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SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS COMMISSION THIRD-CLASS TRAIN BETWEEN TORONTO AND MONTREAL ORDERS A 2 CENT FARE ON G. T. R.

Justice Idington Delivers Judgment in Famous Case, Upholding the Contention that the Old Statute Governs.

COMMISSION CAN CONTROL THE CLASS OF CARRIAGES

Yesterday the traveling public of Toronto, Montreal and intervening points were accorded by the supreme court of Canada the right to travel in third-class carriages at the rate of two cents for each mile traveled. It is the first step in the onward march for a general two cent fare.

The decision was given in the appeal taken by the Grand Trunk Railway Company against the order issued by the board of railway commissioners, in July last. The victory is a sweeping one and justifies the commissioners' all points.

The Judgment.

Justice Idington in giving judgment said he agreed with the reasoning of the chief commissioner (Justice Killam), which seemed to him to be irrefragable. Proceeding he said: "It is claimed that 18 Vic, chap. 39 of the Province of Canada, and not 18 Vic, chap. 37, is to be looked to as the incorporating act of the appellant company. It is said section 4 of the incorporated Railway Clauses Consolidation Act is part and parcel of the act making this later incorporation, and thus the special rate of passenger tolls fixed by 18 Vic, chap. 37, section 3, is got rid of."

"The general scope and purpose of the act later was to amalgamate a great many lines with the main Grand Trunk line and the respective companies owning them with the G. T. R. Co. of Canada."

"The old order of things remains in all other respects unchanged. There is the old corporate body, the old corporate name, the old main line extended and all under the same old charter, with more new powers and provisions, but with the old right to provincial subsidy and the corresponding duty to discharge, which was imposed as consideration for granting the subsidy."

"Again it is contended here that the board of railway commissioners have by virtue of the Railway Act of 1903 obtained powers over the railways that had the governor-in-council under the General Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, 1847, chap. 37, section 3, in force when the appellants became incorporated."

"There is not much ground for this contention. Even if clearly so, as I think it is not, what would there be in such a state of things, so inconsistent with them as to repeal the obligations created by 18 Vic, chap. 37, section 3, on which the board has proceeded to make the order complained of?"

"Regulation of fare."

"Still less argument, if possible, as against the order in question, is there in the new powers of the board over the kind of cars and the obligation generally to be furnished by the company in operating its lines. Is it to be supposed the company, if free from any supervision whatever, would have persisted to the present hour in using only tallow dips, such as obtained in 1852 and would have insisted on depriving third-class cars of the necessary utilities for preserving some of the delicacies of life in traveling?"

"If such a company to be part of its inalienable right, I fear it cannot maintain that previous right in the face of this new statute, but all the same I have no doubt that the commissioners can and will, if it becomes clearly part of their duty to give directions as to third-class cars, properly discriminate between the several classes of cars, each class of fare may entitle a passenger to enter."

"They may possibly involve them all a bit, as compared with 1852, without hurting anyone, or even the company."

"The appeal is dismissed with costs."

"History of the Case."

"This ends, so far as the Canadian tribunals are concerned, the agitation begun by W. P. Maclean, M.P., in 1903 for enforcement of the clause in the Grand Trunk Railway Company's charter prescribing a third-class carriage rate of two cents between Toronto and Montreal. For years the company had failed to comply with the requirement and the fact that it existed had evidently been forgotten. From the first the greatest possible difficulties were found to lie in the way of obtaining information, and only by persistent questioning was it elicited that the clause had never been repealed. As the responsible authorities would not take action, steps were taken by Mr. Maclean to test the point in the courts. W. N. Robertson, a reporter on The World, established a ground of action which was followed by the prosecution of Mr. Hays, the general manager of the Grand Trunk Railway Company. Found guilty by Police Magistrate Denison, the verdict was later reversed on appeal. An application for a mandamus was also refused by the courts on the ground that a remedy should be asked at the hands of the railway board. Complaints were then laid before the railway commissioners, who on July 30, issued the decision now upheld by the supreme court."

STRIKE DARKENS BORDEAUX.

BORDEAUX, Dec. 13.—The city is in darkness to-night, as the result of a strike of gas men and employees of the electric light company, who are demanding an increase in pay. All business houses were compelled to close at nightfall.

The Most Dangerous Ring in Canada

The World makes bold to say that the two most dangerous rings to all the people of Ontario at this moment are: (1) the electric ring, which has its headquarters in Toronto, and (2) the Standard Oil ring of the United States.

The Globe has for many a year warned the farmers and citizens of Canada that they were being bled white by the manufacturers' ring, who sought to impose a tariff on our people as high as Haman's gallows.

If any newspaper in this country has waxed eloquent, and waxed fervently, against rings it has been this Globe newspaper.

And yet it is this same Globe newspaper that is the chief organ of the electric ring aforesaid, in fighting the Whitney public-power policy! And when it is fighting for the Nicholls-Pellatt-Jaffray power ring, it is fighting, also, for the Standard Oil ring, that now controls the price of all the coal oil used in Canada.

Robert Jaffray, president and power editor of The Globe, is a director of one or more of the electric companies.

Robert Jaffray, power editor of The Globe, is the Robert Jaffray, Niagara Falls Park Commissioner, who signed, as such, a concession giving the Electrical Development Co. (owned by his friends and associates) 125,000 horsepower additional, thus doubling their first concession, and which Mr. Whitney promptly refused to ratify, notwithstanding that he was urged to do so in a most impressive way by an editorial in The Globe, inspired by this same Robert Jaffray.

Behold Jaffray, power commissioner, giving away concessions to Jaffray, director of the power ring, and Jaffray, power editor of The Globe, urging the legislature to hurry up and ratify the grant!

And behold the same Jaffray now telling the people of Toronto that Manager Wright (of Director Jaffray's light and power company) will give them cheaper power and light than can a public-owned system that is based on service, and not on profit, and on investment, interest on the bonds actually expended in the work, and not on exorbitant dividends on millions and millions of bonds, sold at extravagant terms, and on other millions and millions of watered stock, and of still other millions of water that will be injected into the ring's propositions if they once get the cities of Ontario in their power.

We have seen many instances of public depravity in this country, but never such a glaring instance as that of Robert Jaffray, as above set out, and of The Globe newspaper preaching against rings, and, at the same time, being the organ and mouthpiece of the two worst rings that ever came to Canada.

G. T. R. Fights Four Years To Void \$1500 Judgment And Three Supreme Court Judges Now Upset Decisions of Two Juries and Ontario's Court of Appeal.

After nearly five years of litigation, the suit of Sims vs. the G.T.R. is back to where it originally was. The amount at stake is small.

This is by a decision of the supreme court, given yesterday, sustaining the appeal of the railway from the decision of the Ontario Court of Appeal, which had upheld the second jury trial of the case, which is one for damages. Sims, a youth, while bicycling, was run over by an engine at the Bloor-street crossing, losing a leg. On the first jury trial, he was awarded \$2500 damages. The court of appeal gave a new trial, and the second jury awarded \$1500.

Yesterday Chief Justice Fitzpatrick, Justice Duff (British Columbia) and Justice Groulx (Quebec) awarded the G.T.R. the right of a third trial. Justices McLennan and Idington (Ontario) were opposed. Sir Louis Davies unfortunately was engaged in writing judgments when the appeal was heard, and so did not participate, else the result might have been different. Usually, the judges representing the province concerned write the judgment, the outside judge concurring. By the decision yesterday, three of the judges overrode the judgment of two juries, two trial judges and the judges of the Ontario Court of Appeal.

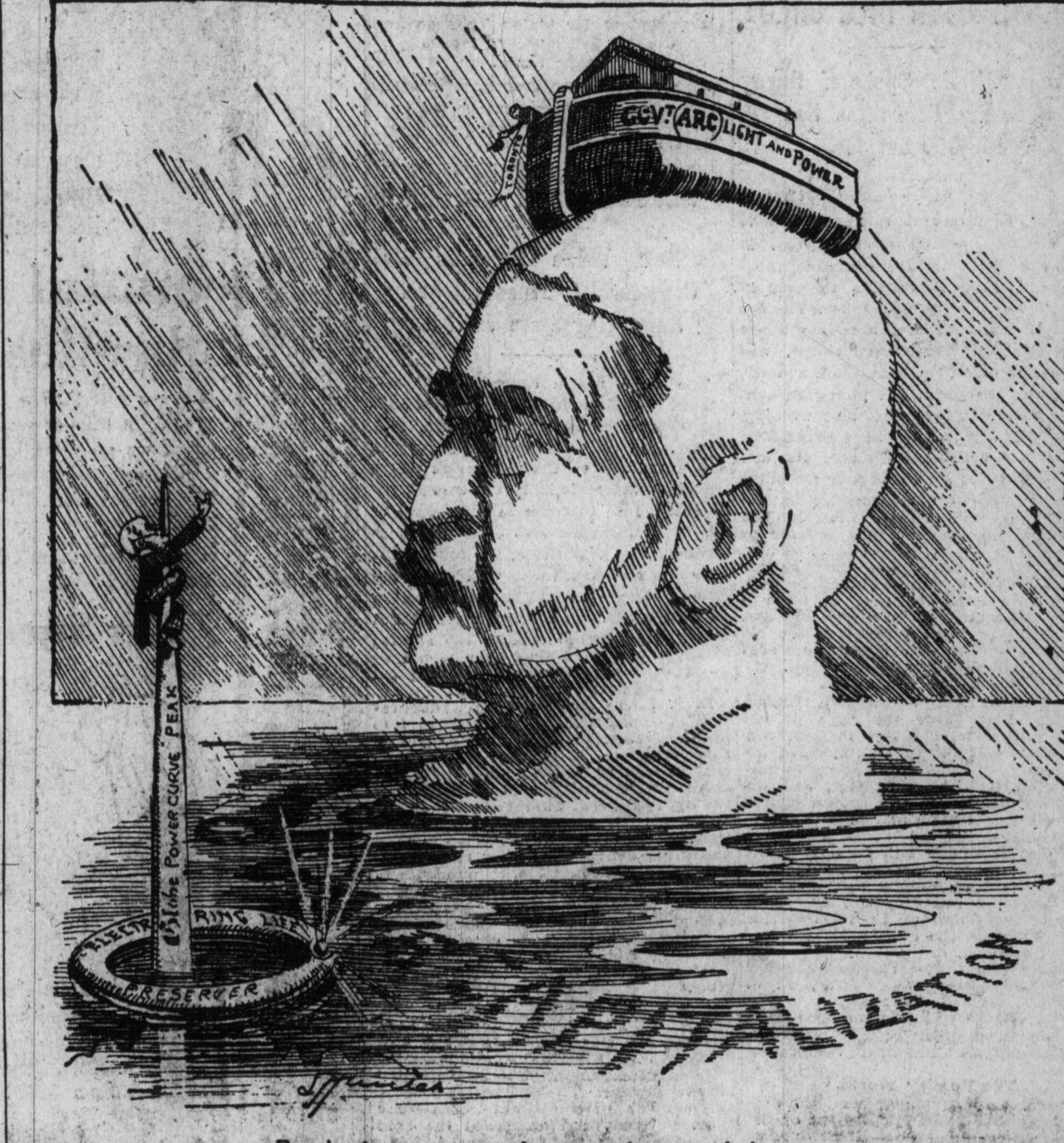
"We simply will have to begin at the beginning," said John McGregor, counsel for Sims, last night. "We shall be at a great handicap now because some of our witnesses are dead, and it will be very difficult for us to get the others. I think this decision of the supreme court should be made the subject of an amendment on the floor of parliament."

"Sims was only a youth when injured. Two of the counsel for the railway have since been elevated to the bench, viz. Riddell and Mabee."

PAID IN REAL MONEY.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—For the first time in its history the M.C.R. has paid all its employees in Ontario, in New York, Indiana and Illinois in Canadian money, totalling \$300,000.

Mr. Toronto May Be "Easy" Sometimes



But he knows enough to get in out of the wet.

HON. S. H. BLAKE REBUKES "DOLATRY" OF TORONTO

Addresses at Massey Hall Meeting in Furtherance of the Laymen's Missionary Movement.

Premier Whitney took the chair at Massey Hall last night and conducted the laymen's mission meeting in praiseworthy business-like style.

He expressed his pleasure in a few words in being able to assist anything that was for the good of the world, and called on His Grace the Archbishop of Toronto to lead the devotional exercises. Hon. Sam. Blake made a telling speech, and Rev. F. Brockman, a worker in China.

Among those on the platform were Judge Oiler, Mr. Speaker Crawford, R. R. Cockburn, Joseph Tait, M. Parkin, C. D. Massey, J. D. Lake, Canon Dixon, Canon Welch, Canon McNab, Rev. John Somerville, etc. The main floor and first gallery were full, and the second gallery partially filled.

Rev. Mr. Brockman displayed an intimate acquaintance with the topography of the far east, indicating the scope of the eastern development.

Time for a Halt.

Hon. Samuel Blake bore a message of cordial good will from the lieutenant-governor, who was unable to be present, and expressed his pleasure in having Mr. Whitney in the chair. He acknowledged a subscription of \$1000 during the day from a gentleman and his family, and thought the time the most opportune in ten years to start such a movement. God had called a halt in the mad race for making money and many would be thankful that God had pulled them up.

He had been reading the newspapers and saw there accounts of railway kings, coal kings, silver kings, lumber kings, pulpwood kings, electric power kings, football kings, baseball kings, kings of the ring, kings of pleasure, kings of the hunt, kings of form, kings of the race course, until he thought the city was wholly given to dolatry.

There was no lack of money in the country, for in two bank statements last week he found one had \$87,000,000 on deposit, and in the other \$23,000,000. The bank returns for the Dominion showed \$70,000,000 deposits.

"If you go to some of these people who have a good deal of the devil in them and nothing else, also they sit in the front seats of the churches, they will say to you that it is the devil in the front seats who will all her living. Do you know how many automobiles there are in Toronto? There are \$2,250,000 invested in automobiles alone—kicking up such a dust. (Laughter.) It is the most unchristian form of locomotion there is. (Renewed laughter.) It makes me tired to hear these dear good unchristian friends talk of the widow's mite," declared the speaker.

He concluded with a request for a \$1500 collection to defray the expenses of the meetings.

Call for Missionaries.

Campbell White expressed the conviction that all that was necessary was to retire from politics altogether, and to make the gospel universal was for

DIRECTORS SAY THEY'VE BEEN DECEIVED

Didn't Know President Hoover Was to Get Commissions Which Have Reached Now \$76,000.

The dissatisfaction in the directorate of the Sovereign Fire Assurance Co. with the conditions under which President Hoover is at present directing affairs is coming to a head. It is stated that the agreement under which Mr. Hoover received a large commission for the sale of stock was not made known when at least some of the directors subscribed for shares; that Mr. Hoover has already drawn \$76,000 for commission; that the superintendent of insurance at Ottawa some time ago ordered that the commission paid in full on stock before the share itself was paid in should be returned; that this has not been done and that the matter will go before the courts.

These facts are set forth by four of the directors, Cyrus A. Birge, A. E. Webster, Thomas Baker and J. H. Adams, in the following statement: "As Mr. Hoover, president of the Sovereign Fire Assurance Company of Canada, has given his version of the trouble in that company, we desire to say that it is not a matter between the manager and Mr. Hoover, that is in question at all. The controversy is between the shareholders of the company and Mr. Hoover. The following is a brief statement of the points at issue:

How It Began.

"Mr. Hoover was the promoter of the company and incorporated the same by a private act of the Parliament of Canada. He named in the act the provisional directors, who were entrusted by the act with the preliminary steps of establishing the company. The capital of the company by the act was divided into shares of the par value of \$40 each, and the provisional directors had control until at least \$260,000 of the capital was subscribed.

"Mr. Hoover procured the provisional directors, who were his nominees, to enter into an agreement with him binding the company to pay to him \$4 for every share of \$40 of the capital subscribed, and later he procured the same provisional directors to change this agreement so that he should receive \$8 per share for every share subscribed.

"The prospectus was issued in which there was not only no hint of the arrangement to pay Mr. Hoover this extraordinary commission of 20 per cent on the par value of the shares, but the prospectus, after referring to the 'maintenance of a special reserve fund for the protection of its shareholders and policyholders' stated that 'to secure this end the directors have determined to offer the capital stock of the company to investors until further notice at a premium of 25 per cent.'

"Mr. Hoover personally employed agents to canvass for shares on this prospectus, and himself controlled the collection and disbursement of the moneys paid in by the shareholders. He paid the canvasser and drew the

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WILL INCREASE SALARIES.

University Board of Governors to Reward the Staff.

The board of governors of Toronto University held a meeting Thursday, when a report dealing with the question of salaries for the staff was received and considered.

It was decided to adopt the report, which means the salaries of the staff will be increased.

MUST KEEP THE RULE.

Notwithstanding the fact that this is a big day in the Christmas rush for furs, Dinsen's will, as per custom, stick to Saturday as a special day for men's hats and are prepared to suit their patrons as well as they always do. It does not follow, however, that the fur department will be in the least neglected. Both branches of the big business will receive the best attention, so don't be diffident about calling at Dinsen's to-day.

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PUGSLEY WILL BIDE HIS TIME

Bennett Manages to Get Dr. Pugsley on His Feet—Some Interesting Debates.

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—A cartoon in a Montreal paper picturing the new minister of public works in the act of executing a swift movement under the barn, was seized upon by Bennett of East Simcoe to-night as a proper medium through which to jibe the author of the allegations of a Conservative campaign fund.

Pugsley again "refused to be drawn out." He did, however, sit up and take notice and, wounded by the taunts of the opposition, he at length got up on his feet to say that he would choose his own time and place to further enlighten the country.

Bennett was criticizing in case of restitution of money by an officer of the department, when Mr. Pugsley, representing the charge made, observed that Mr. Bennett's reputation in the country was that of a man not over careful of his statements. "I am surprised," Bennett retorted, "that this minister who was so judicious the other day, who was so thoughtful to keep out of the storm, should have rushed in to-night. It is true there is a reward offered for his discovery. The hon. gentleman has gone from one end of the country to the other chairing any man in this house to make a certain statement about the expenditure in a New Brunswick election, but when the hon. gentleman is challenged he sits there as dumb as the oldest Egyptian mummy that was ever embalmed. You cannot drag a word out of him. Yesterday he was slapped in the face in his own caucus for making charges and not being able to substantiate them."

Officials in Elections.

The first hour at the evening session was given up to private bills. Among those given a second reading was the bill declaring the Hamilton Radial Electric Railway to be a work for the general advantage of Canada.

When the estimates of the department of trade and commerce were reached Uriah Wilson attacked the government for allowing its employees to take part in election contests. In his riding J. L. Haycock had taken the platform against him at the last election, and he asked for a ministerial declaration as to how far public officials could go. Mr. Fielding thought

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ALL CANADIANS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO FUND

Quebec Battlefields Association is Organized Under Distinguished Patronage.

QUEBEC, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—The nucleus of the Quebec Battlefields Association was formed to-day under the patronage of his excellency the governor-general.

Sir Louis Jette, lieutenant-governor, has consented to act as president, and it is hoped that branches of the association will be formed in every section of the Dominion, so that opportunity may be given to every Canadian to contribute to Canada on her 30th birthday a fund for the preservation of the battlefields of the Plains of Abraham and Ste. Foye.

WON'T RELY ON WITNESS.

Sensational Turn is Given in the Druce Trial.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—A sensational turn was given to the hearing of the Druce case to-day, when Mr. Atherton-Jones announced that the prosecution had decided not to rely upon the evidence given by Robert C. Caldwell, the American witness, who declared, among other things, that he had arranged the mock funeral of T. C. Druce.

The defence will open Dec. 16.

SIFTON TO RETIRE.

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—It is stated here that Hon. Clifford Sifton is to retire from politics altogether, and will refuse re-nomination in Brandon.

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ONTARIO CHARTER VALID ELSEWHERE IN CANADA

Decision of Supreme Court is of Exceptional Value to Ontario.

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—In the case of the Canadian Pacific Railway against the Ottawa Fire Insurance Co., the appeal was dismissed with costs.

It is out of this case that certain constitutional questions were raised. The important point in the judgment of the court is that companies having provincial charters are not restricted in their operation to provinces in which they are incorporated.

The view of the dissenting judges is that generally speaking the operations of companies incorporated by provinces should end at provincial boundaries, and that only incidental business be done in other provinces.

The judgment of the supreme court removes the fear of an immediate loss of revenue to the province, which would have amounted to about \$225,000 annually, and also the danger of injury to a large number of companies who, incorporated in Ontario, carry on business elsewhere.

The decision may support the claim of the Nova Scotia Loan for business done in Nova Scotia.

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FARMER'S TRAGIC DEATH DROVE OVER HILL CREST

Neck Caught in Spoke of Buggy—Sewers Committee Has \$40,000 Surplus.

HAMILTON, Dec. 13.—(Special).—The sewers committee this afternoon held its closing meeting of the year. It wound up with a surplus of about \$40,000. Chairman Baird was thanked in hearty vote by his colleagues. Thomas Barnes, who connected a county sewer with the Sherman-avenue sewer, was ordered to break the connection at once.

Charles Campbell, the young Scotchman who was arrested last evening, pleaded guilty this morning to stealing \$28 from St. Philip's Church. He was one of the wardens and the treasurer of the church.

Alex Alkens, a well-known Barton farmer, drove over the edge of the mountain near the Barton reservoir some time last night. This morning his dead body was found on the mountain-side. He had fallen 30 feet, and his neck was caught in the spokes of one of the buggy wheels and he was choked to death.

License reduction will be one of the big issues in the coming municipal elections. The Liberals and Conservatives say they will put only the names of straight party men on their slates this year. Amongst the Conservative aldermen who are not in the best graces with the party because they represented other organizations are Ald. Farrar, A. J. Wright, Lees and Anderson.

The Sunday World, our to-day, contains photo engravings of our leading bankers and financiers, with statistical reports of their institutions. There are also many pictures of Hamilton people, including well-known lady vocalists and musicians. On sale at news stands and hotels.

Three Convicted. The police succeeded at the general sessions to-day in securing convictions against three of the quartet of housebreakers and thieves arrested on the C.P.R. train between Parkdale and Toronto a few weeks ago.

John Wright was found guilty of breaking into John Sintzel's house on Sept. 12, and he, with Walter Reed and George Young, was also found guilty of breaking into John Wright's house.

Young went into the box on his own behalf and made sensational charges against the police. He declared that for the last eight years after serving his first sentence the police had harassed him, and did everything in their power to keep him from earning an honest living.

When the quartet were arrested at Toronto they were searched, and all the stolen stuff recovered was found on Campbell. Nothing was found on either Young or Hildreth. When the prisoners were brought back to Hamilton, Constable Robson found Mrs. Wright's pocket in Young's pocket.

The Lumbermen's Association of Eastern Canada held its banquet at the Waldorf Hotel this evening. Amongst the speakers were Mr. L. Horn, Toronto; W. A. Hadley, Chatham; D. I. White, Midland; H. Capewell, Toronto; W. C. Laidlaw, Toronto, and E. Blondin, Chatham.

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Thursday evening, Dec. 12, the Canadian Temperance League spoke to a large and attentive audience in Keweenaw from an excellent program was provided. The chairman was Mr. E. L. Pinnigley, who, in stirring, modern and earnest address, emphasized the immediate necessity for the adoption of local option, from a social, moral and economic standpoint.

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WORK COMMITTEE FINALE REFUSE RUST INCREASE

But Next Year's Members May Consider It—Brunswick Ave. Numbering Stays as It Is.

The civic works committee of 1907 passed into history yesterday, after having congratulated the chairman, Ald. Geary, the city engineer's department, and also itself on the manner in which the city's interests had been served. Incidentally, an increase in the salary of Mr. Rust from \$4750 to \$5000 was suggested by the estimate of twenty-two soft mists of sentiment which had begun to hover over the long table began to melt away, the alderman gently but firmly declining to accede, the several of them intimating that they would be quite willing to consider the proposal at the beginning of next year.

Another department, numerically stronger, also appeared to object to any change being made from the present system. The committee thought half numbers should become obsolete, and, with only Ald. McBride dissenting, decided against reverting to the old regime.

The Fatal 23. This weighty decision having been reached, the city engineer's report was disposed of in about five minutes. His adverse recommendation re underground street railways. The committee seemed staggered by the estimate of twenty-three millions, and dismissed the bold project without ado.

The city engineer and assessment commissioner reported in favor of opening a street from Woodlawn-avenue north to the north limit of the city to connect with a street in York Township, extending to Farnham-avenue, the cost to be assessed against the property owners benefited.

Controller Hubbard rose to move a vote of thanks to the chairman. In so doing he expressed regret that the changed personnel of the committee from year to year made the carrying out of a continuous policy a difficult matter.

In replying, Ald. Geary commented on the fact that Mr. Rust received \$250 less salary than did Dr. Sheard, and gave the opinion that his stipend should likewise be raised to the \$5000 level.

Ald. McBride thereupon moved that such recommendation be made. Ald. Geary, though the committee's dying hour, an opportunity to move along this line earlier.

Controller Hubbard and Ald. Vaughan, in support of a resolution that the city should, before undertaking the construction of a duplicate competitive plant, "exhaust every effort to appropriate the plant of the Toronto Electric Light Company upon reasonable terms."

The board decided to allow Stuart Lyon of The Globe to speak at the power bylaw meeting on Tuesday evening next, in support of a resolution that the city should, before undertaking the construction of a duplicate competitive plant, "exhaust every effort to appropriate the plant of the Toronto Electric Light Company upon reasonable terms."

Two From Morton. York Morton went over from New York a few days ago to confer with the president regarding the financial outlook on Wall-street, and after the conference, which lasted half an hour, he was accompanied by a group of correspondents, who wanted to know what he had been saying to the president.

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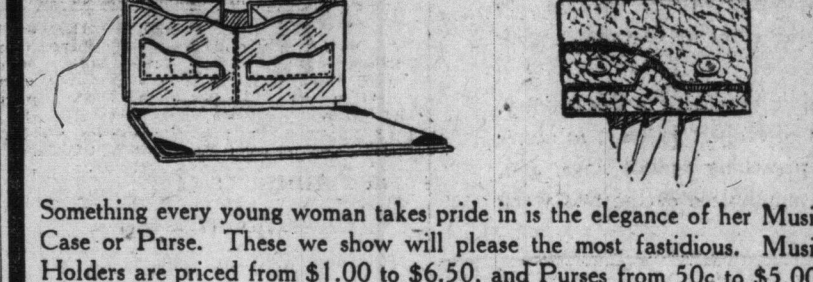
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Canadian Temperance League MASSEY HALL SUNDAY DEC. 15

Speaker—Rev. F. W. Emerson of Nebraska. Singing—By the Alexander Choir and the Boy Singer, Master Earl Ludlow.

Chairman—Mr. Albert Chamberlain. Meeting for young men in the Vaudeville, 250 Yonge St., at 8 o'clock, when the Rev. W. L. Armstrong will speak and Mr. Reich Tandy will sing.

First Church of Christ (Scientist) Cor. Queen's-ave. and Caer Howell-st. Services 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Subject: "The Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force." Testimony meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

one. During the drought years out in Kansas, one farmer met another and said: "These are tough times. I wonder if it is ever going to rain again?" "It usually does, replied the other farmer, which remark brought the conversation to an end.

"But have these stories any bearing upon the present financial situation?" Mr. Morton was asked.

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London exchanges are just as hand-compared with the Burns-Moir fight, and say nothing of the hostile demonstration towards the Canadian...

Over Burns again in a cocksure manner and demanded that the stakes should be deposited with the referee...

The interest in the fight was quite remarkable. The one topic of conversation at all times, that fought out in the ring...

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SPECIAL RACE ON TO-DAY

Toronto Club's Matinee Will See Two Fast Horses Meet—Entries.

The Toronto Driving Club's card for to-day at Dufferin Park track is an extra good one...

AWARDS FOR CRICKETERS

Bats Presented at Annual Dinner of the Rosedale Club.

The Rosedale Cricket Club held their annual dinner in the St. Charles. It was one of the most successful ever held by the club...

Articles Marathon To-Day

The Articles Marathon race will be held to-day at 3 p.m. starting from St. George's Hotel...

Engineers Won

The Engineers' team defeated a picked garrison team from the University in both games of a double-header...

Indoor Baseball

H Company made a large score seen at the armories for several seasons on Thursday night...

Baseball

The following players will represent Evangeline in their game with the Maple Leafs on Evangeline floor...

Eight Teams Still In

New York Bicycle Race Reaches Final Day—Behind Record.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Eight of the six-day team work which started the six-day team work...

Toronto Directors Will Be There

President J. J. McCaffery and the directors of the Toronto Baseball Club have notified their intention of being present at the big indoor game...

Sporting Notes

The thirty-seven Johnnie Murphy and Johnny Frayne, lightweights, at Colma, Cal. on Tuesday night resulted in a draw.

EXTRA SPECIAL CLOTHES EVENT SATURDAY and MONDAY. Our past record for fulfilling every promise we make will interest scores of Toronto citizens in this "Extra Special" Ordered Clothes Event...

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Many subscribers' lines will be reconnected by transfer from Main, North and Parkdale exchanges to this office, with consequent change of numbers.

A new Directory will be distributed immediately, and it is

IMPERATIVE that advertised numbers be disregarded and reference made to the NEW DIRECTORY ONLY for all calls on and after the 15th inst.

KENNETH J. DUNSTAN, Legal Manager.

THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, Dec. 13—(8 p.m.)—The weather has been fair and moderately cold from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces and for the most part fair and comparatively mild in the western provinces.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 34.0 30.2 6 S.W. Noon 34.0 30.2 6 S.W. 2 p.m. 34.0 30.2 6 S.W. 4 p.m. 34.0 30.2 6 S.W. 6 p.m. 34.0 30.2 6 S.W. 8 p.m. 34.0 30.2 6 S.W. Mean 3 below; highest, 31; lowest, 32; average 3 below.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Dec. 13 At From Devonian.....Boston.....Liverpool Cedric.....Liverpool.....New York Adriatic.....Southampton.....New York Konig Albert.....Naples.....New York

MARRIAGES. GRAHAME-NORTCOTE—By the Rev. W. F. Faber, in St. John's Episcopal Church, Detroit, Dec. 11th, Marion Ethel Grahame of Huron, to Arthur F. Northcott of Toronto.

DEATHS. ARCHER—At his late residence, 12 Clifford-street, Samuel Archer, in his 67th year. Member of Ulster Black Watch, L.R.S.P.

PEARSON—At his late residence, Scarborough, Humbervale, on Thursday, Dec. 12th, George Pearson, aged 77 years.

RYAN—At St. Michael's Hospital, Dec. 12, 1907, Edward Ryan, aged 82 years.

WILLIAMS—On Dec. 12, at the residence of his brother-in-law, George R. Fawcett, 140 Brantford-avenue, William G. Williams, youngest son of the late Thomas R. Williams.

WALTON—At her late residence, York town on Monday, Dec. 13, Fanny Scott, relict of the late Thomas Walton, aged 72 years.

WILSON—On Monday, Dec. 13, at 2 p.m., to Zion Presbyterian Cemetery, Wexford.

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that in the case of an officer not drawing a living salary it would be hard to say, but otherwise he ought to abstain from participation in elections.

Mr. Wilson said: "Haycock received a salary of \$100 a year."

Bennett of East Simcoe described a number of officials of the government as thieves and embezzlers, giving in many instances the place and individual. He said the second most important official in the department of public works was "a confessed thief."

Mr. Pugsley assented for the name and Bennett declined to give it, but the minister, pressing, he was told it was Gelinus of the department of the interior, who made restitution.

When the house went into committee on estimates, W. H. Bennett (Simcoe) was shocked because F. M. Draper, a prominent official of the Printing Bureau, had violated the rule of parliament by becoming a candidate for the Board of Control of Ottawa. He understood he enjoyed a good salary and had received rapid promotion.

Mr. Fielding, while discouraging practice of officials in running for office, thought it would be difficult to lay down a hard and fast rule. He would say, however, that if Draper drew pay from the city he ought not to be in the civil service.

Then Mr. Foster proceeded to say at Hon. Wm. Pugsley. How far, he asked, were Dominion Government employees permitted to go in Dominion or provincial elections? He had in mind an employee of the government on the I.C.R., who took an active part recently in an election, and was candidate for the Liberal nomination in York, N.B. At the convention, which Mr. Pugsley attended, 400 ballots were cast by 150 delegates, and he would think that Mr. Pugsley, with his extreme sensitiveness in such matters, must have frowned on the proceedings.

Mr. Pugsley said Allan, the man in question, was not at the convention, but his conduct was not consistent with his position as a federal officer. He believed that if Allan had been nominated he would have felt it his duty to resign his post on the I.C.R. Mr. Foster should not take anything he saw in the press so much to heart.

Mr. Foster said he would take this lesson to heart. He had come to know that he should not pay much attention to certain statements in the press with regard to the minister of public works.

Alex. Johnston (Cape Breton) reminded the house that Mr. "Chickler," I.C.R. had been a successful candidate in a federal election.

Mr. Foster protested that it was unfair to take men who had not nearly reached the maximum of the first class and promote them to be "chicklers."

Several committees of the house of commons met this morning and elected chairmen as follows: Railways, Hugh Guthrie; public accounts, A. E. Clarke; banking and commerce, H. E. Miller (re-elected); privileges and elections, H. J. Logan (re-elected); private bills, J. J. Ethier; standing orders, G. D. Grant; agriculture, P. H. McKenzie.

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Cigarette Cases..... 1.00 to 5.00
Tobacco Pouches..... 1.00 to 2.50
Ash Trays..... .50 to 2.00
Playing Cards in Cases..... 1.00 to 2.50
Rubber Toilet Rolls..... 1.00 to 4.00
Coat Hangers in Cases..... 2.25 to 3.00
Trousers Hangers in Cases..... 2.25
Scrap Baskets..... .75 to 2.50
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REAL ARBITRATION COURT. Central American Republics Have Agreed on Peace Policy.

American court of justice, to which the different nations bind themselves to submit all controversies or questions that might arise between them, of whatever nature or origin, if the respective foreign departments cannot settle them.

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His Name Prominently Mentioned for Next Quebec Federal By-Election.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Whether wisely or not, the Conservatives of Stanstead are determined to contest that county should the government bring off the election before the dissolution of the present parliament.

PEACOCK TRAIN FOR ENGLAND

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A. F. Webster, the well-known Canadian steamship agent, who has this week established a new record for the steamship passenger department for Canada and probably for America.

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Dated at Toronto, 2nd day of November, A.D. 1907. A. OGDEN, 23 Toronto-street, Toronto, Solicitor for Applicant.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE REAL ESTATE LOAN COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED

DIVIDEND NO. 43. Notice is hereby given that a dividend of two and one-half per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of this Company has been declared for the half-year ending 31st December, 1907.

The above will be payable at the offices of the Company, No. 2 Toronto-street, Toronto, on and after 2nd January next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to the 31st December, both days inclusive.

By order, THOS. T. ROLPH, Secretary. Toronto, Dec. 10th, 1907.

Tenders for Hardware

At the Central Fire Hall on Adelaide Street West and at the Morgue on Lombard Street, Toronto.

Separate tenders for supplying and delivering hardware to the above-mentioned buildings will be received by registered post only, addressed to the undersigned up to noon on

MONDAY, DEC. 23RD, 1907. Specifications may be seen and forms of tender and all information obtained at the office of the City Architect, Toronto. Envelopes containing tenders must be plainly marked on the outside to contents. The usual conditions relating to tenders, as prescribed by the City By-law, must be strictly complied with, or tenders will not be entertained. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. EMERSON COATS WORTH (Mayor), Chairman Board of Control, City Hall, Dec. 12th, 1907.

ESTATE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN THE Matter of Boquet, Bloom & Co., of the City of Toronto, Ladies' Tailor, Milliner, etc., insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the above named insolvent has made an assignment of her estate to me for the benefit of her creditors, under the R. S. O., 1897, Chapter 147.

The creditors are notified to meet at my office, McKinnon Building, Toronto, on Monday, the 18th day of December, 1907, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving a statement of her affairs, and for the appointing of inspectors, for the settling of fees, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

All persons claiming to rank upon the estate of the said insolvent must file their claims, proved by affidavit, with me, on or before the 31st day of December, 1907, after which date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate, having regard to those claims only of which I shall then have received notice.

JAS. P. LANGLEY, F.C.A., Trustee, McKinnon Building, Toronto, Dec. 11, 1907. Messrs. Fox, Kelly, Solicitors for Trustee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN THE Estate of James Hunter Simpson, matter of the Estate of James Hunter Simpson, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Merchant, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 12, Chapter 12, R.S.O., 1897, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said late James Hunter Simpson, deceased, who died on or about the 17th day of November, 1907, are required to file their claims, or to deliver to the Imperial Trust Company of Canada, Toronto, administrators of the said estate, on or before the 12th day of January next, their Christian and surname, full addresses, with full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, duly verified in a statutory declaration.

And take notice that after the said 12th day of January next the said administrators shall proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said administrators will not be liable for said assets or part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of said distribution.

Dated at Toronto, this 12th day of December, 1907. IMPERIAL TRUST CO. OF CANADA, Administrators.

LENNOX, LENNOX & O'CONNOR, 34 Victoria-street, Toronto, Solicitors for the said Administrators.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE Factory Property.

Under and in virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Thursday, the 18th day of December, 1907, at the office of the KERR & COMPANY, LIMITED, 61 to 77 Pelham-street, Toronto, Ontario, by I. N. Sharpe, Auctioneer, the following property, namely: all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Toronto Junction in the County of York, and bounded as follows: on the north by the C.P.R. tracks on the north side of Pelham Avenue and east of the Dodge Split; Pelley Company's Works and is a most desirable property for manufacturing purposes: \$100,000 cash on day of sale. Balance in thirty days. Property to be sold subject to a reserve bid.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to G. W. P. HOOD, Solicitor, etc., 4 Dundas-street West, Toronto Junction.

Dated at Toronto Junction this 3rd day of December, 1907. HOOD

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF WILLIAM ROAF, K.C., Deceased.

All persons having any claims against the estate of the late William Roaf, who died on the 20th day of March, 1907, at Toronto, E.C., who, at the time of his death had a fixed place of residence at Toronto, are required to send by post, prepaid, to the undersigned Solicitors for his Executors, full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, on or before the 31st day of December, 1907, in default whereof the Executors of the said William Roaf will proceed to distribute his estate, having regard only to the claims of which they have notice.

Dated at Toronto, 23rd of November, 1907. MACDONALD, SHEPLEY, MIDDLETON & DONALD, 23 Toronto-street, Solicitors for Executors of said William Roaf.

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF the County of York—in the Matter of the Estate of John Norman, Late of Peare Avenue, in the City of Toronto, Teamster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to R. S. O., 1897, Cap. 129, Sec. 38, and amending Act, 1898, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said John Norman, who died on or about the twenty-first day of November, 1907, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver, to the undersigned General Trusts Corporation, Toronto, the Executors of said estate, on or before the 30th day of December, 1907, their names, addresses and occupations, and a full statement of particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, duly certified, and that after the said day the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution, for any part of the said estate so distributed.

Dated at Toronto, the 12th day of December, A.D. 1907. S. WICKSON, 24 Queen-street East, Toronto, Solicitor herein for The Toronto General Trusts Corporation.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Buffalo Mines, Limited, held on Dec. 10th, 1907, a dividend of 3 per cent. on the outstanding capital stock of that company was declared, payable out of the earnings for the quarter ending Jan. 1st, 1908, and stockholders are notified that the books of record at the close of business on the 15th day of December, 1907. The stock books of the company will be closed at the close of business on Dec. 17th, and will reopen on Jan. 2nd, 1908.

GEORGE C. MILLER, Treasurer.

Nationality of the Dead.

MONONGAH, W. Va., Dec. 12.—Three hundred and twenty bodies have been removed from the mine. Of these 71 were American, 11 negro, 146 Italian, 1 Slavok, 21 Poles, 5 Greeks and 1 Hungarian.

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**NOTICES OF WIL-
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One ounce Fluid Extract Dan-
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Four ounces Compound Syrup
Sarsaparilla;
Mix, and take a teaspoonful
after meals and at bedtime,
drinking plenty of water.

The above prescription has
been found invaluable in the
treatment of kidney, bladder and
urinary troubles, and diseases
arising therefrom, such as rheu-
tism, scalding, lame back, and
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concerning it.

A prominent physician states
that the excellent results that
have been obtained from the
use of the mixture are due to
its direct action upon the kid-
neys, assisting them in their
work of filtering all waste
waste matter and acids from
the blood and expelling same in
the urine, and at the same time
restoring the kidney to a
healthy condition.

He further states that anyone
suffering from affliction of this
nature will find it to be very
beneficial, and suggests that it
be given a trial.

SUIT FOR ALMOST HALF MILLION

Provident Savings Life Assurance
Stock in Question.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Property
of the value of \$470,000, belonging to E.
R. Thomas and Orlando F. Thomas, was
attached to-day in an action brought by
John C. Coyle of Philadelphia to compel
the Messrs. Thomas to deliver to
him the stock of the Provident Savings
Life Assurance Society and certain
bonds of the Western Life Company.

Mr. Coyle alleges that he is a mem-
ber of a Philadelphia syndicate, which
paid the Messrs. Thomas \$100,000 cash
and \$1,000,000 in notes for the stock and
bonds, and that the securities were to
have been delivered on Oct. 6, and
has been stated that the reason given
by the Messrs. Thomas was that they
were held as collateral by certain banks.

NEW TRIAL ORDERED.

Doubt as to Whether Men Were Pro-
perly Sent to Prison.

Judgment has been given by the
court of appeal in the action of the
King against Edmondston & New.

The defendants were indicted for
robbery and wounding, and sentenced
to 30 months and 18 months respec-
tively in the Kingston Penitentiary.

The question was raised as to whether
the verdict of the jury was rightly
recorded and rightly acted upon, and
whether the verdict recorded any-
thing more than an assault and bat-
tery.

The chairman of the general ses-
sions of Wentworth stated a case in
which he decided that there was no legal trial
and that the occurrence must be tried
again before the proper tribunal.

Cleaning Up Organ Stock.

The making of organs is not the busi-
ness of Heintzman & Co., Limited, 115
West King-street, Toronto. They make
Canada's favorite piano. But in
selling their piano many organs. But in
selling them in exchange. Just now they
have probably a hundred in stock, which
they are clearing for Christmas at
prices starting as low as \$29, in pay-
ments of 50c a week.

Mr. Stewart in Ward One.

The residents of ward one will be glad
to hear that the numerous friends of
ex-Ald. W. T. Stewart have induced him
to again offer himself as a candidate
for election as alderman.

He has well represented ward one for
many years, and his business ability
has made him a useful member of the
council, while his experience in civic
affairs should make him especially suit-
able during the coming year as the
representative of a constituency largely
composed of working people, while his
kindly disposition and constant accessi-
bility will likely secure him the sup-
port of those who desire to promote the
welfare of the people at large.



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NEWSPAPERS ADVANCE SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Significant Trend of Affairs—in the
Publishing Business—Paper
Costs More Money.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 9.—Significant
of the trend of affairs in newspaper coun-
tering rooms is the list published in the De-
cember issue of The Western Publisher,
giving the names of more than 80 weekly
newspapers which have advanced their
annual subscription from \$1 to \$1.25 or
\$1.50—more to the latter figure—because
of the increase in the cost of print paper.

The list comprises what the editors of
the magazines are pleased to call "the
roll of honor," and on the same page
upon which the list appears there is de-
picted an editorial sanction, with the
motto, "Business on Business Principles,"
over the door. The list, giving old and
new prices, is:

Name	Old price	New price
McComb (Ohio) Herald	1.00	1.50
Ridgeman (Ill.) Republican	1.00	1.50
Harmon (Okla.) Herald	1.00	1.50
Cape Girardeau (Mo.) Progress	1.00	1.50
Bloomfield (Neb.) Monitor	1.00	1.50
Harvey (Iowa) Journal	1.00	1.50
Clearwater (Kans.) Echo	1.00	1.50
Bellville (Kan.) Telescope	1.00	1.50
Rose City (Mich.) Review	1.00	1.50
Arenzville (Ill.) Independent	1.00	1.50
Carson City (Mich.) Gazette	1.00	1.50
Durand (Ill.) Democrat	1.00	1.50
Clare (Mich.) Courier	1.00	1.50
Harlow (Mich.) Sun	1.00	1.50
North Branch (Minn.) Review	1.00	1.50
Bridgeport (Neb.) Blade	1.00	1.50
Superior (Neb.) Express	1.00	1.50
Hobart (Ill.) Gazette	1.00	1.50
Wickliffe (Ky.) Yeoman	1.00	1.50
Dassel (Minn.) Anchor	1.00	1.50
Madison (Wis.) Journal	1.00	1.50
Arapahoe (Neb.) Pioneer	1.00	1.50
Norman (Okla.) Democrat	1.00	1.50
Norman (Okla.) Transcript	1.00	1.50
Hobart (Okla.) Republican	1.00	1.50
Edmond (Okla.) Enterprise	1.00	1.50
Lexington (Okla.) Leader	1.00	1.50
Yale (Okla.) Record	1.00	1.50
Texhoma (Okla.) Monitor	1.00	1.50
Creighton (Neb.) News	1.00	1.50
Hobart (Okla.) Republican	1.00	1.50
Versailles (Ind.) Republican	1.00	1.50
Osgood (Ind.) Journal	1.00	1.50
Batesville (Ind.) American	1.00	1.50
Brookville (Ind.) Democrat	1.00	1.50
Laurel (Ind.) Review	1.00	1.50
Genoa (Ill.) Republican	1.00	1.50
St. Joseph (Mo.) Times	1.00	1.50
Memphis (Tex.) Herald	1.00	1.50
Channing (Tex.) Courier	1.00	1.50
Canby (Tex.) News	1.00	1.50
Plainview (Tex.) Herald	1.00	1.50
Delhart (Tex.) News	1.00	1.50
Champion (Tex.) News	1.00	1.50
Camerton (Tex.) News	1.00	1.50
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Readsburg (Wis.) Mirror-Gaz.	1.00	1.50
Kilbourn (Wis.) News	1.00	1.50
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Superior (Kan.) Express	1.00	1.50
All papers in Lincoln County, Kansas	1.00	1.50
All papers in Downs, Kan.	1.00	1.50
Belleville (Wis.) Recorder	1.00	1.50
Redkey (Ind.) News	1.00	1.50
Cawker City (Kan.) Ledger	1.00	1.50
Alton (Kan.) Empire	1.00	1.50
Petersburg (Neb.) Index	1.00	1.50
Trinidad (Iowa) Leader	1.00	1.50
Alton (Kan.) Empire	1.00	1.50
Carmen (Okla.) Headlight	1.00	1.50
Newton (Miss.) Record	1.00	1.50
Kinsley (Okla.) News	1.00	1.50
Clifton Springs (N.Y.) Press	1.00	1.50
Kenney (Ill.) Gazette	1.00	1.50
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Athens (Mich.) Times	1.00	1.50
Minning Times (Mich.) News	1.00	1.50
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WHY THEY'RE EMIGRATING.

Analysis of the Alien Exodus—Italy
to Build Railways.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Analysis
of the causes of the recent marked ex-
odus of aliens from the United States
is contained in an interview given here
to-day by T. V. Powderly, chief of the
division of information, bureau of im-
migration to the world's press, in re-
sponse to a question as to the reasons
of the United States where it will do the
most good.

Several causes combine to bring
about the eastward march of the aliens
now leaving us," he said. "Every
year a great number of aliens return
to their homes for winter. The
railroads, particularly in the north,
east and west, lay off men engaged in
outdoor work, and following the
men find it desirable to return to their
old homes for the winter. They have
the opportunity to visit their friends
and relatives, and can live much cheap-
er there during the winter than here,
for food and lodging are cheaper and
the climate is so restful.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRE.

COBALT—It is said that a \$50,000
powder mill will be built here.

MONTREAL—Farmers of the west
a C.P.R. estimate shows, will receive
\$20,000,000 more for their grain this year
than last.

HAD THIRTY-TWO BOILS ON HIS BACK AT ONE TIME.

Two bottles of Burdock Blood
Bitters cured him.

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one, another seems ready to take its place
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pimples, and all skin blotches and blemishes,
so that they will never return to bother
you again, is to have the blood thoroughly
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medicine to equal Burdock Blood Bitters.

It has been on the market for over thirty
years, and in that time we have received
thousands of testimonials stating positively
that it will cure the worst known cases of
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Mr. James Combs, Eden, Ont., writes
"I think Burdock Blood Bitters a great
medicine for boils. I had them so bad I
could not work. I had thirty-two on my
back at one time. I used only two bottles
of B.B.B. and they completely cured me.
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are very much better.

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the depletion of sexual energies that makes failures
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day: pails and tubs that cannot leak,
water-soak or rust; that are impervious
to acids, and will last for years. They
would have had what's best to-day
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that you get EDDY'S.

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Always, everywhere in Canada, ask
for Eddy's Matches.

HADN'T JURISDICTION.
And Hamilton Chinaman Will Be
Given a New Trial.

The court of appeal has decided that
the action of the King against Lee
Guey must be tried again. This was
a case reserved by the police magis-
trate for the City of Hamilton and the
question submitted to the court of ap-
peal was whether the magistrate had
the jurisdiction to try the offence of
keeping a common gaming house un-
der the summary trials clauses of the
criminal code. The court decides that
the conviction must be quashed and
the question answered to the effect
that the magistrate had no jurisdic-
tion to try the defendants without their
consent, and that they had a right
to elect to be tried by a higher court.

PERSONAL.

Lodge Shrewsbury, No. 168, S.O.E.B.
S. elected the following officers for 1908:
President, H. Lines; vice-president, J. A.
England; chaplain, A. Walker; secretary,
W. Robson; committee-men, R. Wills,
F. Walker, sr., G. H. Holden, J. Crowson;
inside guard, F. Walker, jr.; outside
guard, J. E. Holland; chaplain, Bro. C. F.
Folton; Rec. Sec. Bro. D. E. Robertson;
Fin. Sec. Bro. A. E. McMillan; Treas.,
Bro. W. Tates; D. of C., Bro. W. Bolton;
let. L. Bro. A. Whitcomb; 2nd. L. Bro.
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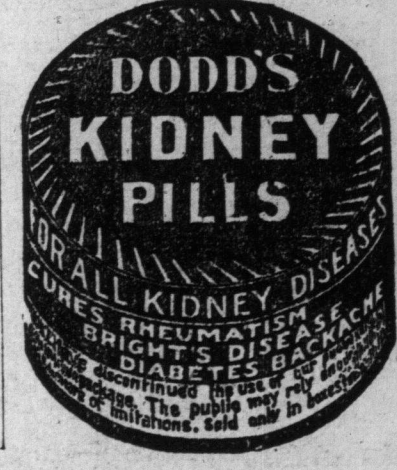
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Orange Lodge, No. 212, held in the County
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C. V. Mulholland; Chaplain, Bro. C. F.
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At the Theatres Next Week.

"The Death of Minnehaha" is probably the most beautiful work that any modern British composer has written. His haunting beauty and characteristic music have distinguished it as the most fascinating of Cole Porter's work. As interpreted by the New York Symphony Orchestra with its 200 voices, with Francis Rogers as Hiawatha, it is safe to say that any music-lover who does not hear it will miss probably the most attractive musical episode of the season, as one critic has said: "Few things in poetry are more pathetic and heart-breaking than the description of the famine in 'Hiawatha,' his fruitless quest for food in the snow-clad forest, the delirium of starvation and fever, and the devotion of old Nokomis. These are treated by the young composer with a power of pathos that no one can listen to unmoved. The themes are few, but they are so varied in treatment that every page is a fresh revelation." The melodies flow so easily that the general ear is pleased equally with the more critical listener.

Another episode of great importance in the first presentation in Canada of "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," by Sir Hubert Parry, with Kelley Cole and Francis Rogers as soloists. The work affords most attractive and humorous effects for both chorus and orchestra. This "Piper" has about it something of the sunny cheerfulness and genial warmth of Wagner's only comic opera, "Die Meistersinger," and, like that witless masterpiece, it is not without its touches of deep seriousness. Moreover, as "Die Meistersinger" is pre-eminent amongst

Raymond Hitchcock in the comic opera which has delighted crowded houses for months in New York, "A Yankee Tourist," will be Henry W. Savage's offering at the Princess Theatre the first half of next week. Mr. Hitchcock is seen at his best in this piece, and his performance of the Yankee traveler who gets mixed up in the Greek and Turkish war by a chain of circumstances, rises far and away above the comic opera standard, placing him in the front rank of present-day character actors.

Richard Harding Davis, war correspondent and author, has provided a capital farce for the foundation of the piece, and the lyrics by Wallace Irwin, joined to the music of Alfred Robyn, make up an entertainment that cannot fail to please the most fastidious. Mr. Henry W. Savage has staged the "Yankee Tourist" in a superb manner and has surrounded Mr. Hitchcock with a cast of unusual excellence, in which are such clever people as Flora Zabelle, Eva Fallon, Susie Forrester, Cawthorn, Philip Smalley, Herbert Cawthorn, Wallace Beery, W. M. Cheesman, and a chorus of the daintiest, sprightliest girls ever seen in light opera.

The Royal Alexandra management is making every effort to make the production of Alexandre Dumas' emotional drama, "Camille," one of the best that Toronto has seen in years. No expense has been spared in the staging, costuming and electrical effects.

Dumas' famous story is familiar to most people, and it is doubtful if any play has been seen by so many women since its first production in 1852 in Paris. The version to be used by the Royal Alexandra Players is the translation made by Matilda Heron. It is Dumas' championship of the country girl who was led away by the gay life of Paris that made his play so popular. The heroine of his play was



Scene in Act III, of "A Yankee Tourist," in which Raymond Hitchcock appears at the Princess Next Week.

Wagner's opera as an inexhaustible font of melody, so the "Piper" is the most consistently useful of all Sir Hubert's work, that it is no less masterly in conception and workmanship, because it is only a humorous cantata, goes without saying, in the case of a musician to whom the art is indebted for a unique sequence of dignified and ennobling utterances. In the bustling vivace which opens the orchestral introduction, a swirling semiquaver passage is heard which, in the course of the cantata, suggests the rodents that plunge into the River Weser. Fragments of the themes connected with the "Piper" follow. A dignified melody of much charm, and suggestive of an old-time ballad, leads up to the entry of the chorus, which runs along right merrily, until it explodes on the word "Rats." This introduces a semi-quaver figure of melody, which stands, no doubt, for the ravenous rodents. Much fun is provided for both listener and executant, by the forcible declamation of the words—always a strong point in Sir Hubert Parry's works.

The National Chorus committee has decided to place 600 rush seats on sale at 50c on each evening. The program for the orchestral matinee on Tuesday afternoon is one of great interest, and as it is the only purely orchestral event of the season, with the exception of the two concerts by the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, it should appeal strongly to all lovers of music.

Attention is drawn to the announcement in our advertising columns regarding the concert of the Mendelssohn-Choir. The subscription lists for their concert will close next Tuesday at 8 P.M., and until that time those who wish to be included in the first ballot of choice of seats should place their subscriptions on one of the lists. These lists are in the hands of the members of the Choir, and at the music stores and at Massey Hall. So general is the interest in this new national musical festival, that there is hardly a town of any size in Eastern Canada that is not already on the lists, while a large number of subscriptions have been received from the north-west provinces and from several states in the Union.

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ORVILLE LEWIS Phineas with Al. W. Martin's Uncle Tom's Cabin—Majestic.

Martin has spent on this play season has ever before been expended on this neglected and much-abused American drama. He has taken great pains in the selection of the cast, and has engaged actors for their special fitness to their various parts, rather than for their ability to play some instrument in the band, which

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colored comedians of the best sort. The show closes with new pictures in the Kinetograph.

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MISS ROSSLANL In "The Fatal Flower" at the Grand.

at your trouble, and with sombre intention, backed by years of research and study, informs you that you had blood poisoning and could not live twenty-four hours. Can you imagine what would happen? Well, the chances are ten to one that you would die within the hours stated by your learned friend, but not from blood poisoning, but from adverse suggestion. The above idea is one of the pre-occupating themes that help to make the play of "The Fatal Flower" so intense. To get the real idea of what a man would do under those conditions, one must see Mr. William Walcott play the mind-poisoning artist at the Grand next week in the "Fatal Flower."

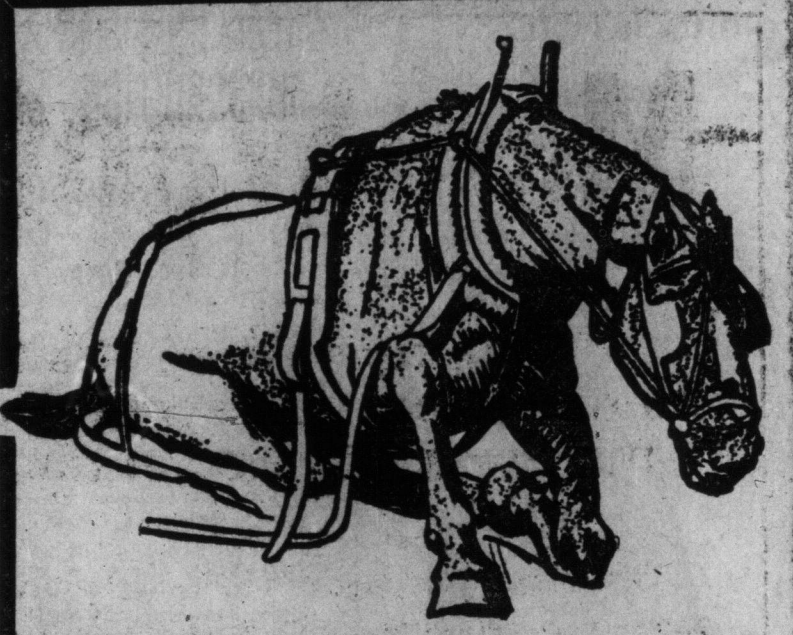
Large parties are coming from out-of-town for the National Chorus and New York Symphony Orchestra concerts on Monday and Tuesday, notably from Peterboro and Guelph. The remarkably fine character of the programs and the choral and orchestral works to be produced here for the first time make these concerts notable in the minds of the progressive musicians throughout the country. The committee

Francis Rogers Baritone Soloist of the National Chorus Concerts.

have decided to place on sale five hundred rush seats at fifty cents on the Monday and Tuesday evenings. There will be many inspiring moments in the program, but one number that realizes to the full the national aim of the chorus is the pair of magnificent songs by Sir Villiers Stanford, "Devo" and "The Old Superb," which Mr. Francis Rogers, the orchestra and the Male Chorus will interpret.

The "Giri From Happy Land" Company will present a bill that should please the most fastidious at the Gayety next week. It will be found one of the strongest and best equipped attractions on the road this season. The vaudeville part will consist of an olio of exceptional merit. Among those who will contribute novel and pleasing acts are: Nat Fields, a real German comedian; Harry Harvey, the clever Hebrew impersonator; Sam Hymas' new illustrated songs; Hanvey and Clark, the boys who sing and play; Miss Carrie Seitz, the princess of burlesque; Misses Dore and Wolford, beautiful singers, and whistlers; Manolta, the pretty Spanish girl; third dancing show girls; and the season's sensation, "The Great De Luge," reproduced in life from the famous hundred thousand dollar oil painting. Matinees daily. Ladies carefully looked after. Amateurs who wish to be given a trial on Friday nights please leave names or write Manager Henry. They will be treated courteously and will share \$15 in prizes.

A faithful representation of a seal live "two-ring" circus will be given at the Princess Theatre the latter half of next week, when Fred Mace will appear with his new musical play, "The Circus Man." Fred Mace, it will be remembered, made a reputation by his wholly unique creation of the "Sandman" in "Pitt Pat Pour," one which was the chief hit of the



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PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION BOX

An Immigration Agent to be Investigated—Geographer in London.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 13.—(Special).—Before the orders of the day were called Mr. Borden called the attention of the premier to a circular, signed by a reputable person, who guarantees to issue marriage licenses, permits to land in Canada, and issues passports. The circular states that it is due to the efforts of the gentleman that persons of the character named were permitted to land in Canada. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he would look into the matter.

The Crop Financing. Mr. Foster referred to Hon. R. W. Scott's statement in the senate a few days ago regarding the arrangements with banks to advance money to move crops. The finance minister had declined to give the information in the lower house, pleading that this was not the time.

Mr. Foster sympathized with the finance minister in having the information divulged "in another place." The finance minister smiled. "I'm unable to say anything," he said. "Then are we to understand," asked the North Toronto member, "that there will be an injunction on elderly members of the government?"

Mr. Bergeron desired to know if the government will bring down the suggested bill in regard to patent medicines. Hon. Mr. Templeman promised a definite answer in a few days.

Mr. Foster referred to a C.A.P. despatch that Hon. Mr. Sifton has with him in London the Dominion geographer. It seemed that Sifton was showing off his appendage and giving the impression that he is acting for the government. Sir Wilfrid replied that Mr. White, the geographer, was in England at his request to get information concerning trade and traffic conditions of all lines plying on the Atlantic.

Speaks for His Constituents. Mr. Owens of East Northumberland made his maiden speech, which was in reference to a postoffice at Trent Bridge, in his riding, which had been closed, the farmers of the neighborhood being put to considerable inconvenience. Sir Wilfrid would look into the matter.

To Mr. Staples (Portage la Prairie)

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HELD ON NEW CHARGE.

Leon Barash Identified as Bank Sneak, Brother Aiso Suspected.

Leon and William Barash, tobaccoists, 185 York-street, arrested Thursday charged with theft in the Eaton store and admitted to bail, were taken into custody on their appearance in police court yesterday morning. Leon Barash is now charged, upon the information of William Brandon, a clerk with the Canadian Casualty & Boiler Insurance Company, with theft of \$225 from his pocket in the Bank of Hamilton, Ont. E. William is also held on remand for a week on the shoplifting charge, and the police believe that they have landed two experts and that William may be the performer of more recent and larger bank sneak thefts.

LOST \$6,250.00 AT EUCHRE.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—George McCulloch, who for many years was associated with the development of mining industries in Australia, died here today. He was the possessor of one of the finest art collections in the world. On one occasion he lost at euchre his share of a mine which six years later was worth \$6,250,000.

Police Blamed by Firemen.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—While the firemen labored to extinguish a fire in a stable in East Ninth-street, one man was burned to death and another man and a woman narrowly escaped death in a house in the rear of the stable. Denouncing the police for failing to notify him earlier, Chief Croker sent his men into the blazing house.

Brantford Annexation.

The Municipal and Railway Board reserved its decision yesterday on the proposed annexation by the City of Brantford of 373 acres now in the township. The township objects to the annexation on the score that a loss of revenue in taxes to the amount of \$244 a year would be sustained.

Teachers Must Go.

KINGSTON, Dec. 13.—The board of education decided, by the close vote of 9 to 8, to accede to the demand of the Ontario educational department and dismiss several collegiate institute teachers reported as not satisfying Queen's pedagogical standards. Two of the teachers forced out are honor graduates and gold medalists of Queen's University.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

PETERBORO, Dec. 13.—William Belleghem, son of John Belleghem of Havlock, was instantly killed by a falling tree in Kelly's lumber camp at Lakehurst.

Two Chinamen Burned.

WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 13.—Two Chinamen were burned to death this morning in their shack here, as a result of the explosion of a lamp.

SEWAGE EXPERIMENTS.

Province Will Erect a Station on Clifford-Street.

A provincial experiment station for sewage and water is to be built on Clifford-street by the government at a cost of \$2340. The building will be of corrugated iron and the city furnishes the site at a rental of \$1 per annum.

Toronto Architectural Club.

At the annual meeting of the Toronto Architectural Club the following officers were elected: President, Edm. Smith; vice-president, C. D. Lennox; secretary-treasurer, W. Ford Howland; committee, C. H. Acton Bond and J. P. Hynes. The club put itself on record as follows: "That the Toronto Architectural Club is not opposed to a proper form of registration of architects, based on education and under direct government control, but is opposed to the form, or forms, of registration put forward by the Institute of Architects of Canada and the Ontario Association of Architects, which would mean giving the control of the profession over to the hands of certain privileged bodies of the profession."

Two Years for Forgery.

PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 13.—John Griffin and Harry Simpson have been sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for forging and passing cheques.

Dr. Hamilton Speaks on Curing Pimples

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"I believe all skin diseases such as pimples and eruptions originate through the failure of the eliminating organs to pass certain poisonous wastes from the body. There is at all times a large accumulation of foul matter in the system, which, if not destroyed, gets into the blood. Germs and disease-producing matter are thus circulated through the body. Ultimately they force their way thru the pores of the skin, produce pimples, swelling, red blotches and often eruptions horrible to look upon."

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LOCKED CHILDREN IN HOUSE AND BOTH ARE BURNED

WATERTOWN, N.Y., Dec. 13.—In a fire that destroyed the residence of Charles Gilbo, in this city to-day, his two children, Harold and Flossie, aged 4 and 2 years, respectively, were burned to death. The children had been locked in the house by the mother just a few minutes previous to the discovery of the fire.

Body Lies In State.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 13.—The body of King Oscar of Sweden, who died Dec. 8, is to-day lying in state in the chapel of the royal palace, but only persons especially invited are being admitted to view it. The public will be given access to the chapel to-morrow.

The body is clothed in an admiral's uniform. The expression on the face is peaceful. The cataphage has been made into a bower of beautiful flowers.

Magazines for Britain.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(C.A.P.)—Hon. Sydney Buxton, speaking in Boston, estimated that as a result of the intellectual preference, over 600,000 magazines, mostly high-class, were being sent to Canada.

Lord Strathcona sails to-morrow by the Mauretania.

Fifteen Lost at Sea.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 13.—No news has been received of the steamer Ibero of the Yucatan Colonization Company, which sailed from Vera Cruz Dec. 2 for Fronteras, and it is feared the crew of fifteen men are lost.

Babe Saves Eight Lives.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Dec. 13.—The cries of an infant saved the lives of eight persons here early to-day, but not before the baby's father and brother had been asphyxiated by coal gas.

Singer Agents Strike.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The Singer Sewing Machine Agents' Union has ordered a general strike of its 800 members. A higher commission, a closed shop and the reinstatement of several discharged agents are demanded.

Liquor and Tobacco Habits

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PROVINCE IS PLAINTIFF.

Suit Begun Against Alpha Mining Co. for \$500,000.

An action involving half a million dollars was commenced before Justice Riddell in the non-jury sittings by the Ontonagon and Northern Ontario Railway Commission against the Alpha, formerly the La Rose Mining Company. It bids fair to be a great legal fight. The plaintiffs complain that the Alpha Company have been mining on the right of way of the railway for years. The defendants say that they received by special act of the Provincial Legislature the right to mine on claim J.S. 14.

The land involved is the famous La Rise Mine, which name was changed in 1906 to the Alpha Mine. The defendants claim that the land mentioned in the statement of the famous oil and gas lands, and from in any manner injuring or otherwise interfering with the shafts and drits and upon working on the adjoining property in such a manner as to injure or render dangerous the working of the plaintiff and its tenants.

An account of all the ore removed from the said lands and of all other damages or injury done to the same. Five hundred thousand dollars damage for trespass and for conversion of said ore.

The defendants deny that they broke in or entered the land mentioned in the statement of claim and say that they did not take away large quantities of valuable ore. The defendants claim that the lands in question were by a lease from the crown in right of the province granted in 1904 to Fred La Rose, also that any trespass was committed on the right of way of the plaintiffs. The defendants also allege that the action is being maintained in the interests of the Right of Way Mining Co.

XMAS MASSES.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 13.—The prophonatory of the sacred congregation of rites of the Catholic church in a cable despatch from Rome to the Rev. Dr. Heuser of Overbrook Seminary, editor of The Ecclesiastical Review, gives the ruling that the privilege granted last August to seminaries, convents and religious institutions to have Xmas midnight masses extends to low and solemn masses alike.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 13.

A meeting of the Phoebe-street School Old Boys' Association will be held on Monday evening in Ogden School, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All old boys are cordially invited to attend.

Rev. Father Teefe, President of St. Michael's College, Toronto, Bishop of Toronto, Rev. Wm. MacLaren, D.D., Principal Knox College, Toronto.

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BANJO PLAYS HIS REQUIEM.

Negro Strummed Instrument While Lawyer Battered for His Life.

LINCOLN, Dec. 13.—With the gallows ready for his execution, which took place to-day, and his attorneys arguing in the court for his life, Harrison Clarke, colored, sat in his cell at the State Penitentiary strumming a banjo.

Clarke's attorneys asserted in court that the prisoner was insane when he murdered Edward Flury, a street car conductor.

Judge Cornish, before whom the plea was made, overruled the motion to stay sentence, and Clarke was hanged.

Horse Thief's Failure.

LUCAN, Dec. 13.—On Wednesday last a stranger, 25 years of age, giving his name as Murray, hired a horse and cutter from McFall's & McLean's livery, saying he was going to Prospect Hill, three miles east of Geantion, and would return the same night. At Prospect Hill Murray parted the outfit for sale to different parties, but did not succeed in disposing of it. He left there the next morning and disappeared.

Canadian Institute.

The members of the Canadian Institute will hold their usual meeting at the library, 138 College-street, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Joseph B. Tyrrell will give an address, with lantern illustrations on "The Development of Northern Canada." The public are cordially invited.

Physician's Advice Free of Charge

It is true that organic changes may be so acute that noising but the surgeon's knife will overcome the trouble. Yet it must also be said that in many cases building up the vitality of the body overcomes the need of surgical interference. Unfortunately, by neglecting the simple rules of health man places barrier after barrier against Nature's tendency, which is to heal and to cure—hence the world is full of weak, nervous men and women that enjoy but few of the pleasures of life.

It is to minister to the requirements of these sick, over-strained people that Ferrozone has been devised. It contains more nutriment and strengthening qualities than you can get in any other form. It's concentrated nourishment—that's what Ferrozone is. It enriches and vitalizes the blood, and thereby sends its uplifting influence to every nook and corner of the body. The remarkable power of Ferrozone over weakness, nervousness, lack of vitality and general debility is the marvel of the age.

No medicine could do more than Ferrozone did for Mrs. Annie Jeffrey of Sandy Cove, N.B., whose cure is vouched for by Rev. D. C. Moore of the Sandy Cove Baptist Church.

"My condition was deplorable. Though I employed the most skillful medical aid, I grew steadily weaker. In fact, I was in such a low condition it was impossible for me to walk across the room. My heart was very weak and I suffered from terrible palpitations. Friends urged me to try Ferrozone, and I bought six boxes. When I had used the third box my old-time vigor and strength returned. The pains ceased, my appetite increased and I got a good, rosy color in my cheeks. It would be impossible to speak too highly of Ferrozone." Ferrozone makes healthy, virile, vigorous men and women. Try it 50c per box of fifty tablets, or six boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, or by mail from N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., and Hartford, Conn., U.S.A.

POLISH ESTATES.

Russian Government Modifies Expropriation Proposals.

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—Prince Von Buelow, as minister president of Prussia, has agreed to modify the proposals made by the government on the matter of the expropriation of the property of Polish landholders. The government had asked for authority to make enforced sales, at a valuation, of any Polish estates, but the Conservative and Radical members of the diet declared this measure to be extreme and unnecessary, and that it would only provoke Polish discontent.

The government has now agreed to limit the expropriation to certain districts, which are to be determined subsequently by the diet itself. It has also reduced its original request for an appropriation for \$100,000,000 to \$66,000,000.

The Conservatives are willing to accept the idea of the expropriation if it is thus circumscribed.

FARMERS WIN.

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 13.—(Special).—In the famous case, begun by Albert Wilson against ten well-known farmers of this district, the Supreme Court of Canada has handed out judgment allowing the appeal of the farmers against the decision of a lower court. The farmers thus finally win out, as the amount in question is not sufficiently large to allow of the cases being carried to the privy council.

The Bank of Ottawa

Thirty-third Annual Report

The Thirty-third Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Bank of Ottawa was held on Wednesday, the 11th day of December, 1907, in the Bank. Among those present were: Messrs. H. N. Bate, Newell Bate, Hon. Geo. Bryson, J. C. Edwards, J. M. Courtney, C.M.G., A. H. Edwards, H. K. Egan, A. L. Forbes, J. B. Fraser, W. H. A. Fraser, J. D. Fraser, Rev. T. Garrett, Geo. Hay, Geo. S. May, M.L.A., John J. MacCracken, David MacLaren, D. T. Masson, R. A. Mather, W. D. Morris, John L. Murphy, Denis Murphy, Geo. H. Perley, M.P., Colin Rankin, Mattawa; Jos. Riopelle, C. E. Russell, F. J. Wilson, J. G. Whyte.

Moved by Rev. T. Garrett, seconded by Mr. Joseph Riopelle, "That the President take the chair and the General Manager be requested to act as Secretary."—Carried.

The Chairman then asked the secretary to read the

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS.

The Directors have pleasure in submitting to the Shareholders the Thirty-third Annual Report, showing the result of the Bank's business for the year ended 30th November, 1907, together with the Balance Sheet of the Bank on that date.

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account on 30th November, 1906, was	\$26,512 95
Net Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1907, after deducting expenses of management and making necessary provision for interest due to depositors, unearned interest on current loans, and for all bad and doubtful debts, and contingencies	443,288 09
	\$519,801 04

Appropriated as follows:	
Dividend No. 62, 2 1/2 per cent., paid 1st March, 1907	\$75,000 00
Dividend No. 63, 2 1/2 per cent., paid 1st June, 1907	75,000 00
Dividend No. 64, 2 1/2 per cent., paid 2nd September, 1907	75,000 00
Dividend No. 65, payable 2nd December, 1907	75,000 00
Applied in reduction of Bank Premises and furniture	45,988 96
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	5,000 00
	\$351,988 96
Balance carried forward at credit of Profit and Loss Account	\$27,522 48

Your Directors desire to express their deep regret at the loss sustained by the Bank since the last annual general meeting of the shareholders, through the death of Mr. John Mather, who had been a member of the Board since 1880. The vacancy thus created on the Directorate was filled by the unanimous election of Mr. E. C. Whitney to the position.

Branches of the Bank have been opened during the year at Cobalt, Ont., and on Bridge Street, in Hull, and sub-offices at Moose Creek, Ont., St. Andrews, Que., and in the southern part of the City of Peterborough.

The buildings alluded to in the last report as being in the course of erection have been almost entirely completed. Your Directors found it necessary during the year to acquire premises for the occupation of the Branch opened at Cobalt, and it was also considered desirable to acquire a site on the corner of Gladstone Ave. and Bank Street in this City, where a building is now being erected.

A by-law authorizing an increase in the Capital by \$2,000,000, to be available. The Directors have decided to submit for the approval of the Shareholders as of usual, in such amounts and at such times as the Directors may determine, the intention being to allot the new shares from time to time, as required, but no allotment is contemplated for the near future.

The usual inspections of the offices of the Bank have been made during the year. The officers of the Bank continue to perform their respective duties to the satisfaction of the Directors.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE HAY,
President.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.

As at 30th November, 1906.		As at 30th November, 1907.	
LIABILITIES.			
Notes in circulation	\$25,450,000 00	\$25,450,000 00	\$25,450,000 00
Deposits bearing interest	419,438,738 00	419,438,738 00	419,438,738 00
Deposits not bearing interest	2,624,960 76	2,624,960 76	2,624,960 76
Deposits made by, and balances due to other Banks in Canada	13,920 05	13,920 05	13,920 05
Capital (paid-up)	3,000,000 00	3,000,000 00	3,000,000 00
Reserve	3,000,000 00	3,000,000 00	3,000,000 00
Dividends unpaid	149,931 72	149,931 72	149,931 72
Reserved for interest and exchange	41,822 00	35,245 50	35,245 50
Rebate on current discounts	72,552 00	84,355 00	84,355 00
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward	236,512 95	443,288 09	443,288 09
	\$32,458,938 49	\$32,458,938 49	\$32,458,938 49

ASSETS.		ASSETS.	
Specie	\$736,454 58	\$755,814 10	\$755,814 10
Dominion Notes	1,921,833 25	1,736,066 75	1,736,066 75
Deposits with Dominion Government for Security of Note Circulation	150,000 00	150,000 00	150,000 00
Notes of, and Cheques on, other Banks	1,034,192 24	861,714 40	861,714 40
Deposits made with and balances due from other Banks in Canada	1,138,969 51	1,160,831 98	1,160,831 98
Deposits due from Agencies of the Bank, or from other Banks or Agencies, elsewhere than in Canada and the United Kingdom	392,078 51	290,277 53	290,277 53
Deposits due from Agencies of the Bank, or by other Banks or Agencies, in the United Kingdom	498,576 82	62,718 99	62,718 99
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities	898,434 11	911,750 87	911,750 87
Canadian Municipal Securities and British or Foreign or Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian (including \$132,000 Sig., British Consols at 90)	1,085,176 04	1,046,335 76	1,046,335 76
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	748,886 07	733,589 07	733,589 07
Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds in Canada	2,936,982 80	786,230 39	786,230 39
Call Loans on Stocks and Bonds elsewhere than in Canada	650,000 00	11,961,622 33	11,961,622 33
Current Loans	19,815,033 78	23,306,704 93	23,306,704 93
Overdue debts (estimated loss provided for)	100,860 68	36,912 70	36,912 70
Real Estate, other than Bank premises	37,141 46	26,068 45	26,068 45
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank	21,880 83	25,335 31	25,335 31
Bank Premises	525,000 00	600,000 00	600,000 00
Other Assets not included under foregoing heads	2,368 83	2,003 71	2,003 71
	\$32,458,938 49	\$32,458,938 49	\$32,458,938 49

GEORGE BURN,
General Manager.

A bylaw to increase the Capital Stock of the Bank from three to five millions of dollars by the issue of 20,000 new shares of \$100 each was carried, and by-law No. 6 was altered to read so that the necessity for closing the books for fifteen days of the declaration of each quarterly dividend might be obviated.

The usual votes of thanks to the president and directors, and to the general manager and staff were unanimously passed.

The scrutineers reported the following gentlemen re-elected directors:—
BATE, HENRY N.
BRYSON, HON. GEORGE.
EGAN, HENRY K.
FRASER, JOHN B.
HAY, GEORGE.
MACLAREN, DAVID.
MURPHY, DENIS.
PERLEY, M.P., GEORGE H.
WHITNEY, EDWIN C.

At the meeting of the Board held subsequently, Mr. George Hay was re-elected president, and Mr. David MacLaren vice-president, for the coming year.

The time produced in the United States in 1906 amounted to 3,197,764 short tons, valued at \$12,480,653, an increase over the production for 1905 of 212,645 tons in quantity and of \$1,130,425 in value. The average price per ton in 1906 was \$3.90, against \$3.67 in 1905, an increase of 23 cents.

The telephone directories of the current issue in New York City would make a pile seven and a quarter miles high, if placed one on the other. The population of the whole British Empire is estimated at about 420,000,000, of whom approximately 248,000,000 are native races.

DIRECTORS DECEIVED

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commission of \$2 per share, the interest of course representing Mr. Hoover's profit on the transaction.

Unaware of this commission, the directors of the company were not aware that Mr. Hoover was drawing this commission, nor were we aware that Mr. Hoover was profiting personally in any way by his connection with the company.

"Nor was the matter understood until at the quarterly meeting of the board of directors in July of this year. The general manager presented at this meeting his report on the operations of the company during its first fiscal year, and analyzed the organization expenses for the information of the board and recommended that further capital be not issued in excess of \$500,000, as the commission paid to Mr. Hoover practically absorbed the premium paid in on the capital. In making this report the manager was drawing no more than his duty to the directors and shareholders, and the undersigned, as well as others of the board, fully approved the course of the general manager thereto.

"Subsequently it developed, through an enquiry made by the superintendent of insurance, that in number of instances the first money paid in by the shareholder on his subscription had been appropriated to paying the whole of the premium on the shares subscribed. This enabled Mr. Hoover to draw his commission in full before the share was itself paid in. The superintendent made the initial explanation recently, and as a result required the moneys so taken to be repaid to the company. This has not yet been done, and the question is still pending with the insurance department.

Has Drawn \$75,000.

"Up to this date Mr. Hoover has already drawn \$75,000 for commission on the sale of the capital of the company of which he is president. Naturally the directors who are desirous of remedying this situation hoped to deal with the matter so as to avoid publicity, which might injure the business of the company. But the adjustment of the matter has been made with Mr. Hoover the whole question must inevitably come before the shareholders and others of the board, who are of the like mind with us, have invited the shareholders to cancel the proxy held by Mr. Hoover and to assist us in placing the control of the company's affairs for the coming year in men who are not under the influence of Mr. Hoover.

"In conclusion, permit us to add that there is nothing in this situation affecting in the slightest degree the solvency of the company or the security of the policyholders. It is a matter solely between the shareholders and Mr. Hoover. The insurance business is well conducted and profitable, and the general agents of the company, who are fully aware of the matter in dispute, are everywhere thoroughly loyal and confident that there will be a decisive change at the annual meeting.

"The article in question is a malicious, misleading attack inspired by an official.

"The comparison of the cost of operating with premium income, said to be 267 per cent., is easily explained when it is understood that the organization expenses and cost of selling the stock was large because of the Toronto, Ottawa and Baltimore fires. As a matter of fact, I did not start the company. It was unable to sell stock, and I was called in to help them out. The stock was sold at a premium, which has been sufficient to pay all the stock selling expenses and create a considerable margin besides. The usual procedure of organizing a company of this kind is to have a syndicate underwrite it. They get their profits from the public. The Toronto Fire was the first company ever organized in Canada that I am aware of where the stock was sold at a premium, to cover the initial expenses.

"That the institution is a success is evident from the fact that we have \$300,000 worth of stock subscribed for, which will be paid up in cash, and it holds \$260,000 in municipal bonds and cash in the bank, and the balance is in process of collection. The surplus over the sales of stock will bring the company in upwards of \$50,000. As to finances, I have \$20,000 worth of the stock, on which I have paid in \$12,000 in cash. I am the largest shareholder and have paid in twice over as much money as any other man, so if there is any other person than could hold the proxy vote with justice, I would like to see him."

Mr. Dymont's withdrawal. Mr. Dymont got out as director, said Mr. Hoover, because he disagreed with Mr. Hoover's policy, which was, and is, to sell \$250,000 of stock at \$55, and \$250,000 at \$60, a premium of \$5 to \$20. His idea was to create a surplus and some in the company objecting to a \$1,000,000 capital were now trying to block the sale of stock.

"Any money he had got from the sale of stock was earned," said Mr. Hoover.

Woman Hurt Knee. Mary Pridy, 47 years, widow, living at the Salvation Army Home, Parley-avenue, slipped and fell at Louisa and Chestnut streets yesterday afternoon, injuring her knee. She was removed to St. Michael's Hospital.

Street "Music." Organ grinding—the bane of residential London life for more than half a century—was vigorously prohibited in public thoroughfares. This opinion was expressed by resolution on Saturday at the monthly meeting of the Street Noise Abatement Committee, when it was stated that 10,000 complaints respecting street "music" had been received since the formation of the association.

The cost of municipal government in New York was \$184,482,177 in 1906. Philadelphia, with three-eighths of New York's population, the cost was \$32,333,074, or less than one-fifth. Chicago, with half the population of New York, expended \$41,700,752, and Boston, \$28,000,000. The debt of New York in 1905 was \$647,806,295; that of Boston, \$97,818,565; of Philadelphia, \$69,600,250; of Chicago, \$69,550,540.

THE LAST NOTIFICATION

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There is no collection of Russian, Turkish, Damascus and Benares Brassware to equal ours in America. Come and see it. Prices from \$1.00 up to \$300.00.

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40 King St. East, Opposite King Edward Hotel.

BLIND SENATOR COACHED. WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—A curious and somewhat pathetic scene took place in the senate chamber to-day, when Senator-elect Thomas P. Gore of Oklahoma, who is totally blind, was taken to the seat he is to occupy, led about the room, shown the cloak room door and the desk, and addressed from various parts of the chamber. Senator Gore is somewhat reluctant to employ the services of an attendant in the senate chamber, especially as it would be necessary to have such a man made a sworn employe, and he will be able to go about unaided. During the latter years of his service Senator Vest always required the assistance of an attendant, as he was unable to walk alone. The late Chaplain Milburn, who also was blind, required the services of an attendant, as does Mr. Cowden, the blind chaplain of the house. From the quickness which Senator

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<h4>Hockey Skates</h4> <p>Starr, Cycle and Automobile.</p> 	<h4>Carbo-Magnetic</h4>  <p>Razors, fully guaranteed, no honing, no grinding. Price \$2.00.</p>
<h4>Fisher Tubes, \$4 pair</h4> <p>Skate Straps, 10c pair.</p> 	<h4>Joseph Rodgers & Son's Carvers</h4>  <p>Celluloid, Stag and Ivory Handles, from \$2.00 pair; Steels to match. Case Carvers, from \$3.00 Case.</p>

Aikenhead's

17-21 Temperance Street

Gore exhibited to-day it would seem unlikely that he would require assistance for long, even if he is unable to dispense with it at first.

A chimney 115 feet high will sway 10 inches in a high wind without danger. A Japanese town of 20,000 inhabitants nestles within the crater of an extinct volcano.

OMEMEE'S FOUR MEN

Four Buildings of \$16,000—Injuries to

PETERBORO. Fire at Omemee caused \$16,000 damage.

The fire started in a store on buildings owned by Omemee Insurance Co. George Mor, loss on building saved; Masonic Morris, dwelling insurance \$1000.

The public library two feet of the was saved by hand engine.

An explosion of his residence. The manager of the company, was standing on street. His face was burned. Three school pupils, McCaffery and were inside the and were knocked down. For serious condition.

A 10 o'clock was so alarming asked for assistance. A man was read.

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OMEMEE'S SERIOUS FIRE
FOUR MEN BADLY INJURED

Four Buildings Destroyed at Loss of \$16,000—Explosion Causes Injuries to Fire Fighters.

PETERBORO, Dec. 13.—(Special).—Fire at Omemee early this morning caused \$16,000 damage and injured four men.

The fire started in W. B. Stenson's tinware store on King-street, and the buildings burned were: W. B. Stenson's tinware store, loss \$4500, no insurance; George Griffin, merchant tailor, loss on building \$1500, contents saved; Masonic Hall, loss \$2000; Mrs. Morris, dwelling house, damage \$4000, insurance \$1000.

The public library, situated within two feet of the last-named building, was saved by the villagers with a hand engine.

An explosion occurred in Mrs. Morris' residence, P. A. McPherson, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, was standing close to a window and was hurled half way across the street. His face and hands were badly burned. Three other men, a high school pupil named Bogue, Charles McCaffery and William McPherson, were inside the building at the time, and were knocked down and badly burned. Young Bogue is in a very serious condition.

At 6 o'clock this morning the fire was so alarming that Peterboro was asked for assistance, and the apparatus was ready to go when word came that the fire was under control.

FRENCH NAVY OPIUM CRAZY.
Startling Condition of Affairs to Account for Disaster.

MARSEILLES, Dec. 13.—The judicial authorities here have recently received a large number of confidential letters from the wives of naval officers stationed at Mediterranean ports, complaining that their husbands were obtaining supplies of opium somewhere in this city. The authorities searched the stores of several oriental curiosity dealers, and several thousand dollars worth of the drug was seized. The opium habit recently has increased to an alarming extent in the navy, and it is even said that to this account may be laid the responsibility for many of the accidents that have occurred.

Are you going home for Christmas? Take advantage of the cheap rates offered by the Grand Trunk Railway System. Single fare between all stations in Canada, good going Dec. 24, 1907, and 25th, 1907. Valid for return until Dec. 26, 1907. Single fare and one-third good going Dec. 21 to 25, 1907. Valid for return until Jan. 2, 1908. For further information and tickets apply to any Grand Trunk ticket agent.

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FAMOUS CARTOONIST
WILL FOLLOW MINING

Has Become Interested in Alaskan and Canadian Properties—Gives Up High Salary.

"The life of a cartoonist has lost all its charms for me. After serving The New York World and Journal as cartoonist for the past 10 years, working under a salary of \$20,000 a year, I broke my last contract with The World six months ago," said Mr. J. Campbell Cory, a well-known New York artist, who passed thru Vancouver recently en route home after a tour of Alaska and northern British Columbia. "I have made numerous mining investments in the north."

Mr. Cory enjoys the distinction of being the man most responsible for the investigation into the workings of the Equitable Life Assurance Company of New York, which turned up amazing graft revelations. Cory's clever cartoons printed in The New York World prompted the authorities to hasten the enquiry.

"We have incorporated an exploration company and have several prospecting parties seeking coal and copper propositions along the proposed route of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in northern British Columbia. We have already acquired a silver-lead property in the vicinity of the Bulkley Valley. Our company has also purchased another property on the Tanana River in Alaska, the ownership of which will be vested in the Tanana Alaska Gold Mining Co.

"The company controls and will operate 35,000,000 cubic yards of auriferous gravel that will yield from \$1 to \$10 per cubic yard in gold. We have assurance that the mine will average \$1.50 per cubic yard, giving us a gross total, without considering any big strikes that may be made, of \$7,500,000 in gold that can be extracted in less than ten years. The several companies enjoying control of the properties are backed by the heirs of J. H. (Silent) Smith, who died last year in Japan, and by Thomas Campbell, and his New York associates, aggregating a capitalization of over \$10,000,000. "Why did I give up the \$20,000 position to engage in mining? Very simple. Every time I made a cartoon for either The New York World or The New York Journal, I made it strike some one or some concern in a spot that would tell. In cartoons of Mr. T. F. Campbell, that was always pictured as polished and refined. In that manner I won his friendship and esteem, and along with him and in the same manner, I became intimately acquainted with various New York millionaires."

GOES TO GALLOW'S SMILING.
Youth Who Murdered Young Woman Pays Penalty.

MORDEN, Man., Dec. 13.—Laughing and joking, Lawrence Gowland, the young murderer of Miss Georgina Brown of Kilarney, walked to the scaffold at 8 o'clock this morning. He had displayed an animated demeanor since the crime in July. He cut the girl's throat and his own because she rejected his advances while they were alone in her brother's farmhouse. He recovered. He was 22 years of age, and came from England two years ago.

COST OF THAW TRIAL.
Effort Will Be Made to Make Second One Less Expensive.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—An extra appropriation of \$15,000 for conducting the trial of Harry K. Thaw was allowed to-day by the board of estimate. Comptroller Metz and District Attorney Jerome were going to confer with his experts with a view of keeping down the expenses for their testimony at the second trial. Already \$24,000 has been spent for experts.

"It is an outrage, but it can't be helped," added the comptroller. "The experts were paid at the rate of \$100 a day, approximately \$15 an hour in some cases."

It was stated that the cost of the Thaw trial so far had been upwards of \$100,000.

MAY INCITE TO STRIKE.

BUFFALO, Dec. 13.—Judge Hazel, in the United States court this afternoon, denied the motion of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Co. to continue the injunction obtained by the company restraining the Switchmen's Union from inciting a strike among the men in its employ.

RATIONAL LEAGUE CONCERT.

A "free grand sacred concert" will be given in the Grand Opera House to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, under the auspices of the Canadian Rational Sunday League.

Rev. Victor Gilpin of London, and E. E. Sheppard will give addresses.

A Piano the Ideal Christmas Present.

One may speak of the piano as the ideal Christmas present if it is an ideal piano like that of Heintzman & Co., Limited, 115-117 West King-street, Toronto, that is the choice. This distinctly high-class Canadian piano costs a little more than the ordinary pianos, but it can be said of such an instrument that it becomes a joy forever. The durability of this piano is almost unlimited.

Will Burn Villages.

OUDJIA, Algeria, Dec. 13.—The French troops, under the command of General Lyautey, have received orders to begin a forward concentric movement toward the mountain retreats of the tribesmen, with the object of forcing the native leaders to yield. No village submitting to the French will be harmed, but those resisting will be burned.

Sunday at Massey Hall.

The speaker at the meeting of the Canadian Temperance League in Massey Hall to-morrow will be the Rev. F. W. Emerson of Nebraska. The Alexander Choir will sing, with Master Earl Ludlow, the boy singer, as soloist.

Hotelman Responsible.

CALGARY, Alta., Dec. 13.—A decision by Justice Harvey to-day lays down the principle that innkeepers are responsible for goods left in hotels by guests, he awarding W. N. Tompkins of Okotoka \$108 in his suit against the Royal Hotel for compensation for a fur coat which was taken from a cloakroom.

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WE did not intend to start our Clearing Sale till the first of January, but have decided to allow Christmas shoppers to benefit from the immense reductions that we have had in contemplation for this sale. We have had a splendid season's trade, showing a great increase over last year, but our stock is exceedingly large, and must be reduced by two-thirds. We believe we can do this only by offering such bargains that have hitherto been unknown in our line. The exclusive style and high quality of our garments is too well known to be commented upon. We simply wish to impress upon you that this is a genuine immense reduction sale that means a great saving to you and your friends.



The Sale starts Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, when 25 to 40 per cent. reductions on EXCLUSIVE QUALITY FURS will be given. We are the largest exclusive furriers in Canada, and pass the garment from our factory to you, giving you a saving at any time of from 35 to 40 per cent.

- PERSIAN LAMB MUFFS: Large Imperial style, lined with heavy black satin and silk wrist cord. Regular price 16.50 to 18.00. Sale price 9.75
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- LADIES' FUR-LINED COATS: 12 only, Ladies' Fur-lined Coats, in tweeds and fawns, lined with muskrat, grey and white squirrel, and hamster, collar of sable beaver and thibet and grey squirrel. Regular from 55.00 to 60.00. Sale 39.00 price
- PERSIAN LAMB TIES: These are the new style paddle ends, lined with fine black satin, 65 inches long. Regular price 15.00 to 18.00. Sale price 9.75
- GREY SQUIREL STOLES: Lined with grey satin, large size. Regular 20.00. Sale price 13.50
- MEN'S FUR-LINED COATS: Beaver and melton cloths, muskrat lined, otter and Persian lamb collars. Regular 65.00. Sale price 47.50
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MARKETS ARE INACTIVE PRICES DRAG LOWER Inactivity on Wall Street is accompanied by weakness—Toronto Market is Dull.

World Office, Friday Evening, Dec. 13. The transactions on the Toronto Stock Exchange were limited to-day, there being hardly sufficient sales to provoke a definite trend either way. It is generally believed now that the market is destined to lapse into a state of coma until the festive season is past. Each succeeding day now will see the market operators turn more and more towards Christmas ideas rather than to generally talk and hope for easier money after Jan. 1, but this remains to be seen.

Wall Street Pointers. Pennsylvania announces officially that it is testing money on the two-cent fare. Democratic convention will meet at Denver July 7.

Investment buying has increased the number of stockholders in General Electric 42 per cent. since the beginning of year. Rock Island earnings will make new high record for present six months.

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Central Canada Loan & Savings Coy. 25 KING ST. E. TORONTO.

Money Markets. Bank of England discount rate, 7 per cent. Money, 2 1/2 to 4 per cent. Short bills, 5 1/2 per cent. Three months' bills, 5 1/2 to 5 3/4 per cent. New York call money, highest 10 per cent., lowest 8 per cent. last loan, 6 per cent. Call money at Toronto, 7 per cent.

Toronto Stocks. Dec. 12. Bell Telephone 125 1/2, 126 1/2, 127 1/2, 128 1/2, 129 1/2, 130 1/2, 131 1/2, 132 1/2, 133 1/2, 134 1/2, 135 1/2, 136 1/2, 137 1/2, 138 1/2, 139 1/2, 140 1/2, 141 1/2, 142 1/2, 143 1/2, 144 1/2, 145 1/2, 146 1/2, 147 1/2, 148 1/2, 149 1/2, 150 1/2, 151 1/2, 152 1/2, 153 1/2, 154 1/2, 155 1/2, 156 1/2, 157 1/2, 158 1/2, 159 1/2, 160 1/2, 161 1/2, 162 1/2, 163 1/2, 164 1/2, 165 1/2, 166 1/2, 167 1/2, 168 1/2, 169 1/2, 170 1/2, 171 1/2, 172 1/2, 173 1/2, 174 1/2, 175 1/2, 176 1/2, 177 1/2, 178 1/2, 179 1/2, 180 1/2, 181 1/2, 182 1/2, 183 1/2, 184 1/2, 185 1/2, 186 1/2, 187 1/2, 188 1/2, 189 1/2, 190 1/2, 191 1/2, 192 1/2, 193 1/2, 194 1/2, 195 1/2, 196 1/2, 197 1/2, 198 1/2, 199 1/2, 200 1/2, 201 1/2, 202 1/2, 203 1/2, 204 1/2, 205 1/2, 206 1/2, 207 1/2, 208 1/2, 209 1/2, 210 1/2, 211 1/2, 212 1/2, 213 1/2, 214 1/2, 215 1/2, 216 1/2, 217 1/2, 218 1/2, 219 1/2, 220 1/2, 221 1/2, 222 1/2, 223 1/2, 224 1/2, 225 1/2, 226 1/2, 227 1/2, 228 1/2, 229 1/2, 230 1/2, 231 1/2, 232 1/2, 233 1/2, 234 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Domestic Failures. Dun's Mercantile Agency reports the number of failures in the Dominion during the past week, in provinces, as compared with those of previous weeks, and corresponding week of last year, as follows: Dec. 12, 1907, 7; Dec. 11, 1907, 11; Dec. 10, 1907, 13; Dec. 9, 1907, 10; Dec. 8, 1907, 12; Dec. 7, 1907, 11; Dec. 6, 1907, 10; Dec. 5, 1907, 11; Dec. 4, 1907, 10; Dec. 3, 1907, 11; Dec. 2, 1907, 10; Dec. 1, 1907, 11; Dec. 31, 1906, 10; Dec. 30, 1906, 11; Dec. 29, 1906, 10; Dec. 28, 1906, 11; Dec. 27, 1906, 10; Dec. 26, 1906, 11; Dec. 25, 1906, 10; Dec. 24, 1906, 11; Dec. 23, 1906, 10; Dec. 22, 1906, 11; Dec. 21, 1906, 10; Dec. 20, 1906, 11; Dec. 19, 1906, 10; Dec. 18, 1906, 11; Dec. 17, 1906, 10; Dec. 16, 1906, 11; Dec. 15, 1906, 10; Dec. 14, 1906, 11; Dec. 13, 1906, 10; Dec. 12, 1906, 11; Dec. 11, 1906, 10; Dec. 10, 1906, 11; Dec. 9, 1906, 10; Dec. 8, 1906, 11; Dec. 7, 1906, 10; Dec. 6, 1906, 11; Dec. 5, 1906, 10; Dec. 4, 1906, 11; Dec. 3, 1906, 10; Dec. 2, 1906, 11; Dec. 1, 1906, 10; Dec. 31, 1905, 11; Dec. 30, 1905, 10; Dec. 29, 1905, 11; Dec. 28, 1905, 10; Dec. 27, 1905, 11; Dec. 26, 1905, 10; Dec. 25, 1905, 11; Dec. 24, 1905, 10; Dec. 23, 1905, 11; Dec. 22, 1905, 10; Dec. 21, 1905, 11; Dec. 20, 1905, 10; Dec. 19, 1905, 11; Dec. 18, 1905, 10; Dec. 17, 1905, 11; Dec. 16, 1905, 10; Dec. 15, 1905, 11; Dec. 14, 1905, 10; Dec. 13, 1905, 11; Dec. 12, 1905, 10; Dec. 11, 1905, 11; Dec. 10, 1905, 10; Dec. 9, 1905, 11; Dec. 8, 1905, 10; Dec. 7, 1905, 11; Dec. 6, 1905, 10; Dec. 5, 1905, 11; Dec. 4, 1905, 10; Dec. 3, 1905, 11; Dec. 2, 1905, 10; Dec. 1, 1905, 11; Dec. 31, 1904, 10; Dec. 30, 1904, 11; Dec. 29, 1904, 10; Dec. 28, 1904, 11; Dec. 27, 1904, 10; Dec. 26, 1904, 11; Dec. 25, 1904, 10; Dec. 24, 1904, 11; Dec. 23, 1904, 10; Dec. 22, 1904, 11; Dec. 21, 1904, 10; Dec. 20, 1904, 11; Dec. 19, 1904, 10; Dec. 18, 1904, 11; Dec. 17, 1904, 10; Dec. 16, 1904, 11; Dec. 15, 1904, 10; Dec. 14, 1904, 11; Dec. 13, 1904, 10; Dec. 12, 1904, 11; Dec. 11, 1904, 10; Dec. 10, 1904, 11; Dec. 9, 1904, 10; Dec. 8, 1904, 11; Dec. 7, 1904, 10; Dec. 6, 1904, 11; Dec. 5, 1904, 10; Dec. 4, 1904, 11; Dec. 3, 1904, 10; Dec. 2, 1904, 11; Dec. 1, 1904, 10; Dec. 31, 1903, 11; Dec. 30, 1903, 10; Dec. 29, 1903, 11; Dec. 28, 1903, 10; Dec. 27, 1903, 11; Dec. 26, 1903,

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CHICAGO ABOUT STEADY

LIVERPOOL IS LOWER
Trading Restricted in the Option
Markets and Fluctuations
Become Narrow.

World Office,
Friday Evening, Dec. 13.
Liverpool wheat futures closed today
at 4 1/2 up, corn 1/4 up.

At Chicago, December wheat closed un-
changed, December corn 1/4 higher, and
December oats 1/4 lower.

Northwest car lots of wheat to-day, 501;
last week, 482; last year, 528.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.
Receipts of farm produce were 900 bushels
of grain, 30 loads of hay, 2 loads of
straw and several loads of wood.

Wheat—Four hundred bushels sold at
as follows: 300 bushels of fall at 96c to 97c;
30 bushels of goose at 87c.

Barley—Two hundred bushels sold at 76c.
Oats—Two hundred bushels sold at 52c.
Rye—One hundred bushels sold at 52c.

Hay—Thirty loads sold at \$13 to \$21 per
ton.

Grain—
Wheat, fall, bush..... 96 to 97
Wheat, red, bush..... 95 to 96

Barley, two hundred bushels..... 75 to 76
Oats, two hundred bushels..... 51 to 52

Alkali, fancy, bush..... 25 to 26
Alkali, No. 1, bush..... 24 to 25

Hay, new, per ton..... 13 to 14
Hay, old, per ton..... 12 to 13

Fruits and Vegetables—
Potatoes, per bag..... 2 to 2.50
Apples, per bush..... 1.50 to 1.75

Poultry—
Turkeys, dressed, lb..... 10 to 12
Spring chickens, lb..... 8 to 10

Dairy Produce—
Butter, strictly new, lb..... 25 to 26
Eggs, strictly fresh, doz..... 1.50 to 1.75

Live Poultry Wholesale.
Turkeys, young, lb..... 10 to 12
Turkeys, old, lb..... 8 to 10

Hides and Tallow.
Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter &
Co., 8 East Front street, Wholesale
Tanners, 233 Front street, Toronto.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.
The following were the last prices made
at the call board of the Toronto Board of
Trade, prices are for outside shipping
points, except when mentioned:

Winter wheat—No. 2 white, sellers 96c;
No. 2 red, sellers 97c; No. 2 mixed,
sellers 95c; buyers 94c; Toronto.

Spring wheat—No. 2 Ontario, no quotations;
No. 2 Gooses, no quotations.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, no
quotations; No. 2, no quotations.

Barley—No. 2, sellers 76c; outside, No.
3s, no quotations; No. 3, no quotations.

Oats—No. 2 white, sellers 47c; Toronto,
No. 2 mixed, buyers 45c; Toronto.

Ryan—Sellers, 52c; buyers 50c.
Buckwheat—Buyers 58c.
Rye—No. 2, sellers 78c; buyers 75c.

Peas—No. 2, sellers 81c.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, sellers 67c; buyers
65c; Toronto.

Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, 33c;
first quality, 30 per cent. patent, 32c;
second quality, 28c; molasses sugar,
3.00c to 3.50c; refined sugar, 15c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cable Easier—Hogs and Cattle
Lower at Chicago.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Beaver—
Receipts, 1034; steers firm to 10c higher;
light receipts; bulls steady; cows low
to 25c lower; steers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; bulls, \$3.50
to \$4.25; oxen, \$3 to \$4.25. Exports to
day, 30 sheep; to-morrow, 14 cattle and
8000 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 318; veals steady;
barneyard calves almost nominal; west-
erns dull and unchanged; veals, \$5 to \$5.50;
westerns, \$2.50 to \$3.75; barneyard calves,
\$2.50 to \$2.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 454; sheep
steady; lambs 25c higher; sheep, \$2 to
\$4.25; lambs, \$2 to \$2.75 for fair choice.
Hogs—Receipts, 3000, all for slaughter-
ers; nominally steady; none on sale.

East Buffalo Live Stock.
REAR BUFFALO, Dec. 13.—Cattle—
Receipts, 1034; steers firm to 10c higher;
prime steers, \$5.50 to \$5.75.

Veals—200 head; fair demand and steady;
\$3.50 to \$4.50; light butchers, \$4.50
to \$5; light mixed, \$4.50 to \$4.85; choice
light, \$5 to \$5.25; packing, \$4.50 to \$4.85;
mixed, \$4 to \$4.50; bulk of sales, \$4.75 to
\$4.85.

Chicago Live Stock.
CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Cattle—Receipts
estimated at about 4000; market dull and
slow; \$4 to \$5; heavy mixed, \$2.50 to
\$3.50; light mixed, \$3.50 to \$4.50;
calves, \$3 to \$7.50; stockers and feeders,
\$2 to \$3.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at about 32-
3000; market weak and lower; choice heavy
shippers, \$4.50 to \$5; light butchers, \$4.50
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about 1000; market slow and dull;
sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.75; lambs, \$2.50 to \$3.25;
yearlings, \$3.25 to \$4.25.

British Cattle Markets.
LONDON, Dec. 13.—London cables are
firmer, at 11c to 12c per lb. dressed
weight; refrigerated beef is quoted at 9 1/2
to 10c per cwt.

Total Live Stock.
The total receipts of live stock at the
City and Junction Markets for the present
week were as follows:

Cattle..... 270 108 878
Hogs..... 415 174 919
Sheep..... 387 346 633
Poultry..... 20 48 248

Christmas Poultry Show
On Saturday, Dec. 21, 1907, The
World Newspaper Co. will offer the
following prizes, to be competed for
by any farmer, farmer's wife, son or
daughter, selling poultry on St. Law-
rence Market. The poultry entered
for the various prizes must not be
sold before the prizes are
awarded. All parties competing must
agree to give the public a chance to
purchase as soon as the judges give
their decision. The judging will com-
mence at 9.30 a.m., so as to give the
farmers a chance to sell their produce.

PRIZE LIST.
Best pair turkeys, hen and gobler,
the product of 1907:
First prize—Daily World, one
year.

Second prize—Daily World, six
months.
Third prize—Daily World, three
months.

Best Christmas geese:
First prize—Daily World, one
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Second prize—Daily World, six
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Best pair Christmas ducks:
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Best pair spring chickens:
First prize—Daily World, one
year.
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Third prize—Daily World, three
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Auction Sales of Horses.
Horsemen and Dealers, The Union
Stock Yards Co. of Toronto, wish to
announce the opening of their new
horse exchange, which will be held
on Monday, Jan. 6, 1908, at 11 o'clock
a.m., after which date regular auction
sales of horses, carriages and harness
will be held every Monday and Wed-
nesday through the year and private
sales every day. Dealers will do well
by sending for our terms and condi-
tions of sale. Consignments solicited.
Herbert Smith, manager.

MAURETANIA AGROUND.
LIVERPOOL, Dec. 13.—The Cun-
har Line steamer Mauretania, which
is scheduled to sail to-morrow for
New York, went aground to-night in
the Mersey, opposite the landing
stage. It is expected that she will
be floated off in the morning.

ABSCONDER CAUGHT.
SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 13.—Word
received by a detective agent now
here is to the effect that Wm. F.
Walker, the absconding bank treasur-
er of Ensanada, on Wednesday and
will start for New Britain. The ar-
rest was made by a Pinkerton de-
tective.

China Must Prove.
PEKIN, Dec. 13.—China has just
submitted to the Tokyo government
through Baron Gonsuke Hayashi, the
Japanese minister, a statement of her
side of the Chen Tao boundary dis-
pute. This consists of a memoran-
dum in which she admits the sov-
ereignty of China over the territory in
question. Japan has placed the bur-
den of proof upon China.

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ed on Mr. Elmer, the manager of Cobalt
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I have recently encountered a new
blend vein running parallel to and at a
distance of eighty-two feet north of the
Big Pete vein. The new vein consists of
four inches of smallite, carrying 300 ozs.
of silver per ton.

The vein was encountered on the 115-foot
level, but is about 150 feet in the moun-
tain surface, owing to the rise in the moun-
tain.

It has been our constant belief that
other veins existed in the mountain, and
it was for the purpose of prospecting
these veins that J. M. Wilson and A. J.
Ferguson of the Montreal Stock Ex-
change went to the Cobalt Central mine
last week, with the result of equalling our
most enthusiastic expectation."

Bank Clearings.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Bradstreet's
weekly bank clearings for the week end-
ing Dec. 12:
Chicago, \$1,319,723,000, decrease 38.9;
Boston, \$1,225,000,000, decrease 14.0;
New York, \$1,321,000,000, decrease 27.7;
St. Louis, \$33,000,000, decrease 11.3;
Pittsburg, \$7,586,000,
decrease 8.7; Buffalo, \$2,150,000, de-
crease 36.4; Baltimore, \$28,510,000, de-
crease 14.7; Kansas City, \$2,150,000, de-
crease 11.0; Montreal, \$2,380,000, de-
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crease 5.5; Ottawa, \$1,164,000, increase 5.5;
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Vancouver, B.C., \$3,456,000, increase 12.0;
Halifax, \$1,848,000, increase 5.5;
Quebec, \$2,944,000, increase
21.3; Hamilton, \$1,631,000, decrease 7.0;
St. John, N.B., \$1,268,000, decrease 1.7;
London, \$1,308,000, increase 2;
Victoria, B.C., \$1,081,000, decrease 1;
Edmonton, \$761,000, decrease
10.3.

Would Depose Harriman.
CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—"If I obtain a ma-
jority of proxies to be voted at the an-
nual meeting of the Illinois Central Rail-
road Company, I shall depose Edward H.
Harriman as a director," declared Stuy-
vesant Fish in an affidavit filed to-day
in the superior court.

Mr. Fish declares in his affidavit that
since 1877 it has been the custom of the
railroad to loan its idle funds to officers
or directors of the road, or to firms of
which they were members, or to other
organizations of which they were officers.

Mr. Fish insists in his affidavit that
Harriman and Peabody were among those
who took advantage of the custom of the
company, loaning these funds. He de-
clares that all of his loans were recorded,
and that the collateral was good and
sufficient.

New York Metal Market.
Pig-iron—Quiet. Copper—Weak. Lead—
Weak. \$2.50 to \$2.60. Tin—Weak. Stratis,
\$1.75 to \$2.25; spelter weak.

France and Britain Agree.
PARIS, Dec. 13.—An official note states
that an agreement has been signed with
great neighboring power (England),
with the object of facilitating the represen-
tation of fiscal frauds in connection with
subsidy duties, and, if later, it becomes
necessary, in connection with the income
tax.

The convention will make impossible
the continuous immigration of capital,
which has been going on since the income
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Slipped on Summer Ice.
In the county court before the Judge
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A Chance Insurance Sale



Through a fire which occurred last Tuesday in a building next door, we are able to offer Xmas shoppers next Monday the greatest opportunity in the gift-buying line that has ever come their way.

Only the goods on the racks and the tables suffered through the fire, and these only by smoke. In fact, the damage done these garments is very slight—more sentimental than anything else. We feel that we cannot conscientiously offer these goods to our customers at the prices at which they were marked. So they go at a sacrifice on Monday.

We have adjusted matters with the insurance companies, and, to pass along the adjustment, we have decided to let the public take advantage of it.

On Monday, then, you will find all these really high-class goods, which positively are only affected by a slight odor of smoke, for sale in our showrooms on the second floor of our building.

It is not a Fire Sale. It's better than that, for nothing has been damaged by either fire or water. The furs are positively not injured in appearance. This sale begins Monday. No goods charged. Extra salespeople in attendance.

Here's a list of some articles in the showrooms:

- Natural Canadian Mink Muffs.**
Large Natural Canadian Mink Muffs, empire style, three stripes, best quality satin lining, eiderdown bed, regular \$27.50, \$30.00 and \$35.00, for **\$21.00**
- Ladies' Fur Trimmed Coats.**
Ladies' Cloth Coats, body quilted lining, western sable large storm collar and lapels, regular \$27.50, for **\$17.50**
- Black Lynx Throws.**
No. 1 quality Black Lynx Ties, varying from 56 to 80 inches in length, with best quality satin lining, regular \$19.75, for **\$12.00**
- Black Lynx Muffs**
No. 1 quality Black Lynx Muffs, pillow shape, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, corded wrist, regular \$27.50, for **\$19.75**
- Ladies' Persian Lamb Jackets.**
Ladies' Mink-trimmed Persian Lamb Jackets, blouse style, best satin lining, silk girdle at waist, finished with fur cuffs, regular \$145.00, for **\$97.50**
- Children's Grey Furs**
One lot, consisting of Cape, Gauntlets, Turbans and odd pieces, regular \$2.00, for **\$1.99**
- Alaska Sable Scarfs**
One lot Blended Alaska Sable Scarfs, finished with heads and chain fastener, regular \$3.00, for **\$2.75**
- Mink Marmot Stoles**
One lot of extra fine Mink Marmot Stoles, some plain, some trimmed with ermine tails, regular \$20.00, for **\$12.00**
- Ladies' Muskrat Coats**
One lot of Ladies' Muskrat Blouse Coats, best satin lining, finished with girdle at waist, 28 inches long, regular \$55.00, for **\$39.75**

- Alaska Sable Muffs**
Blended Alaska Sable Muffs, regular \$8.50, for **\$5.50**
- Ladies' Persian Lamb Jackets**
Plain Persian Lamb Jackets, lined with best satin, finished with silk girdle, regular \$125.00 and \$135.00, for **\$85.00**
- Mink Ties**
Large Four-skin Mink Ties, some plain, some trimmed with heads and tails, satin lining, regular prices \$20.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00, for **\$14.75**
- Grey Squirrel Stoles**
Extra fine quality Grey Squirrel Stoles, lined with grey satin, large size, regular \$12.75, price \$20.00, for **\$12.75**
- Grey Squirrel Muffs**
Grey Squirrel Muffs, empire shape, finished with corded wrist, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, regular \$9.75, for **\$9.75**

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THE NEWSBOYS' DINNER.
Considerable Sum is Still Required to Cover Expenses.
Mr. J. M. Wilkinson last evening showed The World a list of many of the most prominent citizens, including ladies, who have sent donations to the newsboys' dinner on Christmas Day in the banquet hall of the Temple Building.

Most of these have expressed their hearty endorsement of the proposal and wish him great success. He reports that \$176 are needed to pay expenses.

Instead of publishing a list of contributors at this stage—as an inducement for others to give—he desires the friends of the newsboys to send in their contributions irrespective of what others give, and get the reward of sincere liberality. Thirty young ladies arrayed in becoming costume will act as waitresses to the boys.

The lieutenant-governor, the premier, the mayor and council will be asked to be present and wish the boys a Merry Christmas. Send your subscriptions to 288 Yonge-street.

FOR THE BYLAW.
Industries Committee of Board of Trade Urges Its Support.
A resolution was passed at the meeting of the new industries committee of the Board of Trade yesterday afternoon urging most strongly that no stone be left unturned to impress upon the members of the Board of Trade and the citizens of Toronto, the vast importance of not only supporting the bylaw by their own votes, but also using all their influence in every other way possible to strengthen the hands of the men who have spent time and energy in solving the biggest question in the interests of the people, Toronto or the Province of Ontario has ever had to deal with.

"The passing of this bylaw," said the resolution, "will mean the saving of countless dollars and cents to every man, woman and child of the province for all time, and will go far towards making Toronto the first city in Canada."

For Aldermanic Honors.
In another column Mr. Mark Bredin announces himself as a candidate for alderman for ward three for the year 1908.

COLLEGE EXCHANGE OPENS.
There Will Be Sixty Day Operators to Begin With.
The new "College" Exchange of the city telephone service will be opened at the corner of Bellevue-avenue and Oxford-street to-day. There will be sixty operators in the daytime and six or seven at night. The operators will be transferred from the Main, North and Parkdale offices.

The district taken in is bounded by Queen-street, Dovercourt-road, Bloor-street and Avenue-road, and is the largest in the city.

Opening of New Church.
Special services will be held at the opening of the new Pape-avenue Presbyterian Church, corner Pape and Harcourt-avenues, all day to-morrow. In the morning Principal McLaren of Knox College, will preach. At the Sunday school rally at 3 o'clock in the afternoon Rev. J. McP. Scott, B.A., will preach. The service at night will be conducted by Rev. James Murray.

Routine business and many reports occupied the meeting of the senate of the university last night.

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ADD 1100 VOTERS.
Conservative Names Predominate in Lists Allowed by Judge.

In the neighborhood of 1100 names were added to Toronto's voters' list by Judge Winchester, who disposed of nearly half of the 3000 to come up before him at this time. Seven hundred of these were submitted by A. H. Birmingham, of whose list only about sixty names were rejected. Mr. Birmingham said that he was sure that his list was solidly Conservative.

J. F. M. Stewart, Liberal organizer, succeeded in placing between four and five hundred names. He had a larger percentage of rejections than his rival, and among those accepted is a greater number of doubtful politics.

The sitting, which opened at 2 o'clock, and set thru till 11.30 at night, was adjourned till 2 o'clock this afternoon.

ISLINGTON.
ISLINGTON, Dec. 13.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held in the township hall here to-night in the interests of Capt. "Tom" Wallace. J. D. Evans, reeve of Etobicoke, presided, and the surrounding district was well represented.

R. R. Gamay, M.L.A.; A. W. Wright of Toronto, president of the Public Ownership League; Dr. Forbes Godfrey, M.L.A.; A. McCowan, M.L.A., and others will make addresses after the election of officers.

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Soft Lamb's Wool Tweed and Camel Hair House Coats, assorted greys, grey and black, also cardinal and black, warm colors, **\$6.00, \$7.50 and \$8.50.**

Rich Silk and Wool Mixed Matalassa Smoking Jackets, black and orange, also black and red, gorgeous Oriental and figured designs, **\$13.50, \$14.00, \$15.00 and \$16.00.**

Men's Soft Lamb's Wool Tweed Dressing Gowns, also smooth rich Saxony-finished cloths, in grey and black checks, brown and black, red and black, in figures and plaid patterns, Saturday **\$7.00**

Men's Soft, Warm Double-Woven Golf Cloth Dressing Gowns, mid-grey shades, with lighter check and large plaid effect, also lighter plaid linings, trimmed with two-color cord in black and red, girdle to match, Saturday **\$9.00**

Men's Imported Fancy Worsted Suits, winter weight, in neat grey and grey and black checks, the correct single-breasted sack style, with good durable linings and well tailored, Saturday **\$12.00**

Men's High-Grade Imported Black Suits, made from a very fine, soft vicuna-finished cheviot, in a rich permanent shade, the latest single and double-breasted sack style, with broad chest effect, long, shapely lapels, good quality shrunken duck and haircloth interlinings, and tailored to fit perfectly and hold their shape, Saturday, **\$15.00**

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RICHMOND HILL.
Liberal Candidate in Centre York Has Big Meeting.

RICHMOND HILL, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Centre York Liberals in and around the pretty little Village of Richmond Hill filled the Masonic Hall to the doors to-night, to listen to addresses by Hon. G. P. Graham, Dr. McLean, the Liberal candidate, and F. G. Inwood.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, tho not wildly so, and all the speakers were well received, and heartily cheered. The gathering was presided by the presence of many ladies.

President Trench of the local Liberal Association was an ideal chairman, short and sweet.

"We in the Liberal party are trying to forget the past and are looking out into the larger and grander things in Canadian life," said the Hon. Mr. Graham. "This is not a slanging-contest; as far as the Liberals are concerned," he continued, "and then he dipped into postoffice matters, and later into "transportation." Enormous sums had been spent on the canals, and enormous sums would yet be spent.

"My ambition," said the minister of railways, "is not alone to do all our own carrying trade, but a goodly portion of that of our neighbors to the south of us," and the audience applauded the laudable ambition.

Canada had sent two cabinet ministers to France, and one to Japan to deal with the oriental question.

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