter of 1908. The highest num-of Water street north by W. E. Eggleton, of Waterbury, Conn., an expert artisan ber in the jail during the past of our best cabinets. Come early and three months had been 25, while last syndicate at the back of an important year the number went as high as 50, industrial proposition. There has been an average population in the jail during October, November and December of about eighteen, while

The Indian Listers.

One of the reasons suggested for this

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FORIST CITY FUSINESS AND SHORTHAND COILEGY, LONDOL J. W. WESTERVELT, Jun., C. A.,

church, Broughdale, It took the nature ters as they were accustomed to do in are not clear in that matter. Publis of a cantata, "The Crowning of Christithe past. Whether the enforcement of in both editions, and oblige, mas," under the direction of Mr. Ed. the system has resulted in a permantage of the choir and Sunday school. The base-listers have been driven from the vote at a municipal election can vote ment of the church was crowded, and locality, it is of course difficult to on local option. They are qualified to

WERE HIGHLY HONORED about the matter,

On Thursday evening, D.c. 23, St. Valentine's Day was represented employees of the Southwestern Tracthe way of tablets or drugs could be by a song from Miss Nina Crittle. Fol- tion Company met at the home of Mr. Pan-Germans Are Feared by the -Rev. Ernest H. Peatfield, B.D., pastor of the First Congregational Church, will commence on Sunday, Inc. 2 a serious of address of the choir sunday, Inc. 2 a serious of address of the pastor of the First Congregational Sidered advisable. The body was removed to the city hespital morgue. The moved to the city hespital morgue of her belongings. was represented in a very attractive man John Campbell presented Mr. wonderful revelation of St. John. The subject for Sunday evening will be the "Vision of the Golden Candlestick."

The jury met and viewed the body manner by Miss Irene Stockwell. The this morning and adjourned till Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, at No. 3 police took charge of ner belongings.

Was represented in a very attractive man John Campbell presented Mr. Trigger with an elegant secretary, and Motorman E. Cole handed Mrs. Trigger with an elegant secretary, and drill closed with the singing of "God Motorman E. Cole handed Mrs. Trigger with an elegant secretary, and subject to the Wision of the Golden Candlestick."

Save the Queen," in which the audi-ger a beautiful clock. Although compoint of view, and marks the beginpletely taken by surprise, Mr. Trigger chorus, "The Children's Sabbath," and "The Children's Sabbath,"

> Mr. Trigger has been a valued and trusted employee of the Southwestern Traction Company for the past four A sister, a Mrs. Murchie, in St. Croix, characterized by Miss Alleen Brod-N. B. Mr. Woodside, foreman in the rick and Mr. W. A. Young engaged in intends conducting a general store at Glanworth, which he has recently purchased from Mr. K. Turnbull. when she was a girl, as he belonged to Milltown. He says she was the most as Santa Claus, who was personated in social intercourse, the company dismilitary critics, of whatever political

SUCCESS

nard was elected chairman, and C. F. dence, R. I., but she was not fast trustees' reports were adopted. J. Bycrs, retiring trustee, declined to act for another term, and Mr. George Green- and had been somewhat despendent the series of the chorus, "On, Come, Now All Ye Holidays," followed by a Christmas hymn.

The police magistrate of Orillia states that during six mouths prior to local option the crown attorney appeared sixteen times in court; for the another term, and Mr. George Green- and had been somewhat despendent the adjusted to the Sunday school six months after the appeared only another term, and Mr. George Green- and had been somewhat despondent, tion of gifts to the Sunday school six months after he appeared only field was chosen. Mr. John Ryers was a six months after he appeared only the fallen The once. The work of the court has fallen speed that other girls could. She made accompanist of the evening was Miss off three-fourths. Before local option For, as the late tien. Briefmont point-Fletcher was chosen as auditor. The wood contract was let to A. E. Bar- in the cotton mills office now amounts Grand March and on several other the cells every night. Now they are death, it is a fallacy to believe that a Year's greetings from kindred clubs in nard. The janitors duties will rest to between \$14 and \$15, and she had occasions she was ably assisted by so rare that we scarcely have any. In lost some time, The last time she Miss Minnie Raymond. The cantata was such a decided suc-more work, earn more morey, and take cess, that many requests have already better care of their families. In Mount been received to have it repeated in Brydges merchants say trade is better than ever before. The temperance botels are prosperous, and the taxes of the township of Caradoc are coming more liable today than in the past to

(Advertisement.)

St. Marys May Have a Customer for the Smallwares Building.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Marys, Dec. 30 .- Mr. Hayward, teller of the Bank of Montreal, has been The town council held a special meet-

Miss McDonald, of New Ontario, a proclaim that they have inscribed on plece of Mr. John Gray, is a holiday their political programme the annexavisitor, with Mrs. George P. Suther- tion not only of the German-speaking land, North Ward. and inventor, and who has a financial

Oueries Answered.

Women Voters. Vanneck, Dec. 28, 1909. "Please let us know in your first

the audience was enthusiastic. The tell, but in any event the result is sign a petition to submit a local option opening number was given by Miss eminently satisfactory. bylaw, and they can vote on that by law when it is submitted. "They can unquestionably vote," said

POWERFUL ARMY

Leaders in That Country, point of view, and marks the begin-Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata." In the Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Children's Sabata. In the Hannah Leeman came to this city chorus, "The Children's Sabata. In the Children's Sabat

and puts the army on a war footing of After a very pleasant evening spent 180,000 men. All competent Belgian party, are strongly of the opinion that the army was numerically insufficient. and was threatened with complete dislerganization owing to the substitute

system, long since abolished in continental armies The new law provides for universa military service, so that Belgium will pereafter be able to protect her frontiers and to prevent the country from becoming a battlefield, as in the past. neutral state, whose independence has been guaranteed by five powers, wi

Other Nations Envious. As a matter of fact, Belgium is much in better than in previous years,—annexation or partition by her power-Westminster Local Option Committee, ful neighbors. The country's wealth and increasing prosperity, and the possession of one of the finest colonies in HOPING FOR NEW INDUSTRY, the world, are a strong temptation alike to Germany and France.

never have to fight a foreign enemy

In any case, should an enemy wish to invade the country either as a convenient means of communication for an army or for purposes of conquest. the argument could easily be brought forward that as Belgium is not in a independent state

The army reorganization in Belgium Very little interest is apparently be- tions of the Pan-German party is The Austrian Pan-Germans openly

Germany "Interested."

But this dream of a Greater Germany, which shall extend from the Danube to the Scheld, is not confined to the Austrian Pan-Germans. The eventual annexation of the Lowlands is one of the principal planks in the programme of the Pan-Germans in Germany itself.

A consular report calls attention to state of affairs is the rigid enforce— issue after you receive this, if spin— the fact that the exports of canaries ment of the Indian list idea, which sters and widows who have votes in from Germany to the United Stater has prevented many of the habitues all municipal matters, can vote in the were valued at \$130,000 in 1908. Bs from making the jail their headquar- local option vote next Monday. Many against \$136,000 in 1907.