HAMILTON, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER, 11 1907.

ITALIAN MURDERER IN ELECTRIC CHAIR.

New Jersey's First Official Electrocution.

Job Was Pronounced a Big Success.

Shot Victim Three Times and Kicked Him.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 11 .- The first ofelectrocution in New Jersey oc curred in the State Prison here this orning when Serverio Di Giovanni, an Italian, paid the death penalty for the murder of Joseph Sanson, a fellow countryman, at Raritan last September. cess in every way.

Giovanni, who, up until almost the last minute, had hoped for a reprieve, placed in the chair at 5.57 o'clock and a second or two later the current was turned on. Dr. Edward A. Spaitz ka, of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, who has attended many elec trocutions in New York State, was present and announced that death was instantaneous

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The electrocution was in charge of E. F. Davis, State electrician of New York. The chair was made at Sing Sing, and was tested yesterday by the use of a side of beef, the purpose being to be sure that the body would not burn as the result of turning on the electricity. The current required for the execution was furnished by the public service corporation.

Giovanni killed Sanson as the result of a guarrel. He shot his victim three

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Giovanni killed Sanson as the result of a quarrel, He shot his victim three times as he ran across a street and when Sanson fell Giovanni kicked him.

MR. LYLE'S WORK.

High Authority Praises Canadian Architect's Work.

new monthly journal published in Toronto, devoted to the building and engineering interests of Canada, contains an illustrated article on the Royal Alexan dra Theatre, Toronto's new playbouse, which was designed by John M. Lyle, son of Rev. Dr. Lyle, of this city. Speaking of Mr. Lyle's work, the writer says It is with much gratification that we announce the success of a local Canadian architect in having executed one of the most praiseworthy theatres, from an armost praiseworthy theatres, from an architectural standpoint, on the continent of America. We publish in this issue plans, description and a number of views of Toronto's new theatre, "The Royal Alexandra," designed by Architect John M. Lyle, of the same city. This structure has been selected for illustration as an example of the great improvement taking place in the architecture of the country, and also as an instance of the ability of Canadian architects to design and execute buildings of the most monumental character and involving the most intricate problems the prospective builder may confront them with.

SAW THE MIKADO.

Bargain High-Class Piano.

Two hundred and twenty-five dollars is a small sum for a high-class upright piano, only slightly used. But such is the offer of the old firm of Heintzman & Oo, Limited, No. 71 King east, Hamilton, This piano will be sold in payments of \$6 a month.

BE CAREFUL

Perhaps Hattie Didn't Want to Go to Bed Just Then-

Winsted, Conn., Dec. 10.—While kiss ng his sweetheart, Hattie Leonard, at Killingworth, James Brockett fractured Killingworth, James Brockett fractured his collarbone, and he blames the young lady's father for it. The old man heard the couple canodeling, and shouted from an upstairs window: "There's another night coming; why don't you let Hattie go to bed? She's got to make butter to-morrow." In the hurried good-bye the young couple slipped on the frost-covered porch. Brockett burst his collarbone and Daddy Leonard had to get out of bed, hitch up and take the young fellow to a doctor. When the returns are all in it will likely be called a romance,

YOUNG TRAVELLER

Seeking Papa, Wee Girl Crosses Sea.

New York, Dec. 10 .- Alice Abeldt, six-year-old girl, whose mother is in an nsane asylum in Switzerland and whos father is believed to be in Emporia, Kansas, arrived to-day on the French liner Touraine, in search of "papa." The child came alone and as she had a cheque for \$7 and was also born on American soil, there was no reason for deporting

As there was no one to meet the little traveller at the pier she was sent to Ellis Island and was made the guest of the United States as represented by Commissioner of Immigration Watchorn. The commissioner has telegraphed to Emporia in an effort to reach the father, who is a farmer, and meantime she will be cared for in a manner to which no princess could reasonably take exception. The child, who was born in Kansas, went to Switzerland with her mother a year and a half ago to visit the latter's year and a half ago to visit the latter's old home. While there the mother de-veloped symptoms of insanity and grew steadily worse until it became necessary to commit her. Then the little girl was started across the ocean by her relative to find her father.

GOLDFIELD STRIKE

Endorsed by the Western Federation of Miners.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 11 .- Official endorsement of the miners' strike at Goldfield was given yesterday by the execu tive board of the Western Federation of Miners. The following telegram was sent to Charles H. MacKinnon, President f the Goldfield Miners' Union

"Executive Board recognizes the justice of your position. Will render a possible assistance."

HAD CARD PARTY.

Sergeants of Highlanders Entertained Corporals.

M. Shipoff Promoting Trade Relations With Japan.

Tokio, Dec. 11.—M. Shipoff, former Minister of Finance of Russia, who has spent several days in Japan, promoting Russian trade relations, was received in audience by the Emperor to-day. The Emperor expressed a desire for the most friendly relations between Japan and Russia. Later M. Shipoff left for China.

In an interview with the Associated Press, M. Shipoff said that there was absolutely no foundation for the report that he is to be the future Russian Ambaesador at Tokio.

Bargain High-Class Piano.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills. silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

HAVE ORGANIZED FOR A REDUCTION OF LICENSES.

And Will Try to Induce Men of Good Business Qualifications to Run.

At a meeting of electors held in Green's Hall last night the Temperance Electoral Association of Hamilton was formed with the following officers:

President—Dr. Wm. Crawford.
Secretary—Mr. A. H. Lyle.
Treasurer—Mr. Frederick W. Watkins.
The Executive Committe will consist of these officers and a vice-president and one other representatives from each ward in the city.

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A very happy event took place to-day

Mr. James Grey McCauley and Miss Nellie McKay,

MARRIED TO-DAY.

at Toronto when Miss Nellie McKay, only daughter of Contractor Peter Mconly daughter of Contractor Peter Mc-kay, was quietly married to Mr. James Greg McCauley, of Caledonia, by the Rev. James Murray. The bride is a very popular young lady of this city, and the groom a promising young man of Caledonia.

Many handsome presents were receiv-ed, among them being a beautiful Ger-hard Heintzman piano, the gift of the bride's father. All join in wishing the Young couple a happy and prosperous life.

FOUR INDICTED.

Father and Three Sons Charged With Conspiracy, Etc.

New York, Dec. 11 .- John G. Jennings en., formerly President of the First National Bank of Brooklyn, and his three sons were indicted by the King's County sons were indicted by the King's County grand jury to-day on charges of conspiracy and perjury. This is the first indictment against the elder Jennings, but his sons have already been indicted on other charges. All of these institutions were closed several weeks ago.

The four Jenkins were present in court and pleaded not guilty through counsel. Bail for John G. Jenkins, sen., was fixed at \$19.000, while that of his

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was fixed at \$19,000, while that of his some was made \$2,500, as they are already under heavy bail in other cases. The charges against them are based on the loans alleged to have been made by the First National Bank of Brooklyn and two trust companies to the accused men. It is charged that they engaged in a conspiracy to secure these funds in excess of ten per cent. of the paid-in capital stock of the various concerns.

170 BODIES

Have Been Brought Up From the Monongah Mine.

Monongah, W. Va., Dec. 11 .- The excitement of the first few days follow-ing the terrible disaster at the Fairmont Coal Company mines here has about subsided and the situation has setthed down into a steady eystematic search for the bodies of the victims. Up to noon to-day 170 bodies had been brought to the surface and with large additions to the rescuing force it is hoped to have the mines cleared very soon.

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Half a dozen relief stations are now in operation and supplies of all kinds are coming in rapidly and being as quickly disbursed. The cash contributions to date total \$40,000.

The relief committee estimates that there are 300 widows and 1,000 orphans as a result of the disaster and destitution among them will be very great.

The STOESSEL TRIAL

An Insult to the General and to the Russian Army.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 10.-To the correpondent of the Associated Press to-day vitnesses with whom he talked declared the trial to be an insult to General Stoer the trial to be an insult to General Stoessel and to his army. The defenders of the fortress, they said, were being thus ungratefully rewarded for having expended their life and their strength in the soul-racking defence. While the witnesses are not partisan to General Stoessel, they are plainly of the opinion that the General's detractors and prosethat the General's detractors and prose-cutors are now seeking to rehabilitate the prestige of the war at the expense of the Port Arthur garrison. A prominent colonel said: "If Stoessel is guilty we all are guilty." all are guilty.

SMALLEST HORSE IN WORLD.

Exhibition in Stanley Mills & Co's Toy Store.

Stanley Mills & Co., will have on exhibition in their toy department tomorrow and all next week, what is claimed to be the smallest living horse in the world. The little fellow is only a little over 2 feet high and 2 feet long in the body, and is a perfect specimen of a horse. Take the children in to see him and feed him.

CHRISTMAS GLOBE.

The Christmas Globe, which has just been issued, is admittedly one of the handsomest numbers that has yet been issued, not only by The Globe, but in America, and the demand for it has been unusually large. It is of particular interest to the people of Hamilton, as it contains some good work by John S. contains some good work by John S. Gordon and A. H. Robinson, two well-known local artists. Copies may be had at all newsdealers, from your newsboy or at the Globe office, Canada Life bulld-

Everything the Best.

New Grenoble walnuts, almonds, filberts, pecans, Brazils, nut meats, table raisins, Huntley & Palmer's biscuits, including bath, Oliver, cheese, straws, short bread, rusks, dinner, breakfast, nursery, etc. Bent's water biscuits; Jacobs' biscuits in endless variety.—Bain & Adams, 89-91 King street east.

PLAINTIFF OF 86 YEARS

Suing Man Who Built a Shed For Him.

Chamberlain vs. Cooper Concluded This Morning.

Miss Williamson Won Her Suit Yesterday.

The greater part of the morning at the General Sessions was spent in the Chamberlain vs. Cooper action, for \$200 damages for injuries received while the plaintiff was working in the employ of the defendant, W. H. Cooper. The plain-tiff contended that the runway from which he fell was not wide enough for safety. The case went to the jury at

11.30.

The next case taken up was Higgins vs. Stevens, an action for \$200 damages for assault, and for non-fulfilment of a contract. The plaintiff, Timothy Higgins, who is 86 years of age, is a contractor, and it is alleged that about a year ago the defendant, W. T. Stevens, who is also a contractor, assaulted Higgins. The assault is alleged to be the outgrowth of an agreement made between the plaintiff and the defendant for the building of a summer kitchen at the year of the plaintiff house. According outgrowth of an agreement made between the plaintiff and the defendant for
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rear of the plaintiff's house. According
to the testimony, partial payment was
made at the beginning, and after the job
was completed, and Stevens got his
money, he refused to make some alterations that Higgins wanted owing to
the fact, he said, that the job was not
properly done. Some time after the
plaintiff was going past the house of the
defendant, and it is alleged that they
had some words about the matter, and
that Stevens took a scanding that happened to be handy and struck Higgins
over the heart. Higgins had convulsions,
and has not been in his right health ever
since. The defendant claims that the
plaintiff provoked him so that he was
not responsible for anything that might
have happened at the time, and he put
in a counter claim was struck out, but
provision was made for the defendant,
Stevens, whereby he can carry the case
to the High Court. The case was still on
at the time of the noon adjournment,
and will likely take up the greater part
of the afternoon. W. A Logie is acting
for the defendant.

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True bills were brought in this afternoon in all the perjury cases.

At the General Sessions yesterday afternoon only two cases were taken up, they being Williamson vs. Hurley and Chamberlain vs. Cooper. In Williamson vs. Hurley the jury awarded the plaintiff the full amout of damages asked for, \$120. Miss Mary Williamson nursed the late Mrs. Johanna Hurley for the period of three months before she died, and many times during the time of her sickness, the evidence showed, Mrs. Hurley said she would reward Miss Williamson for her services. This she did not do, and after she had died her will did not make any bequest to the plaintiff. do, and after she had died her will did not make any bequest to the plaintiff, and Miss Williamson sued James Hurley for the amount of her claim for services. Dr. McCabe said that he had attended the woman, and he considered the charge very reasonable, owing to many objectionable features in connection with Mrs. Hurley's illness. The jury was not long in returning a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. F. S. Morison for the plaintiff, and M. J. O'Reilly for the defendant.

fendant.

Before the Grand Jury adjourned for the night, it brought in true bills against four prisoners. Charles Tufgar, for alleged criminal assault: James McHwraith, charged with criminal negligence in operating a street car; James Tobin, and Walter Marshall, charged with stealing brass from the G. T. R. shops in this city.

OUEEN SOPHIA.

ager of Sweden.

Stockholm, Dec. 11.—The condition of owager Queen Sophia is occasioning anxiety. The strain upon the Queen incident to the illness and death of King Oscar was very severe, and since his death she has been almost constantly confined to her bed.

Christmas Number

THETIMIES

Will be Published

Wednesday, Dec. 18th

With Colored Supplement

It will contain many inter-esting articles suitable to the

Advertisers

would do well to arrange for their space at once.

See that your copy is ready in time. Telephone 368

The Man In Overalls

"His Lordship's Romance."

A heart to heart sort of a tale that you've got to finish when you once begin it.

Santa Chaus' busy days are here. Have you got yours bought yet?

Say, a foot of snow would make things

Go in the morning when the mer-chants are not so busy and the stores not so crowded.

What do you think of the pump of Mr. Whitney is not so successful with

ais suits against the Dominion Govern-ment as Oliver Mowat was. He used to put it all over poor Sir John, The Cemetery Board gets along with-out overdrafts, and has no trouble with its tenants. Everything is quiet up there. No complaints.

In your buying don't forget the San, the Homes, the Duffield Mission and my Salvation Army friends. That's the kind of giving that is followed by a

Now that the Canadian Club has de-cided that we can get along without a navy, the fellows who want one had bet-ter get one of their own.

This is the Thirteenth night at Bennett's. The boys are guests of J. M., the shooting Colonel. 'Shun! The Mayor says he is no figurehead. Nor, we hope, a pinhead.

This is the opening night of our tory—no extra charge.

Nobody can find Mr. Barker when down at Ottawa. I suppose he can't be bothered. But Zim considers it no bother to show you around. Always Johnnie-on-the-spot.

In the meantime all is still as death at the Lakeside Park. Yes: Mr. Sealey is doing finely. He is not quarrelling with the county constables.

I meet very few people who say they are going to vote for the money by law.

The Times Christmas number will be published next Wednesday. Advertisers will please hand in copy as soon as pos-

MAY OFFER \$3,600.

Knox Church Officials Working to Retain Dr. Nelson.

At the regular meeting of the session of Knox Church last evening the question of making inducements to Rev. Dr. Nelson to reconsider his decision to resign the pastorate was discussed. At the congregational meeting at which the matter was considered the proposition to increase the salary to \$3,500 was voted down, although the congregation was unanimous in offering to make it \$3,000, an increase of \$500 over what Dr. Nelson at present receives. A petition was circulated and a sufficient number of subscriptions secured to warrant the managers offering Dr. Nelson a salary of \$3,500 or \$3,500 or There is some talk of holding a congregational meeting next Monday evening, so that the offer can be made before the Presbytery meets a week from to-day, to hear reasons as to why it should not accept the resignation. The general opinion, however, is that there is little horse, however, is that Nelson to reconsider his decision to re-The general opinion, however, is that there is little hope of Dr. Nelson being retained here.

MORE CARRIERS.

Auxiety Regarding the Queen Dow- Three More Men Will be Put On at Once.

Post office business in Hamilton has partment has found it necessary to increase the carrier staff, and three appointments have just been made, to go into effect at once. The young men selected for the positions are Messrs, T. McCowell, Herbert J. Dilworth and Fred

Warburton.

Mr. Bernard Flynn has been appointed to a position in the custom house, to go into effect at once.

THE WOMAN WHO KNOWS

Goes to the Right House to find the greatest assortments, the best values and the best service this popular store has ever offered. That is the reason the Right House business is increasing so fast of date. People have come to know, this season more than ever before, of the great advantages of shopping at the old, tried and trusted store, where quality and the best values can always be depended on.

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Select your Christmas gifts at the
Right House, then your friends will be
certain of their good quality and high
character. The Thomas C. Watkins store is showing immense assortments of Christmas goods, and the splendid dis-plays you will find their make simpli-fied Christmas shopping easy for every-

Read the big Right House advertisement in this paper.

THEIR PLANS ARE **QUITE ELABORATE**

Girl Drowned.

New York, Dec. 11.-That Mary A. Pritchard, a Brooklyn stenographer, was drowned as a result of a collision between the Fall River liner Providence and the ferry boat Baltic in the East River last night was discovered to-day. A body believed to be hers was washed ashore in South Brooklyn

VERY PRACTICAL.

Fine Orders From Out-of-Town From - Times Ads.

Mr. J. Seymour, 7 John street north has had so many practical demonstrations of the value of Times ads. that he is loud in his praice of Times results. Mr. Seymour deals in photographic supplies. He said this morning that already this week he had received one fine order from Oakville and another from a person residing back on the mountain, and in both cases the purchasers mentioned the Times as the source of their information about his

Dusiness.

That's what counts. The Times is the paper that reaches the people who have money to spend.

VERY SUDDEN CALL.

Mr. Andrew Farquharson Overcome on the Street.

Andrew Farquharson, a well known and highly esteemed resident of this city, died very suddenly this morning of heart failure. Deceased was coming down Erie avenue at an early hour from his home, which is on that avenue, and when about 200 yards from his residence he evidently felt sickness coming over him, for he tried to support himself on his cane. In a few moments, however, he fell to the ground. A lady who was sweeping the snow from in front of her door noticed Mr. Farquharson, and ran to his assistance. She also called to Mr. George Kappelle, and assisted Mr. Farquharson into the house. He died about twenty minutes later. He was 65 years of age, and was born in Roxboryshire, Scotland. He leaves five daughters and two sons. The funeral will take place his home, which is on that avenue, and two sons. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon from his late resi-

dence, 139 Erie avenue. **BUTLER GOES FREE.**

No Evidence Offered in the Stock Brokerage Case.

Frank H. Butler, the man from Lon on who was accused of false pretences connection with stock transactions with Meadows-Williams Co., is a free man to-day. He came up before Judge Monek this morning, and elected to be Monck this morning, and elected to be tried there. Crown Attorney Washington said that he had no evidence against Butler, owing to the fact that the Crown was unable to get three or four witnesses from New York, who are stock brokers, and would not take the time to come over here. The Meadows-Williams Co, were content to let the case drop. It is understood that Butler has a Government position, and is not connected now with the stock brokerage business. The Judge discharged Butler without comment.

BARKER ON DECK.

Torics Will Move Several Amendments to Address.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 11.-(Special). -The Conservatives met in caucus this forenoon. Mr. Kemp, Toronto, Presided. It was decided to move two or three more amendments to the address, so that there is not likely to be any business done before the adjournme. for the Christmas holidays. Mr. Barker will move his amendment regarding the Quebec bridge this afternoon.

For Technical Education In Hamilton.

NO. 288.

Training Centres, School and College.

If Govenment Will Build the College.

The deputation of School Trustees which went to Rochester yesterday to pick up pointers in connection with manual training returned primed with inferreport to be made to the Board of Ecuation. The trustees have great things in the way of technical education in view, if their hopes are realized. Briefly the plan is to establish as many manual training centres as possible in the city, build a technical school and prevail up on the Covernment to establish the much-talked-of Technical College here.

The scheme is to issue debentures for the building of the technical school, manual training centres would be feeders to this technical school and the latter to the college. There has been talk of offering the Government part of the Collegiate grounds for the college site, if it is decided to build it here, but some

of ottering the Government part of the Collegiate grounds for the college site, if it is decided to build it here, but some of the trustees think it would be best to buy a block of land in the east end and build both the college and school on it. If the dream is realized, pupils after passing the entrance would then have their choice of taking up the commercial courses, going to the Collegiate or take the technical course.

Some idea of what other cities do in the line of technical education was impressed upon the deputation by what they saw at the Mechanics' Institute in Rochester. This is a three-storey building, 40 x 200 and 4,000 pupils attend the different classes. Classes are conducted every night in the week and the officials say that even then they can not nearly accommodate those who wish to attend. The institute is entirely separate from the public schools, being maintained by fees and subscriptions. There is a deficit each year of about \$15,000 over fees, and this is made up by subscriptions, principally from wealthy men.

In the manual training department the term is three years. The first year is devoted to wood work, the second to iron work, and the third to machinery. The price of the three months' course is \$25, and \$2 for material. The price for night term is \$18.

Domestic science is also taught in the institute, and Secretary Foster says he never saw anything so complete as the dressmaking classes. Six large class rooms are devoted to this, and everything is done, from simple sewing to dressmaking and millinery work.

Some of the manual training centres in the Public Schools were visited. There are twenty-four of these centres, and the teachers are all ladies. There is one male supervisor. Only woodwork is taught, the pupils going from these centres to the Mechanics' Institute if they desire to pursue the studies. esire to pursue the studies

It is proposed to establish two more to is proposed to establish two more centres here, in addition to the one at the Collegiate, as soon after the first of the year as possible. One of these centres will be at the Caroline street school. Wentworth street school was spoken of for the other centre, but it will likely be established at the West avenue school,

Judge Snider in his report on the appeal of Martin Malone to have the assessment of the late Edward Martin, K. C., increased, gives the reasons for his ruling as follows:

"The chief point for my decision is whether or not the Court of Revision had jurisdiction after the 15th day of November. After considering the Act and cases and argument I am of opinion that "shall" is imperative in section 65, sub-section 20, chap. 23, O. S. 1904. The Court of Revision attempted to deal sub-section 20, chap. 23, O. S. 1904. The Court of Revision attempted to deal with this matter on the 16th November, 1907. I think they had no power. It was their plain duty to have dealt with it before 15th November, and to have seen that proper notices were served in time. The appellant did his full duty to have his appeal properly tried, and he should not suffer by the neglect of the Court of Revision or its officers.

"I think I have power to deal with this matter, the Court of Revision having neglected to do so in proper time, and the appeal to me is well laid.

"I therefore order that the assessment of Marianna Martin for income be increased to the sum of \$3,350.

"I order that the assessment of Kir-(Continued on page 19.)

LICENCE HOLDERS ARE ALSO BECOMING ACTIVE.

Want Action Taken to Put Down "Blind Pigs" and Illegal Sale of Liquor.

Read the big Right House advertisement in this paper.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the License Holders' Association will be held to-morrow afternoon to consider a number of matters of interest files of English Dog Capsules. For washing your dog and keeping him free of fleas there is nothing like Frank's Dog Soap, sold at 15c, per cake.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

STORES CORPS.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 11.— (Special.)—The designation of the ordance stores corps has been changed to the Canadian ordnance. This was announced in a militia order to-day.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the License Holders' Association will be held to-morrow afternoon to consider a number of matters of interest to the trade, Some of the members think that the license holders are being kept too much in the limelight, and blamed for the sins of others. One of them said to-day:

"The License Inspector, the police department, the Citizens' League and the Temperance Executive are all after the license holders as a body should employ detectives to eatch those who are selling liquor illegally, just to show the public to strong the numbers of reducing the number of hotels, although as a matter of fact there is not sufficient hotel accommodation in this matter to-morrow. Probably a committee will be appointed to ask the Police Commissioners and the License Commissioners and the License Commissioners and the License Commissioners on Saturday mights and Sun-

HIS LORDSHIP'S **ROMANCE**

It was a pretty and picturesque scene upon which the June sunbeams fell one bright summer morning some few years

bright summer morning some few years ago.

Out upon the lawn of Severnoke Castle stood a young girl just in the first spring-tide of youth. There was something in the brightness of her face that harmonized with the beauty of the day. It was a picture that an artist would have immortalized—the variety of flowers of every color that diversified the green grass of the lawn, and the golden anbeans that lit up the scene. The centre figure, which seemed to concentrate the light and brightness, was that of the young girl, Florence, the only child of Lord Wyverne. A plain morning-dress of white muslin showed to advantage the slender, girlish figure. The rippling golden hair was simply tied with a blue ribbon; the lovely, half-childish face was a poem complete in itself. It was a face that changed with every thought—one moment. gay and

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Lady Florence was wilful. The friends who admired her most and loved her best admirted it. She had been spoiled all her life—had known no law, no will, save her own, no well-medited rebuke, no lecture, ever fell to the lot of Lady Wyverne's daughter. Her very faults were smiled at as being part of her pretty, wilful, fascinating manner, that no one wished to see changed. She was a fair picture—a type of English beauty as she stood this summer morning. In her dainty white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread, with white hands she held some pieces of bread with the pretty tame white dvoes; and the nit was that the picture became beautiful.

The voice; and the young girl's a magnificent peacock that was called the warm color that flushed his face.

"Hush, Floy!" said Lord Wyverne. "White was the slightest and pretties and pretties and pretties are she heard the words.

"I am so sorry," said Florence, as her face changed. "Pray forgive me, Mr. Lynne," in ever dreamed there was anything serious. What can we do?" "Mr. Lynne a cup of tea,

There was the slightest and prettiest air of embarrassment in the young girl's face as his eyes followed her every movement, although she affected to be quite unaware of his close observation. She revenged herself, however, by making many little speeches to the birds which were intended for him.

These little symptoms were not unnoted, for at the window of the breakfast-room, which opened upon the lawn, stood Lord Wyverne himself, watching with an eager and scrutinizing glance, the faces of his daughter and his guest. With one look at Lord Wyverne's face his history was told. Years of wild dis-

the faces of his daughter and his guest. With one look at Lord Wyverne's face his history was told. Years of wild disorder, unbridled indulgence in vice and folly, had left unmistakable traces. The bent figure, the dimmed eyes, the fur rowed brow, the trembling hands, told their own tale. Lord Wyverne was not much above fifty, yet he was an old man. He was wont to boast that he had seen more of life in his fifty years than other men had in a hundred. Most probably that was true. He had spent a noble fortune. When it was all gone he married an beiress, and in the course of a few years he spent her fortune also. Lady Wyverne died, the doctor said, of heart disease, her friends said of despair, leaving one only child. Florence.

Ruined in fortune, shattered in health, sated and wearied of the world in which he could no longer play his favorite part, Bord Wyverne gave up his town house and came to live upon the estate he had so long neglected.

It is not a pleasant picture to gaze upon, this ruined spendthrift, this possessor of a noble name, the descendant of a noble race, who had bartered honor, character and fortune for mere pleasure. There were times when he turned in disgust even from himself; and such a moment was the present, as he stood watching his daughter's face and trying to understand its expression.

"It would do charmingly," he mutter-the towned the continued. "I have been happier than I ever was in my life before. I only regret that it ends so baruptly."

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"It would do charmingly," he muttered to himself. "She would be Lady Lynne; and it would not matter so much that I have not a penny to leave

me."
Mr. Lynne looked half bewildered, and stood for a moment as though inclined to dispute the charge; but she gave him a saucy little mutinous smile that sent him to breakfast in an unusual state of mind

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Lord Wyverne stood at the window. He did not leave it while his guest exchanged greetings with him. There was a wistful look on his worn, worldly face. "Have I rested well?" he said, in reply to the young man's inquiries. "Yes, as well as I can do with the remembrance of a lifetime of folly strong upon me. I do not like my nights, Philip. In the daytime I can disperse my ghoststhe ghosts of lost years; but in the night they draw around me, and do not let me rest. I have been thinking, as I stood here, that perhaps it is not too late to begin even now to do something better. Do you know what would happen to Florence if I were to die?"

"No," replied Mr. Lynne, looking at him with surprise.

"Why, she would be left penniless," said his lordship: "porer even than the poorest housemaid in the kitchen—literally and truly penniless. I have got through every farthing of her mother's fortune. I have lost five thousand pounds in one night's play. There is uothing left now but the addition.

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he left them alone. "I am so grieved, Mr. Lynne," said "I am so grieved, Mr. Lynne," said Florence; "bad news always seems to me doubly sorrowful coming on such a bright, beautiful day as this. Half an hour ago, while we were so careless and happy out in the garden there, how lit-tle we thought what was coming for you!"

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She held out the cup of tea, and Philip drank it hastily; he could not eat, and she watched him wistfully as he pushed the plate away.

"Are you very grieved." she asked suddenly.

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There was no mistaking the young girl's face—the warm color that mounted the young girl. "He is waiting breakfast for us, I suppose. Pray tell him, Mr. Lynne, as the young man rose, "that I will be there in three minutes. Try," she added softly, 'and be more amiable to pap than you are to my bird and to Mr. Lynne looked half bents.

no one had ever yet tamed, shrunk timid-ly from him.

"Florence," he resumed, "if I——"

The sentence was never finished; for at that moment Lord Wyverne entered the room hastily, saying that the car-

the room hastily, saying that the carriage was waiting.

"Good-bye," said Philip to the young girl, "my regret at leaving you is lessened by the hope of being allowed to see you soon again."

If Philip Lynne could but have foreseen where and how he would see that beautiful young girl next—if she had known how many years would pass before her hand touched his again—before che would see his face or hear his voice, she would not have parted with him so cheerfully.

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"It is a strange position for her to be placed in," said Philip Lynne, gravely.

"You would say so if you knew how she has always been treated—like aome queen regent," said Lord Wyverng. "She has been mistress of Severnoke ever since she was old enough to walk, and there are not many places in England to compare to it. Just imagine being penniless after reigning here!

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"What are they worth?" said Lord Wyverne, with a sneer. "I know the world. Of all those who have flattered and sought her now, how many do you think will even remember her name after I am gone?"

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them—at least, in public history, the private annals of the family there a reard of each Lord Lynne and ded at Lynnewolde.

and ced at Lynne who lived and ced at Lynnewolde. The present Lord Lynne had succeeded to the title when very young. His father had been a wild, reckless man; and the once great wealth of the family had nearly all vanished when Stephen Lynne took possession of the estate. Notking, in fact, remained of their once large possessions except Lynnewolde. He married twice. His first wife was a beautiful Spanish lady, who was never seen in his stately English home. Her portrait was in the picture gallery; but she had not lived to shine, as she would have done, fairest among the peeresses of England. She died in Spain, one year after her marriage, leaving one little birl, an infant, a few days old.

Stephen, Lord Lynne, married again—

Stephen, Lord Lynne married again. not a beauty this time, but a gentle English girl, one of the wealthiest heir-esses of the day. She also had one esses of the day. She also had one daughter; but a son, the wish of Lord

the whole of her large fortune to him, giving him the power to do what he would with it.

Lynnewolde had been restored to more than its ancient grandeur, and Lord Lynne was known to be a wealthy nobleman; still, many people wondered how it would be with the heir of the Lynnewolde, too, for it was entailed; but a title and n large house are not sufficient for a man to live upon, and sufficient for a man to live upon, and many wondered whether Philip would in-herit his uncle's money as well as his

(To be continued.)

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of headache, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause, E. W. Grove on

ITALIANS GIVE PLEDGE.

Those of Port Arthur. Agree to Stop Carrying Arms.
Port Arthur, Dec. 10.—At the closing of the Assizes here a very unusual inci-dent took place. A deputation of Italian residents, numbering over a hundred, waited upon Mr. Justice Clute and pre-sented a document in which all agreed to discontinue the carrying of concealed weapons.

weapons.
It appears that the Italians, who are unused to the ways of this country, arm themselves with revolvers or with knives, for the purposes of self-defence. One of their number was convicted at the Astheir number was convicted at the Assizes of wounding a man who had assaulted him. The accused was walking along the street with his wife, when a drunken person insulted the woman, and then, because the husband resented his misconduct, made a brutal attack upon the latter. The Italian, in a state of anger, drew a revolver and fired at the offender. For this offence the Italian was arrested and tried.

In dealing with the case, Mr. Justice Clute pointed to the fact that the Italians, unaware of the law of this country, arm themselves, and consequently get

arm themselves, and consequently into troubles of this nature. The ians of the town held a meeting subse-quently, and discussed the matter. They agreed to abandon the carrying of wea-pons forthwith, and signed a document to this effect.

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The document was presented to his Lordship, and it is expected that as a result the use of the revolver and the knife will cease. The accused man was let out on suspended sentence.

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Alleged Housebreakers, at Peterboro, Were Trying to Sell Loot.

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Peterhoro, Dec. 10.—This morning, between 10 and 11 o'clock, the residence of Mr. T. Brightman, 343 Stewart street, was eutered while its occupants were absent and \$50 worth of jewelry stolen. The police arrested two strangers, who were caught trying to dispose of the stolen property in a local jewelry store.

Water Famine Ended.
St. John, Dec. 10.—One of the broken water mains was repaired on Monday about midnight and the other will be fixed this afternoon. All industrial concerns except a few on the higher levels were able to resume business this morning.

Henry Youtsey, serving a life sentence for the murder of Goebel in Kentucky, gave evidence yesterday which implicat-cd ex-Governor Taylor.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

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RAY ACCOUNT PAID

And County Will Fight It Out With West Flamboro

siderably this morning, owing to the power being off, and it was well after 11 o'clock before the members got down to business. There were five Councillors away. Some had to walk a number of miles, as had also County Clerk J. W. Jardine, and as he had the minute book, nothing could be done until he had walked in from the other side of the golf links. When the meeting began it was to consider an application from J. H. to consider an application from J. H. Smith for assistance in his office. It was decided to let the matter be dealt

ith by the incoming Council.

At the session yesterday afternoon the At the session yesterday afternoon the Council was not long in coming to the conclusion that Peter Ray's account had better be paid, and then take up the matter with West Flamboro. The Councillors are still of the opinion that Mr. Ray made a much better road than was needed, but it was thought that to wrangle over the matter would cause trouble, and so the account for \$1,268 was passed. The account for the criminal audit, \$150, was passed. The third reading of the by-law appointing Maitland Young & Son auditors for the coming year, was read and passed. The firm is paid \$150 for its work on the county books.

The rest of the afternoon was spent in Finance Committee, and all the accounts were cleared up. Committee, and all the ac-

LAIDLAW MISSION.

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church gave a musical and literary entertainment in aid of the Laidlaw Memorial Mission, in the school room of the church, on Monday evening. There was a good attendance, and those present expressed themselves as greatly pleased "with the fine programme rendered by the young. It was as follows: Piano duet, Misses Taylor; song, Mr. Westcott; reading, Miss Bonner; cornet solo, Mr. H. Cumming; song, Mr. W. J. Poulton; dialogue, "Precious Pickle;" reading, Mr. Young; cornet solo, Mr. H. Cumming; reading, Miss Bonner; song, Mr. Westcott. Miss E. Didman was the accompanist.

JAMAICA QUAKE.

Kingston, Jamaica, Dec. 11.-The sec ond case for the payment of losses sustained at the time of the Kingston earthquake and fire last January, and which was begun at Montego Bay on Nov. 25, resulted to-day in a decision in favor the the plaintift, the municipality. The defendant in the action was the Sun Insurance Co., of Londor



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MARKETS AND FINANCE

Receipts of live stock at the City Yards, as reported by the railways, were 92 carloads, composed of 187

Toronto Farmers' Market.

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The offerings of grain to-day were confined to 100 bushels of goose wheat, which sold at 87c per bushel.

Hay quiet and steady, with sales of 20 loads at 81e to 821 a ton. Straw is firmer, one load selling at \$17 a ton. Dressed hogs are unchanged at \$7.50 to \$7.75 for light and at \$7.25 for heavy. Wheat, white, bush. \$0 97 \$0 00 Do., epc, bush6 0 97 0 00 Do., poring, bush. 0 90 0 00 Do. spring, bush. 0 87 0 00 Oats, bush. 0 87 0 00 Oats, bush. 0 87 0 00 Oats, bush. 0 87 0 00 Straw, per ton 19 00 21 00 Straw, per ton 19 00 21 00 Straw, per ton 19 00 21 00 Straw, per ton 16 00 17 00 Seeds, Alsike, No. 1 bu, 7 50 8 00 Do., No. 2 6 675 7 25 Dressed hogs. 7 25 775 Eggs. new tailed.

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 Apples, per bdl.
 2 00

 Potatoes, per bag
 1 00

 Onions, per bag
 1 00

 Cabbage, per dozen
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 Beef, hindquarters
 7 00

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per cwt. Veal, prime, per cwt. . . 7 50 10 00 Lamb, per cwt. 8 50 9 50

Liverpool Apple Market. Liverpool Apple market.

Woodall & Co. cabled Eben James today: 38,722 barrels selling: good fruit
dearer and wanted: others very flat.
Best Baldwins, 15s to 18s 6d; poor, 11s
to 13s; best Spys, 17s to 22s 6d; poor,
10s to 14s; best Kirgs, 24s to 28s; poor,
16s to 21s; best Greenings, 21s to 23s
6d; poor, 15s to 17s 3d; best Russets, 17s
to 22s; poor, 14s to 15s.

British Cattle Markets. London.—London cables are firmer, at 11c to 123-4c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c to 101-2c per lb.

Winnipeg Wheat Market Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day: Wheat-Dec. \$1.001-2 bid, May \$1.09 Oats-Dec. 43 1-2c bid, May 51 1-2c bid.

Financial Notes

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(Yesterday's N. Y. Herald.)

Illinois Central stock closed yesterday at 124 1-4. It may still be noted as yielding from a 7 per cent dividend on an income of 3.6: per cent.

Illinois Centra was bought by at 184 1-2. Illinois Centra glit edged investment. Its yield to the investor was then onto 3.8 per cent. as against nearly 6 per cent. to persons who buy now.

New York Central stock closed yesterday at 97 1-8. The bargain hunter should note that its 6 per cent. dividend yields 6.17 per cent in income at that price.

New York Central stock was sold at 1534 last year, at which price is netted but 3.84 per cent, but investors bought it eagerly on that heels.

United States Steel preferred is a widely known industrial stock. At its highest price of next year, 113 1-4, its 7 per cent. dividend returned an income of 5.18 per cent.

United States Steel preferred closed yes-seeday at 87 1-4. Its 7 per cent. dividend at that price yields an income of 5.02 per cent.

Giving an Exhibition.

(Toronto News.)

It is intimated that the Opposition is wasting time by prolonging the debate on the address. Nonsense. When you have debating strength, show it.

Receipts of live stock at the City Yards, as reported by the railways, were 192 carloads, composed of 1,374 cattle, 1575 hogs, 2,334 sheep and lambs and 100 calves. Besides the above there were 510 hogs that went direct to the packers and 17 carloads of Chicago cattle, 330 in number, being fed and watered in transit for export.

There were a tew fair to good cattle on the market, but the bulk were of the common to medium classes.

Trade was not as good as last week, owing to soft weather.

Exporters.—There were none offered and none wanted, owing to lack of shipping space at present.

Butchers.—The best butchers' heifers and steers sold at from \$4.20 to \$4.50; nucdium, at \$3.00 to \$3.80; common at \$3.5 to \$3.50; cows at \$2.25 to \$3.25; canness at 75c to \$1 per cwt.

Fæders and Stockers.—There is a fair demand for good stockers and feeders. Prices are about steady at following quotations. Best feeders, 1,000 to 1,100 ba, at \$3.50 to \$3.80 per cwt.; best feeders, 900 to 1,000 ba, at \$3.50 to \$3.80 per cwt.; best feeders, 900 to 1,000 ba, at \$3.50 to \$3.80 per cwt.; best feeders, 900 to 1,000 ba, at \$2.50 to \$1.75.

Milkers and Springers.—There was a fair trade, but prices were easier, ranging from \$30 to \$54 each, but only one cow was reported at the latter price.

Veal Calves.—There were over 100 calves on sale. Prices miled steady at \$3 to \$6 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.—Receipts were large, but there was little change in quotations. Export ewes, \$8.75 to \$4 per owt.; lambs, \$4 to \$5.25 per cwt. Hogs.—Mr. Harris reports prices 25ch higher; seelects at \$5.25 per cwt. Hogs.—Mr. Harris reports prices 25ch higher; seelects at \$5.25 per cwt. Hogs.—Mr. Harris reports prices 25ch higher; seelects at \$5.25 per cwt.; lights \$5 and stores at \$4.50.

Toronto Farmers' Market.

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ouis & Nashville	92%	92%
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ew York Central	96%	95
nt. & West	315%	311/2
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ock Island	14	14
cck Island, pref	281-2	281/4
outhern Pacific	713 ₈	71%
outhern Railway	1.5	131/4
outh Rajiway, pref	40	
exas & Pacific	19%	1916
win City	801/2	80%
nion Pacific	11476	114%
abash, pref	181/4	
INDUSTRIALS.		

American Cotton Oll American Locomotive ... American Sugar American Steel Foundries

COBALT NOTES Mr. W. A. Sadler, who has been in England in connection with the sale of stock of the Cochrane mine, is reported to have sold to British capitalists 200, 000 shares of the Treasury stock.

ing an investigation into the mining pro perties of the north, is reported to have secured property bordering on Net Lake for a New York syndicate. The building of the Cobalt

Prof. A. Hassan, who has been mak

trators is now complete and the ma-chinery is being installed. The struc-ture is the largest in the district. The mill will have a capacity of 100 tons of ore a day.

The directors of the Nipissing Min-ing Company will meet on Dec. 20, when it is expected that they will declare the regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent. According to a report of the directors of the North Star Mining Conpany, diamond drilling has been conducted on a small part of the property during the summer.

The Big Dipper mine in Hasting county will build a concentrator with a capacity of 100 tons of ore a day. The property is a gold mine and assays of \$45 to the ton have been obtained from

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ARLAND'S

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. McManus and Mrs. Gerngross. The funeral of Joseph Gardner took place this afternon from the residence

of his father, William Gardner, 83 Burlington street west, and was very largely

attended. Canon Abbott conducted the

Mrs. Margaret Gerngross passed away esterday at her late residence, in Nie gara Falls South, at the age of 52 years She was the wife of Charles Gerngross and leaves a husband and three daugh ters, Misses Nettie, Effic and Freda Gerngross. The funeral will take place on the arrival of the 10.40 G. T. R. train

James E. Sume, a resident of Dunnville, passed away at the City Hospital last evening. The deceased came here about three weeks ago to undergo treatment, but he gradually failed. He was 29 years old, and leaves a widow. The remains were shipped to Dunnville this morning, and the funeral will take place there on Friday.

Mrs. Ferguson, wife of Rev. George Ferguson, of Niagara Falls South, died at her husband's residence, 108 Baker street, on Monday, at the age of 66 Mrs. Jane McManus, wife of Robert McManus, passed away yesterday afternoon at her late residence, 281 Herkimer street, after a brief illness. Deceased was 49 years of age, and was born in Glasgow, Scotland. She had been a resident of this city for upwards of 26 years. She leaves a husband, two daughters, Misses Mary and Isabella, and four-sons, Jannea Thomas and John, of this city, and Robert, of Saskatoon. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon from her late residence.

The death occurred in Caledonia, at her residence, on Thursday last, Dec. 5, of Mrs. Doreas Wilson, relict of the late Alexander Wilson, after an illness extending over some months, at the age of 74 years. Mrs. Wilson was one of Caledonia's oldest residents, having made her home in this village for 46 years. She was a native-of Barnstaple, Devonshire, Engiand. For many years surviving her England. For many years surviving her husband, she leaves her family unbroken her four sons and four daughters all live to mourn the loss of a noble and af-fectionate mother. They are as follows: James, in Point Edward; Alexander, pas-

James, in Point Edward; Alexander, passenger traffic accountant of the electric railway system; Archibald, in Seattle; William, in Stratford; Mrs. John Avery, Caledonia; Mrs. John Peart, St. Thomas; Miss Jessie Wilson and Mrs. E. J. Rowlands, of Montreal.

The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Dr. Wallis, at the home on Saturday afternoon last, at 2 o'clock, The pall-bearers were her son-in-law, John W. Avery, and five grandsons, Wilson Avery, John Avery, Donald Wilson, All Wilson and Weston Peart. The funeral of the late Emma

foung, who died rather suddenly at her roung, who dred rather suddenly at her family residence, Seneca township, near York, on Thursday last, Dec. 5, took place on Saturday last. The deceased had for some time been in poor health, and heart trouble at the last was the cause of her untimely demise. She was ause of her untimely demise. She was daughter of the late Alexander You a daughter of the late Alexander Young, formerly reeve of Seneca township, and leaves as immediate relatives surviving, one sister and one brother at home and a brother, Mr. A. Young, of the firm of Howden & Young, of Caledonia. The latter is at present in hospital at Hamilton, suffering from the effects of a recent operation, and the news of his sister's death has not as yet been broken to him.

GOLDFIELD MINERS

Demand Withdrawal of Troops From That Section.

Goldfield, Nevada, Dec. 11.—The Mine Owners' Association has given the miners who lave signified their willingness to go to work assurances that every effort will be made to protect their persons and their homes.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Miners' Union last night resolutions condemning the authorities for sending the troops, protesting against their remaining here, and demanding their withdrawal at once, were passed. The decision to stand by the previous declarations in regard to the refusal to accept scrip in lieu of coin for wages accept scrip in lieu of coin for wages was made, and it was also decided to make no overtures to the mine owner other than those previously extended.

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New Church. The annual meeting of Central Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society was held yes-terday afternoon, the president, Mrs. J. S. Henderson, in the chair. Mrs. George Lowe, secretary, read an excellent report of the year's work, which has been most successful. Feeling reference was made to the fact that death had tered the homes of four members dur-

tered the momes of four memoers and ing the year—Mrs. John S. Hendrie, Mrs. Odder, Mrs. Logan and Miss Hurd. Mrs. James Dickson, treasurer, report-ed \$422.19 on hand at the beginning of the year, and the present balance \$1,183.26. The officers elected were:

The officers elected were: President, Mrs. J. S. Henderson; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. J. J. Evel, Mrs. Robert Evans, Mrs. W. R. Davis, Mrs. Thos. McIlwraith; Secretary, Mrs. George Lowe; Treasurer, Mrs. James Dickson.

Rev. Dr. Lyle addressed the society. He congratulated them on their excellent work. In speaking of the new church, he said there were 400 more sittings than in the old church. The society is actively assisting in all work relating to the new church building. It is paying for the oak dado and also adding \$300 to the amount received for insurance on the memorial window which was fasterieyed.

SOO TRAFFIC.

Close of the Season Sees All Records Broken.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 11.-With all reords in the history of the great lakes roken, the traffic of the Soo canals practically came to a close yesterday. In practically came to a close yesterday. In round numbers the total freight tomage was 58,000,000, about 7,000,000 greater than last year. Marine men claim that had it not been for the financial crisis the total would have been 60,000,000. The high mark recorded this season was in June, when the shipments through the canals aggregated 8,265,442 net tons, although in both August and September the commerce was more than 8,500,000 tons, and in October it was upward of 8,400,000 tons.

The value of the shipping passing through the Suez Canal in the course of the year is fifty-five million dollars, and the great bulk of this is Engl

THE HAMILTON TIMES

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 11, 1907

TRIED TO DRAW PUGSLEY.

Mr. Pugsley, the Minister of Public Works, charged the Tory party of New Brunswick with spending large sums of money corruptly during the last general elections. The charges were made openly in public meeting in Ottawa, in the presence of the Premier, and most likely with his approval. Mr. Pugsley charged that Mr. Borden, the leader of the Opposition, was cognizant of these facts who the stumped the Northwest and the Pacifie Coast with the hypocritical cry that the Liberals were so steeped in bribery and other things that are dark in election matters, that the country should rise and sweep them from office. He further declared that he was ready to give the names of the Tory gentlemen who handled the boodle that was used to cor rupt the electorate down by the sea, He also challenged Mr. Borden to sue him for libel if the charges were not true. What was Mr. Borden's response to the serious charges thus made by a responsible Minister of the Crown? Silence! He has made no response. For two weeks he has been dumb. He is still dumb. But last night he put Mr. Kemp, one of the incapables of the House, to try and badger Mr. Pugsley into addressing the House on the subject. Following the example of Mr. Clements with his offensive language towards Mr. Fisher, Mr. Kemp impudently referred to the Minister of Public Works as sitting in the House "like a whipped spaniel." Mr. Pugsley took no notice of him, He has made his charges, and it is for Mr. Borden to disprove them if he can, When the leader of the Opposition musters up ourage to bring the matter before the House, Mr. Pugsley will speak, and if desired will no doubt supply the names of the gentlemen Mr. Borden is in no hurry to learn.

ALL AT SEA

It is announced that Mayor Stewart, the Chairman of the Fire and Water Committee, City Engineer Barrow and all others connected with the civic water department are all at sea about the of-fer made by the Cataract Power Company to do the pumping of city water. Of course they are. The strange thing is that they are willing to admit it. It is equally certain that they are also all at sea, but to an infinitely greater degree, about the Hydro-Electric scheme. No one has yet pretended to make an offer half as definite as the Cataract's offer on behalf of the Hydro-Electric people, yet the civic fathers have already made a plunge in the dark to the extent of asking the citizens to vote \$225,000 for the privilege of borrowing bout \$200,000 from the rich money lend ers for the purpose of installing a dis ributing plant which will be only the orerunner of an expenditure the magniude of which no one has yet begun to figure upon. In respect to the Hydroscheme the Council is more than at sea. It is in the swamp of uncertainty, yet it proposes to load the city with debt which is only the forerunner of what may be the greatest burden that the corporation has ever been asked to best rate at which money can be borrowed is 16 per cent.

By all means get light! Get light on the Cataract offer—independent light. Get the best expert in the business to say exactly what the offer means, but not close your eyes, gentlemen of the City Council, and bunt your brow into a stone wall of debt and burden, the greatness of which you know nothing about in respect to the distributing plant

No sane man would go it in the dark. os the Hamilton City Council is doing in respect to the Beck scheme—and simply because it is the Beck scheme. It's course cannot be justified on any principle of municipal economy.

SPARE US THE INFLICTION.

It is devoutly to be hoped that the Trades and Labor Council's report on the filtering basins is not going to result in the infliction of another newspaper dose, ad nauseam, of Lottridge's creek, intake, sandsucker, Hunting, Bongard, McFarlane and Barrow upon the already sickin the filtering basins were half as bad as some of the newspaper drivel on the subject has been the citizens would have existence. What the Trades and Labor representatives saw, what they did no how they were treated and what they think amount to little. For aught they know the weeds which they discov ered may have been nature's water purifier. Who has not drunk water from a stream or clear pool and thought nothing of the weeds in its bed? The simple fact remains that Hamilton has purer water than 99 per cent, of the people of Canada are blessed with-and the 99 per cent. are not complaining. Good water and an abundant supply at a minimum of cost is what Hamilton wants and is fortunate enough to have. The city's low typhoid rate and general good heait! during all the time the water and all connected with the system have been under constant fire of criticism are the best answer to the critics. What is now wanted is a strong hand to insist upon the very best results being obtained from the facilities which the city pos sesses to give its people the fullest ad of its excellent system. One head, no interference, and no quarreling among the staff; and then a dissolution of the knockers' club, and Hamilton will ue to enjoy its great blessing of pure water with an easy mind.

The Montreal Gazette recalls that one of the benefits of "municipal ownership" of which we hear much is the keen interest it leads to in municipal affairs, thus ensuring careful and intelligent government and management But it does not find much encourage ment for that view in the case of Edmonton, a town which is heralded as a great example of municipalization. It says the other day the 2,000 ratepayers on the roll were invited to express their opinion upon by-laws adopted by the wake up some day and learn it.

A WANT SUPPLIED.

One reason for the appropriation by some people of the name of the continent as the designation of a fraction of it, is the lack of a name which may fit their own country. The abuse of calling the United States "America" is similar to the calling of Germany "Europe." This view of it takes no note of offensiveness of some "yellows," which boast that they are in appropriatanticipating a little the time when they will "drive the British into the sea," and annex Canada whether we will or not. Some Canadians have shown a disposition to excuse the appropriation, by reason of the difficulty presented to our neighbors, and to even present themselves to the bumptious "yellows" in an attitude to be metaphorically kicked with ease and satisfaction.

But there is a remedy. Esperanto is

to apply it. When that scientific universal language becomes popular the dif-ficulty will be removed. The name proposed is an infringement on none: short and easy. The initial letters of the words United States of North America form the word Usona. As the terminal "a" is the sign of the adjective in Esperanto and "o" that of the noun, comes naturally to fill the want. The rules of the language applied we get Usonestra, the President of the United States of North America. Of course, because the Esparantists have adopted the word, it is not to be assumed that it peranto has its way to make yet. But if ever a language had a chance to give the world a useful word Esperanto has it. If Roosevelt could be buncoed into Brander Mathews' spelling deform movement, perhaps he may be brought to give

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Listen to the sleigh bells,

Buy early and often. The time is now

"You can't pump me," is what some of the aldermen say.

There is a good deal of romance about "His Lordship's Romance." our new

·Dispense with technicalities, Mr. Haw kins, and tell us just what your offer

The School Board appropriation next

"new blood" is going it some.

appoint an expert engineer to find out whether the Cataract or the hydro offer is the more advantageous to the city? Cannot the offers be made in terms that we all can understand?

Another wave of crime is due to pass ver the city shortly. The criminals will be the otherwise reputable citizens and citizenesses who either forget or neglect to clean the snow off the sidewalks.

Toronto City Council has decided to ask the Legislature to amend the Municipal Act, so as to give married women votes at municipal elections. In other words, to give them a chance to killtheir husbands' votes.

"It was necessary to stop work in the factories when currency could not be' obtained for meeting pay roll demand. There is, however, no necessity for conbeen justified in rising in their might tinued stoppage," remarks the Philadel-and sweeping the whole system out of phia Record. The same remark applies to Canada. Get busy.

Should the County Crown Attorney onsider that there was a miscarriage of justice in connection with the Barker is his duty to see who was responsible for it. If the witness in the case was spirited away or tampered with, the guilty party or parties should, if possible, be brought to justice.

Englishmen who write home saying that they can't along here because the Canadians hate them, have themselves to blame for being hated, if they are hated. The city is full of English new arrivals and old arrivals, and we venture to say that, with few exceptions, they are as much respected as any other nationality. There is too much of this nonsensical talk.

Hamilton is not the only city that had a wave of crime. New York has almost been submerged by one. Last week the New York papers reported more burglaries, larcenies and thefts of all kinds committed in that city than in any previous two months in its history. The burglary insurance companies are at their wits' end. It is pointed had a wave of crime. New York has almost been submerged by one. Last

JUST GIVE IT TIME.

Out that, while the loss by fire in New Hamilton and Canada and the feels in New York in a single year has reached a total of \$9.816,000, the loss by robber Now, after him in Canada or Now, after him in Can

opinion upon by-laws adopted by the council involving the expenditure of the Blacks for Africa," and he can hardly large sum, for Edmonton, of \$250,000 be blamed, when he has been shorn of the Editor of the Times: for various municipal improvements. Of almost all authority over his own digthe 2,000 qualified voters 158 only, or one out of every twelve, found their way to the polls. There is no necessity for tory. As has been well said, the blacks pointing out the lesson. Edmonton will of Africa are not to be governed with guns altogether. They are there in their own country and in countless hordes, and the British Government will find that it will pay to treat these men justly, if not kindly.

HERE AND THERE.

New York Sun: How long ago was it that the excellent George Dewey could read his history in a nation's-eyes? The moment came of disillusionment, of exorcism, of a reaction as cruel as the person and seaman, but without one drop of gilt left on the once dazzling

Brantford Expositor: The Grand Trunk Railway Company is erecting some very handsome stations throughout its sys-tem, of which those at Brantford and Paris are excellent examples and are a type of what the company is putting up wherever they are required. In this con-nection, a contemporary complains of wherever they are required. In this connection, a contemporary complains of
the sign at the Paris station being
erected where the travelling public cannot see it, and is anxious that the custom
of England, and of the elevated and
subway roads in 'New York City should
be followed, and station signs erected
in a level with the car windows. The
suggestion is a good one, and as well
one easily adopted.

Kingston Whig: The world owes no man a living, leastwise that particular part of it called Canada. It offers to all able-bodied men the chance to serve and save, to lay up, by strenuous labor, for the exigencies of the hour and the contingencies of old age.

Montreal caretic: The transfer companies have decided to make a campaign against the proposal that the city shall spend \$2,500,000 in establishing a distribution plant, to be fed from Niagara, and go into the business of buying and selling electricity. The majority of and selling electricity. The majority of the City Council, including the Board of Control, will do all in its power to get a majority for the by-law. The outcome may be in greater doubt than additional debt for the city to bear, and additional debt for the city to bear, and debt always suggests the possibility of additional taxes to provide it. There may be proportionately fewer socialists among the voters than there appear to be among the newspapers of the city...

Our Exchanges

Bill Goes With Purchase. (Ottawa Free Press.)

A Montreal poulierer advertises that he is diving away bills with every pair of ducks which he will sell between now and New fear's. That might almost be described as a oul trick of trade.

For Her Husband.

(Smart Set.) Ethel has gone over to the church

"To pray! What for?"
"For her husband of course."
"Why, she hasn't any."
"I know it."

About Crops. (Toronto Telegram.)

Let the champagne crop be a failure and let Hamilton papers die of thirst so long as the beer crop is a success.

Some Misconceptions.

(N. Y. Sun:) One of our contemporaries referred esterday to "little Paraguay." That republic is four-fifths as large as Ger

Many persons have very erroneou Many persons have very erroneous notions as to geographical sizes and lengths in South America. They have not the slightest idea that Brazil is nearly as large as the whole of Europe, that the distance between the north and south ends of Chile is as great as that between the North Cape of Europe and Gibraltar, and that steamers ply almost straight north and south on the Panama and its Paraguay affluent for a distance about could to that between New Year.

and south on the Panama and its Paraguay affluent for a distance about equal to that between New York and Omaha.

It is easy to see how depreciation of South America was encouraged. For many years map makers thought that South America did not amount to very much in comparison with North America and Europe, so while they were turning out map after map of different parts of North America and Europe on large scales they would finally glance at South America and decide to crowd the whole continentiato a single atlas sheet. This process made the great Amazon look very puny beside our widespreading Mississippi.

As long as geographers and map makers were content to treat South America in this curt and summary fashion there was, of course, a great-deal of misconception about the continent. But the more we study the land the more interesting it appears to be, and the large maps now made of South America show that her distances are as magnificent as the wealth of resources she will in future years pour into the lap of the world.

NO ENGLISHMAN NEED APPLY.

To the Editor of the "Daily Mail."
Sir.—I have had three brothers residing in
Canada for many years, and they inform me
that the reason why the English are so much
disliked there is because they always know
better than anyone size and absolution satisfactory. disliked there is because they always know better than anyone else and absolutely refuse to be taught anything. W. R. COSSHAM. Newport, Mon. To the Editor of th "Daily Mail."

To the Editor of in Daily again.

Sir.—I have this week received a letter from a friend in Hamilton. Ontarlo, who, after commenting on the country, remarks:

"It is very difficult for Englishmen to get work out here as the Canadians hate the English, and always give the preference to any other person, even a foreigner."

INTERESTED.

BLACK DAMP.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir.—Your correspondent, "A Seeker After, Truth" is quite correct in saying that an explosion of "Black Damp" or carbon dioxide is an impossibility. The gas which is the cause of explosions in mines is Methane or Marsh gas, which, when mixed with air and ignited, burns, with explosive violence. The Marsh gas of the mines is one of the products of the changes that take place in the vegetable material during the formation of coal. It is also the product of the decay of vegetable material when protected by water from the action of the air and is the gas which becomes enclosed in bubbles in the ice on our bay. Occasionally we hear of these bubbles being opened by skaters on the bay and the gas is then ignited. Your correspondent is scarcely correct, however, in saying that. "Black Damp" is a deadly poison. It is quite true that the inhalation of the gas in quantities will cause death, but that result is brought about rather by the exclusion of the oxygen of the air from the different parts of the lody to the lungs then by any poisonous action of the inhaled gas.

The Collegiate Institute, Dec. 10th. J. B. Turner. The Collegiate Institute, Dec. 10th.

CAUSED HIS DEATH.

Toe Much Money Worries New York Lawyer.

New York, Dec. 10.-Many friends were shocked to-day to learn of the death in Bloomingdale Asylum Saturday of Augustus Browning Prentice. once a brilliant lawyer, who was driven insane two years ago by worry over the management of the \$2,000,000 fortune left by his father.

Mr. Prentice was forty-two years old, and married Maud Flower Brevoort. His

father, Augustus Prentice, was twenty five years ago one of the most prominent lawyers in New York, and reaped a for-tune mostly in real estate on Staten

The son was graduated from Harvard in 1888, and when his father died in 1905 in 1888, and when his father died in 1905 the management of the large estate evolved upon him, the only child. He was of a nervous temperament, and the worry was too great. In December, 1905, he was committed to Blooming-dale.

SAID TO BE CRAZY.

Rochester Editor Tries to Murder Two in Texas.

El Paso, Tex., Dtc. 10.-Pierre Purcell, formerly managing editor of the Rochester, N. Y., Union and Advectiser, became violently insane yesterday at Las Cruzes, where he had been brought by his wife for recuperation, and at-tempted to kill his wife and Mrs. Gulett, his landlady, with an axe.

He was adjudged insane to-disc and sent to the New Mexico Territorial Asy-lum at Las Vegas. Overwork caused tre-

The Cobalt special from New Liskeard was ditched through a collision with a contractor's engine. No one was injured.

Skin of Whole Body Covered for a Year—Awful Itching Kept Suf-ferer Awake Half the Night— They Had No Effect.

CUTICURA REMEDIES A PERFECT SUCCESS

"I wish to let you know that I have used one set of Cuticura Remedies — one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura, but two vials of Cuticura Resolvent Pills — which cost me adollar and twenty-five cents in all. For a year I have had what they call eczema. I had an itching all over my body, and when I would retire for the night it would keep me awake half the night, and the more it would itch. I tried all kinds of remedies, butcould get no relief. A friend of mine fold me to try the Cuticura Remedies which I did, and am very glad I tried them, for I was completely cured. If any of my friends should be troubled with the same disease, I will cheerfully recommend the Cuticura Remedies, and if I know any one who wants to know how I cured myself, I shall be glad to tell them. Walter W. Paglusch, 207 N. Robey St., Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8 and 16, 1908."

CUTICURA

The Great Skin Cure and Purest and Sweetest of Emollients.

Cuticura Ointment is, beyond question, the most successful curative for texturing, disfiguring humors of the skin and seale, including loss of hair, yet compounded, in proof of which a single anointing with Cuticura Ointment, preceded by a hot bath with Cuticura Soap, and followed in the severer cases by a dose of Cuticura Resolvent (Liquid or Pills), is often sufficient to afford immediate relief in the most distressing forms of itch-

CONTINUAL INCREASE OF BUSINESS is the order of the day. Thursday will be no exception. Thousands of dollars' worth of goods suitable for Christmas presents marked at such prices that your dollar bill will go further here than elsewhere. Buy early, buy often. Make out your Christmas list and start your purchasing Thursday morning

Special Lines from 9 to 10 o'clock

The following lines of goods will go on sale only between he hours of 9 and 10 Thursday morning:

75c Chatterbox 59c

25 only Chattrbeox, the book for boys, sold regularly

65c Chatterbox Zoo 39c

25c Henty Books 10c

100 copies only Henty Books, sold everywhere for 25c Thursday morning sale price 10c. Two copies only.

25c Alger's Books 10c

25c Novels 10c

200 Cloth Bound Novels, by the best known authors, sold egularly for 25c, Thursday morning price 10c. Only two o a customer.

\$1.50 Calendars 75c

20 only handsome Picture Calendars, size 18 x 27, and old everywhere for \$1.50, Thursday morning's sale price 75c

Embroidery Silks 2 for 5c

Almost a full range of shades of Corticelli Embroidery lks, on sale on Thursday, between 9 and 10.2 skeins 5c

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs 5c

White Crossbar Lawn Handkerchiefs, the very latest handkerchief design, Thursday special 5c

Infants' and Children's Dept. 50c Toques 39c

Infants' Jackets 50c

Infants' Hand-made Wool Jackets, in pink and lue and white, and all white, special Thursday

\$1.00 Bonnets 50c

\$3.00 Plush Coats \$1.75

Brown Plush Coats, with wide circular collar, coat front rimmed with frogs, regular \$3, Thursday \$1.75

Boys' Caps \$1.00

Extraordinary Values in This Season's Up-to-Date Plain Cloth Jackets

Thursday morning we put on sale 50 in all Ladies' Jackets, plain colors and black, well tailored. You can see them on display in our windows to-night.

\$16.50 Black Cloth Jackets \$6.99

Black Beaver Cloth Jackets, three-quarter length, semifftling, double breasted, trimmed with wide straps over shoulder, lined to the waist with good sateen, regular prices of the strain of the strai

\$17.50 Col'd Cloth Jackets \$6.99

Dark Brown Beaver Cloth Jackets, three-quarter length, semi-fitting, trimmed with straps and self or buttons. double breasted, turn back cuff, regular price \$17.50.

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\$15.00 Navy Cloth Jackets \$6.99

Navy Cloth Jackets, three-quarter length, loose back with straps and buttons, regular \$15.00, for . . . \$6.99

\$16.50 Broadcloth Jackets \$6.99

\$13.75 Jackets \$4.99

Brown Serge Cloth Jackets, seven-eight length, loos back, new sleeve, trimmed with straps of self, double breasted, regular \$13,75, Thursday \$4.95 \$10.00 Cloth Coats \$4.49

Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, seven-eighth length

se back, lined to waist, velvet collar, collar and \$7.50 Jackets \$2.99

\$4.99 Marmot Stoles \$2.50 Marmot Stoles, long points, satin lined, trimmed with brown cord ornaments and tails, regular price \$4.99, Thurs-

\$8.50 Grey Lamb Collars \$6.99

Children's Grey Lamb Collars, big collar, nice large

\$32.50 Sable Stoles \$15.00

Big Showing of Club Bags and Suit Cases

A club bag or suit case is a suggestion for you as a Christmas present. We have an extra large assortment of club bags and suit cases in the regulation leather colors, price \$2.50 to\$10

Women's Shoes \$1.50

Men's House Slippers \$1.50

Men's fine Kid House Slippers in American cut, straight or Romeo high cut, very special Thursday \$1.50 \$1.00 Children's Shoes 85c

Black Spats

Women's fine Spats in black, faced and finished with leather, different lengths, at 50, 60 and75c Sofa Cushions

A special chowing of Hand Painted Sofa Cushions, fin-ished, ready for use. Sofa CushionS 89c

\$2.75 Shirt Waists \$1.59

White Lawn Aprons 25c

\$6.00 Silk Waists \$2.99

50 only Ladies' Silk Waists, made of Japanese and taffeta silk, in black, white and colors, nicely made with tucks, insertion and lace. These are worth up to 36.00, on sale Ladies' Night Gowns 89c Ladies' Night Gowns, made of best quality flannelette, tucked yoke, finished with ruffles edged with lace, neck and sleeves also trimmed with ruffles, Thursday's special

Do not neglect to take advantage of the sale of Ladies' Jackets. Thursday's prices less than

Santa Claus

half.

Will be in our great basement Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Bring along the little folks to see him.

Again We Advise You

To make your purchases early. Come to-morrow. We will offer the following lists of special inducements, commencing at 9 o'clock Thursday:

Bulb Toys 15c

Boys' Sleighs 19c Little Boys' Sleighs, with hardwood runners, nicely painted top, will eb sold for 19c each at 9 o'clock Thurs-day morning.

Bottle Trumpets, 15c value 8c

About 6 dozen Colored Bottle Trumpets, value at 15c sale Thursday for Iron Trains 9c

6 dozen Iron Trains, consisting of engine and coach, regular 15c, on sale Thursday at 9 o'clock for ... 9c each

Beautiful Fine China This China is in pond lily and fruit designs and is new, ot being in the store a month. From 9 to 11 Thursday norning we will give a discount of 10 per cent. off the

Beautiful Dressed Dolls at 20 per cent. Discount

From 9 to 11 a. m. Thursday morning we will place on sale every Dressed Doll from \$1.00 up at 20 per cent. off the regular prices. Kid Body and Undressed Dolls

on sale at 19c 6 dozen Kid Body and Undressed Dolls, marked to sell egular at 29c, on sale Thursday morning for .. 19e each

\$1.35 Cups and Saucers 35c each

China Articles at 25c

Big Selling in Fresh Groceries

12 lbs. Redpath's Best Sugar - 52c Or 7 pounds for 32c to customers buying \$1.00 worth
 Or 7 pounds for 32c
 to customers buying \$1.00 words

 100 pounds Lemon and Orange Peel, at per pound.
 13c

 100 pounds Ceylon Black Tea, 40c, for
 25c

 100 pounds Special Blend Coffee, at per pound.
 19c

 3 cans of Corn or Peas for
 25c

 4 pounds of Fresh Cooking Figs for
 25c

 5 pounds Best Japan Rice for
 25c

 2 pounds Best Valencia Paisins
 25c

 4 pounds Best White Ieing Sugar
 25c

 7 pounds Fresh Rolled Oats
 25c

 6 good Lard, per pound 15c; Mincemeat, package
 10c

THE T. H. PRATT CO. LIMITED

TROUBLES OF MARRIED LIFE.

TWO CASES OF IT IN POLICE COURT TO-DAY.

Magistrate Advises a Truce in the Levy oeky Campaign, and a Separa tion at New Year.

The case of Bowser and his mother in-law is a peaceful honeymoon compared with that of Harry Hyde, 6 misw is a peaceful honeymoon compared with that of Harry Hyde, 61 Vine street, and his mother-im-law, Mrs. Mary Graham. When Hyde saw fit to take a summons out to try and eject his wife's ma on a charge of trespass that worthy ignored the summons even when Constable J. Smith served her personally. As she did not appear this morning the Magistrate issued a warrant for her arrest and the hard-hearted back-benchers & not even heave a high of sympathy. The Megistrate said this morning to the reporters that if Mistress Mary sees fit to cheer up some other forforn house with her presence and does not bother Harry again she will not be arrested.

The house at 202 York street was well represented again this morning when Mrs. Levy, too sick to answer a summons against herself yesterday for assaulting. Mrs. Scherosky, appeared against that same lady on a charge of assault. The evidence was the same as that given in the case yesterday when Mrs. German was fined \$5. The Magistrate proposed that on New Year Mrs. Scherosky should vacate the premises and in the meantime the parties should plant a flag of truce at the head of the stairs where it could be seen when the passion to fight welled up within them.

Charles Housden and his wife Alberta

Charles Housden and his wife Alberta could not agree, so they came to court to get the mangle of justice to smooth their marital relationship out. Mrs. Housden charged her hubby with failing to supply support for her and her child for the past two months. Housden said his wife would not stay away from her relatives as she had promised him she would do, and also that she had been responsible for race suicide in their family. The Magistrate held this to be no cause for desertion and he ordered Housden to pay his wife 83 per week. George S. Kerr appeared for the husband and J. G. Farmer for the wife.

Harry Beverly, 188 Simcoe east, was warned not to run his pushcart on the sidewalk again and was allowed to go.

DRUCE CASE.

oints That Detective Huckle's Witnesses Bring Out.

The witness in the Druce case whom Detective Huckle has found to be possessed of information important en to warrant sending him to England, and to warrant sending him to England, and who left here yesterday to sail from New York on Saturday, is a Boston man. He has made an affidavit to the effect that he knew Van Aischen at Rotterdam and Antwerp in 1873; that he was always well supplied with money, and that he told him he got it from a grand duke or archduke, or some titled man in England, who paid him yearly to keep his mouth shut. This witness has given details of his visits to Fngland which, Mr. Huckle thinks, will be useful in the trial.

the trial.

Three other affidavits have also been rwarded. One is from a Montreal man, who says he has, on several occasions, seen the Duke and another man enter a closed carriage early in the morning, at the back of the Abbey. The carriage would be brought there at night and the horses would be brought back without the carriage. Also that at times he saw the man in the kitchen garden with the

duke.

A woman who has resided in Hamilton

7 years, and whose husband was a
mason and stonecutter employed by the
duke, has made an affidavit as to a peculiar trouble which the Duke had in his
side, and which he had told her husband
was the reason why he never married.

Another affidavit from a man who is
now in the United States, and has been
in this country three or four years.

This man swears that he worked for the
duke. He saw a German making a long

duke. He saw a German making a long box at the Baker street bazaar; that afsan for at the Baker street bazaar; that afterwards the German took a large black cloth into the bazaar stealthily and that the box, or coffin, he had made was covered with it; that the duke was alive at the time—December, 1864.

Biggar & McBrayne, who, some years ago, sent an affidavit supporting the defence in the perjury case now going on in England, have received no reply yet.

Winnipeg, Dec. 11.—While there was no mayoralty election in Winnipeg, May-

EAST END REVIVAL.

Evangelist Turk Will Remain Here All Week.

The meeting last evening in connection with the union revival novement in East Hamilton was held in the Y. M. C. A. building and took the form of a worker's meeting Mr. W. Frank Coote, chairman of the committee of management of East Hamilton V. M. C. A., led the needing and gave a very forceful address on personal work. He referred to the kind of personal work that had been for years carried on by the late H. Clay Trumble, editor of the Sunday School Times. Mr. Trumble soon after his conversion was led to the decision that it was his duty and privilege to embrace each opportunity given in the discharge of other duties to do personal work the work amongst those with whom he eame in contact. By this means he had been converts during the past few weeks, and many in the audience undertook to interest themselves in a large number of these persons and endeavor to get them to the services during the balance of the week. It was his week.

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Heintzman & Co. Famous Player-

The range of player-pianos offered by Heintzman & Co., Limited, No. 71 King street east, Hamilton, makes it possible for anyone to own one of these growingly popular instruments. It is the correct thing now to have in your home a player-piano for any member of the family can play it, though absolutely ignorant of a note of music.

SUGAR DUTY.

Vienna, Dec. 11.—The budget commit-c of the Reichsrath to-day approved the bill reducing the duty on sugar by the control of the control of

PRETTY WEDDING.

Mr. Wm. Tarbutt Takes a Bride From England.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place last evening at the residence of Mrs. Tarbutt, 219 Picton street east, when Mr. Wm. Tarbutt, of this city, and Miss Emily Kemp, formerly of Woodford Emily Kemp, formerly of Woodford Green, Essex, England, were united in the holy bonds. The bride looked charming in a becoming wedding gown. Miss Susie Wilkinson was bridesmaid, and Mr. Earl G. Tarbutt assisted the groom. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. James Bracken, of Ferguson Avenue Baptist Church, a wedding supper was partaken of, and all present joined in the best wishes and congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Tarbutt will reside here.

COURT IMPERIAL

Companions of the l. O. F. Hold Annual Meeting. .

There was a good turnout at the regular meeting of Companion Court Imperial, Independent Order of Foresters, last evening. The event was held in the chambers of the court, Barton street chambers of the court, Barton street east. The principal business transacted was the election of officers for the com-ing year. There were several contests for the various positions, the result being that Comp. MeLean will have a bright and intelligent set of officers associated with her in the work of Court Imperial for the year 1908, the list being as fol-lows:

lows:

Comp. E. J. McLean, C. R.

Comp. A. M. Hillier, P. C. R.

Comp. A. O. Young, V. C. R.

Comp. E. Kemp, Rec. Secretary.

Comp. Anna Henderson, Financial Secretary and Treasurer.

Comp. J. McCoy, Assistant Financial

Secretary.

Comp. Lucy O'Meara Orator.

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Comp. E. D. Cronkhite, S. W.
Comp. Jane Lawrie, J. W.
Comp. May Murphy, S. B.
Comp. Mary Clark, Court Deputy.
Dr. Haist, Physician.

Comps. Cronkhite and Clara Peet.

Auditors.

An entertainment committee was also appointed, composed of Comps. Hillier, Clark and Murphy.

On account of the date of the next meeting of the court falling on Christmas eve it was decided that no meeting be held until the second Tuesday in January.

CHOSEN FRIENDS.

Annual Election of Maple Leaf Council Last Evening.

The annual election of officers for Maple Leaf Council, No. 1, C. O. C. F., was held last evening at their hall on MacNab street south, and resulted in MacNab street south, and resulted in the choice of the following officers for the coming year: Past Councillor, John Maxwell, ree-lected; Chief Councillor, Rev. J. J. Morton, ree-lected; Vice-Councillor, Matthew Skedden; Recorder, G. B. Rittenberg; Assistant Recorder, Miss R. Hahn, re-elected; Treasurer, James Fairclough, re-elected; Prelate, Mrs. Davies, re-elected; Marshal, George McGregor; Warden, Mrs. McCabe, re-elected; Guard, W. T. Maxwell, re-elected; Sentry, James Farmer, re-elected; Pianist, Miss F. Davies, re-elected; Medical Examiner and Physician, Dr. Rogers, re-elected; Trustee, John Cousins; Audiected; Trustee, John Cousins tors, Nelson Stauffer and John Cousins; A. W. Heath, after a long and feithful A. W. Heath, after a long and faithful service at the arduous post of Recorder, asked to be excused from becoming a candidate. Although the weather was very unfavorable, the attendance was large, and the interest shown was keen, though perfect good feeling prevailed. Friends Charles Schaerder and James Pottinger, of Council No. 111, and Dr Rogers, of the home council, acted a scrutineers, and received a hearty of thanks.

SANFORD EVANS

no mayoralty election in Winnipeg, Mayor Ashdown having been unopposed. there was intense interest in the contest for the Board of Control and alderthe citizens' ticket winning out

AT THE ALEXANDRA.

Last night another success was soored at this rink, notwithstanding the weather. The large crowd that filled up with this work. Mr. Flood will devote all his time to Canadian trade matters.

SPECIALTIES AT BRITANNIA.

Britannia Roller Rink is doing a fine by the skaters, as they were thus able to secure their different partners without any confusion, thereby making in couples, alone and two-stepping much more enjoyable.

To-night is ladies' night, when special misself with the control of the Ninety-first Highlanders under the direction of H. A Stares, which is playing all week at the Alexandra. When the direction of H. A Stares, which is playing all week at the Alexandra.

PRESIDENT SUGAR CO.

New York, De. 10.—W. B. Thomas to reverse the work was seen the other day in a popular from the best eksters in uniform; one prize for the best dressed private, crill yorder. Hats was elected acting President of the targe regiment will act as judges are chibition at each serve order, and one prize for the best dressed private, crill yorder. Hats was elected acting President of the American Sugar Refining Co., to fill the active order, and one prize for the best dressed private, crill yield and the seed of the precise of the best dressed private, crill alexandra. The providence of the precise of the seed of the precise of the seed of the precise of the prec

THURSDAY, DEC. 12th, 1907

Sava Worry by Shopping all You Can This Week

Xmas Waists Moderately

Just arrived from the makers—fresh off the needle,

beautiful Silk, Lace, Net and Lawn Waists in the very newest designs and most approved styles and priced very much less than you will find elsewhere.

Women's Silk Blouses in Cream and Black tucked lace trimmed, also Lusters and Cashmeres beautifully embroidered, worth up to \$2.50 and \$3, on \$1.50 sale for, each.....

Lawn Waists--Elegant Styles

A shipment of Lawn Waists just to hand for Christmas gifts, made of beautifully fine lawns, allower embroidered, new sleeves, beautifully tucked and all most moderately priored at, each \$1.25, \$2.25 and ... \$2.50

Women's Underwear, Worth \$1, for 50c Women's Natural Wool Drawers only, slightly imperfect, natural color, all sizes, regular \$1 goods, on sale for 50c

Silk Waists at \$3.00

Made of beautifully fine Japanese silk, both black and cream, finished with lace and silk embroidery, newest electes, open back and front, finely tucked, most stores would ask \$4.00 for these, our price is \$3.50

Lace and Net Waists \$3.75 and \$5.00



Xmas Gifts in the **Mantle Department**

Women's Coats at \$7.50

Made of swell Tweeds and splendid plain cloths, loose and fitted backs. extra long lengths, navies, blacks and greens, worth \$12.50, on sale for each \$7.50

Women's Coats at \$10.00

Misses' Coats \$5.95

Skirts at \$2.95, Worth \$4.00

Apron Lawns, for Gift Aprons

Belts and Bags for Gifts

Warm Ringwood Gloves

Women's and Misses' Ringwood Gloves, both imported and made in Canada, wrist and elbow length, brown, black, white, grey, cardinal, scarlet, etc., at 25, 35 and

Cashmere Gloves

COATE'S CASE.

"Japanese Honeymoon" Promoter

Back in Toronto.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 11 .- E. H. Coates,

romoter of musical entertainments for charitable institutions, who recently put

n "A Japanese Honeymoon" here in

aid of the Broadview Boys' Home, was

and of the Broadview Boys' Home, was in the Police Court to-day, charged with theft in connection with the production. Coates had been previously allowed out on bail, and left the city, but returned yesterday. He explained to the Magis-trate that he had to go to Buffalo on private business. It is alleged against Coates that he sold over two hundred

Skirts at \$3.95

Skirts at \$5.95, Worth \$9.00

Xmas Table Linens

Dress Goods Make Good Gifts

Fancy Wool Delaines-- A Bargain

Silk Waistings at per yard 75c

Beautiful Fancy Louisine and Taffeta Silks, in fancy check and plaid designs, worth \$1.00, for 75e

Typewriters

Second-Hand All Makes To Clear for Stocktaking

Ten No. 2 Remingtons \$25.00
Eight No. 2 Remingtons 35.00
Two No. 1 Williams 36.00
Three No. 1 Yosts 20.00
Three No. 6 Remingtons 50.00
Two No. 3 Olivers 35.00
Two A Manhattans 38.00
Two B Manhattans 45.50
Five No. 1 Smith Premiers 35.00
Three No. 2 Smith Premiers 55.00
Two Barlocks
Three Hammonds 35.00
Ten Caligraphs 15.00
Two Olivers 25.00
Ten Underwoods 75.00
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Machines Slightly Used

One	No.	2	S	nit	h-	Pre	mie	er						 	 \$60.00
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STANLEY MILLS & CO., Limited WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11th, 1907

Do the Shopping To-morrow

That You Count on Doing Some Day Next Week

And shop in the morning—others are doing it and reaping the benefits that always attend forenoon buying. The great Christmas rush is on in earnest now (greater with us than in any former season in our history), and is growing in magnitude each day, and while we are splendidly prepared to give you an excellent service right up to the last moment, you'll find it better and more satisfactory all around to do your shopping this week than next.

To-morrow's list is of exceptional interest. Read it carefully.

Early Morning Specials---Thursday On Sale Between 8.30 and 11 o'Clock

Val. Laces for Half

Fine French Val. Laces, odd lots, in fine patterns, for fancy work, etc., worth regularly 121/2, 15 and 25c yd., on sale until 11 a. m. at Just Half Price Handkerchiefs 15c

Silk Handkerchiefs 19c

Atomizers 19c

Tray Cloths 29c

Lawn Aprons 19c

Women's Undervests 371/2c

Cashmere Hose 25c Pair

Children's Purses 19c

Fancy Garters 19c Fancy Silk Elastic Garters and Armlets, with nickel buckles and bows, choice of red, pale blue, mauve and pink, until 11 a. m. at only 19c pair

Kid Gloves \$1.89

\$1.00 Bibles 69c

100 Fine Morocco Bound Bibles, flap covers, good size, clear type, with references, plain figures, maps, red under gilt edges, for scholars or teachers, worth regularly \$1 each, on sale at the Stationery Department at \$3.30 sharp only . 69c

Women's Slippers 30c Women's Dark Blue and Black Felt House Slippers, thick felt soles, leather covered, eizes 3 to 7, worth regularly 50c pair, on sale from 8.30 until 11

STANLEY MILLS & CO., Limited

A Purchase of 100 Women's **Smart Jacket Styles At Half Price**

Just in time for your Christmas wants. We have made a purchase of 100 Women's Smart Winter Jacket Styles, New York manufacturer's samples, at a big discount. These will be on sale Thursday and Friday at half the regular prices, and Thursday will be the day to see them and make your selections. Here are the prices and particulars:

Women's Black Broadcloth Coats Half Price

Women's Black Chiffon Broadcloth Coats, smart New York styles, in semi, tight and loose-fitting, silk and satin lined throughout, braid and velvet trimming, kimona sleeve, very handsome and stylish garments, sell-

\$20.00 Broadcloth Coats \$10.00 \$40.00 Broadcloth Coats \$20.00 \$30.00 Broadcloth Coats \$15.00

Women's Imported Tweed Coats Half Price

Women's handsome and stylish imported all woo! Tweed Coats, New York manufacturer's samples, in light, mid and dark effects, semi, tight and loose fitting styles, satin, some half and others satin lined through it, kimona and Raglan sleeves, and automobile styles, selling at half price \$15.00 Tweed Coats ... \$7.50 \$20.00 Tweed Coats ... \$12.00 \$25.00 Tweed Coats ... \$15.00 \$10.00 Tweed Coats ... \$5.00

\$40 Women's Broadcloth and Venetian Suits \$28.50

A clearing of Women's handsome styles in black, brown, navy Chiff n Broadcloth and Venetian Suits in the new military and cutaway of the styles, braid trimmed, smart high military collar, and mannish collar styles, pleated skirt, with self fold and braid trimming, regular \$40,00 en

29 and 31 King Street West

HOT AND COLD.

Has Heavy Frost.

Montreal, Dec. 11.-This locality is in the grip of a snowstorm to-day after several days of remarkable mild weathr for this northern latitude, at this time of the year. From Tuesday night until this morning rain fell with but few brief let ups, and for a considerable pertion of the period the downfall was torrential. During this period the temerature was as high as 55. All the snow which had made fairly good sleighing had disappeared and the streets were in a deplorable condition with mud. Toiay the temperature dropped to 36 and be surroundings are looking much more by wintry

SMALL THEFTS.

Montreal Had Heavy Rain, Now It Number of Reports to Police in Last Few Days.

> The police have received a number of reports of robberies recently. Charles Powis, 251/2 King street east, reports that his office was entered on M inday

that his office was entered on M inday night, and his desks all ransacked, but nothing taken.

C. M. Kennedy, 241 King street west, had a watch stolen from his story was terday afternoon by a sneak thief.

Harris Siderski, Walnut street, r portet that his office was entered yesterday, and the safe, which was open, was ransacked, and a lady's watch and ring stolen from it. A box of cigars also went.

The skin of the elephant is exceedingly sensitive, notwithstanding its thick-

COUDN'T DRAW MR. PUGSLEY

Will Bide His Own Time With Corruption Charges.

Mr. Kemp Compares the Minister to a Whipped Spaniel.

Rural Mail Delivery Amendment Defeated.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.-A fresh turn was given to the debate on the address today by an attempt on the part of the Opposition, shared in by Mr. Armand Lavergne, to bait the Minister of Public Works. Mr. Kemp led the way, the intention apparently being to draw the new Minister, and so provide Mr. Borden with an opportunity to reply, but if this was the object it signally failed. The Minister of Public Works met the jeers of the Opposition with an indulgent smile, preferring, as he indicated in a retort to Mr. Roche, to bide his own time. As showing the insincerity of the Opposition campaign in favor of rural

Opposition campaign in favor of rural mail delivery, it was a matter of comment that throughout the whole discussion to-day the only reference on their side to Mr. Armstrong's amendment on the subject was by Mr. Paquet, who voted with the Government. The amendment was defeated by 103 to 49. The fact that the Opposition are credited with the intention of moving amendments to the address bearing out the Halifax platform shows that they are determined to pursue obstructive tactics as far as possible. In this connection Mr. Borden laid himself open to a hint by the Prime Minister, who, in reply to a question, stated that it had never been the practice of the House to organize practice of the House to organize the debate on the address.

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth was in the House for the first time this session

Railway Conditions at Brockville. Railway Conditions at Brockville.

Hon, Geo. P. Graham, answering questions by Mr. Taylor, said he was taking up the matter of railway connections at Brockville, in regard to which there had been many complaints. Both the C. P. R. and the G. T. R. were apparently willing to meet the situation, but each was wanting the other to do it. His inquiries had shown, among other things, that on five of the seven days of last week the mail for the west had been left on the paltform at Brockville because the C. P. R. would not wait for trains from the east, and had been delayed a day. This state of affairs, Hon. Mr. Graham disclared, could and must be remedied, and unless the railway companies, with and unless the railway companies, with whom the Railway Commission were again in correspondence on the matter, decided to meet the accommodation of the public it would be the duty of the Government to make them do what they

Mr. Kemp Resumes the Debate.

Mr. Kemp resumed the debate on the address. He wondered why, with so much talk of bribery and corruption, the Attorney-General of the Maritime Provinces had not taken action, as was now done in Ontario, under the criminal law to put those practices down. He had never before had the pleasure of meeting in the House any gentleman who could answer that question with authority. Now, however, there was such an one. Hon. Dr. Pugsley had been Attorney-General in New Brunswick, and no doubt that gentleman would take advantage of the occasion to throw light upon it. Proceeding. Mr. Kemp dealt in some detail with what he described as the most spectacular event that took place on the evening of the general elections of 1904—namely, an excursion from St. John to Meet the proceeding on the Parid Russell, and be the parid Russell, and be the parid Russell, and be the processing the parid Russell and Parid Russell. Mr. Kemp Resumes the Debate. namely, an excursion from St. John to Montreal, run by Mr. David Russell, and e banquet in the latter city to the

Kemp read from a number of newspaper reports of these events, dwelling upon them to support his contention as to the intimate associations between Hon. Mr. Pugsley and Mr. Russell. They were intimate in newspaper and land

. Mr. Pugeley said the statement

was incorrect.

Mr. Kemp said he understood the hon. gentleman owned The St. John Gazette. Hon. Mr. Pugsley replied that the only transaction he had with regard to that paper was when, as one of the proprietors, he sold his interest to Mr.

proprietors, he sold his interest to Mr. Russell. (Opposition cheers.)
Mr. Kemp, continuing, was of opinion that when Mr. Pugsley claimed to know the size of the Conservative campaign fund he was wiser than anyone else.
Mr. Pugsley—Don't deceive yourself: Pugsley—Don't deceive yourself; others know it. (Government

on then took up the state-Mr. Kemp then took up the state-ments made by Mr. Pugsley at a recent public meeting in Ottawa in reference to a sum of \$25,000 being sent into one county in New Brunswick in the gen-eral elections in 1904. The statement of the Minister of Public Works that he had only recently become seized of the facts was not reconcilable with his other statements. It was his duty as Attor-ney-General of New Brunswick to have ney-General of New Brunswick to have taken action to prosecute the guilty parties, no matter who they were. In this connection Mr. Kemp charged the Minister of Public Works with having made on the platform statements which

Minister of Public Works with having made on the platform statements which he was not prepared to make in the House, as shown by his silence in that place during the past week. If the hon, gentleman wanted pointers about campaign funds he should ask the Prime Minister to say who had handled the campaign funds for the Government during the past eleven years, and he should not overlook the name of the Speaker of the Senate.

At the Ottawa meeting and in the presence of the Prime Minister Mr. Puggley had practically accused the leader of the Opposition of being a hypocrite and a liar. Mr. Kemp doubted whether the hon, gentleman had the courage to stand up in the House and repeat in effect what he had said on the platform. The Minister of Public Works claimd to be in possession of certain facts regarding elections. Those things being breaches of the criminal law, he had only to lay his information before the Attorneys-General of Quebec and New Brumswick. So far as the Opposition members were concerned, they wanted to see all these matters brought to light. They did not care who was hit, high or low. If Mr. Puggley refused to go farther he would stand condemned before the country. "He sat in the House like a whipped spaniel all the week," declared Mr. Kemp. "He is now before the bar of public opinion; let him choose his court." (Opposition cheers.)

Mr. McIntyre (Strathcona).

The Opposition seemed to be nonplussed.
"Oh, oh," they cried, and then to Hon.
Mr. Pugsley, "Speak now, speak now."
The Minister of Public Works smiled, seemingly enjoying the discomfiture of the Opposition.
Mr. Melntyre waited until the noise subsided, and then set an example for the Opposition in Parlimentary rules by speaking to the Armstrong amendment, which had not once been mentioned by Mr. Kemp, though it was the subject before the House. His contention was that rural mail delivery on the basis advocated by the member for East Lambton would benefit only the settled parts of Ontario and freeze out the great west, where increased postal facilities were needed.

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Mr. McIntyre (Perth) commented on the fact that the amendment of the member for East Lambton (Mr. Armstrong) in regard to rural mail delivery had not received the consideration that might have been expected from other members of the Opposition who had taken part in the rebate. He agreed that rural mail delivery was very desirable, and only wished that it could be adopted at once, but he feared it was not possible to do so now without very grave injustice to the financial affairs of the country.

Mr. Lake (Qu'Appelle) enlarged upon the financial stringency in the west, and complained of the lack of transportation facilities.

Mr. Lavergne (Montmagny), while commending some portions of the speech from the throne, especially those referring to Government control of telegraphs and telephones, regretted that the House had not heard a declaration altogether in the interests of public ownership. He hoped, however, that the all-red line project would be thoroughly discussed before it was accepted. On the question of immigration he reiterated the view that the system of bonusing should be renounced, and, touching on the Japanese problem, claimed that British Columbia should be a white man's country. After a complaint that the French language was not treated with the respect it deserved by the Intercolonial Railway, Mr. Lavergne urged the Minister of Public Works to be more explicit in regard to the changes of corruption. Last year, he said, they tried to get the member for King's (Mr. Fowler) to speak, but unfortunately they were overruled on a technicality. He hoped that no technicality would prevent the Minister of Public Works from speaking. If he had anything to say he should say it now. (Opposition cheers.) If the Minister of Public Works knew anything about corruption in La Presse should say it now. (Opposition cheers. If the Minister of Public Works knew anything about corruption in La Presse deal, he owed it to his constituents, to the Liberal party, to the Government, and to the country to bring the facts to light

to light.
When Mr. Lavergne resumed his seat there were again Opposition cries of "Pugsley," but the Minister of Public Works only smiled.

Mr. Roche (Marquette) remarked that it was annarently impossible to get the

it was apparently impossible to get the Minister of Public Works to speak. Dr. Pugsley—You mustn't be too im-

patient.
Mr. Paquet, of L'Islet, a Conservative,
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Northern Construction—Rock Burst

A vote was then taken on the amend ment, which was defeated by 103 to 54, Messrs. Paquet (Conservative), Ver-ville, Robitaille and Lavergne voting

with the Government.

Mr. Barker moved the adjournment at

Why Women Have Coarse Rough, Sallow Skin.

Because Poor Digestion and Improper Elimination Have Clogged the Stomach

Womanly beauty is largely the out-ward expression of Health. Every woman with pale cheeks and poor complexion needs medicine—needs poor complexion needs medicine—needs a potent tonic to regulate her system. To tone up the stomach—to insure good digestion—to give new life and vitality to the whole system—where is there a remedy like Dr. Hamilton's DNL.*

vitality to the whole system—where is there a remedy like Dr. Hamilton's Pills?

Dr. Hamilton's Pills enable you to eat what you like—they correct constipation—make nourishing blood—instil force and vim into a run-down system. If nervous and can't sleep your medy is Dr. Hamilton's Pills -

search out the cause of your condition and you rise in the morning refreshed, strong, vigorous, ready for the day's

work.
Dr. Hamilton asks every weak and debilitated person to use his Mandrake and Butternut Pills. They make old folks feel young, and weak folks feel strong. Their effects upon insomnia and languor are marvellous. Hundreds declare they soothe and quiet the nerves so that a good night's rest always follows their use.
To look well, to feel well, to keep well, use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They are

cle.

The average conditions of the bodies, however, is bad, heads being blown off, arms and legs broken and twisted, and fine pieces of coal are found imbedded in the bodies, showing the terrific force of the explosion.

ARMY OFFICER KILLED.

Body of Britisher Found on Track Near Montreal.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—The mangled remains of Capt. H. F. Lester Loocek, of the British army, London, Eng., were found beside the C. P. R. track at Montreal West this morning.

A diary found in his pocket showed that he had left London on Nov. 10, and was bound for British Columbia. He had a letter of introduction from Roger Pocock of the League of Frontiersmen to the organization in British Columbia.

The sum of \$43 and some trinkets were found in his pockets, It is thought he fell from a train.

A cable despatch from Wellington.

im choose his court." (Opposition heers.)

Mr. McIntyre (Strathcona),
Mr. McIntyre (Strathcona) then rose,

The Daily Fashion Hint.



New cravat and neck arrangement. The cravat is a narrow strip of violet velvet ribbon, ornamented at ends with bead tassels in violet. The collar and plixse is of fine net.

ROCK EXPLODED.

KEY HARBOR.

Northern Construction-Rock Burst Into Several Pieces as It Struck the

Parry Sound, Dec. 10 .- One of the most unaccountable accidents in the history of railroad building happened at Key Harbor, on the C. N. O. R. spur line last Thursday, resulting in the death of last Thursday, resulting in the death of four Italians, whose bodies were brought here for interment. A gang of eighteen men, mostly Italians, were working on the spur line of the C. N. O. R. to Key Inlet, engaged in a rock cut. Three days previously a blast of six holes nine feet deep was fired by battery, and at the same time a number of block holes were fired by fuses, all the charges apparently exploding.

Shortly after 7 o'clock on Thursday morning a piece of loose rock was noticed on the end of the cut about two and a half feet above the bottom, and the

a haif feet above the bottom, and the foreman called to the workmen to stand back until he rolled it down, going up the cut to do so. The rock fell after a slight push, and as it struck the floor of the cut exploded into several pieces, scattering among the men, killing four instantly and wounding another so severely that he died after being brought to the hospital here. Some others were wounded, but not seriously.

The names of the killed are F. Perriz, aged 42. A. Perriz, aged 18. as son of the first named; C. Cistaro, aged 16, and the man who was wounded and subsequently died heer is G. Maranzo, aged 26. An inquest was held here last evening. The cause of the explosion could not be ascertained. a half feet above the bottom, and the

certained.

STRUCK BY AN ENGINE.

David Hill, Whose Home is Unknown, Killed Near Kenora.

So that a good night's rest always follows their use.

To look well, to feel well, to keep well, use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They are mild, cleansing, strengthening—good for the young or old. Sold by all dealers in 25c, boxes.

DIED IN GREAT AGONY.

Miner Found Grasping Paper and Pencil to Write Farewell Message.

Monongah, W. Va., Dec. 10.—To-night 141 bodies had been recovered from the two mines at which disastrous explosions occurred several days ago.

Members of the rescuing party stated to-night that a number of the men who were surfocated show evidence of great agony before death relieved them. One miner was fround tightly grasping to a piece of paper in one hand and allead pencil in the other. An American miner was recovered who was not marked nor was recovered who was not

Stop Runaway.

Garden Hill. Dec. 10.—A terrible accident occurred near here by which John Hunter. a well-known farmer of Hope township, lost his life. Mr. Hunter had brought a load of grain to the village mill to be ground. While he was standing a few feet from his vehicle the team started. Mr. Hunter sprang towards them in time to catch the lines, but in crossing a bridge the rig came against the structure and the unfortunate man's head struck the bridge and he received severe injuries.

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He was placed on the afternoon train, to be taken to Nicholls' Hospital, Peterboro', but died before the train reached Millbrook, where his remains were taken off the train. He was about 50 years of age and unmarried.

Burns on Preference.

London, Dec. 10.—John Burns, M. P., addressing a meeting at Leeds, having enumerated the various advantages which the colonies already enjoyed, said we could not, without a mandate from the country—and that would never be given—we could not risk a world trade of thousands of millions and the good-will of fifteen hundred millions of people, by doing more than we had done for the colonies. That, said Mr. Burns, is also the opinion of sensible, disinterested colonies.

SEVEN KILLED.

FOUR ITALIANS WERE KILLED AT CARRIED INTO RIVER BY COL-

Freshet on the West Branch of th Susquehanna Tore Away Middle Span of New Structure, Throwing Forty Men Into the River.

Bloomsburg, Pa., Dec. 10. - High water to-night caused the collapse of a new bridge in course of erection over the west branch of the Snsquehanna River at Mifflinville, eight miles north of here, and resulted in the death of seven men and the injury of near a score of others.

The collapse of the bridge was caused

The collapse of the bridge was caused by the rapid rise of the tiver; the water rose during the day at the rate of almost one foot an hour, and debris carried down the stream by the floods struck the false work of the bridge and caused its collapse.

One of the most miraculous escapes

THE MEN FLED.

LEFT WOMEN AND CHILDREN ON DAMAGED BOAT.

Charges of Cowardice Against Men on East River Boat—Ferry Almost Sunk in Collision—Few But Women and Children Left Aboard.

New York, Dec. 10 .- The Fall River Line steamer Providence was in collision with and but narrowly escaped sinking crowded East River ferryboat tonight. The latter craft lost a portion

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the country—and that would never be given—we could not risk a world trade of thousands of millions and the goodwill of fifteen hundred millions of people, by doing more than we had done for the colonies. That, said Mr. Burns, is also the opinion of sensible, disinterested colonies.

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FISHERVILLE

are with snow this season, but lots of mud.

Mrs. Eix left for Erie, Pa., on a visit to her father, who is sick, and has been growing worse lateiy.

Mr. John Reichheld, formerly of this village, but who, with his family, resided for many years at Highgate, kent County, died on Sunday at his home. Several of his brothers went to attend the funeral on Tuesday.

Rev. S. B. Eix went to Wallace on Friday to assist in the dedication of a new church in that place.

George A. Nablo, electrician, in this village, was engaged several days last week in overhauling and putting in working order the electric plant of J. J. Murray, of Cayuga.

An attempt to burglarize the G. T. R. station at Nelles' Corners, about four miles distant from this village, on Friday night, caused considerable alarm here. Two men attempted about midnight to force an entrance to the office, but the operator, Mr. Kindree, by firing several shots through the office doors, caused them to retreat. They next tried to burglarize the store of Mr. A. Stickle, but were driven off again, as the villagers became aroused. An attempt to arrest the fellows failed, however, and they made good their escape across the railway tracks.

ROCKTON

A temperance meeting will be held in the Methodist Church on Wednesday night, the 11th inst. Rev. J. W. Cooley and other ministers of the township will

address the meeting.

The fever patients are all getting along nicely at present.

Jas. Hanks has just finished threshing for this season.

for this season.

John and Cecil McKnight, of Simcoe, are the guests of McKnight Bros., of this place.

Lou Purdy has moved into Chas. Bur-

gess' house.

Malcolm McDonald is attending court in Hamilton this week as a juryman.

Mrs. M. McDonald has returned home after spending a week in Hamilton.

HANNON

The Ladies' Aid of Cheyne Church, Saltfleet intend holding a bazaar at the residence of Mr. Thomas Griffith, Mount Albion, on Friday, December 13. An autograph quilt and a number of fancy articles will be sold. A good pro-

gramme will be given.

Mrs. William Oliver, sen., is on the Edward Dartnall and Miss Alice Dart-

nall are visiting friends in Muskoka.

Jack Blair has purchased a new driver. Mrs. James Gage, of Cooksville, isiting friends in the neighborhood.

******* S'TONEY CREEK

Miss L. Beamer and mother spent Sunday in Hamilton.

The Stoney Creek choir and several others attend the revival services in Zion Tabernacle on Sunday morning.

Miss Mayle enteretained a number of her friends last Thursday evening.

Miss M. Lee and brother spent Sunday at Onklands.

at Oaklands.

After ordinary service on Sunday even

ing the officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday school were elected for the coming year. temperance people are still hard Miss Ida Cowan, who has been in Mil-

waukee for a few weeks for medical treatment, is now home. F. Corman has returned from the Northwest. CRESOLENE ANTISEPTIC TABLETS

SORE THROATS AND COUGHS

MITCHELL WILL RETIRE.

Will Not Seek Re-Election at President of Mine Workers.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—John Mitchell, President of the United Mine Workers of America, announced finally yesterday that he would not be a candidate for re-election owing to ill-health.

The voting on the annual election,

The voting on the annual election, which will be concluded before the end of the week in every coal mining town east of the Rocky Mountains, will result in the choice of either Tom L. Lewis or W. B. Wilson as successor to Mr. Mitchell. "There is an impression that I am re-

tiring to accept an appointment to some high political office," said Mr. Mitchell. "I wish to say that, so far as I am con-cerned, no tender of any political ap-pointment has been made to me."

CANADIAN DOCTOR MISSING. Edinburgh Police Looking for Man Who Has Disappeared.

London. Dec. 10.—The Edinburgh police are investigating the disappearance of a man who described himself as a Canadian doctor, although his name is not given. He had been on a honeymoon trip to Edinburgh for several weeks with a lady whom he met in Germany seven years ago. He has been traced to Hull.

KAISER A VERY SICK MAN Serious Remanifestation of His Ear

Paris, Dec. 10.—The London correspondent of the Matin says that the two days' visit of the Kaiser to London after his stay at Higheliffe Castle, is due to his desire to consult specialists as to his throat, the trouble in which persists. It is said that there has been a serious remanifestation of his ear trouble.

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the sole head of a family, or male over 18
years of 160 ares, more or less.

Application for the applicant at a Dominton Lands Agency or Sub-agency. Entry
by proxy may, however, be made at an
Anency on certain conditions by the father,
mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of
an intending homesteader.

An application for entry or cancellation
made personally at any Sub-agent's office
may be wired to the Agent by the Sub-agent,
at the expense of the applicant, and if the
land applied for is vacant on receipt of the
telegram such application is to have prior
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An application for cancellation must be made in person. The applicant must be eli-gible for homestead entry, and only one ap-plication for cancellation will be received from an individual until that application has Where an entry is cancelled subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for cancellation will be entitled to prior right of entry.

Applicant for cancellation must state in what particular the homesteader is in de-fault.

DUTIES—A cettler is required to perform the duties under one of the following plans: (1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year dur-ing the term of three years. Ing the term of three years.

(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the raquired residence duties by livery the state of the vicinity of his homestead.

(a) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of a homesteader her perminent residence on farming land owned souley by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homestead perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

(4: The term "vicinity" in the two pre-seding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, ex-clusive of road allowances crossed in the measurement.

clusive of road allowances crossed in the measurement.

5) A homesteder intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with perents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention. Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST

MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of tweety-one years at an annual rental of \$1\$ per acre. Not more than \$2.600 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be coilected on the merchantable coal mined.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of aga, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1.500 x 1.500 rest.

The fee for recording a claim is \$5.

At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1\$ per acres of the provider of the character of the coator may are complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1\$ per acres of the coator may are considered to the coator may upon having a survey made, and upon complying with

per acre.

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AMUSEMENTS

The selection of a bill that will please everyone is most difficult, but it is con-ceded by those who have been to Benmett's show this week that George Driscoll has succeeded in doing it. All the acts please, while the more ambitious arouse the maximum of pleasure and er cores are handed out to them in the freest of manner. Even the motion pic tures are applauded, so fascinating are the dramas depicted by it. The three headline acts are attracting general at tention, and at each performance are received in the warmest manner. These are Bertha Waltzinger, the twelve Nava-jo girls, and Rube Welch-Kittie Francis and company. The former has now become accustomed to the somewhat moist weather that has been prevalent in this city since her arrival, and her celebrated top notes are purer and sweeter, while her songs bid fair to become a vogue with the gallery boys. The act of the Navajo girls is pronounced the richest and most claborate seen at the theatre. Nothing finer than the first act, depicting an Indian village by a winding river, the whole bathed in the moonlight, has been seen. The cornet playing by Miss Louise Horne is a musical luxury, while the rendition of popular airs by this soloist and the full company of young ladies was worthy of Sousa's Band. The anvil chorus, their concluding number, is played as it has rarely been played in this city, and daily wins rounds of applause. The Flip Mr. Flop, and the several musical interruptions is a pot pouri wherein Miss Francis and Rube Welch make merry, to the delight of the audience. The humorous foolery is suited to all, and many sides ache with laughter when the curtain descends on it. For the rest of the hill it is impossible to city since her arrival, and her celebrated when the curtain descends on it. For the rest of the bill it is impossible to give anything but praise. Marseilles' give anything but praise. Marseilles India rubber stunts have all contortion-India rubber stunts have all contortionists beaten, and Little Ulpts and Miss Hella prove to be an interesting pair of vantomimists. Matthews and Harris, in their sketch, Adam II., are making the most of a laughable series of situations: Leo Carillo, the monologist and imitator, gets his good reception at every show.

Leaves Vaudeville.

New York, Dec. 11.—Miss Nita Allen, who for several seasons has been a popular vaudeville headliner with her sketch, "Car 2; Stateroom 1," has been engaged to play one of the principal parts in Florenz Ziegfeld's new musical revue, which will follow the departed "advanced vaudeville" at the New York Theatre.

Mrs. Campbell Here To-night.

Many a student struggling with elocu-tion thinks he or she is on the path to the stage. They should study Mrs. Pat-rick Campbell, of whom a critic wrote: "How elocution differs for eloquence is an artistic conclusion most exquisite-ly drawn by Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the noted English actress. That the soul noted English actress. That the soul rather than the body is agitated by gen uine emotion, that the voice of anguish is low, are common-place facts so ignored in histronic practice that Mrs. ignored in histronic practice that Mrs. Campbell's restful arms, her breaking soul-tones, her unruffled stare of grief, come as develations. If only the elocutionist that saw would remember: if only the rising young actress would descend to Mrs. Campbell's lonely level. Nothing else, indeed, than this impelling, suggestiveness would be necessary to place the English actress among the stage elect."

stage elect."

There will be a brilliant audience at
There will be a brilliant welcome Mrs. the Grand to-night to welcome Mrs. Campbell on her first appearance in Hamilton.

At the Savoy.

The Savoy matinees this week are of more than usual interest, Prelie's Bijou Circus, the most original dog act that has made its appearance here yet, being the magnet that attracts. It would be hard to conceive of anything more novel and original than the performance given by these little animals rigged up to represent ponies, elephant and other and original than the performance given by these little animals rigged up to represent ponies, elephant and other animals. A miniature circus is seen on the stage. Bucking ponies, bare backriders, chariot racers and so on are realistically represented, the deception being almost complete. But the act does not depend on originality to carry it through. The work is smartly done and snap and ginger displayed usually found wanting in the average run of animal acts. The big attraction is That Quartette, billed as "the finest singing act in vandeville. The claim may seem extravagant, but those who hear the singing with its wonderful power and harmony, of this elever combination, will not dispute it. At every performance the act has been forced to respond to encore after encore. The rest of the bill is equally pleasing. Miles and Rickards have a splendid comedy singing and daneing number, the girl warbling two song hits that add to the pleasing qualities of the act. Kelly and Ashby, in a bounding acrobatic act interspersed with a good line of pantomime comedy, are one of the best liked numbers. Greve and Green, are an exceptionally clever pair of musical comedians. Bertha Anni, has the nestest little single singing turn seen here in many weeks. Lawrence and Harrigton, have a skit, that is full of rollicking fun. The show is opened by Katanelli, a trapeze artist, who is doing some new feats.

Between the Acts.

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The attraction at the Grand on Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee will be "The Cowboy Girl." This melodrama with music needs no recommendation to local theatregoers, It was seen here last year and made a big hit. It is an attraction quite out of the ordinary and will be sure to please. Seats are now on sale.

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tion of capable players, will be the at traction at the Grand for one solid week commencing Monday night, Dec. 16, pre-senting a series of up to date successes. Every production complete in scenic en-vironment. The opening bill will be "The Cullege Girl."

George M. Cohan will sail from New York for Southampton York for Southampton next Saturday with Mrs. Cohan and his cousin, Miss Margie Costigan.

VERY FINE PICTURES.

The special series of pictures to be shown in the Association Hall on Thurs-day, describing from Bethlehem to Cal-vary, have already been exhibited in the Massey Hall, Toronto, to crowded audiences on five different occasions. A spepany Commissioner Coombs, while the band of No. 1 barracks will render selec-tions from 7.30 to 8 o'clock. All proceeds of this demonstration are of this demonstration are to assist the local band to purchase new instruments

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TEMPLE LODGE.

Annual Elections and Banquet of Masonic Body.

At the annual meeting of Temple Lodge, A. F. and A. M., held last even ing, which was largely attended, R. W. official visit, and conducted the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

W. Bro, Wm. E. Goring, W. M. W. Bro. Wm. E. Goering, W. M. Bro. Thomas M. Wright, J. W.
Bro. Rev. A. E. Miller, Chaplain.
V. W. Bro. Chas. Lemon, Treasurer.
V. W. Bro. Thos. Peller, Secretary. Bro, Wm. Tocher, Tyler. W. Bros. J. A. Zimmerman and Geo.

H. Carley, Auditors. H. Carley, Auditors.

At the close of the lodge the brethren adjourned to the banquet room. A banquet and toast list followed, which was presided over by W. Bro. Charles E. Burkholder, W. M., and a fine programme of speeches and songs was contributed. Those who took part in the speech-making were R. W. Bro. H. S. Griffin, D. D. G. M., R. W. Bro. A. M. Cunningham, R. W. Bro. R. V. Mathews, W. Bro. James F. Mercer, W. Bro. Kenneth eBthune, W. M.-elect W. E. Goering, Bros. R. H. Cowen, Thomas M. Wright Carruthers and Watson, the last two being visitors from a lodge in Scotland.

Bros. J. Faskin McDonald, Russell T.

Bros. J. Faskin McDonald, Russell T. Kelley, Dr. Wickins, and A. H. Stone contributed songs, which were very much enjoyed. At the close of the banquet

R. W. Bro. H. S. Griffin, D. D. G. M., proposed a toast to Bro. Charles E. Burkholder, the retiring Master, to which he suitably replied.

HAMILTON CASES.

John W. Dickson Wins Right of Way Suit.

The following Hamilton cases were lisposed of at Toronto yesterday:
Dickson vs. Manning—Judgment (E.

plaintiff's right to a private way, etc.
Held, that plaintiff has established his
right to the limited relief claimed by
him in paragraph 1 of the remainded by him in paragraph 1 of the means the second of the most sensational in Middlesex criminal court annals.

The deceased Mrs. Siften means the sensation of the most sensation him in paragraph 1 of the prayer of the statement of claim, as amended at the trial, both by showing that his right had become indefeasible by user before interruption, and that it passed a right of way appurtenant by the early conveyances. Judgment for plaintiff in paragraphs 1 and 2 of the prayer with \$20 damages and 3-5 of his taxed costs. Stay for 30 days. W. E. S. Knowless Chundass for plaintiff, J. W. Nesbitt, K. C., and F. Morison (Hamilton) for defendants. Federal Life Assurance Co. vs. Stinson but of the pury have beard since he was red and the counsel. "He is Mr. Blank, who I have heard since he was put on the jury had expressed himself

Federal Life Assurance Co. vs. Stinson -T. L. Monahan moved for order for onfirmation of report, for distribution, and to dispense with payment of money into court. D'Arcy Martin (Hamilton) for purchasers, asked for vesting orders. Orders granted. Reference continued before Master at Hamilton as to unsold

roperty. Clarkson vs. Crawford—A. O'Heir Hamilton), for defendants, moved for (Hamilton), for defendants, moved for order setting aside order for issue of writ of summons for service out of the jurisdiction. W. M. McClemont (Hamil-ton), for plaintiff, contra. Reserved.

Special Sale of Women's Christmas Jackets.

Finch Bros. have made this week a large and successful purchase of women's new and smart styles in winter jackets. New York manufacturer's samples, at half price. They are not the ordinary jacket styles, but are extra fine quality and style, being of chiffon broadcioth and imported tweed, satin and stilk lined throughout, and very attractive. Ladies should see these handsome and styles, garments as early as possible. To morrow is the best day, and morning the best time. See Finch Bros.' advertisement for particulars and prices

some not guilty.

It transpired later that there had brushes. We also carry a ment of fountain pens, por mouth organs, ladies' pocket books and estone hot one juror standing out for conviction, and that he would have been one of the first to vote for acquirtal. He was an elderly, lean man, and when asked why he had changed his mind, he said: "Well, when I heard that should see these handsome and stylish garments as early as possible. To morrow is the best day, and morning the best time. See Finch Bros.' advertised my vote at the first opportunity."

The devoted wife had saved her hus-

WOMAN'S SCREAM

DRAMATIC SCENE RECALLED BY DEATH IN BUFFALO.

Mrs. Gerald Sifton, Dead at Buffalo, Once Centre of Court Sensation-Wife of the Man Twice Tried for Murdering His Father.

London, Dec. 11 .- The death is an B. B.) in action tried without a jury at Hamilton, Action for a designation of Township farmer whose trial on the

babilities.

"I am perfectly satisfied with the jury, with a possible exception," remarked one of the counsel. "He is Mr. Blank, who I have heard since he was put on the jury had expressed himself as being opposed to a conviction of

Blaik, who I have heard since he was put on the jury had expressed bimself as being opposed to a conviction of young Sifton."

Shortly after this remark had been made the jury returned with the announcement that they had been unable to agree. to agree.

Mrs. Sifton was sitting beside the

Mrs. Sifton was sitting beside the prisoner's box wearing a look of great anxiety. When the import of the jury's failure to agree dawned upon her she uttered a piercing shriek, and sobbing painfully she was removed from the When this scene was over, the judge asked the jury if it might not be possible to reach a finding. He advised them

sible to reach a liming to again retire.

The jury retired, and within a very few minutes were back again with the announcement that they found the primer not milty.

band the terrors of another trial.
Subsequent to his being freed, the
Sittons removed to Buffalo. Gerald Sifton has not been a frequent visitor here
since, but Mrs. Sifton occasionally came
here as the guest of her parents Mr.
and Mrs. Todd, of the Pipe Line Road.
The Todds removed to Buffalo two
months ago.

months ago. Mrs. Sifton's death was due to blood

MRS. STUART LOSES.

nounced in Buffalo of Mrs. Sifton, wife Bank of Montreal Absolutely Fair With Her.

> Mr. Justice Mabee gave out his decision yesterday in the celebrated case of Stuart vs. Bank of Montreal, in which Mrs. Jane Jacques Stuart, wife of Mr. John Stuart, formerly of this city, John Stnart, formerly of this city, brought action for the recovery of a sum running into the six figures. The plaintiff sought to rescind money transactions entered into by her with defendants, upon the ground that they were entered into by her without independent advice, for the benefit of her husband. Held, that a married woman is free to convey, apart from fraud or misrepresentation, and the result as to all the conveyances and transfers made by plaintiff to defendants in July, 1994, she having made them with a full underplaintiff to defendants in July, 1904, she having made them with a full understanding of all the facts, and there being no fraud or misrepresentation of any kind, but, on the contrary, the most absolute fair dealing upon the part of the bank and all concerned in the settlement, is that they are not open to attack. Action dismissed with costs. I. F. Hellmuth, K. C., and W. J. Elliott for plaintiff. G. F. Shepley, K. C., for de-fendants.

Christmas Presents.

Christians Fresents.

Best stock in city of safety razors, carbo-magnetic and King shaver razors, shaving brushes and cups, razor strops, gents' pocket books and ebony hair brushes. We also carry a choice assortment of fountain pens, pocket knives, mouth organs, ladies' pocket books, mirrors, hand bags, ladies' companions, toilet goods and perfumes in casea, ctc. Gerrie's drug store, 32 James street north.

Bears the Strature Chart Hall Alors Bought Strature Chart Hall theker. An ounce of hard work is worth a RIBBON RENOVATION.

How to Sponge and Dry Black Taffeta Bows.

Renovation where millinery is concerned should never be put off till the necessity for renewed trimmings is sufficiently obvious to shame the wearer into the inexcusable extravagance of investing in fresh bunches of flowers or new bows of ribbon. This expense can often be avoided if the materials—good at the outset—are taken care of, ribbon being made to look almost as good as new by

judicious sponging.

Black ribbon lends itself well to spong

Black ribbon lends itself well to sponging and pressing, which not only smooths out the creases and removes the traces of the hatpin holes, which do more to age a hat than anything else. An excellent method of renewing black taffeta ribbons is that of placing it to soak in a bowlful of tepid water, adding a desertspoonful of ammonia to every pint of weter.

When the ribbon is perfectly saturated it should be laid on a wooden, unvarnished table, and slowly smoothed with a piece of sponge in one direction; the ribbon being pressed firmly meanwhile, so as to make it adhere to the wood. If left to dry overnight, by the next morning it will be sufficiently stiff to make into bows. into bows.

(Toronto Star.) But whatever happens in the way of weather don't take 'em off before the Twenty-Fourth of May.

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Timely Warning.

Boys' Own . . \$1.73 Chums . . \$1.50 Chatterbox . . 75c

(Canadian Series.) Strang's Books for Boys Ungava Bob (by Wallace) And numerous others.

Henty Books, 25c and up.

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MISS MINNIE RIDLER. The 43-year-old speed wonder at Britannia Rink this week,

YOUNG MEN OF BARTON Y.M.U.

Carried Off Honors at the Oratorical Contest.

N. E. Zimmerman First; H. J. Fenton Second.

Highly Successful Event Enjoyed by Large Crowd.

Eloquent cratory flowed at the Barton Street Methodist Church last evening. The occasion was the oratorical contest under the auspices of the Young Men's Union of that church and the budding orators were the product of the various literary and debating societies of the city. An appreciative audience that filled the church almost to the doors, enjoyed the elaborate discourses and accorded the winners a reception that a Marathon hero might envy.

N. E. Zimmerman, of Barton Street Young Men's Union, who spoke on "Canadian Citizenship," was declared the win-

H. J. Fenton, of the Barton Street Epworth League, whose subject was "Opportunity," was awarded the second

It will be noted that both the prizes went to the Barton Street Church and the decision was evidently a popular one. The judges were his honor Judge Snider, W. H. Wardrope, K. C., and Al-fred W. Briggs, M. A., of Toronto. one. The judges were his honor stude Snider, W. H. Wardrope, K. C., and Al-fred W. Briggs, M. A., of Toronto. The church was artistically decorated with flags and bunting and presented an attractive appearance. Rev. H. G. Livingston, paster of the

Barton Street Courch, extended a very warm welcome to the visitors and in-troduced the chairman, Rev. Canon Ab-bott, rector of Christ's Church Cathedral.

troduced the chairman, Rev. Canon Abbott, rector of Christ's Church Cathedral. In a pleasing little address Canon Abbott endorsed the idea of holding such contests and said he hoped it would be the beginning of a series throughout the winter months.

Each of the budding orators was greeted with a round of applause as he stepped from the platform, and all received a mest attentive hearing.

W. A. Blake, of the Excelsior Club, started the flow of oratory promptly at 7.45. Each speaker was allowed a time limit of fitteen minutes. "Character Before Wealth," was the thought emphasized by Mr. Blake, in a really interesting address, with "Success" as his tubject. Success he explained, meant something more than the mere accumulation of wealth or the gratification of personal ambition. There never was a time when there was so much room for the best as there was to-day. There was success in every occupation for the man who would pay the price. It was a fair price that God had set on it and he was not half a man who would try and get it for less.

"The World's Magnet." was a subject selected by James J. Jolley, affording an opportunity of expounding Canada's greatness, which Mr. Jolley did in a very entertaining way.

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greatness, which Mr. Jolley did in a very entertaining way.

H. J. Fenton, of the Barton Street Epworth League, whose oration was awarded second prize, chose "Opportunity," as his theme. Mr. Fenton's address was well delivered and equally well arranged. It was brimiul, too, of many sound truths, atarctively presented.

"We must prepare for what we would achieve," said Mr. Fenton, in the course of his remarks, as he illustrated by way of example the meteoric rise of famous men of history, who spent much time in preparation and rushed in when opportunity opened the gates. Concentration of purpose was another thought he sounded. The third great element necessary to grasp opportunity, declared Mr. Fenton, was determination. Possessed of this no obstacle was too great to surmount, as amply demonstrated by men who had made history. Across Canada's broad domains there were vasef and innumerable opportunities, the royal road to success for those who would seize them.

The Collegiate Lyceum was ably represented by Gordon M. Dobbin, who speaking on "True Liberty," made an address that was a scholarly offort. tod, he said, had given man great truths of liberty and equality. Liberty meant not indifference nor did it prevent a man from expressing and helding decided opinions. Judgment was given man to use and cultivate and it should be used at the command of love. "Caracian Citizenship" was the subject of a splendid address by N. E. Zimmerman, of Barton Street Young Men's Union, winner of the first prize. One of the most interesting portions of his address was that dealing with citizenship connected with patriotism. The Collegiate Lyceum was ably re-

dress was that dealing with citizenship connected with patriotism.

"By patriotism," he said, "I do not mean the theatrical form of getting up and waving a Union Jack, but a rational law and national pride in our country, some knowledge of the privileges we enjoy as Canadian citizens, and respecting the memory of those who have won them for us."

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In the kind of citizenship Canada possessed, he emphasized, its greatness lies. Fidelity to truth, the contributing by each of something to the nation's greatness and the helping of others were true ideals of all Christian manhood and democracy. He dealt extensively with Canada's magnificent resources and advantages, its educational facilities and the religious side. While there was no state church, the dominating forces, he declared, were Christian. The assimilating of the variety of the foreign element flocking into the country had not taxed Canada's capacity. The Dominion, however, was on the threshold of many vast problems and one of the most important of these was that of restricting foreign emigration and especially was this so in regard to the question of the exclusion of the Anatics, something that had its good and bad-sides, as viewed by capital or labor. Mr. Zinmerman laid stress on the type of men that were required in public life. Honest men were wanted. Surely, with the citizenship it possessed, Canada would build a nation, greater and nobler than Rome in the proudest days of that empire.

Joel K. Fenton, who spoke on behalf of Wesley Church Young Men's Union.

proudest days of that empire, Joel K. Fenton, who spoke on behalf of Wesley Church Young Men's Union, took as his subject "Hannibal," whose said, dazzled the mind and captured the heart. In times of a great crisis there always arose a dominating figure, and to Carthage in its hour of though what facts of his career that were handed down came from his enemies, it was impossible, he declared, to shake a superstructure that was built upon a moral life or destroy it with the storms of columns.

Taking as his subject "The Golden | jority.

Palace of the Caesars," F. B. Edmunds, of Centenary Literary Society, enunciated some of the principles that made Rome what it was in the heyday of its glory, and which he thought might be applied to a new country, such as Canada.

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Robert Menary, of the Emerald Street Y. M. U., spoke on "The Elements of a Nation's Greatness," and gave one of the most enjoyable addresses of the evening. He possesses an easy style and delivery, lacking in some of the others. One of the points on which he laid special stress was that all the nations that had achieved fame had been great intellectually. Spiritual greatness was another thing essential to national greatness. History had shown nations lacking in religion crushed by others. The most powerful nations today were the righteous ones. There would come a day when Canada would take its place among the nations of the world. "It might be a dream now," he said, "but it will be realized in the future for this land of ours possesses the elements that make nations great."

"Work, Humanity's Greatest Blessing" was the subject of one of the most original and interesting addresses of the evening delivered by George C. Sharp, of the Gove Street Epworth League. Mr. Sharp dealt interestingly with the subject in its many phases and the address was brimful of many thoughtful suggestions.

Knox Church Young Men's Union

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Who spoke on "Canada," delivering an
address that bristled with patriotism.

Mr Peebles said it seemed to him that
Canadians have not displayed enough
winger in appreciation of what the ginger in appreciation of what the country possesed. He painted a rosy picture of the Dominion's future, picture of the Dominion's future, dwelling on its wonderful advantages and resources. Canada was a land to inspire the deepest patr; 1/3m' and he predicted it would become great as a literary nation, its scenic beauty and grandeur, ensuring this. James Smuck, of St. John's Young Men's Association, was the last speaker, the subject of his address.

Men's Association, was the last speaker, the subject of his address being, "Present Day Advantages." The thought he specially emphasized was the fact that this was an age of unlimited advantages.

A short musical programme was given while the judges compared notes and Canon Abbott gave a short address and some good advice on the subject of "Effective Speaking." Everyone was possessed of one or two talents, which properly developed might be made. talents, which properly deve might be made to include all. ceasing work was the keynote of success. He advised budding orators to familiarize themselves with the classics andw ith the Bible and Shakes

medals donated by the Spec-

WINONA INSTITUTE.

Annual Ball to be Held on Tuesday Evening.

The President and Directors of the Winona Institute Company have issued in the Institute's fine assembly room next Tuesday evening. Mr. C. W. F. Carpenter is the Secretary-Treasurer and the patronesses are: Mrs. E. D. Smith, Mrs. M. Pettit, Mrs. R. C. Mackay Mrs. Mrs. B. Fetti, Mrs. R. C. Mackay a C. W. F. Carpenter, Mrs. E. M. Sm Mrs. F. B. Henry. The committee composed of Messrs. E. M. Smith, composed of Messrs. E. M. Smith, M. Pettit, Harry F. Burkholder, E. L. Jen-nett, R. C. Mackay, J. Ambrose Pettit

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The past affairs of this kind given by the Winona Institute Company have been conducted with much brilliancy and celat, and those who were so fortunate as to be favored with a card this year are to be congratulated.

ST. KITTS "OLD BOYS,

Homes-Coming Week Arronged for June, 1908.

Catharines, Dec. 10 .- St. Cathar-

St. Catharines, Dec. 10.—St. Catharines Old Boys' Association has been formed, with the following officer:

Past President, W. J. Burgoyne; President, J. B. McIntyre; First Vice-President, J. T. Petrie; Second Vice-President, John Marshall; Third Vice-President, Hugh E. McSloy; Secretary, Arthur W. McMaugh; Treasurer, G. W. Connolly, A number of prominent citizens have been elected honorary officers and several strong working committees have been formed. An old home week will be held in 1908, beginning Sunday, June 28.

Many Down With Pleurisy.

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Doctors say the country is full of it. First comes a chill, then cold develops the inflammation grows—you can't draw a long breath—lungs and sides get sore, and pleurisy sets in. A good home cure consists in taking twenty drops of Nerviline every four hours. Supplement this by vigorously rubbing the sides and chest with Nerviline, and when warmth and circulation are established, put a Nerviline Porous Plaster over the aching spot. Nerviline Treatment is allways successful in colds, neuralgia and pleurisy. Try it yourself.

SAVED SCHOLARS.

Fire in Montreal School-Pupils Are Marched Out.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—With 790 pupils under their care and with the horrors of the Hochelaga school fire fresh in their minds, the teachers of Montcalm school were startled to-day to see smoke pouring out of a store room on the third floar.

third floor.

The principal promply signaled fire drill and the pupils marched out in two minutes in perfect order.

The firemen confined the fire to the one room. The fire was caused by a defective one jet. fective gas jet.

Dr. Hodgetts, Secretary of the Provin-ial Board of Health, estimates that within a decade smallpox has cost the Province of Ontario \$2,000,000. Postmaster George A. Hibbard was elected Mayor of Boston yesterday, defeating Mayor Fitzgerald by 2,000 ma-

HIGHER PAY FOR MINISTERS.

New York Presbytery Wants Minimum Salary Increased.

THE PLOT TO KILL.

Georgetown, Ky., Dec. 10.-Henry E

Youtsey, who is under a life sentence

for complicity in the assassifiation of

for complicity in the assassifiation of William Goebel, went on the witness' stand to-day in the Caleb Powers trial. Youtsey testified that he had talked with Dr. W. R. Johnson in the latter's office about the killing of Governor Goebel and of the purchase by himself to smokeless cartridges in Cincinnati. He said before the cartridges were offered Johnson became impatient and said he could shoot Goebel with his pistol from the Secretary of State's window, cursing Goebel at the time. Youtsey told of the plot to kill Goebel. He told of placing guns in Powers' office, of raising the window and drawing the curtain, of pointing out Goebel as he approached the Capitol, and of aceing Howard aim at Goebel. He then left the room and heard the crack of the rifle as he was descending the stairs.

stairs.

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The witness connected Powers affectly with the tragedy by stating that he fixed the door for the entrance of the assassin and approved of the plan. In his testimony he also gave very damaging testimony against former Governor Taylor, State Treasurer Day, Superintendent of Public Instruction W. J. Davidson. W. W. H. Cullon and others connected with the state administration.

istration.

The witness said that Taylor dictated

Prisoner Was Boy's Uncle-He Said

Against Mother.

Child's Father Was Dying and Wanted Him-Withdrew Charges

North Bay, Ont., Dec. 10 .- The sensational abduction of little Arthur Rotter

ended in the Police Court this evening,

when it transpired that the abductor

tain documents he had subscribed to, stating that Mrs. Rotter was not a fit person to have custody of her child, were untrue and made through misunder-

The prosecution was then withdrawn on condition that Rotter leave town im-

mediately and make no further attempt to take the boy away. Mrs. Rotter, who is about 35 years of age, expressed

REV. D. B. MACDONALD ILL.

Paralysis.

BOSTON REPUBLICAN.

Majority.

The city voted to license the sale of

liquor by a large majority, somewhat smaller than in previous years, how-ever, due to a hard campaign on the part of the clergy.

William Lappege, a C. P. R. car repairer, died from injuries received in an accident at Toronto Junction.

standing.

IMPORTANT MATTERS TO FARMERS WITNESS COMES FROM JAIL TO DISCUSSED AT GUELPH. CONVICT PALS.

Youtsey Testified Against Powers Death Lurks in Unclean Dairies-Professor of Guelph College Sounds Goebel Murder Trial-Iohnson Would Note of Warning.

Guelph, Dec. 10.-There is in Guelph to-day among the visiting agriculturists unflagging enthusiasm born of the conferred on the Province through the medium of their labors at the Experimental Union and the Winter Fair, where the gospel of skilful agriculture is being preached. Farmers to-day, from the practical knowledge they have gained at the previous meetings, have restored to fertility lands that were regarded as almost completely depleted of their productive power. The experiments conductive power. The experiments conductive power. The experiments conductive and the lectures to be given at the Women's Institute and the Winter Fair are practical to the last degree. Pure dairy products, the utilization of fertilizers, sanitary barns, reforestry, the bee industry and the adulteration of stock foods, are some of the subjects discussed to-day. A great deal of useful information was contained in an address by Prof. Dean, of the Ontario Agricultural College, who awakened interest in the subject of pure dairy products and the danger of disease among cattle, and he made a rather startling reference to the part played by impure milk in infant mortality. dium of their labors at the Experimen-

FARMERS' WEEK.

At the meeting of the Experimental of Agriculture, expressed the hope that the young men who have passed the strenuous stage of life on the farm would come forward and do something

r agriculture. Officers were elected for next year as Officers were elected for next year as follows: President, G. A. Brodie, Bethseda; Vice-President, J. O. Laird, Blenheim; Board of Control, Hon. Nelson Monteith (Toronto), Prof. G. C. Creelman (Guelph), F. H. Reed (Lindsay), G. A. Putnam (Toronto), M. J. Jouher (Guelph), W. Ballantyne (Stratford): Auditors, W. J. Squirrell and J. B. Fairbairn, Guelph.

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Charging that infant mortality throughout the Province of Ontario was largely due to the unclean condition of the supply of milk, Prof. Dean, of the Ontario. Accipultural College, sprang the supply of milk, Prot. Dean, ot the Ontario Agricultural College, sprang somewhat of a sensation at the luncheon tendered by the civic authorities to visiting exhibitors to-day. Prof. Dean emphatically stated that the condition of the average dairies in the Province was conducive to the spread of in vince was conducive to the spread of in-fections diseases among cows, and that the diseases were thus spread to chil-dren, 25 per cent. of whom died under one year of age as a result of being fed on impure milk.

LOSS TWO MILLIONS.

ESTIMATE OF DAMAGE CAUSED BY SMALLPOX OUTBREAKS.

was the boy's uncle, William A. Rotter, of Chicago, who alleged that the boy's father was in a dying condition at the Chicago home, and commissioned him to bring the son to his bedside, and mother if possible.

The prisoner stated that his intention was to return on another train at night and try to induce Mrs. Rotter to return to her husband. Edward A. Rotter, Mrs. Rotter took no stock in the story of a dving husband, and believes it part of a plot to take her boy away from her.

After a consultation, long and heated, between the parties concerned and Mrs. Rotter's attorney, Mr. George McGaughey, an understanding was reached, by which Rotter took an affidavit that certain documents he had subscribed to. Vaccination Act Neglected-Municipalities Blamed by Provincial Health Board for Not Checking Disease.

Toronto, Dec. 11,--(Special.)-Failure to enforce the provisions of the Vaccination Act is held by Dr. Hodgetts, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, to be the chief reason for the spread of to be the chief reason for the spread of smallpox in Ontario. In a statement given out yesterday he says that "during the past ten years smallpox has been present in the province in more or less of an epidemic form. True, it has

Dr. Hodgetts comments on the that the repeated outbreaks of malady cost money and disorganized trade. He proceeds to say: "The Municipal Councils of Ontario alone are

formed, with the following officer:
Past President, W. J. Burgoyne; President, J. B. McIntyre; First Vice-President, J. B. McIntyre; First Vice-President, John Marshall; Third Vice-President, John Marshall; Third Vice-President, Hugh E. McSloy; Secretary, Arthur W. McMaugh; Treasurer, G. W. Connolly, A number of prominent citizens have been elected honorary officers and several strong working committees have been formed. An old home week will be held in 1908, beginning Sunday, June 28.

G. T. R. OFFER.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—The local members of the Order of Railway Telegraphers was refused the Grade of Railway Telegraphers was refused to Railway Telegraphers was refused to Railway Telegraphers was refused of the Order of Railway Telegraphers have refused the Grand Trunk's offer of 10 per cent. increase made ta their representative at Ottawa. They seek 14 per cent. This is the second refusal. The question will now be decided by the arbitrators, Prof. Shortt, Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., for the company, and Solicitor J. G. O'Donoghue for the telegraphers. ligence of municipal authorities. Possi-bly not until the disease appears in all its old-time severity will they be aroused from their Rip Van Winkle sleep."

PUT RIFLE MUZZLE TO MOUTH. Employee of Lumber Camp in Peterboro

Peterboro, Dec. 10.—News reached here to-day that Robt. Graham, an employee of Robinson's lumber camp in Anstruther township, had deliberately shot himself yesterday. Sitting on the floor of the shanty, he placed the muzzle of a Winchester rifle in his mouth and fired. The ball penetrated his brain. He was 47 years of age, unmarried, and a resident of Minden. County Commits Suicide.

Salary Increased.

Albauy, Dec. 10.—At the meeting of the Presbytery to-day a general movement was inaugurated to increase the minimum salary paid to ministers in New York and New England. This resolution was adopted: "Inasmuch as it appears that certain members of our Presbytery are serving churches at salaries of \$500 and less, resolved, that a committee of five ministers and two elders be appointed to consider the matter of increasing the minimum salary paid to the ministers of this Presbytery." The committies to treport at the next meeting of the Presbytery.

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Special values in Ladies' Fancy Slippers, just received for Christmas trade, 200 pairs Ladies' Fancy Slippers, in patent colt and vici kid, in plain and beaded designs, at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

The witness said that I aylor dictated a letter to him asking for Howard to come to Frankfort to "do the job," and he stated that he would give \$1.500, a pardon and a military escort to the mountains to the man who would kill Goebe!. Men's Fancy Slippers

ABDUCTOR FREED. Just received for Christmas trade, 300 pairs Men's Fancy Slip-pers, in fine fancy kid, tan, choes-late and black, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. KIDNAPPING CASE AT NORTH BAY

> men folk to think of the men folk. Give him a Christmas gift the can't help liking, at a price that saves much of the regular cost.

> Fancy Felt Slippers; we are of-fering special values in Men's, Ladies' and Children's Fancy Felt

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We are making special cut rates in Men's. Boys' and Youths' Hockey Boots, \$2.50, reduced to

Boys' Tan or Black Hockey Boots, sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, regular \$2.60, reduced to \$1.35.

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John F. Shea 25 King St. East

STRATHROY BOY KILLED. Elean Collins Run Down While Walking

on Track.

who is about 35 years of age, expressed her determination of making her own living and bringing up her boy rather than return to her Chicago home. The father is in the theatrical business in Chicago. Strathroy, Dec. 10.—At noon to-day Elean, the ten-year-old son of Mr. James G. Collins, lost his life. The little fellow was returning from school, and had occasion to cross the track, but instead of doing so turned and walked down the track cast, which would bring him home a few minutes sooner. A light engine a few minutes sooner. A light engine was tanding on the north siding, and Paralysis.

St. Catharines. Dec. 10.—Rev. D. B. Macdonald, the pastor of Haynes Avenue Presbyterian Church, was stricken with paralysis last night and is in a very precarious condition to day. Mr. Macdonald has been a resident of St. Catharines for a year, and news of his illness is felt with profound regret by all classes. He had been in good health and had arranged to attend a lective upon "Experiences in Boer War." to be given by his son, Dr. W. J. Macdonald, of this city, to be given last night, but owing to illness the as the boy came up to the engine he could not see or lear the approach of the fast express, No. I, which was westbound, on account of exhaust steam bound, on account of from the light engine

from the light engine.

As he stepped upon the main track he was instantly struck by the express and thrown a few feet. When picked up it was found his skull was badly fractured and he was bruised. The train, which was only a few rods from the depot, stopped and conveyed the lad there, where he expired in a few minutes.

CASTORIA Bears the Signature Chart Hillthire

CALGARY MAYORALTY. Macdonald, and two others served in Toronto on the staff of the Metropolitan

The Present Mayor Re-Elected by Good Majority.

Calgary, Alta., Dec. 10.-Mayor Cameron won a victory over Ald. Clarke for the position of Mayor by the ma-jority of 474. The vote on whether the jority of 474. The vote on whether the City Commissioners should be elected by the people or appointed by the Council resulted in a majority of over 1,000 in favor of their selection by the citizens. Voted for Sale of Liquor by Decreased

Italian Killed by Handcar.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 10.—In the closest and hardest fought election contests which Boston has known for many years, the city went Republican to-day by about 2.000 votes. Postmaster George A. Hibbard, Republican, defeating Mayor John F. Fitzgerald. Democrate, who was a candidate for re-Smith's Falls, Dec. 10.—A fatal acci-dent occurred on the C. P. R. construc-tion at Merrickville on Saturday. A number of Italians were returning from their work on a handear, when one of them, named St. Giogio, who was work-ing the machine, was struck in the face by one of the handles with such force that he was thrown off in front of the car and run over.

Nobel Prizes Awarded.

London, Dec. 10.—As was expected, the Nobel prize for literature has been awarded to Rudyard Kipling. The prize for physics was awarded to Prof. Michelson, of Chicago University, for the discovery of a new way for de termining the velocity of light.

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DID HE KILL BABY?

Prairie Mystery. Regina, Sask.. Dec. 10.—The little child of Robert Rowe, lost at the Bluffs north of here a week ago, has not been found, and the suspicion of foul play is entertained. Three mounted policomen have been working on the case, but have not yet found any trace of the child. On Sunday some seventy neighbors formed a line and searched every foot of ground within a mile and a half radius of the house, but were unsuecessful.

A half-witted boy who was with the child says he turned her out and locked the door, and it is suspected that he may have killed the child and made may have kined the clift and made away with the body in one of the old Crofter settlement wells. The little girl was two and a half years of age.

A VICIOUS ASSAULT A Woodstock Lady Attacked by

Young Man. Woodstock, Dec. 10.-On a charge of attempting to commit a criminal assault upon Mrs. Clyde Smith. a respectable middle-aged lady, residing in Woodstock, a youth twenty years old, giving his name as To mReid, and believed to be a deserter from Wolseley Barracks, London, is in jail, and will be up before the Magistrate for hearing a week from

A Problem for the Editor.

It has been asked whather stepping on a man's corn gives provocation for swear-ing. Answer-Keep the toes clear of corns by using Putnam's Corn Extractor.

70,000 RAILWAYMEN VOTING

Object is to Secure a Federation Various Divisions.

Buffalo, Dec. 10.—The vote now being taken by the 70,000 organized railroad employees east of the Mississippi River is understood by railwaymen of Buffalo to determine if the railroad un-

ions shall unite in one great federation, more than to decide upon a concerted demand for more pay.

The trainmen and the conductors are voting on the amalgamation and the firemen and the engineers are also balloting. A concerted demand for higher wages and readjustment of conditions will be made if the federation is accomplished.

accomplished.

Although the full result of the vote will not be known until after Christmas, it is known the Lehigh Valley conductors have decided not to federate with

There seems to be some sentiment among the trainmen to federate with the switchmen, but the firemen and the engineers appear to be against federa-

The purpose of the proposed federa-tion is to establish uniform conditions all over the country. Two noses is a part of the facial equipment of a year-old-child accepted as a patient at the Toronto General Hospital. In addition the child has two palates. A corrective operation was performed.

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Ottawa, Dec. 10.—The Postoffice Department has issued a notice to the public pointing out that Christmas presents and other articles which in Canada could be posted at the rate of 1 cent per ounce, cannot be mailed to the United Kingdom, the British Colonies or places abroad at that rate, but must be posted at parcel post rates. Each such parcel must bear a declaration of consents and value

TIMES SPORTING PA

MUSCATINES BEAT TORONTO.

Fred Beel Given Decision Over Cuban Wonder.

Jockeys Hurt at New Orleans Yesterday -Gotch Met a Tartar at Cincinnati -Hartley Declines Challenge of Toronto Barber.

did not want to meet him. He came of

and weighs over 200 pounds. Gotch got to work on him at the start. He tried every hold and trick he could think of, without any success.

JOCKEYS HURT.

was added to the races at the Fair Grounds yesterday through accidents

New Orleans, Dec. 12.—The magnifi-ent new Fair Grounds grand stand is

fit. It probably was all right at Park, but at the Fair Grounds

will prove the poorest place from ich to view the races to be found at

track in the country. The cours be complete enough in its appoint

ments after all the work is done, but that will not offset the fact that the fields will be obscured from the vision

cond and fifth events. In the

PARR BACK IN BUFFALO.

Toronto, Dec. 11.—A large crowd turned out last night to the Central Y. M. derful. C. A. to witness the basketball game be. ORDEMAN IS GOOD MAN. tween the travelling Muscatines, Iowa, who are on a four from coast to coast, and the Central Tongolas. Those present were certainly rewarded with a fine exhibition, and, while the locals did not win, they gave a good account of themselves. The score was: Muscatines 52, Tongolas 37, with the winners leading at the interval, 27 to 23. at the interval, 27 to 23.

The visitors had the weight, reach and The visitors had the weight, reach and experience on the local boys, but did not play as scientific a game as the Crescents of Chicago here lest very Howare them. of Chicago here last year. However, they play a fast combination game, mostly play a fast combination game, mostly long passes, with every man playing his position. This was the one thing that beat the locals, as their defence would time and again rush down, leaving their guards unchecked, and a failure to score would result in a long pass back, where the Muscatine man would only have to lob the ball in.

Kautz of the visitors is a team in bimself, he only missing one goal the whole night. Lillibridge at centre was the man in the right spot, and it was through his check's inability to watch him that the visitors scored so often. Lillibridge, who had his nose broken in Detroit, wore a nose guard, which made a hit with the

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The Muscatines play in Buffalo to night, and have now a record of eight wins and one loss, that being at Hamilton on Monday night.

The preliminary game resulted in a win-for Church Street Old Boys over All Saints by 44 to 15. The teams:

win for Church Street Old Boys over All Saints by 44 to 15. The teams; Muscatines (52)—Kantz and Fuller, forwards; Lillibridge, centre; Hayes and Wilkins, guards.

forwards: Lillibridge, centre; Hayes and Wilkins, guards.
Tongolas (37)—Sievert and Madget, forwards; Button, centre; Walker and Henderson, guards.
Referee—Morgan, Muscatines. Umpire—Jardine, Centrals.
Church Street Old, Boys (44)—Clark, Bond and R. Rankin. Torwards: "R. Hunter, centre; J. Rankin and Hayden, guards.
Grounds vesterday through accidents

guards,
All Saints (15)—Macklem and Alward,
forwards; Spencer, centre; Fuller and
Woolnough, guards.
Referee—C. Thompkins.

ON DEC. 20.

A Banquet to be Held in Honor of the Tiger 11. Champions.

in the second and fifth events. In the second four jockeys went down when Blackburn stumbled on the back stretch. Jockey Fogarty was badly injured, and it may be several weeks before he can ride again. J. Lee, on PrinceFortunatus had his leg badly injured, and probably will be out of the saddle at least a week. Jockey Herbert, on Flowaway, and Monntain on Vestabella, escaped injury, in the fifth race Ann Hill, with J. Howard up, and Refined, with Hufnagel, fell. "Hufnage was badly bruised, but Howard escaped injury." The management of the Hamilton Rugby Football Club has decided to THEY SPARE THE TREES. old the annual banquet to the Tiger teams on Friady, Dec. 20th, and a subcommittee has been appointed to make arrangements for it and also for sou-

arrangements for it and also for son-venirs for the Tiger seconds, the Dom-linion champions. The seconds will be the guests of honor at the-banquet. The Tiger seniors have organized an indoor baseball team and after next Saturday will meet all comers. In the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Saturday at-ternoon the Jungle Imps, will play the Commercial Travellers' nine.

Commercial Travellers' nine.

HALL NOT TO BLAME.

The sporting editor of the Times has received a communication from a Rugby enthusiast, who protests against the newspaper comment on Hall's playing in Saturday's game. He says Hall was not unnecessarily rough and that he was simply a victim of the umpire—a Mondreal man—and that in no instance did -and that in no instance did elean gentlemanly player.

GOOD OLD OXFORD. London, Dec. 10.—The annual intervarsity Rugby football match was played at Queen's Club to-day. Oxorbord beat Cambridge, 17 to 0. The Cambridge eleven was on the defensive

BEELL BEAT BOULDIN.

Cuban Wonder Sulked and Forfeited Match Last Night.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 11 .- Plainly sulking, Clarence Bouldin, dubbed the Cuban wonder, was defeated by Fred. Beell, Wisconsin's phenom, in two falls last night before a great crowd in Gray's

great crowd, which was urging on as the local favorite, de

of fully one half of the occupants, of the stand during the run up half the back stretch.

The massive old oak trees which adorn the centre of the field were the picturesque feature of the old track, when the grand stand was built low enough to suit the grounds. These trees would have been removed this year but for the State laws which probibit the destruction of the oaks. As it is, they form an obstruction through which it will be almost impossible to see.

SADDLE AND SULKY. A Pittsburg despatch says Ralph Williams, of Boston, has bought for \$8,000 the trotting mare, Amy Brooks, 2.09. The Kentucky State Fair has decided to take neither Ohurchill Downs nor Douglas Park, but has bought another sit of 150 acres at Louisville.

W. H. Fizer's Pinkola, who was a good colt at Fort Eric the past summer, looks like the champion at New Orleans. He has won his last seven starts.

starts.

This week saw the first appearance of the Corrigan colors at City Park since the rupture which resulted in the formation of the American Turf Asso-

formation of the American Turf Association.

Two meetings will be held this winter on the new Delorimier Park track at Montreal. The first will open January 21, for five days and the second will run three days, beginning Feb. 13.

Morris McKnight, formerly a well-known jockey on western tracks, and an assistant starter since his rotirement from the saddle, is dead. He was a brother of Arthur McKnight, and for a long time assistant to Dick Dwyer.

So little was Gallinule thought of by English breeders when he went to the study in 1890 that no fee was exacted for his services for approved mares. In the fifteen years which have elapsed his off-spring have won more than \$600,000, and it is almost impossible to book outside.

BOWLING MATCH.

At the Brunswick alleys last ever g a team of single men from the Wood Vallance Co's, employees defeated a team of benedicts last night by 26 pins

1	Single Men-				
	Atherton	149	133	175	451
-	Brown	137	146	124	407
8	James	99	99	108	306
1	F. Palmer	94	127	120	341
1	C. Palmer	84	158	97	339
p.	Worth	170	122	128	420
	Turnbull		44	77	121
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e	Total				2.391
	-Married Men-				
t.	Andarson	115	1.08.	110	25-

J. R. Keene Had Best 122 249

SHORT ENDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far 1906, and run far ahead of all previous and Near.

San Francisco, Dec. 11.—Owen Moran, of England, and Abe Attell, of this city, will fight twenty-five rounds for the world's championship in San Francisco on New Year's Day. The contest will take place in the Colma Arena, and will commence at 2.15 p. m. James J. Jeffries will be referee. vil Be referce

will be referee.

Philadelphia, Dec. 11.—George Sutton twice defeated Jake Schaefer at balk line billiards yesterday. In the afternoon he won, 300 to 198, at the 18-1 game, and in the evening he defeated his opponent, 400 to 251, at the 18-2 game. Schaefer was desidely off form, while Suttannot was decidedly off form, while Sutton, not being pushed at all, played a pretty and fairly steady game, frequently being ap-plauded for brilliant shots. In the even-ing contest Schaefer made the high run

INFORMATION ABOUT THE OLYMPIC GAMES.

In order to interest and instruct Canada's army of athletes who expected to be sent to London next year to win and lose Olympic honors, mostly the latter, the following letter received by Col. Hanbury-Williams from the honorary secretary of the British Olympic Committee on the subject of the cost of accommodation is given:

Dear Sir,—The following information as to the cost of accommodation in London for competitors in the Olympic R. S. De Courcy Laffan, he sent to London next year to win and lose Olympic honors, mostly the latter, the following letter received by Col. Hanbury-Williams from the honorary secretary of the British Olympic Commit-tee on the subject of the cost of accom-

as to the cost of accommodation in Lon-don for competitors in the Olympic games will probably be of interest

tion in boarding houses at a price rising from 25s. per week. This includes bed, attendance, light and two good meals per day, it being assumed that competitors will take their mid-day meal at the

will take their mid-day meal at the stadium.

The amount of accommodation obtainable at this price is somewhat limited, and it would be necessary to make very early application in order to secure it. Accommodation in boarding houses at from 30s to 35s per week would be fairly easily obtainable.

The prices at which hotels are prepared to receive competitors begin at from 6s to 7s per day for the same accommodation as I have quoted in the case of boarding houses.

We have a provisional list of boarding houses and hotels situated on lines of communication with the stadium, and I should be happy to send you the names and address of any of these if you would inform me of the prices which your cominform me of the prices which your com

inform me of the prices which your competitors will be prepared to pay.

We hope before long to issue a complete list of hotels and boarding houses with tariff, and also a statement of the different trips around London and excursions to places of interest in England which will be organized in connection with this Olympiad. No hotel or boarding house will be placed upon this list which has not been personally inspected on behalf of our committee.

We are also prepared to give information as to accommodation at Henley for crews taking part in the Olympic regatta and also as to lodgings on the route of

For the third year in succession James

double the amount the stable won in

records, reaching the enormous total of

colors has been the talk of the turf all the season-not only in this country,

but abroad-and his eclipsing of the for-

2.365 R. Keene heads the list of winning own ers for the eastern racing season Mr. Keene's total winnings in the season just passed are much more than

8400.806.

R. S. De Courcy Laffan,

The proposed course for the Maraton race at the Olympic games next year is as follows: Starting from Windsor, over the River Thames, through Eton, past Eton College to Slough, taking main road toward London for about half a mile, turn to left for Uxbridge, through George-green and passing Longley Park

Approximate distance, 25 miles 60 yards.

and Edgemere

but abroad—and his eelipsing of the former record held by the Duke of Portland is a triumph that the master of Castleton Stud may well be proud of. Certainly this is a grand showing for that farm down in Kentucky, which has in other years sent so many great winners to the post for the eastern races.

When Mr. Keene's winnings reached the grand total of \$230,570 in the season

WHY GRAVE OF T. C. DRUCE WAS

PORTLAND CASE.

Herbert Druce, in Whom Ownership Was Vested, Persisted in Refusal-Court Crowded With Fashionables.

London, Dec. 10.-The eleventh hear ing in the Druce case at the Clerkenwell Police Court to-day lacked the sensa tional features of the previous one, but the bench was again filled with fashion ably-dressed women.

ably-dressed women.

The witnesses who have been called thus far swear that in their belief the fifth Duke of Portland and T. C. Druce are the same man. An important part also is played by a photograph known as "No. 7," which some witnesses identify as the Duke of Portland, and others as T. C. Druce.

Mr. Bath, a tailor, and James Rudd, a mechanical engineer, both identified it to-day as the picture of the fifth Duke, as also did Mr. Hollidge, formerly whip to Lord Galway's hounds. The last mentioned witness' evidence caused much amusement.

amusement.
"While hunting in 1875," said the witness, "I saw the duke and I frightened him and made him look at me. I pretended to ride over him."

Asked how he addressed the duke, the

road toward London for about half a mile, turn to left for Uxbridge, through George-green, and passing Langley Park on right. Enter Uxbridge by road on right hand side of church and corn exchange, proceed for about 400 yards towards London, then take road on left to Ickenham and Ruislip. At the "Poplars," Ruislip (Poly Harriers C. C. headquarters), turn to the left and take the road at the side of Ruislip Church, towards Eascote. Keep to the right for Pinner, following the direction of the signposts. Do not actually enter Pinner, but bear to the right at signpost 300 yards past Pinner gas works. This road leads over Metropolitan Railway. After crossing the railway turn to the right of Harrow. Recross the Metropolitan Railway at the Roxborough Hotel, Harrow, and then turn sharp to the left, and run parallel with the railway for about 1,200 yards, and then turn sharp to the right, keeping Harrow Church and schools on the right. This road is called Pinner road, and brings you to Sudbury. Through Sudbury and Wembley, passing London & Northwestern Railway (Sudbury and Wembley) on your right, and continue until tram lines are reached. Follow these to the College Park Hotel, Willesden Junction, on the Harrow road. Turn to the right here. This road leads across Wormwood Scrubs into Woodlane for the stadium. Asked how he addressed the duke, the witness answered by shouting out a hunting call with all his strength, to the amazement and delight of the court. "You should have seen the old duke strike an attitude!" he exclaimed at the end of the performance.

On the other hand, Clements, formerly the duke's valet, identified the photograph as the picture of T. C. Druce, and swore he saw him four years after his alleged death. Clements afterwards altered the date and said it was in 1869, and not in 1868, that he saw Druce.

In the same way Marks, who had previously sworn that he saw the coffin and the lead a fortnight after his wedding, in December, 1864, was now faced by a certificate showing that he was married, not in 1864, but in 1865.

Evidence was then given as to the

Evidence was then given as to the ownership of the celebrated grave. For a little while it was taken out of the pos-session of Herbert Druce and placed in

session of Herbert Druce and placed in that of Mrs. Anna Maria Druce's son, but it soon reverted to Herbert Druce, and is still his.

The reason of all these changes is interesting. Years ago Anna Maria Druce obtained legal permission for the opening of the grave to prove whether it contained lead or a mouldering body.

The plan was balked because it was found that the permission of the owner of the grave was necessary, and Herbert Druce, in whom the ownership was vested, resolutely refused to permit any disturbance of the family vault. By some means both sides come to the belief that the grave is real property and had unsuroance or the family vault. By some means both sides come to the belief that the grave is real property and had wrongly descended to Herbert Druce, whereupon he abandoned his claim; but before Mrs. Druce's party could open the grave it was established that the right of burial is an item of personal property. The grave then went back to Herbert Druce, who persisted in his refusal to permit any tampering with his father's body.

The case is proving exhausting, and tempers ran rather short to-day. There were one or two passages of arms between Mr. Atherley Jones and Mr. Avory, and after one of these Mr. Avory remarked with some heat that if his learned friend was becoming tired of the case he was at liberty to leave it. The prosecution hope to finish the case on Friday. Horses in the East. Stable in third place with little more than half that amount, or about \$75,000.
Thus Mr. Keene won nearly three times as much money as went to the second winning owner in the list.
Colin's great total of \$129,856 was, of course, a record in itself, and he had the rich. 2-year-old events at his mercy from start to finish.
Then came Peter Pan with \$88,340, winner of the Belmont, Standard, Brooklyn Derby. Advance, Tidal and Brighton Handicap; and Ballot with \$64,580, winner of the Great Republic, Century, First and Second Specials, Iroquois, Invincible and Edgemere.

SHOT WRONG MAN.

Storekeeper Killed Him When Firing at Thieves.

New York, Dec. 11.—Gustav Simons, dealer in gas mantles, forty-eight years old, of No. 18 Baltic street, was killed late yesterday afternoon in the deli catessen store of John S. Nilson, at No. 451 Court street, Brooklyn, by a bullet the proprietor of the store said he fired at young men he alleges were stealing Simons was repairing a mantle

According to Nilson, who was arrested on a charge of homicide, young men in the neighborhood have been annoying him greatly. While he was attending him greatly. While he was attending customers yesterday, Nilson says, one of a crowd of youths struck him in the face with a herring, snatched from a barrel. Nilson chased the youth to the street. About five o'clock three youths entered the store. Nilson was behind a counter in the rear. Simons was standing in the centre of the floor. Nilson says the three tried to steal fish from a barrel. He grabbed the pistol and fired one shot into the air, he said. The men did

shot into the air, he said. The men did not leave, and, declaring he feared harm, Nilson pulled the trigger a second time, Simons fell dead.

MINES TO OPEN UP.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 11.-A despatch to Butte, Mont., Dec. II.—A despatch to the Miner from Helena, Mont., says that the East Helena plant of the American Smelting & Refining Co. announces that it will resume the buying of all custom ores. This will mean the resumption of many mines in Montana which have been closed as the result of the recent actio of the smelter in refusing to accept any ore except that from contract shippers

FERRY LAUNCHED.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Dec. 11.—The nev will be used to transfer cars from this city to Prescott, Ont., was launched yesterday, the steamer will cost \$250,000, and will have a capacity of fourteen loaded freight cars on double tracks.

MOON RISING.

MUUN RISHUG.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 11.—Announcement was made yesterday that D. C. Moon had been appointed general manager of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, to succeed the late E. A. Handy. Mr. Moon began his railroad work thirty years ago as a telegraph operator on the New York Central lines, and rose rapidly to positions of trust.

OSCAR'S BODY.

Stockholm, Dec. 11.—The body of the late King Oscar was removed from the palace and taken to the chapel this morning, where it will lie in state until Friday next, the day set for the fune-

Deadly Black Hand.

Deadly Black Hand.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 10.—M. Reis, a produce dealer, is dead; Sunseri, a produce dealer, is probably fatally wounded, and Joe Ginite severely injured as the result of a supposed Black Hand outrage in the Pennsylvania Railroad produce yards.

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The Microbe of Anger is a Foe to Longevity.

Longevity.

Dr. Maurice de Fleury, a distinguished Frenchman, has just written a short scientific treatise in which he advances the interesting theory that every time we become angry our vitality shrinks so much. In proportion to very outburst of anger and even the most artfully suppressed signs of bad temper our vitality becomes smaller and smaller until finally nothing is left. Then we die, paying the penalty which, Dr. Fleury declares, every bad tempered person pays long before he otherwise would. The moral of this French doctor's treatise, of course, is that we should never allow ourselves to become angry if we value our health and life. His theory is supported to a certain extent by the recent declaration of another scientist that the microbe of anger had been found and that it was a very dangerous and poisonous little animal. The microbe was discovered during a microscopic examination of two drops of blood taken at separate times from the arm of a man; one while he was in a calm, normal condition, and the other after he had been goaded into a fit of ungovernable fury. The tiny microbe of anger was found to remain dormant under ordinary conditions and to attack the blood cells savagely under others.—Boston Journal.

By emigration Europe loses 960,000 natives every year, and in the same period 200,000 return.

Some Snap Shots at Sport and Sportsmen

The cours

the referee see nim doing anything hand are roasting Burns for prolonging colossal crowd, hears the so instruction of the umpire. Hall, he points out, was not sent to the line in how sadly lacking is the British fighter in ability to help bulge his pecketbook. They accuse our Tommy of going into Charles Carlos and crowd, hears the so bells and sees thousands of Pleasant for "Gunner" Moir, eh: They accuse our Tommy of going into the ring nad fighting for the moving piccame back to his corner after the first round. Then Burns told Neall that the Gunner was a dub and to bet the limit. One story goes that every time Burns the latter would poke him on

the nose and then work over to where Neall was picketed and tell him to The more the Gunner tried the more Burns yelled for his handy man liant bat that the world has ever seen, to get down the coin. He was so busy for he could play practically any ball signalling him in the fifth that the Gun-ner managed to catch him off guard and fectively. The features of his batting night before a great crowd in Gray's armory. Bouldin quit the mat after 45 minutes of fierce battling in the first fall, claiming foul in being hurled off the mat repeatedly. Referee Will McKay refused to allow the claim and the fall was forfeited to Beell.

Bouldin, after sulking, was prevailed on to come on for the second fall, and after 11 minutes, when Beell had him with a half-Nelson and crotch hold, the Cuban wonder permitted his shoulders to go to the mat, experts declaring it a plain case of being fearful and laying down.

Bouldin with a whack over on the American's classic nose. It bled, and Tommy immediately turned the bruised proboscis into focus of the moving picture machine. Burns wanted whoever sees the picture to think that it was a savage session that he had.

Although President Roosevelt is quite competent to discourse at length on the subject of wrestling, due to the rebrought his right with a whack over on were, of course, the wonderful leg the American's classic nose. It bled, and glides and the marvellous ease and proboscis into focus of the moving picture machine. Burns wanted whoever He last played for Sussex in 1904, and sees the picture to think that it was a had a wonderful average, viz., 73.88 for

competent to discourse at length on the line over Olympic matters. Listen the subject of wrestling, due to the recent visit of a Japanese wrestler to the White House, he failed to refer to the

Some of the English papers just to | feeling pain; he thinks he is before a crowd, hears the sounds of the agony with an idea of showing just bells and sees thousands of candles

> carry him as far as Kansas City. He is being managed on the trip by Jack Herman, of Buffalo.

Charlie Conkle will leave this evening

Cricketers all over the world, and in Sussex in particular, must hail with delight the promise given by the Jam of the Gunner took on a saucy glare at Nawanagar (better known as K. S. Ranjitsinhji), to the Sussex cricket secretary that he will turn out again for his old county next season,

sixteen innings.

They are also having trouble across to the Boston Journal:

"Says James E. Sullivan, President of the A. A. U.: 'Some of these athletes who Bouldin on as the local favorite, despite the slight betting odds in favor of the man who defeated Gotch, showed its resentment, crying "quitter."

The match was for a purse of \$1,800, best two pin falls, catch-as-catch-can, and a fierce battle was expected, it being thought the winner would be in a position to take advantage of a revival in wrestling by getting on several in wrestling by getting on several in the book of the standard or in the pil of the stomach, home while our boys are winning on the other side."

White House, he failed to refer to the subject to the subject in all the 30,000 or 40,000 words.

Halpin as manager may have a chance to stay at home. Says the American public in reply: 'If Jim Sullivan insists on ringing in this man Halpin he and Halpin will have a chance to stay at home while our boys are winning on the other side.'"

The campaigning of the Keene stable must be regarded as a great tribute to the genius of James Rowe as trainer. Some people will call it luck that he was able to replace horses temporally out of condition by others who were fresh and fit to take, and the running and win stable the past season almost dominated the turf world, both in the 2 and 3-year-

When Mr. Keene's 'winnings reached the grand total of \$239,570 in the season of 1905, there was great joy at Castleton, and turfmen generally regarded it as a wonderful showing. But the Keene

with the great Colin unbeaten there was enough glory for one stable in a season, but the splendid performances of the 3-year-olds Peter Pan, Ballot and Superman, together with many other stake winners, made it a Keene year beyond question.

The tremendous superiority of the Keene stable is clearly shown in the great difference between the amount won by the Castleton-bred horses and the total credited to the second owner in the list. Mr. H. P. Whitney finished second with \$135,000, and the Newcastle

Club, and confirmed by the player him self, that Ernje Russell will play this winter with Montreal, and not Wander

ers.

Pitsburg, Dec. 11.—Hans Wagner, who headed the National League batting list this year, as he has several times in other seasons, may not play baseball with Pittsburg next year. He has been suffering from rheumatism in the right shoulder and think a year's rest would do him good.

do him good. The Workingman's

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TREASURER ARRESTED.

A. H. Anderson, of Quebec Central Railway, Charged With Embezzlement. Railway, Charged With Embezzlement.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—A. H. Anderson, Treasurer of the Quebec Central Railway, was arrested to-day on complaint of the General Manager, Mr. Walsh, the charge being embezzlement. The company's auditor, on completing the periodical inspection of the books on Saturday, discovered a large deficit. Mr. Anderson has acknowledged to the General Manager his indebtedness to the company, and has elected summary trial, which will take place before Judge Mulvena in a few days.

accused has been a well-known and trusted employee of the company for many years. He is believed to have been a victim of the financial troubles in

Bears the Bignature Cart Iletators

Englishman Kills His Family and Himself as Ship Goes Down.

passengers, was the Argentine steamer San Lorenzo, both engaged in the coast-

REVIVE THE CRIMES ACT.

London, Dec. 10.—It is inferred from a statement made by the Crown prosecutor in a cattle-driving case in Wicklow, that the Government contemplates a revival of the Crimes Act if the driving does not cease. Counsel, referring to past failures to convict offenders, said the jury system had broken down, and that one need not be in the secrets of the Cabinet to perceive that other methods were in contemplation to protect the rights of individuals. If those other methods were resorted to the Irish people would have only themselves to blame.

Texas. Dec. 11 .- The vessel with which the Brizilian steamer Guasca collided De-

San Lorenzo, both engaged in the coasting trade.

A tragic incident occurred as the Guasca was sinking.

An Englishman, whose name is not given, seeing that there was no chance of escape from drowning, shot his wife and children, who were passengers with him on the vessel, and committed suicide.

The disaster is said to have been due to one of the captains of the two steamers having mistaken one lighthouse for another.

Cattle Driving Will Be Stopped in Ireland.

Mr. George Vair, head gardener at the Normal School, Toronto, died suddenly while on his way to his residence

Premier Whitney states that the call-normal school, Toronto, died suddenly while on his way to his residence ary had not been discussed.

TRAGEDY AT SEA.

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, via Galvestou, cember 6 off Paranagua, resulting in the loss of ten of her crew and twenty-three

CHRISTMAS ADVERTISING.

Advertisers are notified that the pext Wednesday, the 18th. Advertise

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—J. S. O'Connor. Conneaut, Ohio. spent Sunday with his parents, 50 Barton street east.

—Mr. Thomas Lewis, of Chicago, who was here attending the funeral of his grandfather, returned home yesterday.

—Mr. J. Laurie, 233 Macauhay street east, left this morning for Bridgeburg, to enter the employ of the Canadian Ship Building Company.

—In Central Church school room on Thursday night the advanced pupils in singing and piano of Dr. C. L. M. Harris will give a recital at 8.15 p. m.

—The Times Christinas number will be published on Wednesday, December 18. Advertisers will please send in their advertisements as early as possible.

—Rev. J. C. Stevenson and Mrs. Col-

Rev. J. C. Stevenson and Mrs. Col-lier Stevenson, of "Ballinacoy," Mimico, have come to Hamilton, where they will be at 169 Main street east for the winter. —The police would like to hear from the friends of Angelina Bimont, an eight-year-old girl who is now at Boyd's gro-cery, King street west. They think she is a stranger in town.

Last night the fire department was called to the corner of Wellington and Jackson streets, where a frame outhouse in the rear of the home of Mrs. R. Gimb lett was on fire. The damage was small. —Del Gibbe Dominic was before Judge Monck this morning. He pleaded not guilty to a charge of cutting and wounding Sarafino Midio, and will be tried next Tuesday. He was admitted to bail of some

The ninth annual dinner of the Hamilton Medical Society will be held at the Hotel Royal to-morrow (Thursday) evening at Societes. Professor Adam Wright, of Toronto University, will be the guest of the evening.

-Reginald Mitchell, 132 Florence street, was removed to his home by the ambulance this morning from Foster's pottery, where he had met with a slight injured

seriously injured.

The Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association has issued its annual warning to storekeepers to see that all live wires in their stores are properly insulated, especially temporary wires, and paper and other inflammable material kept at a safe distance.

In the matter of the Longboat fund the Toronto Board of Control has decided to refer to the trustees thereof the ques-tion of diverting the fund to the erection of a dwelling place for Thomas Long-boat's mother. It was thought if the consent of the subscribers were obtained that would be all that would be neces-

sary.

—Dear Santa Claus.—I want you to bring my papa a silk umbrella, a silk muffler, a nice tie, a good pair of furlined gloves, a pair of suspenders, a silk handkerchief, with w. on it, just like what they have at waugh's, postotuce opposite. opposite.

If I think of anything more that I want
I will leave a letter on my stocking. T.

POWER OFF.

Fire at Sub-Station Caused Inconvenience To-day.

A fire at the sub-station of the Cataract Power Company at Irondale was the cause of a \$1,500 loss to the company and a lot of inconvenience to passengers on the street cars, which were tied up from shortly after 9 o'clock to about 11 this morning.

The snow caused a spark to connect two high voltage lines and set a dome shaped structure, a protection to the wires, on fire. The fire spread to the wires, on fire. The fire spread to the roof, and an alarm was turned in, to which the Victoria avenue company and the chief responded. The power had to be turned off at Decew Falls before the firemen could go to work. The loss on instruments will be the most serious, as the loss on the building is only slight. Mr. McAllister, superintendent of the International Harvester Company, sent part of its private fire brigade over to help the chief, and rendered material assistance.

While the power was off one of the street cars was left in a very danger.

ous position, on King street east. It had started to cross the tracks at Ferhad started to cross the tracks at Ferguson avenue, when the power failed, leaving the car right in the middle of the railway tracks. It happened at a time when a G. T. R. train was coming up Ferguson avenue. With the exception of five ladies, everyone made a hurried exit from the car. The ladies seemed to be without nerves and stuck to their seats, watching the train coming up the street. The flagman at the crossing realized the danger by this time, ran down Ferguson avenue and flagged the frain. A number of men pushed the car out of danger.

XMAS SUGGESTIONS.

P. Arland, the great value giver in boots and shoes, announces special bargains for the Christmas selling in this issue. Mr. Arland has made the prices so attractive that the man with a few dollars can lay in anything in footwear et practically his own price. Men's and comen's fine dongola, box calf, men's sworking shoes, rubbers, trunks, valies, are all reduced. Both stores, 6 Market square, and 43 MacNab street north, are well stocked. See Mr. Arland to-mortow.

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Steamship Arrivals.

Dec. 19.—
nisian—At Liverpool, from St. John
nnespolis—At London, from New York.
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York. fork. sig Albert—At Gibralter, from New York. shilo—At Gibraltar, from New York. solitan Prince—At Kalamats, from New

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THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.-Fresh to strong northwest to north winds; cold; light local snow to-day. Thursday, moderate winds;

The disturbance which covered the Ottawa valley yesterday morning has now reached northern Maine. Light snow has been general in the lower lake region and the Georgian Bay, attended by strong winds and gales, and rain has fullen in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, also accompanied by high winds. In the western provinces the weather has been fine and for the most part

has been fine and for the most part comparatively mild.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Forecasts:
Eastern States and Northern New York: Fair on the coast; snow flurries in the interior; colder to-night. Thursday, fair; diminishing northwest winds. Western New York: Snow to-night and probably Thursday; slightly colder to-nightin the east portions.

Lakes Erie and Ontario: Brisk southwest winds and snow to-night and Thursday.

THIS DATE LAST YEAR. Forecasts.-Northerly winds; fair and

BEHIND THE RECORD

But the Bicycle Grind is Telling on the Contestants.

New York, Dec. 11 .- Although many miles behind the record made by Miller and Waller in 1899, the riders in the sixday bicycle race are feeling severely the effects of the prolonged grind. Seven of effects of the prolonged grind. Seven of the sixteen teams which started already have given way to fatigue or retired on account of injuries or illness. The latest withdrawal came just after daybreak, when Samuelson and Mitten and Wilcox and Williams left the track for good. The retirement of Samuelson, who was in fairly good condition, was forced by the weakness of his team mate. Mitten was thoroughly worn out and was unable to continue. The withdrawal of Wilcox and. Williams, was due to an injury sustained by Wilcox in a spill at midnight. Shortly after daybreak, when the all-nighters were nodding in their seats. Shortly after daybreas, such as their seats, some one three an apple into a box on the street side of the garden. It some one time an apple into a so an the 27th street side of the garden. It furnek a woman in the face. A man who accompanied the woman started out in search of the thrower, and before he in search of the thrower, and before he could be quieted there was almost a riot in that section of the building before order was restored. A few minutes later fifty toughs rushed the 26th street gallery and tore the doors from their hinges. Nearly all of them got inside, without the payment of an admission for

fee.
At 10 o'clock Fogler-Moran, Rutt-Stol,
Georget-Dupre, and Krebbs-Vanderstutt had completed 992 miles 9 laps;
Logan-Bardget, Galvin-Wiley, DowningDowney and Vanoni-Breton had 992 miles

left in a very danger-in king street east. It cross the tracks at Fer-ter track at Breton teams were one lap behind the leaders. Lawson and McDonald were two laps behind the four head teams. The record for this, the 60th hour, is 1,084 miles 7 laps, made by Miller and Waller in 1898.

Paris, Dec. 11.—A meeting of group 6, junior O. H. A., was held here last evening. Brantford and Simcoe were represented, the former by Mr. W. Rutherford, and Simcoe by Mr. L. H. Coombs, Watford having notified that they intended dropping out. Following is the schedule. as agreed upon:

Dec. 30—Paris at Brantford.

Jan. 23—Brantford at Paris.

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Jan. 31—Simcoe at Paris.

San Francisco. Dec. 11—The 20-round.

San Francisco, Dec. 11.—The 20-round battle between Johnny Murphy and Johnny Frayne, the lightweights, at Col-ma last night resulted in a draw.

CANADIAN CLUB SUGGESTION.

The Canadian Club may shortly take up the idea of promoting a series of oratarical contests among the literary and debating societies of the city. President W. M. McClemont, who makes the dent W. M. McClemont, who makes the suggestion, favors the club donating a prize valued at about \$50 for such a contest. He believes that one or two contests of this kind held under the auspices of the club during the year would promote a livelier interest among young men in that organization.

MINING SUIT.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 11.—Judgment was given this morning in the action of John M. Wallace & Co., stock brokers, Toronto, against Fred W. Brown, of Toronto, Wallace & Co. claimed to have purchased on Brown's account 1,000 hares each of the Nova Scotia Mining Co. and the Peterson Lake Silver Cobalt Mining Co., but that Brown did not accept delivery and they had to sell at a loss, They claimed \$612 and \$500 was allowed.

THEIR PLANS ARE **OUITE ELABORATE**

(Continued from page 1.)

wan Martin be increased by the sum of \$930 for income, and of D'Arcy Martin be increased by the sum of \$930, for income. Costs of appeal to be paid by the respondents. In other respects I dismiss

spondents. In other respects I dismiss appeal."

The Board of Works is getting five cars of grainlie refuse to experiment with for road work. It will cost more than the city has been paying for stones, but Chairman Sweeney thinks a big saving will be effected in the results. If the new stuff proves satisfactory it is proposed to bring in several carloads of it and have it cracked in the city yards during the winter months. This would provide work for a large number of unemployed.

Mayor Stewart announced to-day that he expected to have information showing the difference in the cost of pumping water under the present and the proposed systems, and the saving that will be effected by electric pumps. When this is secured arrangements will be made for a number of mass meetings to give the information to the people and enlighten them on the power question.

"I think the Cataract Company's proposition, the gas producer engine scheme and the rest of them will be good things to deal with after Jan. 6," said Ald. Mc-Laren this morning. He says he has not been able to make head or tail of the Cataract's offer. Ald. Baird likewise characterizes the proposition as being too vague to be intelligible.

Chairman Sweeney, of the Board of Works, is so tickled with his committee this year that he has instructed the members to get togged out in their Sunday duds this afternoon to face the camera fiend. It is said the Fire and Water Committee will also be photographed, and one of the pictures sent to Dundurn Museum.

Building permits were issued to-day to James A. Anderson, for a brick house on Burris street, between Mafn and Dela-ware avenue, to cost \$2,500, and to E: Kinrade for a frame house on Sherman avenue, between Cannon and Barton streets, to cost \$900.

Mr. John Lillis, former hotelman, is a

Hon. Adam Beck called on Mayor Stewart to day and talked over the pow-

OLD HAMILTON PRINTER.

The Times is in receipt of a very artistic calendar for 1908 from the well-known printing firm of W. F. Robinson & Co., Denver, Colorado. Mr. W. F. Robinson is an old-time Hamilton printer, and worked for Messrs. Donnelly & Lawson when they were in Dusiness here; afterwards with Church, Goodman & Donnelly in their book publishing house and printing office in Chicago. Mr. Robinson has prospered in Denver, He married a Denver girl, Miss Byers, daughter of the late postmaster of that city, and of the late postmester of that city, and founder and proprietor of the Rocky Mountain News, at that time the leading Republican organ in the State of Colo-

THIEVES ENJOYED THEMSELVES

The office of F. H. Rutherford, sup-intendant of the Hamilton Cemetery, was entered last night and a peajacket was stolen. The thieves were a cheeky pair, the police think there were two, as they sat down in front of a gas stove and after lighting it heated a lunch they had taken with them and partook of it at their leaves. at their leisure.

The police have been able to get no urther information about the man who The police have been able to get befurther information about the man who was seen in prison garb at the G. T. R Yards on Monday night. He is thought to have escaped from some jail on this side of the line as his clothes were the divided colors, used in this

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McCAULBY-McKAY-At Toronto on Dec. 11th, 1907, by the Rev. James Murray, B. A., B. D., Nellie McKay, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter McKay, of this city, to James Greg McCauley, con of Joseph McCauley, of Galedonia, Ont.

DEATHS

BEER-At her late residence, 258 Welling-ton efreet north, on Monday, 5th December, 1907. Harriet, beloved wife of Frank Beer, aged 71 years. Funcrai, Thursday at 3.30 p.m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

FARQUHARSON.—Suddenly, on Wednesday, 11th Dec., 1907, Andrew G. Farquharson, aged 65 years, late of Edinburgh, Scotaged 65 years, late of Euland, land, Funeral Friday at 2 p. m. Private.

FERGUSON-On Monday, Dec. 9, 1907, at her late residence 108 Barker Street, Niagara Falls South, Annie S. Campbell, beloved wife of Rev. George Ferguson, aged 65 Funeral notice later.

GOODALE—In this city on Monday, Dec. 9th, 1907, Amanda E. Mitchell, beloved wife of Geo. Emerson Goodale, aged 43 Fuseral from her late residence 98 Alk-man Ave. on Thursday at 2 p. m. to Bar-ton 8t. Methodist Church for service. In-terment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends please sceept this intimation.

fcMANNUS.—At her late residence, 281 Her-kimer street, on Tuesday, 16th Dec., 1807, Jane, wife of Robt. McMannus, aged 49

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