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OUTRAGE TO A U. S. CONSUL; AFFRAY AT ALEXANDRETTA

American Representative Attacked by Turkish Police a similar number of the After the confidence of the While Escorting an Armenian Revolutionist.

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS STRAINED === A SERIOUS CRISIS

States flag over the consulate at Alex-andretta, Asiatic Turkey, has been broke the windows of the prison. The Turkish authorities further hauled down and Consul Davies has claim that Attarian, who is a native left his post for Beirut in consequence of Diarbekir (Asiatic Turkey), has of a serious diplomatic incident, duran illegal passport. They also point ing which Mr. Davies was insulted and out that the question of Armenians asaulted by the local police.

an Armenian, Chances Attarian, a naturalized American citizen.

Aleppo during the past two months may have contributed to his arrest, and had just been liberated through revolutionist. ing the country forthwith. Mr. Davies tion here. Minister Leishman consulate and formally broke off rela- been given. sulate in charge of the vice-consul.

Constantinople, Dec. 8.—The United attempted to rescue him, and that in States flag over the consulate at Alexnaturalized in America returning to The affair grew out of the arrest of Turkey, has always been a source of trouble as the porte invariably fuses to recognize naturalization. When Attarian was arrested \$2,500 was found Attarian had been in prison at in his pockets. This, it is believed,

the intervention of the American con-sular agent, on condition of his leav-ic attention of the United States legawas accompanying Attorian on board made urgent representations to the a departing steamer when the police porte and is now awaiting a fuller reintercepted the party, assaulted and port before taking further steps.

The outrage, it is anticipated here, will lead to strong action on the part attendant guards, rearrested Attarian of the United States to obtain full

tions with the Turkish authorities by Washington, Dec. 8 .- The state dequiting Alexandretta, leaving the con- partment has received a brief cablegram from Consul Davis at Alexen-A mob of Mussulmen seized on the dretta, Asiatic Turkey, saying that occasion to make a hostile demonstra- he had had trouble with the local potion against the consulate and against lice at Alexandretta and had left for the Christians generally. The local Beirut in consequence. The state de-authorities assert that Mr. Davis partment promptly cabled Minister struck the police with a cane and that Leishman at Constantinople to insti-

FAMOUS GERMAN DANCER MURDERED

SAID SHE FLIRTED TOO MUCH SAYS THE DAILY TELEGRAPH

Arrested - Was a Wealthy Freich Manufacturer.

Berlin, Dec. 8 .- It became known today that the leading female dancer at the Metropole Theater, Fraulein Frieda Boelka, was murdered at a hotel in very striking comment from the Lon-Cologne, on Dec. 2, by Ferdinand Tessier, don press. Both sides in the fiscal cona manufacturer of machinery at Vichy, troversy seize points in it which they France, who had several times been a Nationalist candidate for member of the Chamber of Deputies. They were en- ference to the necessity for creating a gaged to be married, and had dined to- great mercantile marine, gether at the hotel, and quarreled in the private sitting-room because the woman had looked too frequently, as Tessier

dancer, but she was a strong woman and financial equilibrium." pushed him off. Tessier then took a President's references to the question hatchet which he had concealed about of dealing with trusts as "sound comhim, and struck the woman once ineffecmon sense," and says his allusion to tually, and then stabbed her fatally three the settlement of the Alaskan boundary times with a dagger. The hotel people difficulty is "in the best taste."

The Daily News views with some heard the struggle and rushed to the spot, whereupon Tessier, with his back to the door, shot and killed himself.

Upon Tessier's body was found a variety of weapons, several sorts of as able as President Roosevelt and Sec poison, and crosses and amulets from

through the influence of Tessier's family the facts were not published until the dancer was buried here yesterday.

THE SIX DAYS' AGONY

Track Record.

New York, Dec. 8 .- There were fourteen teams riding in the six day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden at 10 o'clock this morning was: Contenet and Breton, Leander and Butler, Krebs and Peterson, Newkirk and Jacobson, John and M. Bedell, Root and Dorlan, Bardgett and Galvin. Fisher, Walthour and Munroe, and Keegan and Moran, 652 miles 1 lap; Samson and Vanderstuyft 651 miles 8 laps: Barclay and Krebs 651 miles 8 laps; Rettick and Gougoltz 651 miles 6 laps; Dove and Hedspeth 644 miles 5 laps. Record 690 miles

MAY BE THE SAME MEN

Been at Napier. The county constabulary are of the opinion that the two men, Hillis and Yates, who have been arrested at Hamilton on suspicion of shooting a policeman, and who are also thought to be implacated in the Dundas robbery sad bereavement calls forth the deep- of the United Kingdom or the other est sympathy for her family in the British possessions. Mr. Sifton was and shooting, are the parties who oper- | sad affliction. ated at Napier, where the general store was entered and about \$400 taken. The tools found on the men at Hamilton are similar to those used at the robbery in Napier. The pair had nitrothought that this was used It Napier. When arrested one of them, although handcuffed, succeeded in drawing a re-

the Turks suspecting him of being a

and took him rack to prison. Mr. Davis reparation, especially as full satisfac-immediately lowered the flag over the tion for the Beirut affair has not yet

after the re-arrest of Attarian, the tute a thorough investigation of the consular cavasses (military couriers), whole affair.

LONDON PRESS ON THE MESSAGE

Fraulein Boelke Killed in Allusion To the Award in "The Hotel by Her Fiancee.

Best of Taste."

Kills Himself When About To Be America Warned That She Will Presently Have to Bear Same Burdens as Europe.

> London, Dec. 8.-While President Roosevelt's message to Congress is acest to the outside warld it evokes no contend favor their particular claims Perhaps the part attracting the most serious attention is the President's re-The Standard refers to the entry of

the United States upon a career of col- owned by J. C. Knox, and occupied by onial dominion as "entailing heavy na- G. D. Carpenter, plumber; Curran & tional expenditure, so that henceforth thought, at another man in the diningthe problem for the Government will likely be not how to get rid of its auto-Tessier first tried to chloroform the matic surplus, but how to maintain is

The Daily Telegraph commends the

The Daily News views with some alarm the entrance of the United States into world politics, and says: "America is fortunate in opening an aggressive diplomatic career with statesmen ways be so favored, and must prepare her citizens for heavy burdens such as Though the tragedy occurred on Dec. 2, Europe had to bear. American squad-through the influence of Tessier's family rons will soon be rapidly multiplying in number and in strength. Let us hope the world's peaceful instincts will grow at the same pace.'

LATE MISS MAUD PEARSON

The Leading Riders Are Behind the Her Loss Sadly Felt in Various Circles of Church Workers.

this morning. Some of them were over residence, 472 Ontario street, Mand, banqueting hall of the Grand Union the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. long and painful illness, in her 22nd was outspoken, manly and fearless, year. For the past two years she has and such as to appeal to the younger been in failing health and the last eight generation as well as to the old, was firemen. months she has been entirely con-received with immense enthusiasm.

fined to her bed. The chief characteristic of her ac- to preferential trade that until we tive life has been patient perserverance she has displayed for the welfare of knew what sort of a quid pro quo Britothers. During her long sickness it ain would want in the event of her had never tailed her, and, if possible, people approving of that policy we she had grown more dear to all who came in contact with her. Previous to her sickness she held the position that we should agree not to establish of secretary of "The Busy Bees," and new industries. Canada wanted no was a most active member of the favor from Britain without making an Pair Arrested at Hamilton May Have Epworth League of the Centennial equivalent return. As to international

Methodist Church, of which she was arbitrations, it was not a crime to sugalso a nember. also a member.

With her decease London East loses ed to look after Canadian interests. one of the most influential young ladies To the kind of imperial federation of that section. Her loss will be most that involved the administration of any keenly felt by ail who knew her. This of Canada's affairs by representatives

FAMILY WIPED OUT

Flames Reap Awful Harvest in New Jersey Town.

handcuffed, succeeded in drawing a revolver from his overcoat pocket, but he was prevented from using it. In their pockets were found various kinds of tool which are used by the "profession."

Clarksburg, N. J., Dec. 8. — Nearly and he would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon their pockets were found various kinds of tool which are used by the "profession."

Clarksburg, N. J., Dec. 8. — Nearly and he would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon showing proficiency, every young man got the present of a rifle, which he ret, 36, and three children, aged respectively 13 years 2 years and styling the age of 21 should be competently instructed in its use and he would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon showing proficiency, every young man got the present of a rifle, which he spectively 13 years 2 years and styling the age of 21 should be competently instructed in its use and he would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon the profice of the specific profits and the would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which he showing proficiency, every young man got the present of a rifle, which he retained the specific profits and the would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon the profits and the would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon the profits and the would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon the profits and the would like to see the adoption of the Swiss system, under which, upon the profits and the would like to see the adoption of the swiss system of the work and the would like to see the adoption of the swiss system of the work and the would like to see the adoption of the swiss system, under which and the would like to see the adoption of the swiss system.

SOMEBODY"LEAKED" AT SOO CAMPAIGN

St. Petersburg, Dec. 8. — The Russian troops have defeated a band of Chinese robbers on the Liau River, Manchuria, killing 200 of them and wounding How a Party Did Some "Reforming From Within." After the conflict between a force of Russian soldiers and a body of robbers at Tachichao, in which five Russians

were killed and nine were severely wounded, the Russians pursued the fleeing tribesmen and finally hemmed them in at the Liau River. The great

loss of the robbers is attributed in a Port Arthur dispatch to "a panic among the robbers." Campaign-List of Liberal

A PITCHED BATTLE

U. S. Troops.

and two of them will probably

REVOLT AGAINST AMEER

DENUDING DENMARK

igration to America.

sary to prevent the country from being denuded of its best workers, but the

majority supported the view that the

Danes were to be congratulated on the

fact that the doors of such a progres-

sive and prosperous country as Amer-

ica, were open to them, and that Den-

mark had much benefited by the consid-

A Destructive Fire.

cigar dealer, was destroyed by fire

early today entailing a loss of about

\$15,000. During the fire Benjamin Mil-

ler, a fireman, came in contact with

the electric arc wires and was elec-

bitration, the Preference

Ottawa, Dec. 8.-Preferential trade,

Mr. Sifton took the ground in regard

could not say what we would do. It

unalterably opposed. He approved of Canada being placed in the best pos-sible state of defense, and favored

every youth in the country being

every boy who went to school trained

in the use of a rifle. Certainly every

youth on reaching the age of 21 should

taught the use of the rifle,
Mr. Sifton would like to see

and Defense.

Toronto, Dec. 8. - The statement of the energetic treasurer of the Ontario Clash Between Striking Miners and Conservative Association, as published in the Globe recently, that the association was still alive, and would, Trinidad, Col., Dec. 8. - Word came when occasion arose, make itself felt at midnight that a pitched battle had again, appears to have been borne out occurred at Sagundo, a Colorado fuel by recent occurrences in Sault Ste. ian miners and seven of the company's Marie. The association appears, howguards. Three of the strikers were shot ever, to have departed somewhat from None of the guards was hurt. The the path mapped out when the gentle-fight occurred at the coke ovens. The men composing it started out upon strikers went to the ovens, but were the task of reforming the Conshooting began, each side asserting that servative party from within. The cardinal principle then laid down was the other fired first. A mass meeting dinal principle then laid down was of strikers was called later, but soon that in the distribution of the fund Sheriff Clark, with a posse, is now on the ground and everything is the tide of corruption, which threatened to overwhelm the party, the money was, in each case, to be given to the candidate direct, in order that he might be held responsible that it was expended for proper and legitimate purposes only. It has transpired that Thirty-Six Sepoys Were Put to Death shortly before polling day a check from Mr. E. B. Ryckman for \$500 was forwarded to Ex-Mayor Thompson, of Sault Ste. Marie. This amount was, Peshawur, Dec. 8.—Thirty-six Sepoys in Cabul have been put to death for inciting to rebellion, in the presence of all the troops forming the garrison of Cabul, and the Ameer has is-sued a proclamation intimating that other \$600 was made upon the source any other persons found guilty of carwhence the first \$500 emanated, and rying on a revolutionary propaganda will be punished in a like manner. The report states that the call was promptly met. Afterwards the local Sahrbzada Abdul Latiff, a former Liberals heard of the transactions, Mullah of Khost, has been put to death by the Ameer for having dissented from the Mohammedan law.

DENIIDING DENMAPK

The transactions, and a paragraph published in a Sault Ste. Marie paper sent consternation into the Conservative camp. The manager of the bank through which the check and draft passed was application.

to, and held a private investigation to ascertain whether any of his offi-cials had "leaked." but his inquiries Agitation to Reduce Wholesale Em- entirely exonerated the bank staff of any blame. When asked vesterday whether there was any truth in the statement that \$1,100 had been sent into Sault Copenhagen, Dec. 8. - The Danish Marie, Mr. Ryckman declined, owing Economic Association, which has been to the manner in which the Globe had referred to the operations of the asdiscussing the growth of emigration to sociation, to make any statement, af-America, has decided by a considerable majority that the benefits to Denmark firmative or negative. He added that

far outweigh the drawbacks. The speakers who brought up the subject for legitimate and proper expenditure In North Renfrew the Liberals open their campaign tonight. Hon. F. R. Latchford, Minister of Public Works, G. P. Graham, M. P. P., L. F. Heyd, K. C., and N. Jaffrey, Guelph, will address meetings at var-

ious points this week.

The following Liberal conventions erable sums of money which yearly were sent back by her former subjects. have been called to nominate candilates for the Dominion: North Ontario, at Beaverton, Monday, Dec. 14. Center York, at Richmond Hill, Washington, Penn., Dec. 8. - The Wednesday, Dec. 16. two-story block on Jefferson avenue South Grey, at Durham, Wednesday. Dec. 16.

East Lambton, at Watford, Thurs-Alder, confectionery, and G. Whiting, West Algoma, at Sault Ste. Marie Tuesday, Dec. 22. CANDIDATES IN THE FIELD. The following candidates have been

placed in the field for the Dominion

Ontario constituencies. Bruce, S.-Liberal, A. W. Robb. Durham-Conservative, H. A. Ward. Frontenac-Liberal, W. J. Shibley. Hastings, E .-- Conservative, W. B. Northrup. Lanark, N.-Liberal, T. B. Cald-Lincoln—Liberal, E. J. Lovelace; Conservative, E. A. Lancaster. Parry Sound-Liberal, R. J. Wat-

on; Conservative, Dr. Freeborn.

Peel—Liberal, W. Milner.

Peterborough, E.—Conservative, J. Rev. Father Palpain Succumbs Prince Edward-Conservative, Geo.

Welland-Conservative, Jas. Battle. Wellington, S.-Liberal, Hugh Guth-

1. C. R. Increases.

Canada's treaty-naking power, imper-Moncton, N. B., Dec. 8.-A deputaial federation und national defense, tion of the I. C. R. drivers' and firewere the live topics in an address by who have been here the the Hon. Clifford Sifton last night to week in conference with the I. C. R. On Monday evening at her father's the Canadian Club of this city. The management, in reference to an increase of pay, concluded work late Saturday night. Committeemen say was crowded with guests, and the Minthe outcome was perfectly satisfactory. W. L. Pearson, passed away, after a ister of the Interior's speech, which The increase asked for will amout to about 50 cents a day for oide drivers and slightly lower for younger men. Nearly the same ratio applies to

WEATHER BULLETIN

Tomorrow-Snow.

Sun rises...7:37 a.m. Moon rises...9:23 p.m.
Sun sets....4:41 p.m. Moon sets...10:47 a.m.
Toronto, Dec. 7—8 p.m.
Temperatures have remained much the same in Canada today, except in Manitoba and the Lake Superior district, where the weather has turned much colder. Light snowfalls have occurred in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys, and snow flurries in the lake region and the snow flurries in the lake region and th

Minimum and maximum temperatures Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 8-46; Kamloops, 30-34; Calgary, 16-40; Qu'Appelle, 8-18; Winnipeg, 2 below-4; Parry Sound, 26-36; Toronto, 26-32; Ottawa, 22-24; Montreal, 24-26; Quebec, 14-22; Halifax, 24-36. FORECASTS

Wednesday—Easterly winds, with snow Stations.

Rome, Dec. 8. — The Pope today elebrated mass in his private chapel, he occasion being the feast of the immaculate conception. Only a few privileged persons were admitted. Today was also the forty-fifth anniversary of the foundation of the American col-THE BATTLE OF THE RENFREWS lege, and the most Rev. Robert Seton, of Newark, titular archbishop, of Heliopolis, celebrated a pontifical mass Speakers to Open the was followed by a dinner at which the rector was congratulated on the prosperity of the college.

THE CHINA-U. S. TREATY

Expected to Add Millions to Amer-

ican Commerce. copy of the new commercial treaty be-tween the United States and China—a lars to the commerce of the United without pain. States-John Goodnow, American consul-general at Shanghai, has arrived at most important provisions of the new treaty are: Abolition of local transpor-tation taxes on American importations, 1820, mport duty of from 5 to 121/2 per cent; new mining laws on the basis of those in the United States; a national curby the United States Senate to become

NICE RECORD, THIS

Hanging.

New York, Dec. 8 .- A dispatch to the World from Chicago says: The coroner's report shows that there were 125 murders in Chicago in the last year, and not one

Measures for checking street and saloon nurders, hold-ups; burglaries and other crimes which have been boldly committed in the last month, will be discussed this evening at a mass meeting.

BANQUETED THE PREMIER

Journalists.

Montreal, Dec. 8.-Sir Wilfrid Laurier the first annual dinner of the French-Canadian Journalists' Association, new organization. The Premier arrived in the city yesterday morning and spent the day at the Windsor Hotel. Tonight he will take part at a demonstration in honor of Cremazie the French-Canadian poet, and or Wednesday afternoon he will return to Ottawa. Others present at the banquet were Hons. J. Israel Tarte. Lomer Gouin, L. O. David, H. J. Cloran Speaker Brodeur and Mr. F. D. Monk. M. P. An incident was the coupling of the names of Mr. Tarte and Mr. Hector Langlois, editor of Le Canada. with the toast of "The Native Country." A short time ago these two journalists were the chief parties in a to a Women's Institute convention, litigation, Mr. Tarte suing his confrere for criminal libel. The affair. however, was settled out of court and last night good-will seemed to pre-

Crew Mutined.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 8. - Thirteen the French bark Fautrel, lying at the not give them money to go ashore. The entire lot was lodged in jail.

COLLEGE FIRE'S

to Injuries Received From Jumping.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 8.-Rev. Father Palpain, who was injured in the Ottawa University fire on Wednesday last, succumbed to his injuries at 7 o'clock this morning. He was 33 years of age, and came to Ottawa a year ago from Ceylon. He was a native of Ireland, was educated at Rome, and was professor of Latin at

WRIT AGAIAST LONDONER

Ames & Co. Take Proceedings Against A. R. Blake-Forster.

A. E. Ames & Co. of Toronto, are issuing writs for claims for unpaid balances on stock purchased. Today at Toronto three were issued — one against James Conmee, M. P. P., for \$4,150 balance on Lake Superior stock purchased for \$9,927; one against Hugh Sutherland, Winnipeg, for \$6,628, balance on Dominion Coal stock, and one against A. R. Blake-Forster, of this city, for \$1,112, balance on Lake Su-Forster is a drill instructor at Wolseley

NON-JURY COURT OPENED

Larger Crowd Than Usual at the December Sessions.

Judge Edward Elliot. The various cases on the list were 000,000. The various cases on the list were reviewed for the grand jury by his honor, after which notices of appeal against magistrates' decisions, which will be heard on Dec. 28 were proven. The following applied to the judge for naturalization papers: Percy Flack, Antonio Mascono, Frank Rafello, Joseph Ferdino, F. E. Smyth, Joseph Practically all of the exhibits were primed to such good purpose as were the experimenters of Ontario.

The various cases on the list were reviewed for the grand jury by his honor, after which notices of appeal against magistrates' decisions, which was paid to the Experimental Union by Mr. Spillman, of Washington, who declared that nowhere in America was there to be found a body of men working together to such good purpose as were the experimentary of Ontario.

St. Johns, Nffd., Dec. 8.—The vessel which was vecked on Ferryland Head, near Cape Rage, during a furious proposition.

AFTER PROLONGED ILLNESS

Famous as Philosopher and Scientist -- Considered the Greatest Thinker of the Victorian Age.

IN 1820 === SKETCH OF HIS CAREER

By his own desire, the least possible Chicago on his way to Washington. The most important provisions of the new Spences's illness. He was born in From the close of 1848 to the middle of 1853 he was engaged on the

preciations and anecdotes of Mr. Spencer, whom they universally describe as pearing in the Westminster, and othrency for China. The treaty was signed Oct. 8, and only needs ratification the "last of the great thinkers of the

by his father, W. G. Spencer, a teacher, ogy, sociology and morality.

London, Dec. 8. - Herbert Spencer, flux of young men brought into it durthe famous author, died this morn- ing the railway mania and the conseing at his home in Brighton. His quent undue competition. During the health had been failing for some contributed various papers to the "Civil ernment," published in the formist newspaper in 1842, which were some time after reprinted as a pani-James Wilson, M. P., and during this time he published his first considerable wards he began to write for the quarterly reviews, most of his articles apers in the North British, British Quarterly, Edinburgh, Medico-Chirurgical, der the principles of biology, psychol-

READY FOR THE A GIRL SHOOTS FAIR AT GUELPH

The Meeting of the Experi- Puts Two Bullets Into Body mental Union. of Notorious Thug.

of Sugar Beets Grown in This

Province. Guelph, Ont., Dec. 7.—Guelph is again besieged with thousands of stockmen, poultrymen and farmers, who have come to attend the winter fair and experimental union. This year a new feature is added in the presence of a considerable number of lady delegates held at the agricultural college.

The address of the president, Mr. Nelson Monteith, of Stratford, made reference to the increasing number of experimenters, which is now 3,845. The introduction of improved grains, roots. and fodders through the agency of the union has done much to bring about docks here, because the captain would of farm products. Examples of im- the dark woods at night and surproved varieties are the Mandscheuri rendered herself to a magistrate. barley, the Dawsons golden chaft wheat, and the Siberian oat.

Mr. Monteith, "is reflected in our giri on her own recognizance. towns and cities by greater industrial A posse was sent out to activity, which is yearly drawing an arms are being seeded to be grazed for beef, while the introduction of improved machinery is relieving the situation in a small measure. Though doing well financially, the farmer is not in a satisfactory situation. The long hours necessitated from lack of help in the field and home are leading to lives of drudgery, and the neglect of that social amity that should exist in weli-ordered society."

EXPERIMENTS WITH GRAIN. The presentation of the results of

experiments with grains and roots union's annual meeting. The varieties them had provided herself with a reof sugar beets grown in Ontario are volver, which was on the shelf of her now Danish improved, Yellow Silesian table and within hand's reach, and Kleinwangleben. Of these the "What do you want?" she as first gives the best yield, and is considered most suitable for cattle feed- little girl," replied Howardson, "and ing. Where beets are raised for sugar nothing will happen to you." factories, the Kleinwangleben, with its higher percentage of sugar, is the lead- bough, in a firm voice, and pointing

Mr. Zavitz, in speaking of tests with "I guess not," said the desperado, fodder corn, gave high graise to the He started forward and was about to Wiscensin Earliest White Dent as be- put his arm about the girl, when she ing adapted to Central Ontario. Ow- sprang back and with the movement ing to the ravages of the pea weevil brought her revolver to the level of of late years, the grass peas have been his breast. planted. This variety is proof against As Howardson leaped forward she the weevil and does well in the general fired the first shot. He staggered back, run of years. Too much rain the past resting on the table to steady himself. two seasons has been unfavorable to and then attempted to clutch the girl the ripening of the grain, and the yield by the throat. of grass peas has fallen rather low.
Yet Mr. Zavitz would venture to plant It again on the strength of a good the trigger a third time, and the shot

reputation in the past.

Prof. Day spoke of the feeding value f some of the principal fodders and Howardson made a final effort to throw the preparations, of rations. His conclusions are that a great mistake is deliberate aim, and as the fourth shot made in giving large amounts of grain rang out the desperado fell to the to fattening steers. The statistics collected by the On-

A larger crowd than usually assembles at a sitting of the county court larger than the supervision of Mr. C. C. James. One significant fact gleaned from these reports was that the tings opened today before his honor, value of live stock has been gradually

months. The illness took a critical Engineer's and Architect's Journal," Chicago, Dec. 8. — Bearing the official turn a few days ago, and he became His first productions in general literaunconscious last night, passing away eure were in the shape of a series of letters on the "Proper Sphere of Gov-Spences's illness. He was born in Economist, then edited by the late The newspapers all publish long ap- work, "Social Statics." Shortly after-Victorian age."

etc. In 1855 appeared his "Principles of Psychology." In 1860 he commenced a connected series of philosophical works born in Derby in 1820. He was educated designed to unfold in their natural or-125 Murders in Chicago and Not a chiefly of mathematics, and his uncle, series belong, besides the "Psychology" Hanging.

Rev. Thomas Spencer, a clergyman of (2 vols., new ed. 1871-1872), "First Principles" (1882 and ed. 1867), "Psychology" the Established Church, well known for his liberal opinions on political and ecciples of Sociology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Sociology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Sociology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Sociology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Biology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Biology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Biology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Biology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Principles of Biology" (2 vols., 1864), and "Principles of Biology" (1862, 2nd ed., 1867); "Princ clesiastical questions. At the age of 17 ucation" was published in 1861, "The he became a civil engineer; but after Study of Sociology" in 1872, and "Deabout eight years abandoned the profession in consequence of the large in- into detail, the theory of evolution.

TOWER BANDIT

Montreal, Dec. 8.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the guest of nonor last night at EDUCATION PROMINENT FEATURE WIRES, "I HAVE KILLED A MAN"

Experiments With Grains-Qualities Locks Up and Surrenders to the Police, But is Discharged-

> Williamson, W. Va., Dec. 8 .- "! have shot and killed a man who attacked me in the tower tonight. Leaving my In these words Miss Kate Roubough. Railroad tower at Thacker, near here. Saturday night informed the operator in this place of her effective resistance of William Howardson, a notorious out-

Desperado Wil! Die.

law, who attempted to hold ner un in the lonely Thacker tower. Leaving the body of Howardson where he fell, pierced by two buliets, Miss Roubough, who is less than 29 the present vastly increased production years old, walked almost a mile through

After he had heard her story, the "The prosperity of the farmer," said magistrate promptly discharged the A posse was sent out to bring in Howardson's supposed dead body. He increasing number from our farms. To meet the changing conditions, many Roubough had aimed so accurately that there is no chance for his re-

covery. Thacker is in a lonely, desolate country off the main line of the Nor-folk and Western. A male operator is usually in charge of the keyboard there, but last night, by some oversight. Miss Roubough was given the detail. Along about midnight, while she was eating her lunch, there was a crash at the door, and before she could stir, Howardson, big and of evil appearance, sprang into the tower room. tacks on operators in other parts of constitute the leading feature of the the country, and to be protected against

> "What do you want?" she asked. "March right out," cried Miss Routo the door.

Again she fired, and as this shot went wild, quick as a flash she pulled

went hone. With two bullets in his breast, himself on the girl, but again she took

Pale, but resolute, the brave girl stepped over the body of the man she believed she had killed, and sat down to the ticker to flash the news to Williamson. When she got a reply releasing her for the night, she turned increasing until it is now nearly \$150,- out the lights in the tower, came to this place and surrendered.

of tool which are used by the "profession."

Hillis is a Guelph man with a bad record, and Yates at one time resided in Hamilton. High Constable McLoud make it interesting for the description of the man seen in Napier tallied with either of the pair new held at Hamilton.

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WEATHER NOTES.

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WHISKARD'S THREE BUSY STORES, 228, 230, 232 Dundas St.

An Interesting Announcement

This advertisement is an invitation to you to visit the Three Busy Stores. The lines of Merchandise are numerous and tempting. while the price advantages are larger and more in evidence than ever before. Our plea for your patronage is a practical, commons-ense one, based on our promise to sell you goods at less money than others ask, and our promises are faithfully performed.

4.505 Yards Flannelette.

Dark and light colors in various patterns. They are 31 to 33 ins. wide, sold regularly at 7c & 5c

Fancy Wrapperette.

1,430 yards; beautiful material; worth 7c and 8c. Selling at the Three Busy Stores at per yard...... 5c

SATEEN UNDERSKIRTS.

One line of Beautiful Black Mercerized Sateen Skirts; black and white em-

A special line of Mercerized Sateen Skirts that are easily worth 75c, for each

COTTONS.

Cotton is cornered and prices going up. But we are selling it cheaper than ever. Heavy Factory

MILLINERY.

Prices are cut to half and even less than half. No hat will be carried over. It will pay you to come and investigate.

RUSSIA MORE LIBERAL

STOLE A RED HOT STOVE

thief and his assistant, out of the house

and into a waiting wagon, which was

driven away by the men, who kept the

men and the stove went is a mystery

which the police would like to solve.

Before Bronchitis or Diphtheria

THROAT IS SORE

It may be only a

chronic, develop ca-

consumption.

Catarrhozone

the remedy.

WHEN YOUR

the throat or lungs.

A GALLANT RESCUE

Ferryman Plunges Beneath Ice and Was in Registered Mail- No Clue to Peasants Will Have a Say in Mak-Saves Boy and Girl.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 8. — David Seguin, who operates the ferry between Gatineau Point and Rockcliffe Park, saved the lives of two children of Joseph Letemps, of the Point, on Saturday afternoon. The children, a boy and a girl, aged 9 and 6 years, respectively, went through the ice. Seguin rushed to their rescue, and jumping into 30 feet of frigid water, went under the ice the closest investigation will prove that feet of frigid water, went under the ice and brought the boy out. He then jumped in again and brought the girl to the surface. Both children were unconscious, but responded to medical treatment. This makes the second treatment. This makes the second time Seguin saved the boy's life, and the closest investigation will prove that they had no guilty knowledge of the package is that it was mailed from the Bank of Hamilton at Winnipeg, to the Bank of treatment. This makes the second time Seguin saved the boy's life, and the closest investigation will prove that they had no guilty knowledge of the package is that it was mailed from the Bank of Hamilton at Winnipeg, to the Bank of Hamilton at Vancouver, early last time Seguin saved the boy's life, and the closest investigation will prove that they had no guilty knowledge of the cause of the increasing poverty of the package is that it was mailed from the Bank of Hamilton at Winnipeg, to the Bank of Hamilton at Vancouver, early last landed proprietors and representatives of artisans and peasants.

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ONE OF A SCORE

In a Nawfoundland Town Cured of Lame Back and Kidney Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Fortune Harbor, Nfld., Dec. 7 .- Richard Quirk, one of the best known residents of this place, is one of a score of people here who suffered from Lame Back and Kidney Disease, and were permanently cured by Dodd's Kidney

Pills. Mr. Quirk says: "I suffered from Lumbago and Kidney Disease for more than twenty years. At intervals I was totally unable to work. Doctors and medicines gave me little relief, and I had almost made up my mind my trouble was incurable, when I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I experienced relief almost at once, and seven or eight boxes cured

Cure your Backache with Dodd's K'dney Pills, and it will never develop into

NEW TRACTION COMPANY

A Compressed Air Line That May of Canadian exporters. Touch at London.

Toronto, Dec. 8 .- Compressed air is the newest motive power proposed to be used for railways in this province. An organization styling itself the Ontario Traction Company, will apply at the next session of the Legislature for a charter to operate a system of railways in Western Ontario, the motive investment. power to be compressed air, electricity, or any motive power other than steam. The system will touch London, Stratford, Seaforth, Mitchell, Clinton, Wingham and several other towns.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's." Manitoba raised 3,500,000 bushels of

potatoes last year. THEY ARE A POWERFUL NER-

once engendered is difficult to deal with. There are many testimonials as to the giving proper tone to the digestive organs, restore equilibrium to the nerve

An American gasoline motor bus is in operation in London's streets. WHEN ALL OTHER corn preparations fail, try Holloway's Corn Cure. No pain whatever, and no inconvenience in using

Compulsory vaccination is being enforced in the Philippines.

Wages are 601/2 per cent of the operating expenses of railways. Wash greasy dishes, pots or pans with

for tuberculosis research, has offered investigation of opthalmia in Egypt. What is stated to be a spring giving forth a liquid resembling essence of violet both in perfume and chemical

Tonight

Hood's Pills

\$10,000 MISSING

Whereabouts.

done up in a package and sent by registered mail. Postoffice inspectors and detectives were placed on the case and approval of an elective body, and there and winter solstice. In every prob-

CANADA AND AUSTRALIA

Probable the Dominion Will Be Given

Substantial Preference.

Ottawa, Dec. 8 .- Canadian Commercial Agent Ross, writing from Perth, West Australia, says that preferential trade looms largely in the policy of the have time to steal all the household fur-Commonwealth Government, placed by the Premier before the electors, and that Canada will secure a preference seems implied by the speeches already made. Even a start of 15 per cent in our favor will place some of our The stove, fire and all, was lifted by the manufacturers upon a much improved basis in competing for trade in Australia. Concerning his tour of Western and Southern Australia Mr. Ross says: "My work has been very encouraging fire going as they drove off with the and all along the line has been express- stolen property. Where the wagon, the Although Scores Have Been Present

ed a warm desire to increase impor-tation from Canada." Mr. Ross met with much encouragement in West Australia and found but up to the present time they have many firms anxious to increase their been unable to get on the right trail. importations from Canada. All that is eded is a special effort on the part

The Minister of Railways of West Australia finds that more rolling stock is needed for the Government system, and is ready to give Canadian 'car builders a chance to compete if their Inhale Catarrhozone and Get Cured prices are right.

Commercial Agent Larke mentions that the Australian Government will. it is reported, go into conference with the other owners of the Pacific cable as to the future management of that

Trade With South Africa.

London, Dec. 8 .- J. G. Jardine, the Canadian commissioner to South Africa, who arrived in London yesterday, says the prospects of Canadian trade with South Africa are excellent. Two hundred and fifty cattle recently landed from the steamer Monarch. The im-CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold were killed at once. Mr. Jardine is going to take ship to Canada on Dec. makes breathing easy and kills any

British-Canadian Trade.

London, Dec. 8.—The imports from last fall that settled on my lungs. VINE.—Dyspepsia causes derangement of Canada during the month of November the nervous system, and nervous debility were as follows: Cattle, 14,680 head, Canada during the month of November valued at £246,487; sheep and lambs, of the wonderful cures of Catarrhozone 15,676 head, valued at £25,119; wheat, I decided to try it. The irritability efficacy of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills in treating this disorder, showing that they never fail to produce good results. By valued at f1903c; peas 34 040 cwts, valued at f1903c; peas 34 040 cwts, and in less than one week it valued at £19,036; peas, 34,040 cwts., entirely cured my cough.' valued at £16,582; bacon, 17,048 cwts., The reason Catarrhoza valued at £166.822; hams, 17,443 cwts., cures is that it goes right to the sore valued at £44,314; butter, 20,226 cwts., spot which it heals and makes well valued at £471,521; eggs, 236,661 great quickly. It has no equal for the speedy hundreds, valued at £91,229; horses, 21, valued at £630.

Seeking New Homes.

London, Dec. 8 .- During the month of November there emigrated from Great Britain to Canada 1.452 persons druggists or by mail from N. C. Polof English birth, 76 Irish, 108 Scotch, of English birth, 76 Irish, 108 Scotch, and 2,189 foreigners, making a total of ford, Conn., U. S. A. Lever's Dry Soap a powder. It will remove the grease with the greatest ease. 36 Great Britain for Canada, 2.565 Irish. The London Daily Mail states that 10,247 Scotch and 36,823 foreigners. The emigrants to Australia and New Zea- to each of us according to our fool land during the eleven months were desires. to give \$200,000 toward the study and 11,695 to South Africa 59,772 and to the United States the British emigrants the numbered 119,907.

Two Freights Collide.

Winnipeg, Dec. 8. - Two Canadian Pacific Railway freight train collided at an early hour yesterday morning between Nesbitt and Methyen. It was a head-on collision, with both trains per singgish, out of tune and you leel dall billons, constipated, take a dose of without mjury. The two locomotives were badly wrecked and the cars piled up in the ditch on the top of each other. The damage done is reported to be very considerable.

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Your Furnace or Coal Stove Fire and firemen of both trains jumped off without mjury. The two locomotives were badly wrecked and the cars piled up in the ditch on the top of each other. The damage done is reported to be very considerable.

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HICKS ONCE MORE

Tells What Kind of Weather to Expect for December.

WIND AND SNOW FOR XMAS

During Month There Will Be Thunder, Lightning, Rain, Heavy Winds and Blizzards.

St. Louis, Dec. 8. — Rev. Irl. R. Hicks' prognostications, which he publishes to the world monthly through "Word and Works," are just to hand, being ten days later than usual. As the first storm period will have elapsed before this reaches the eye of the reader, it is omitted at this time. Extracts from his forecasts are appended:

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"On and touching the 10th and 11th will come a very noticeable reaction to warmer—another fall of the barometer will pass eastwardly across the country, merging into more storms of winter rain, turning to general snow. The passage of the moon over the celestial equator on the 11th, blending with the perturbations of winter solstice and moon's last quarter, will cause some winter thunder and lightning in sections southward, but the general disturbances will be boreal in character, bringing heavy snow and country. Many other parts of the globe on land and sea, will experience heavy winter storms, beginning at this period and extending well through the remainder of the month.

The regular storm period, central on the 17th and extending from the 15th to the 20th, will bring a decided fall of the barometer, progressively from west to east. The temperature will rise, winds will shift to southerly and easterly, and more storms of rain and snow will develop in eastern parts on and touching the 17th. During the 18th to 20th these storms wil pass over the country to the Atlantic. Rains to the southward, turning to sleet and snow northward, may be expected, all followed from the northwest by high barometer, wintry gales, and a cold wave. It will be the part of wisdom and common sense to anticipate such things, and make pre-

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approval of an elective body, and there ability there will be general and seprence and seprenc appear all over the country. same time. They will organize and start on their eastward sweep in the west and northwest, not far from they will make transit over most parts of the country to the Atlantic He Hadn't Time to Take Anything coast. There is danger of very severe winter storms of sleet and snow and blizzard, especially in the west and niture in the residence of R. H. Chalfant, No. 522 North West street, con- sleet, all feared and provided against the last stove, which warmed him on his way.

NO PIANO AT VATICAN

ed to Various Popes.

Heart Palpitated. FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS.

COULD SCARCELY EAT.

TWO BOXES OF

MILBURN'S

whom she had almost given up hope .

of ever getting well again.

draws inflammation and soreness out of the throat. Relieves the cough. It cuts out the FELT WEAK AND NERVOUS. germs lodged in the mucous lining of Mrs. Chenoweth, of Glendive, writes:

"I had a bad cough for several months Nothing I used could shake it off, but reading in the Presbyterian Witness The reason Catarrhozone always

cure of coughs, colds, catarrh, bronworthy of a trial. Catarrhozone inhaler can be carried in the vest pocket ready for use any time. Two months treatment costs only one dollar; trial size 25c. Sold by

What a miserable old world this would be if retribution were dealt out

IT WILL PROLONG LIFE.-De Sota the Spaniard, lost his life in the wilds of Florida, whither he went for the purpose of discovering the legendary "Fountain of Perpetual Youth," said to exist in that then unknown country. While Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will not perpetuate youth, it will remove the bodily pains which make the young old before their time and harass the aged into un-

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THE WEATHER TODAY-Cloudy; colder; snow flurries

Buy today-buy early-buy before the store closes at 6 o'clock.

Showing special values in Children's Toqes, in n avy scarlet, white, black and cardinal, at 25c and 50c; Children's Colored Silk Bonnets at from \$1.00 to \$2.25, and a choice line of Children's Angora Bonnets, all suitable for Christ-

Silks for Christmas

None will be sold before Wednesday morning. You can see them all day Tuesday and get an idea of the great values offering. They're the accumulation of odd pieces of our most popular Silks, and to sell them now at such a low price will be no task at all. It's getting near Christmas and such beautiful Silks, suitable for evening gowns and waists, will find ready purchasers. Come early Wednesday. In the lot are:

piece All-Navy Blue Lace Stripe

3 pieces Pink, Pale Blue and Helic Brocades, in bow knot design

And many others that were sold regularly as high as \$1.25 and \$1.50 the yard. All go on sale Wednesday morning at 79c yard. See display in window.

Jackets for Christmas Gifts.

A Jacket from our stock would be appreciated by any lady as a gift. Most of them buy their coats here, and to have our label on a garment is a guarantee that it's good. These are low-priced.

Ladies' Jackets of Fawn Beaver, semi-fitting, collarless coat with cape and stole, bell sleeve, cape and stole neatly stitched and trimmed with buttons. Special for only......\$5.00 Ladies' Jackets of Zebeline Cloth, in black and navy, semi-fitting with belt, collarless coat with cape over shoulder, double-breasted, with military buttons. A very stylish coat for

Ladies' Jackets of Zebeline Golf Cloth, in gray, box coat, 36 inches long, collarless coat with Misses' Ulsters in Fawn Zebeline, box back, new sleeve, deep shawl collar, cuffs and collar

trimmed with broadcloth and fancy braid. Would be suitable for ladies of small build.

are showing a splendid range of Ladies' Fur-Lined Capes, in Plain and Fancy Coverings,

Also a full line of Ladies' Fur Coats, in Astrachan, Electric, Bokharan and Persian Lamb. Lowest prices.

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

ENEMY OF WHALES

the 26th, and during the 27th to 30th Strange Creature Said to Exist in Alaskan Waters.

Indianapolis, Dec. 7.-A thief with a north, between the 26th and the 31st a fishery on Admiralty Island, torment of thirst I would dig a well tendency toward humor, who did not of December. They may not come, it tendency toward humor, who did not is true, but the indications are ten to one that they will. Blockades of tention and the attention of the ent in every human being a trace of whales of the species rorqual there, passion for natural history, which his but never worry if Nerviline is in the

Rome, Dec. 8. - Mascagni tells the make three blows at intervals of from much instruction the author contrives Journal correspondent that he has seen two to three minutes each, and then to convey in a most interesting and working on five operas, three of them sound deep and stay beneath the sur- amusing style, showing lads how being historical, but he is uncertain face for thirty or forty minutes. As watch and learn the traits and habits whether they will ever be finished. The public apparently has no desire for historical whale would come to the surface, of the forest folk, and how to best make themselves comfortable while camping.

of the unfortunate whale in such a book, making it altogether a most fit-manner that it was a wonder to me ting gift for our boys, Wm. Briggs, Tothat every whale attacked was not instantly killed. Its operator seemed to have perfect control of its movements, and would bend is back till the end would touch the water forming a horseshoe loop, then with a sweep it would be straightened and of the whale with a whack that could be heard for several miles. If the

whale was fortunate enough to submerge his body before the blow came, the spray would fly for a distance of 100 feet from the effect of the strike, making a report as loud as a yacht's signal gun. What seemed most remarkable to

me was that no matter which way the attacked whale went, or how fast (the usual speed is about fourteen knots) great club would follow right along by its side and deliver those tremendous blows at intervals of about **HEART** and **NERVE** four or five seconds. It would always get in from three to five blows at each of the three times the whale would come to the surface to blow. The whale would generally rid itself of the enemy when it took its deep sound, especially if the water was forty fathoms or more deep. During shore, but at night the whales would be the day, the attack was always off attacked in the bay and within forty

yards of the fishery. I did not know of any whales being She writes: "I was so run down that killed, but there were several that had I was not able to do my work, was short of breath, had a sour stomach every night and could scarcely eat. My heart palpitated, I had faint and dizzy spells and felt was told that there was only one, that it had been there for many years, weak and nervous all the time. My husband get me a box of Milburn's Heart canoe and with one stroke of the and Nerve Pills but I told him it was no great club smashed the canoe into use, that I had given up hope of ever being cured. He however persuaded me to take them and before I had used half

the box I began to feel better. Two boxes and of the first property and the common property of the first party of the common of

LITERARY NOTES.

"TWO LITTLE SAVAGES." this book will explain his purpose in Chicago, Dec. 7. - While operating writing: "Because I have known the snow and destructive burdens of fishing crew was almost daily attract- the original savage; in healthy, normal winding up with a full- ed to a large marine creature that boys this finds vent in a love of camp- applied, for it is the strongest pain-retented himself with carrying off a new grown cold wave, are the things to be would appear in the main channel of ing out, etc., i. e., living as nearly as liever in the world. "I consider Nervil-Seymour Canal and our immediate vi- they can in savage fashion. These "Two ine a most magical remedy for neural-

natural enemy. The whales generally travel in schools, and while at the surface to blow one would be singled out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish, and a wildwood. They are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish are allowed a two out and attacked by the fish are allowed at the country for his health, Tan is hired few applications never yet failed to kill the pain. I can also recommend Nervilline for stiffness in the joints and the country for the country for the country for the country few applications never yet failed to kill the pain. I can also recommend Nervilline for stiffness in the joints and the country few applications never yet failed to the country few a battle was soon in order.

It is the nature of the rorqual to week's extension." One is surprised how weeks' holiday to camp out, "with wan Price 25 cents. torics, and he also is dissatisfied with whale's right side and just about the libretti heretofore submitted. At where his head would connect with present he is considering a libretto by the body, a great long tail or fin, him fairly share our interest with the hody. to play on the piano, but search failed to reveal any piano in the Vatican. although scores of pianos were sent as presents to Pius IX. and Leo. The present Pope bought a piano here for a thousand francs and plays on it by slight cold now—just a tickling in the throat. But little colds soon grow large and dangerous. Of-

> ronto, is the publisher. WILSHIRE'S MAGAZINE.

based on Senator Hanna's success in the recent Ohio elections. Mr. Hanna, Mr. Wilshire says, has played his last card, in promising prosperity as a result of his success, when all the indi-cations are that he will fail to make Ernest Thompson Seaton's preface to good, as prosperity is about taking its flight. The magazine has a good Christmas story by Upton Sinclair, author of "The Journal of Arthur Stirling."

Neuralgic Headache Is Usually Attended with blinding pain, but relief comes quickly when Nerviline is cinity. There are large numbers of Little Savages" are Tan, a boy with a writes Mrs. E. G. Harris, of Baltimore, and the monster seemed to be their parents repress most sternly. Sent to house. The prompt relief that Nervil-natural enemy. The whales generally

> It is sometimes well to remember that to if you don't say a thing you will have ne occasion to unsay it later.

SEVERE COLDS are easily cured by the use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, a medicine of extraordinary pene-

mor in many cities. The boys climb upon the tank car, place their noses over the manhole and thus inhale the fumes. The effects produced are similar to those produced by alcohol: First a feeling of exhilaration, then a period of stupor, and following is the period of deep sleep. It is stated that in several instances boys, drunk from Wilshire's Magazine for December | these fumes, have been taken to hoshas for its leading editorial an article pitals.



Every housekeeper can have her home cheerful and bright if she uses Sunlight Soap. No matter what may be the cleansing operation -washing clothes-woodwork-bric-a-brac-Sunlight Soap will lighten the work and make everything clean and sweet. Made of

pure oils and fats, it contains no injurious ingredient. SUNLIGHT SOAP

Sunlight Soap washes the clothes white and won't injure the hands.

LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED, TORONTO.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS DEATHS. GIBSON-In this city, on Dec. 7, 1903 George Gibson, aged 69 years. Funeral from the family residence, Walnut street, on Wednesday, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this inti-PEARSON-On Dec. 7, 1903, at her parents' residence, 472 Ontario street, Pearson, aged 22 years. Funeral on Thursday, Dec. 10, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this inti-Renfrew and Smith's Falls papers please copy. Transient Condensed Advertisement No Advertisement Less Than Ten Cents. AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Two cents per word each insertion. MEETINGS-When no admission is charged, one cent per word each inser-ARTICLES FOR SALE, TO LET HELP WANTED, SITUATIONS WANTED, BOARD AND LODGING, LOST AND FOUND, ROOMS TO LET, REAL ESTATE FOR SALE, ETC.—First insertion one cent per word, each subsequent insertion one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than ten words, BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS - One cent per word each insertion. Six insertions for price of five; twelve for nine; eighteen for price of thirteen; one month for price of seventeen. AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Grand-Tonight-8:15 W. R. Dailey presents the jolly comedian HARRY STUBBS in the sparkling comedy success, "THE GAY MR. GOLDSTEIN." 25e, 35c, 50c, 75c. BLIND PIANIST-THOMAS MITCHELTREE ("Best Chopin Player") Tonight-First of cycle in Conservatory Hall. Single recital, 50 cents. Entire cycle (three recitals), \$1. b **Old Country Excursions** Campania leaves New York for Liverpool, via Queenstown, Saturday, Dec. 12. Ionian leaves Halifax Monday, Dec. 14, for Liverpool, via Derry. F. B. Clarke, agent, 416 Richmond street. IMPERIAL CLUB CONCERT TUESDAY, DEC. 8, 1903. Admission, 25c and 15c. At City Hall. DUNDAS STREET CENTER CHURCH Choir Concert TUESDAY, DEC. 15. Artists: Soprano, Miss Dora McMurtry; baritone, Mr. Arthur Blight; solo 'cellist, Mr. Paul Hahn; and the Church Choir. JUBILEE RINK - OPEN TONIGHT. Tony Vita's Orchestra in attendar Admission, 10 and 15 cents. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY-AT-LANTIC steamships. Send for your friends in Old Country now, and avoid crush in spring. F. B. Clarke, agent, phone 1,570. academy, 345 Princess avenue, Number limited. Register your name early. Dayton & McCormick.

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CHAMBERLAIN NOT COMING Will Devote All His Time to the Fiscal Fight.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 8 .- A member of Mr. Chamberlain's family, writing to a friend in the city, speaks with confidence as to the outcome of the campaign the ex-Colonial Secretary has entered on in Great Eritain. One passage it contains is of such interest that the recipient yielded to a request to be allowed to publish it. The passage is as follows: "I fear my father wil! be too busy to come out to Canada in the next twelve months, or, indeed until this campaign has been fought 500000000000 have. And

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the present sessions of the Middlesex county council is looked upon as their godfather by his fellow-members. For forty years he has been in the council, proud of the confidence that his fellowcitizens have placed in him. The members of the council, if they prove popfor instance-but none have reached lustration of the faith and confidence

a century. When an Advertiser reporter approached him and the conversation commenced, Mr. McLeod broke into

smiles as he was asked for some remin-"Yes, it's true that I am in my 40th year in the council," he said, "and I guess that I am about the oldest officeholder in Middlesex. I still feel good for a few more years yet. It would not seem like living if I did not come into seem like living three times a year, and I guess that by this time I feel as if I owned a couple chairs up there-no, I don't take up two, but I change about once in a while,

ONLY TWO OF THEM. "There are only one or two members of the county council living who were there when I first went in to air my views with the older heads. One is Richard Tooley, who was reeve of Dorchester when I started. Since that time for East Middlesex. There are several others, but I cannot remember them just now. There have been quite a few hundreds pass through the council since have some bumper meetings. The three and my back so lame that I could hardly turn myself in bed and it was the days when often grain had to be carted to Port Stanley and the pork down or rise up. all had to be taken to Hamilton to the packing markets. I have known many TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN- cases where consignments of crockery were received at Port Stanley and brought to London en route for Hamilton. The trip would be taken in easy stages and one team of horses would do the job in a couple of days.

THE OLD LONDON MARKET. "The London market was well patronload of grain would come here on each meeting day. The prices were always Jackson's, how much more easily will good and the market was the most control they cure yours. If you cure yours come through. That was the time when stage Mr. Jackson's did. the hotels were well patronized, I tell you. The farmer did not get to a town of London's size very often in those days, and it was somewhat of a nov-THE LONDON STUDIO OF ELOCU- ky was but 25 cents a gallon), there Mr. Sapp, while driving with his wife, was always a surety of many going home with less meal—at least, less of not in barrels

THE SKEDADDLERS "Hotels used to do well in more ways than one in the old days. When the civil war betwene the Northern and the Southern States started there were many Americans who preferred the peaceful climate of Canada to that of their own disturbed country at that particular time. They were called 'skedaddlers,' by the people over here. I haven't got the pluck, they've got the Township of London, in the County of Middlesex. There is erected thereon a frame dwelling house, good barns and stables. Terms liberal. For further particulars apply to PURDOM & PURDOM, vendors' solicitors, London, or to JOHN dove came again and the Yankees went back home, a smaller elastic would encompass the bank rolls. "BEFORE THE WAH." "Speaking of the negro calls to mind

the great number that came to Canada W. J. SMITH & SONS Essex county, and they were credited with making frequent raids and carrying off a horse or a sheep in this vicin-

thieves were only meant for story-books and rope-halters. I think that the leader of the gang was finally captured and brought to the city on a trial of murder. He succeeded in getting off, however, I believe. The absence of lawlessness has always been a great Mr. Simon McLeod, who is attending credit to the county, and I think that

of the praise for keeping it down. HOTELS GALORE. "Were there many hotels then?" asked Mr. McLeod in answer to a queshaving attended 120 sessions. If he had tion. "As many as there were stubbles sat down to serve out his term in one in a wheat field. You could hardly turn around without seeing a line o perfectly still for nearly two solid years. has been a great change since then. In them stretching along the road. There He has seen the strenuous times and West Williams, where there was althe harvest which the sturdy sons of most a hotel on every corner at one Middlesex have reaped. The prosperity ent. I believe that there were ten of the county at the present time is places in the township where you could gratifying to this patriarch, and he is buy whisky illegally, and there were dozens of places where you could buy

it the other way. MANY MOONSHINERS. "Maine is not the only place where ular, are usually rewarded by contin- moonshiners have operated. There ued election to office. Many have spent more than a decade in the service—Governor Boston and Mr. Peter Elson, It was a very easy matter to secure a lit was a very easy matte license then, because the fee was lov the record made by Mr. McLeod. If and the townships issued their own length of service is any criterion, his licenses. I think it was under Mowat's position is a unique one, and it is regime that the high fee swamped all doubtful if any other man in the land the men who were not strong enough of the maple can point to such an il- to stand the strain of the increased fee. lustration of the faith and confidence in the county has been fortunate in given by generation after generation, the matter of taking care of its fin-Mr. McLeod has many times proved ances. Once there was a suspicion a valuable reference authority to the thrown on a county treasurer, and once other members of the council who have the county safe was robbed of \$1,200 in wanted to learn of happenings of half silver, but there were the only two occasions, and neither was a disastrous

blow. The county was always in a firm financial state. "I hope to be with the council for some time vet. You know a person can become attached to the affairs of his county as he can to a child," were the veteran councilman's concluding philo-

LAID HIM UP

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Cured Him-Terrible Lengths to Which Dyspensia Will GoUnless Promptly Looked After and

he has been a member of Parliament Chronic Dyspepsia. I doctored for it for nearly twenty years," writes Jackson Johnson, of Norham, Ont. "About two years ago I was taken with Diarrhea, which became chronic, and con-I started. There used to be 50 mem- tinued for almost nine months, during bers in the old days and we used to which time my bowels became so sore with great difficulty that I could stoop

"I continued to grow weaker and was at length confined to bed for a time. A person who was using Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets induced me them, and continuing their use I have steadily improved till now I am in comparatively good health. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for taking me from the brink of the grave." Your indigestion may be just startzed from Huron county then, Many a ing. But if Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets venient, until the railroads started to now it will never get to the terrible

May be Murdered.

Bainbridge, Ga., Dec. 8 .- John Sapp, a With a well-filled pocketbook and prominent merchant, has disappeared, light heart (not to mention that whis- and it is thought he has been murdered. was dragged from his buggy by several the kind that is done up in bags, and men. He has not been seen since. He had considerable money in his pockets when he disappeared.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

guarantees security to your estate in event of your death, paying an enormous dividend, and an excellent investment for yourself if you live. Ask Geo. R. Hamilton to send you particulars.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Brught Chat H. Fletchire CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought ity. It was made too warm for them in these quarters, and if their depredations had kept up a force to wipe them off the globe would have been organized. We in Middlenex were always civTELEPHONE CALLS.

LONDON, TUESDAY, DEC. 8.

"The Canadian Manufacturer on the Tariff.

gan of the manufacturing interests, an the death of Gladstone and Ruskin advocate of protection and a steadfast supporter of the National Policy and the Conservative party when both were alive, has something to say on the tariff in its issue of Dec. 4. Its text is the address of President Drummond. of the Manufacturers' Association, in which he argued for a Canadian tariff approximating to that of the United States. The Manufacturer says that according to the evidence of many influential members of the association it is impossible for Canadian manufacturers to supply the demands of the country for just such goods as they produce. Notwithstanding the tariff preference, Great Britain is not able to supply Canada with many lines, particularly manufactures of iron and steel, nor is John Stuart Mill his education was outany country in the world outside the United States. The Manufacturer adds:

"In previous issues of this journal we have enumerated a selected list of 84 dutiable manufactures of iron and steel imported into Canada in 1902, valued at more than \$23,500,000, more than 75 per cent of which came from the United States, while Great Britain supplied less than 13 per cent. The association very naturally feel considerable anxiety for the general welfare of the country; but it seems to overlook the fact that these imports of machines, machinery, apparatus and appliances, bought so large-ly in the United States, were absolutely necessary and essential in producing and keeping up the general welfare of the country so much to be desired. The association and many of its influential members have repeatedly expressed satisfaction that the tariff was fairly satisfactory in unexampled season of prosperity - a prosperity which calls for large imports of goods which we have not the capacity to produce at home; and now proposed to interfere with it by restricting the ability of consumers to supply their wants."

This is a large admission for an organ of the protected interests. It conrevision of the tariff, which was reiterthem are well satisfied with the schedules which affect their own industries, and would not be in accord with any movement that would disturb them. "It is conceded," says the Manufacturer, "that in certain industries some important tariff changes are imperatively required, particularly in some of the primary forms of iron and steel, and in certain lines of textule fabrics; and the impression prevails that the Governmen are quite willing to accede to such demands; but it is quite evident that a large element of the association would strenuously object to any general revision of the tariff."

A higher tariff on some primary forms of iron and steel and on certain lines of textile fabrics, would strike at British trade. The Manufacturer faces this question with none of the hypocrisy displayed by those who profess to sympathize with the Chamberlain propaganda, while calling for more protection against the British manufacturer. For instance it says the preference has almost worked the ruination of the Canadian woolen industry. This statement is wide of the mark, as many Canadian woolen mills are prospering, British competition being felt severely in only a few lines of tweeds. But the Manufacturer is right in saying that the Manufacturers' Association, in demanding that the mininum tariff shall afford adequate protection, is practically asking for a prohibitory duty against the world, Great Britain included. If the schedules of the minimum tariff afford adequate protection to Canadian industries, why should there be a maximum tariff except for retaliatory purposes? it asks.

The Canadian Manufacturer voices the sentiments of many manufacturers in protesting against blindly copying the Dingley tariff, with the disturbance that a general revision of the schedule would entail on the whole range of Canadian industries. The Manufacturer is also to be commended tor plain speaking on the question of a preferential tariff and for refusing to be a party to organized decep-

It is significant that the Monetary Times, likewise a protectionist paper, standing high in the confidence of the mercantile classes, takes substantially the same ground as the Canadian Manufacurer. It says:

"While we would like to see a tar-iff framed in the interests of Canada first, we are by no means sure that to erect a tariff wall that shall exclude practically all foreign manufactures is a wise proceeding. Our carrying trade must have attention; our foreign merchants must be considered; the fact that no country can do a successful export trade which does not also buy abroad can-

not be disregarded. "It is not necessary, we conceive, to make the United States tariff our model. To do so will certainly result in antagonizing the Canadian man-ufacturers in the minds of a great mass of our people who are already disposed to think that our factories are doing well enough. Some of our industries, we know, are not doing well enough, but are seriously hand-icapped by foreign competition, and we should be glad if measures can be framed to assist them. Still, if in expectation of an impending elec-ing physical pertection, there would be less craving for artificial enjoyments, and probably less craving for wealth.

Sir John: "Those who care to be protected at all want all the protection they can get. They are like the squaw who said of whisky, "a little too much is just enough."

The Death of Herbert Spencer. analysis and brain-twisting arithm

The death of Herbert Spencer today the contemporary and successor of The Canadian Manufacturer, an or- Darwin, Tyndall and Huxley, and since lishmen who survived the nineteenth triumphed over age and infirmity and continued his labors to the last, pro ducing voluminously for his great life work, the "Synthetic Philosophy." His career has been an example of heroic industry, almost without parallel. He never enjoyed robust health, and was frequently in financial straits, which interfered with the prosecution of his on a 2 per cent basis. studies and researches. His philosophical bent was shown as a child. He was fond of keeping insects and watch ing their transformation and for years the finding and rearing of caterpillars the catching and preserving of winged insects and making drawings of them were his regular occupation. Like side the schools. He was taught chiefly by his father, himself a teacher. He showed an aptitude for mathematics

and at 16 devised a new and ingenious theorem in descriptive geometry. At 17 he became a civil engineer and worked at it until 1841, when he returned home to spend two years in study. In 1943 he tried to get some literary occupation, but failing, returned to engineering, and while pursuing this calling contributed to philosophic journals, and continued to store his mind and accumulate scientific data. He imbibed the doctrine of evolution and became a believer that all organized beings have arisen by development. In 1854 he first conceived of evolution as a universal process and this was the starting point protecting Canadian industries; and of his philosophic system. His fame it is an accepted fact that many of will be permanent as the founder of our varied industries are enjoying an this theory of universal evolution. The logic of his own theory applied to social problems made him the representative of extreme individualism. He contemplated society as an organism. and drawing his analogy from organic life, argued that social perfection could only be attained by "the survival of the fittest," by the same struggle among inment to the fewest possible functions,

cedes that there was a strong demand dividuals as in the vegetable and anima at the Halifax meeting for an entire world. He would restrict the governated at the Toronto meeting, but in the and looked to the time when the inteopinion of many members the demand gration of society through the evoluwas perfunctory, seeing that many of tionary process would render governments obsolete. And yet is it not a fact that the trend appears to be in the other direction? Spencer could hardly have regarded with equanimity the steady encroachment of the government on spheres which, according to hos doctrine and the laissez faire school of political economy, belong exclusively to private enterprise, or should be left to the spontaneous play of individual wills. It is not necessary here to discuss the Spencerian philosophy in relation to theology and revealed religion. Those who refute his teachings as materialistic concede the earnest moral

him to have been a great thinker. The Athletic Family.

[New York Sun.] Mother is out on the golf links, And getting up muscle galore; Brother disports on the gridiron, Enlarging his biceps some more.

Sister at basketball shows us What strenuous living is for; Father, meanwhile, in the office Develops the sinews of war.

Hyprocrisy Exposed. [Hamilton Times.]

While the Tory organs shout purity the old gang work in North Renfrew. Bob Birmingham, who held up the party by threatening to 'tell what he knew" if his demands for money were not met, has been squared, and he is up there with the "inflooence." Mr Whitney seeks to profit by such men and methods, while his organs cry "corruption!" at the Liberals.

Sudden Riches.

[Hamilton Spectator.] There is a member of the British Columbia Legislature who until tite

other day never saw a railway. Now he can see a railway pass every day. The Romaunt of the Rose. [Austin Dobson.]

Poor Rose! I lift you from the street— Far better I should own you, Than you should lie for random feet Where careless hands have thrown you

Poor pinky petals, crushed and to Did heartless Mayfair use you, Then cast you forth to lie forlorn, For chariot wheels to bruise you?

Rose, you would scarce discover That I she passed upon the stair Was Edith's favored lover.

month-"a little month"-ago-O theme of moral writer!—
Twixt you and me, my Rose, you know, She might have been politer

But let that pass. She gave you then— Behind the oleander— To one, perhaps, of all the men, Who best could understand her.

Cyril, that, duly flattered, took, As only Cyril's able, With just the same Arcadian look He used last night for Mabel.

Then, having waltzed till every star
Had paled away in morning,
Lit up his cynical cigar,
And tossed you downward, scorning.

Kismet, my Rose! Revenge is sweet— She made my heartstrings quiver; And yet—you shan't lie in the street— I'll drop you in the river.

[Montreal Star.] With more of genuine good health in

introducing the National Policy. Said shall see a new race springing up with Sir John: "Those who care to be protected at all want all the protection they can get. They are like the squaw who said of whisky, "a little the squaw who said of whisky, "a little who was the square that great referred will be the square that great ref probably to that of any earlier age. We hope this great reform will be pressed forward, even if a little time has to be stolen from grammatical

A Suggestion Approved. [Washington Star.]

"Why don't you do something to press yourself as one of the notable "That's a good idea," answered Sen ator Sorghum. "Ill write to some manufacturer this afternoon and find out what it will cost to have a brand cigars named after me.'

[Toronto Globe.] The ready sale of the new Canadian Pacific 4 per cent stock at 106 is the best kind of tribute to the financial position of that great enterprise and to the efficiency of its management. It is also an indication that on the join: credit of the Grand Trunk Railway and the Dominion Government there will be no difficulty in financing the new transcontinental railway from end to end

The Rush-Bagot Treaty.

[Hamilton Herald.] By protesting against a modification of the treaty the Dominion authorities might only bring about its abrogation. and then there would be nothing to prevent the United States putting fleets of war vessels on the lakes. It would be far wiser to make the desired concession gracefully than to withhold consent and run the risk of bringing about conditions which would be a ource of real and ever-present danger to this country.

BY GRAND CHANCELLOR

Pythian Lodges Are Visited - Growth of Order.

The two local lodges of the Knights of Pythias, Mrytle and Prospect, were honored by a visit of Grand Chancellor Horton, of St. Thomas, last evening The occasion proved to be one of the nost enjoyable in the history of the lodges. Nearly 100 members of the order were in attendance, and they were addressed in the lodge room by



Grand Chancellor Horton.

the grand chancellor, who has just returned from an official visit to the Northwest and New Ontario. He renature of the man, and acknowledge ported that there had been a wonderful increase in the endowment rank, and that the order was now \$3,000,000 ahead of ail liabilities. In Ontario there had been an increase of mem-bership of 270, and in New Ontario, especially, the order was prospering.
The third degree was exemplified and conferred man, the candidates. The especially, the order was prospering. conferred upon the candidates. The

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work was in charge of Sir Knight James Dean. A splendid banquet was afterwards given in the banquet hali to the visitors, who included Brothers Fortner, Strathroy; Gough, St. Thomas; Dr. Burns and Spencer, St. Thomas.

SOME PLANT-LIKE ANIMALS

"The Inhabitants of an Old Basswood Limb."

Meeting of London Entomologists-Prof. Dearness' Address.

The microscopical section of the Entomological Society of Ontario held their reguilar fortnightly meeting last Saturday ening in their rooms at the Y M C A Professor Bowman exhibited barnacles obtained from unbarked logs that had been unloaded from the G. T. R. in East London. As these animals are salt water forms, questions as to the place and cir-cumstances of their growth were discussbut not answered.

ed, but not answered.

Professor Dearness had charge of the subject for the evening, and gave a very interesting address, entitled "The Inhabitants of an Old Basswood Limb." He refuted the Linnaean aphorism that "minarals grow plants live and grow and "minerals grow, plants live and grow, and animals live, grow and feel," and dwelt particularly on a class of living organisms that are neither plants nor animals, exhibiting specimens of eight different kinds, which were collected this fall in London Township. In the first part of their lives they resemble animals in their movements and manner of feeding. When they reach maturity they become like plants, and their reproductive and concluding stages resemble corresponding processes in plants. The structure of hese organisms, as shown under the microscope, was very beautiful and in-teresting. Time failed in which to finish the examinations of the specimens, and Mr. Dearness was requested to complete the subject at the next meeting, Saturday evening, Dec. 19.

TO THE RUSSIAN

Decides To Make Settlement on Best Terms Obtainable.

Chinese Newpaper Employes of Shanghai on Irial for Sedition.

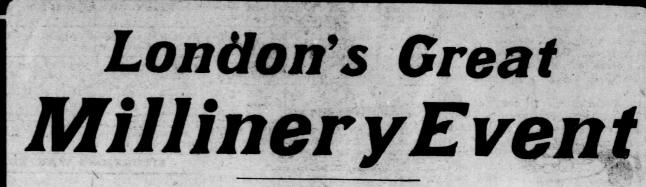
Pekin, Dec. 8. - Prominent officials nere assert that China is concluding an agreement with Russia for the government of Manchuria. It is expected that the arrangements will include most of Russia's supplementary terms for the evacuation and will nomnally confirm Chinese sovereignty, while giving Russia an advisory share n the government.

During the recent palace conferences these plans were discussed: War against Russia, an appeal to friendly nations for assistance, and a settlement with Russia on the best terms obtainable. The first plan was dismissed as suicidal. The second failed. Since then China has been unable to suggest, and the United States and Japanese to whom she appealed, have been unable to see any practicable

steps to be taken. Therefore the third plan was adopted. Foreign public opinion regarding the Sapao prisoners charged with sedition penetrated the Forbidden City, and orders were sent to Shanghai that the prosecution should demand only light mishments in the cases of the three esser offenders. The Government thus oped to vindicate itself of the charges that the prisoners would have been barbarously treated if they had been surrendered to the Chinese authori-

Shanghai, Dec. 7. - The trial before the mixed court here of employes of the Chinese newspaper Super Chinese newspaper Supao, charged with writing seditious articles, which begun Dec. 3, was concluded today. One of the prisoners was released and in the case of three others judgment was reserved.

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It stope that tickling in the throat, is pleasant to take and soothing and healing to the lungs. Mr. E. Bishop Brand, the well-known Galt gardener, writes:—
I had a very severe attack of sore throat and tightness in the chest. Some times when I wanted to cough and could not I would almost choke to death. My wife got me a bottle of DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP, and to my sur-prise I found speedy relief. I would not be without it if it cost \$1.00 a bottle, and I can recommend it to everyone bothered with a cough or cold. Price 26 Centa

Ontario Winter Fair.

the world, more of something approaching approaching approaching approaching approaching approaching approaching approaching as should be glad if measures can be framed to assist them. Still, approaching the street of a separation of an impending election the manufacturers propose as a war cry, 'protection as the United States have it,' we warn them that they are in danger of incurring the criticism that Sir John Macdonalti States have it,' we warn them that the schools will, in addition to making the children practice deep breathing the criticism that Sir John Macdonalti Signature of something approaching approaching the world, more of something approaching the should be glad if measures can be framed to assist them. Still, and shingle set being often sufficient to Guelph and return, and single fare from the grate of an eventiage for a tificial enjoyments, and single set being often sufficient to the tast and at the same less than by all the world, more of something approaching the world in the world of an impending election the manufacturers propose as a war cry, 'protection as the United for in the grate of an eventiage for a tific first in the grate of an eventiage for a tific first in the grate of an eventiage for a tific first in the grate of an eventiage for the room of the countries of the countries of the countries of the countries of the same of the same

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kidneys is pronounced and most bene-ficial, and by restoring healthy action they correct impurities in the blood. A Chicago cereal food company recently ordered 50 tons of ink for use n printing their packages. Great Britain spends \$112,500,000 a year on the support of the poor. This does not include private charities. THESE TWO desirable qualifications

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HATES MEN, TAKES TO DOGS LOMBROSO AND TOLSTOL

bureaucracy are now busy spreading

Arriving at Moscow he sent a tele-

"But do you know that Tolstoi is

"When I told him," Prof. Lombroso

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Dec. 7 .- At London-Mount Temple, from

At New York-Vaderland, from London;

Sarmatian, from Boston, At Moville-Furnessia, from New York, New York, Dec. 8.—The steamer Kaiser

telegraph as being in communication with

Recommends Prudence.

Montreal, Dec. 8.-At the annual meet-

ing of the shareholders of the Bank of

however, the general trade of the coun-

try was prosperous, various branches of

the Nantucket lightship at 1:35 a.m.

ctonka, from London. Cherbourg-Kron Prinz Wilhelm,

the expense of the Moscow police.

the rumor that the count is insane.

Baroness d'Herpent Rescues Strays How the Criminologist Outwitted the and Keeps Them in Her House. Russian Police.

Paris, Dec. 7. - The Baroness d'Herpent, like Robert G. Ingersoll, has de- for some time that the Czar, who percided that the more she knows of men sonally admires the famous author and the more she likes dogs, and so spends philosopher, Count Tolstoi, has succeed. her entire time in rescuing dogs from ed in putting an end to the many perthe streets. secutions from Russian officials to which the count has been subjected.

To such an extreme does she carry her cult that babies are her pet aver-In 1902 James Gordon Bennett found- Czar, the Holy Synod and the ruling ed at Gennevilliers, near Paris, a refuge for animals. Since then it has been taken in charge by the eccentric baroness, who is a cousin of the French

the Countess de Martel. The Baroness d'Herpent declares her disgust with humanity in general led her to befriend animals, better worth trusting than mankind. Her house is fairly running over with dogs and cats, picked up by her attendants, or sent there by people who pick hotel. them up in Paris. If anybody in the city finds a stray animal he has only egram to Tolstoi," he blurted out.

to telephone his find to Gennevilliers, and the baroness immediately sends indeed guilty of the offense. The Gordon Bennett fund is not suf- hopelessly insane?" baroness' continually increasing family glance, and told the police commission and she accordingly solicits aid from er that he was very well aware of this animal lovers whenever she can, and and that being a physician especially keeps the most foriora creatures that interested in Count Tolstoi's form of inno one would have in her own private sanity he wanted to visit him for this

In appearance the baroness is short, slight, straight and very active, though more than 50 years old. She is always was allowed to visit the count. found in her work-day attire. Large shoes, a gardener's apron and short says, "we both had a hearty laugh at skirts add to her extremely supercilious expression and make a very original and interesting figure.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies.
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A British Board of Trade return shows 442 strikes and lockouts in the United Kingdom during 1902. The 661; the aggregate duration in work- Nevertheless, he recommended prudence

COLOMBIA TAKES TROUBLES MAY BE TO THE WARPATH ONCE MORE AIRED

Make Good a Loss.

Contractor Asks County to Reported Invasion of Panama by Army of 3,000.

> U. S. Warships Closely Watch the Coast - Presumably According to Washington Orders.

Colon, Dec. 8. A rumor is in circu-

lation here to the effect that 3,000

soldiers have left Cartagena for the

of the isthmus.

in First Church.

London Choir Delights a Large Aud-

The First Presbyterian Church of

Westminster was filled last might with

as well-pleased an audience as ever

together with a miscedaneous pro-

musical affairs ever presented in West

The programme opened with the can-

life as when presented in St. Andrew's

the soprano soloists, taking their sev-

Mrs. R. Munro had the contralto solos.

doing justice to each one; Messrs. Alf-

Londoners as the work of Mr.

The second part of the programme

well repaid for waiting.

audience.

Andrew's Church, of the city, which gave its sacred cantata Hagar,

MOUNTAIN PASSES NONE BUT VAGS FOR THE JAIL THROUGH

The trouble between Contractor Ponsford, of St. Thomas, and the county council of Middlesex, which occupied so much of the time of the latter body a year ago, promises to be again thrashed out at the December meeting, which opened at the county council chambers yesterday afternoon. Ponsford was the contractor for a oridge, and the agreement was that he should bring the cement required for he floor as soon as the steel superstructure was finished. Ponsford, however, misinterpreted the bargain, and he had the cement on the scene some time befofe the steel work was finished, storing it there until it was needed. In the meantime the price of cement changed considerably, and Ponsford claims that he was a heavy loser. He also asks the count yto make good a also asks the county to make good a demning a quantity of cement which

The matter is now in the hands of board of road directors, the warden. Mr. Grigg, stating that he understood that Ponsford had issued a writ for \$100 damages against the counties of Middlesex and Elgin.

In opening the session, Warden Grigg referred to a number of matters to come before the council, one which referred to the imprisonment of persons in the county jail, instead of the House of Refuge. A letter was read from Sheriff Cameron stating that his instructions from the inspector of prisons were to the effect that none but loose and disorderly persons were to be confined in the jail Not daring to thwart the will of the for vagrancy. The refuge was proper place for men such as Blackwell, who is now in the lockup. The question was sent to the jail com-

The famous criminologist, Prof. Ce-Among the communications was novelist, "Gyp," who in private life is sare Lombroso, who has just returned letter from George Cushman, of Longwood, making a claim for \$95 for from Russia, tells how he became aware damages which were sustained by his wife and horse. The horse became frightened on a bridge and the huggram to Count Tolstoi announcing his He had hardly sent the dispatch when a police official entered his room at the a police official entered his room at the road directors. "Mr. Lombrosso, you have sent a tel-

Bennett, John Bradley, W. L. Corbett, J. S. Cousins, P. Ellson, N. A. Gal-The professor admitted that he was braith, D. D. Graham, Alex, Gray. J. P. Grigg, R. W. Jackson. Simon McLeod. George Welly, J. W. Sal-Lombroso took in the situation at a ald and G. D. Robotham.

MOAT FARM'S ILL REPUTE

Scene of Dougall Tragedy Sold at occasion was the visit of the choir of

gramme, which was one of the finest London, Dec. 7. - The Moat Farm, the stage of one of the weirdest trageminster. The large number who atdies of modern times, has been sold to tended had their patience somewhat on with ceaseless energy, forcing the auction. The sale of the old Essex farm tried by the choir being delayed in was ordered by the executors of the reaching the church, but they were late Miss Camille Holland, who was murdered and burned there by the brutai Dougal, and so tenaciously has the evil repute of the place stuck to it that At Liverpool-Ontarian, from Montreal; it was sold for \$600 less than the reserve price.

Boston.

At Glasgow-Brazilian, from Montreal; But the Holland family was evidently glad to get rid or the place at any sacrifice, and notwithstanding the 100 productive acres and the improvements that have been made upon the quaint and really comfortable house and buildings, it only brought \$6,900. Wilhelm II., from Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg, is reported by wireless red Marriott and Ernest Miller, tenors;

Since the execution of Dougal the spot has been visited by crowds of people, and even the advertisements of Moule and Ed Webster, bassos, took the Great Eastern Railway have referred to the farm as a holiday abode, notably, among its other attractions, "shooting"—an ambiguous inducement, Montreal yesterday, Senator Drummond, under the circumstances. Many flippant and irrelevant refer-

ket for securities. Notwithstanding this, however, the general trade of the countries of the quiet old Essex farm. were taken by Misses Myra Pickard, These were sharply repressed by the Elsie Wilson, Mrs. Charles Wheeler auctioneer.
"I should be afraid to live there if I bought it," said one of those present.

and Mrs. R. Munro. "The March of the Cameron Men," as sung by Mr. J. Arnold Thomson, met with the ap-

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purpose of invading the isthmus. No proval of a Scotch, as well as a music-details are known, and the rumor loving audience. Miss Pickard followpurpose of invading the isthmus. No could not be confirmed last night. It ed in her particularly pleasing soprobably had its source in Port Limon, prano, singing "He Was a Prince." Costa Rica, where it was brought by Costa Rica, where it was brought by baritone song, "The Jolly Sailor," steamer from Cartagena. The only excellent voice.

possible means of approaching Pan- A ladies' trio-Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. ama is by narrow and difficult moun- Monroe and Miss Pickard-rendered tain passes through the Indian country. The United States cruiser Atlanta is now on the Indian coast. Ambrose's setting of "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," and Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Munro followed with a Washington, Dec. 7 .- The dispatch Scotch song each, both of them er of the United States cruiser Atlanta thusiastically received. The latter to the Gulf of Darien is of great im- sang "Doon the Burn," which brought portance and interest in connection out well Mrs. Munro's rich contralte with the rumor from Colon of the de- voice. Mrs. Wheeler's number was that parture of the Colombian steamers for over-popular "The Standard on the the Isthmus of Panania. The gulf is Braes o' Mar." Her duet with Mr. Edabout 180 miles east of Colon, and the ward Webster, the last number before cruise in those waters will enable the the closing anthem, was one which Atlanta's commander to keep in close won the plaudits even more than those touch with the developments at Cart- preceding. It was Scotch. too. "The agena, from which place it is rumored that soldiers are to march. United and Mrs. Munro ably led the choir in States naval officials decline to say Mr. Wheeler's own setting of "The whother the disputable of the choir in the state of the choir in the choir in the state of the choir in the c whether the dispatch of Atlanta is the Ninety and Nine," which won the adresult of any intimations of warlike miration of the Westminster people, as is has the people of London and other operations on the part of Colombia. Nevertheless, the departure of the ves-

Rev. Dr. McCrae, pastor of the church sel is regarded is significant, indi-cating the intention of the United presided and was very well pleased with the evening from all standpoints. States to be on the alert. To the Colombians in Washington the reports He thanked the choir, to which Mr. Wheeler replied in a few appropriate from Colon produced a mystifying efwords, after which the choir were enfect. They will not say whether they tertained by the ladies of the church to believe the rumors or not. The Colrefreshments, served in the Sunday nbians believe there are three thousschool. The tables were an evidence of and or more soldiers at Cartagena, the hospitality of the ladies of the and at the various points along the First Presbyterian Church of Westsea coast available for an invasion minster, and the visit of St. Andrew's choir was one to be remembered with leasure. The choir enjoyed the evenng not only while at the church, but CONCERT AT WISTMINSTER the drive from and to the city, the evening being a social affair for the choir, as well as a musical treat for the members of the church in West-Sacred Cantata, "Hagar," Given minster.

The Human Dread of Heart Failure

Symptoms of Which Cause Constant A.arm Soon Disappear With the

attended a concert in that place. The

With a liberal supply of rich, red, life-sustaining blood the heart plods blood through the body and patiently renewing its own waste, but just as soon as the blood gets thin, weak or watery, the symptoms of heart weaktata, under the direction of Organist ness appear and hold the victim in

Charles E. Wheeler. The chorus work | constant terror. Because of its extraordinary bloodwas given with as much harmony and building qualities, Dr. Chase's Nerve Church, while the solo parts were Food thoroughly removes these symptoms and not only insures regular and scarcely ever better rendered. Miss Myra Pickard and Mrs. Wheeler were healthful heart action, but at the same time restores strength and vigor to the eral parts in their usual pleasing style.

Mr. J. B. Lee, 129 Sydenham street, London, Ont., states: had a severe illness which laid me up and Messrs. J. Arnold Thomson, Ernest for several months and left me in a very weak and run-down condition. I their solo parts very acceptably. The beautiful cantata, which is well known heart. Since using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I have not had a single attack of Chas. Wheeler, thoroughly delighted the heart trouble. I was soon able to return to work, feeling strong and healthy and also gained considerable marks, alluded to the decline in the mar- ences were made by those crowding the opened with an anthem, "Soldiers of in weight. I think that this is sufficient Nerve Food as a builder up of the

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A BOGUS SENSATION.

Story of Royal Scandal Proves To Be Untrue.

Prague, Dec. 8.-There is absolutely no foundation for the report that the Princess Elizabeth of Windisch-Graetz, wife of Prince Otto of Windisch-Graetz, granddaughter of the Emperor of Austria, and also granddaughter of the King of Belgium, shot and killed an actress whom she is alleged to have found in the apartments of the Prince. Prince Otto is now absent on a hunting trip, and the accouchement of Princess Elizabeth is at hand. The actress concerned in the episode is a soubrette at the Czech Surban Theater. She is the wife of a tailor, and has long been bedridden as the result of injuries received while dancing in "The Belle of New York." It is said that the whole story originated in the jealousy of her theatrical colleagues.

Vienna, Dec. 7.-The authorities here deny the report that Princess Elizabeth of Windisch-Graetz, wife of Prince Otto of Windisch-Graetz, and granddaughter of the Emperor of Austria, shot and killed an actress recently at Prague because she found the latter in the apartments of the Prince.

[The sensational report referred to in the above dispatches originated in a cable special to the New York World.]

Crushed to Death.

Hamilton, Dec. 8.—Roy McQueen, the 5-year-old son of Dr. McQueen, Freelton, was run over and had his body badly crushed by a heavily-laden sleigh at that village on Saturday. He died shortly afterward his injuries being of such a serious nature that nothing could be done to relieve him. An inquest will be held.

Dixo 's Death.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—The body of Robt. Dixon, the 14-y/ar-old jockey, shot at Nashville, has arrived home. The family are somewhat dissatisfied with the reports of the cause of death, and an inquest will be opened here. Dixon

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STOCK MARKETS. H. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Com-merce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier &

Carrington today: New York, Dec. 8—Noon.—There is no of farm products was very light, there not being enough offered in any one line There have been exhibition of strength in various quarters that are ninently satisfactory, and the resisting ower of the market has been sufficient licated without the appearance of spe cific pressure. The first hour of trading market acting remarkably, and much of the animation on the strength at opening was retained. An strength at opening was retained. An easier tone prevailed for a time and some reactions were noted. Part of these loss vere rapidly and easily regained, and the market now, while there is less ac tivity, is firm. St. Paul shows undoubted strength, and Missouri Pacific exhibits suggestive of much bullish possi-es. The traction stocks have beer strong, and Steel stocks acted remark then reacted, regained its loss and steadied. C. F. I. was weak in the early rading, but regained part of its loss and did better later. Atchison and Erie wer tures of the opening, both being active and strong. Copper was not consistently some evidence in various quarters, but judging from the tone of the market there must be a concert of the powers, Canadian Pacific did better today. Rock Island stocks have been strong, but it is doubtful if the interests identified The shipbuilding hearing is on still, but there are no sensational developments.

there are no sensational developm	ients.	"hat was offered; prices were as quoted.	100
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Toronto, De		Toronto, Dec. 8Wheat, 77c for No. 2	n
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Commerce	149	Georgian Bay points and he more grind	h
Imperial	214	ing in transit. Flour-Steady at \$2.05 to	18
Dominion	226	\$3 10 for cars of 90 per cent winter wheat	1
Standard	229	patents, in buyers' bags, west; choice	
Ottawa	010	brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba,	
Hamilton	210	\$4.55 to \$4.75 for come of The manitoba,	T
Nova Scotia270	***	\$4 55 to \$4 75 for cars of Hungarian	1
Traders	130	patents, \$4 25 to \$4 45 for second patents,	1
British America	96	and \$4 15 to \$4 25 for strong bakers, bags	
Western Assurance100	98	included, on the track at Toronto Mill	
Imperial Life	149	leed-Steady, at \$17 for cars of shorts	
National Trust	.::	and \$14 50 for bran in bulk middle	le
Consumers Gas	204	reignts; Manitoba steady at \$20 for care	1
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land	94	of shorts and \$18 for bran, sacks included.	
Canada Northwest Land, pref	98	Toronto freights. Barley-Steady; No. 2	
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Soo. common	54	No. 3 for feed at 36c, middle freights,	It
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General Electric145	143	2, high freights west or north, and 45c	It
London Electric		east or low freights to New York. Rye	1
Commercial Cable	154	-Steady, at 52c to 521/2c for No. 2 white.	
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co 841/4	831/2	Corn-Steady: Canada 46c for cars of	1
Niagara Navigation	118	new, and new American at 50c on track	
Northern Navigation 81	751/2	at Toronto; American, 541/2c for No. 2	
St. L. and C. Navigation	117	yellow, 521/2c for No. 2 mixed and No. 3	
Toronto Street Railway1001/8	995/8	yellow, and 52c for No. 3 mixed, on the	
Winnipeg St. Rai way	175	track at Toronto. Oats-Firmer, at 281/26	١.
Twin City Railway 951/4	945/8	for No. 1 white and one firmer, at 28/26	IA
Sao Paulo Tramway 92	891/2	for No. 1 white and 28c for No. 2 white	1
Dominion Steel, com	81/4	east; No. 2 white are quoted at 371/2c,	
Dominion Coal, com	76	middle freights and high freights west.	1
Nova Scotia Steel, com 79	781/2	Oatmeal-Steady, at \$350 for cars of bags	
Canada Salt	117	and \$3.70 for barrels on the track at To-	
Crow's Nest Ccal		ronto, and 2c more for broken lots. Peas	1-
Granda Landdan L. and I	70	-Steady, at 62c to 621/2c for No. 2 east	S
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv	101	and 61c to 611/2 middle freights. Butter-	
Canada Permanent	123	Steady. Eggs-Firm; strictly fresh-gath-	
Canada Savings and Loan	119	ered, 22c to 23c; ordinary fresh, 21c; cold	
Central Canada Loan.	150	storage 190 to 200: limed 200 D	1
Dominion Savings and Invest	70	storage, 19c to 20c; limed, 20c. Dressed	1
Hamilton Provident	128	hogs-Dearer for cars here; farmers' run,	
Huron and Erie L. and S. Co	180	\$6 for selects.	la
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123 58½ 107 SALES: Commerce, 9 at 151; Imperial, 45 at 214½; Hamilton, 30 and 10 at 210; St. Lawrence, 10 at 117; Canadian General Electric, 20 at 143; R. and O., 5 at 83; Twin City, 25 at 95; C. P. R. 500 and 250 at 120, 125 at 1187%, 400 at 11834, 50 and 250 at 11934, 100 at 11934, 100 at 11934; Traders, 2 at 12916; Dominion Steel bonds, 10,000 at 5834; Northern Navigation, 3 at 79, 20 at 78; Sao Paulo, 85 and 30 at 90, 1 at 9016; Dominion Steel, 50 at 81/2; Coal, 25 at 78; Nova Scotia Steel, 10 at 78, 25 at 7834, 5 600 ova Scotia Steel, 10 at 78, 25 at 78%, 5,000 bonds at 108; Toronto Railway, 25 at 99%; 25 at 100%, 100 and 75 at 100½, 50 at 100%. at 100%, 1 at 101; Hamilton Provident, 12

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Montreal Telegraph		16
Bell Telephone	160	150
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114; R. and O., 50 at 83%, 3 at 84; Detroit Railway, 10 at 70%, 25 at 70%, 75 at 70; Iron bonds, 10,000 at 58%; Montreal Railway bonds, 500
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114; R. and O., 50 at 8100%, 50 at 70; Iron bonds, 10,000 at 58%; Montreal Railway, 10 at 70%, 25 at 70%, 75 at 70; Iron bonds, 10,000 at 58%; Toronto Railway, 200 at 100; 50 at 100%, 50 at 100%, 50 at 100; Toledo Railway, 125 at 25, 75 at 24%; Coal, common, 45 at 77, 225 at 76%; Power, 50 at 77%, 50 at 77%, 175 at 55 at 71%, 20 at 71%, 50 at 71%. Its at 77%, 75 at 77; Bell Telephone, 12 at 150; Iron, common, 25 at 8%; 25 at 8%; Scotia, 25 at 78, 100 at 78%, 10 at 78%, 25 at 78, 45 at 78%; Twin City, 300 at 95, 18 at 95%, 25 at 86, 100 at 94%; 50 at 95, 50 at 94%; Iron,

; Bank of Montreal, 40 at 250; Bank, 16 at 214; Merchats' Bank, NEW YORK.

of the loads that could be called choice

sales were exceedingly slow, at at 11:30 o'clock only a few loads had been sold;

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

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ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Dec. 8.-Wheat-Slot steady;

Peas—Canadian firm, 5s 8d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter dull,

Hops (at London)-Pacific coast steady

Pork-Prime mess western steady,

Cheese—American finest white quiet, 52s; do, colored steady, 54s.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 8.-Flour-Receipts, 33,

Butter-Nominal

from 3c to 4½c per 1b; sheep sold at from 3c to 3½c, and lambs at from 4c to 4½c per 1b; good lots of fat hogs sold at from 1¾c to 5c per 1b.

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TORONTO.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Trade good today for export cattle and butchers' cattle, and everything was sold out early; milch cows were firm at prices quoted; good milkers wanted; there are not many on the market; the run of calves was light and all sold; trade good, prospects steady. Quotations: Export cattle, choice, cwt...\$4 50 Export cows 300
Export bulls 400 Wabash, pref LOCAL MARKET. London, Tuesday, Dec. 8. With the exception of hay, the supply eeders, short-keep 350 filch cows, each to warrant a change in prices. The supply of hay was large, amounting to 35 loads; there were only about 8 Export ewes, cwt... Export bucks

prices ranged from \$5 to \$8 per ton.
Straw was dull, at \$5 per ton, or \$2 75 logs, singers, off cars...... logs, lights and fats, off o \$3 by the load. There were about 15 loads of oats of-fered, selling from 83c to 86c per cental. Wheat brought \$1 30 per cental. Barley went at 85c per cental. There was very little butter and eggs offered, and prices were as quoted. The supply of vegetables was small, especially potatoes: prices were unchange 4 50 @ OLD COUNTRY PRICES. especially potatoes; prices were unchanged from those quoted.

Apples were not plentiful, and sales slow; some nice bags were held at 50c, but the owner could hardly find a purchaser c, dressed weight.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Dec. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; maket steady; good to prime steers, \$5.15 Poultry-There was not a great deal offered; sales were brisk; some nice tur-keys sold at wholesale at 121/2c per pound, calves, \$2 50 to \$6 75.

Hogs—Receipts today, 32,000; market steady to 75c lower; mixed and butchers, \$4 30 to \$4 60; good to choice heavy, \$4 45 to \$4 60; rough heavy, \$4 25 to \$4 40; light, \$4 20 to \$4 45; bulk of sales at \$4 40 to \$4 50. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep steady; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$3 75 to \$4 25; fair to choice mixed, \$3 to \$3 75; native lambs, \$4 to \$5 65. dressed; some of the buyers are of the opinion that prices will go lower, since there is very little more wanted for the English market; other buyers are equally English market; other buyers are equally confident that the present prices will be maintained. Several large lots of live chickens sold at 6c to 7½c per pound.

About 30 dressed hogs were offered, selling mostly at \$6.50 per 100 pounds.

Butchers' Meats—Sales were slow for what was offered; prices were as quoted.

ambs, per cwt.....

alves, per cwt...

3 75; native lambs, \$4 to \$5 65. HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, Dec. 8.—Wheat, 77c for No. 2 red and white, middle freights; Manitoba wheat, 90c for No. 1 hard, 85½c for No. 1 northern and 83½c for No. 2 northern at Georgian Bay points, and 6c more grind-

DETROIT Detroit, Dec. 7.—Beans—Cash and December, \$1 80; January, \$1 78. DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Dec. 7.—Butter—Steady; creamaries, 16c to 25c; dairies, 14c to 21c. Cheese—Steady, 10c to 10½c. ELGIN

freights; Manitoba steady, at \$20 for cars of shorts and \$18 for bran, sacks included. Toronto freights. Barley—Steady; No. 2 is quoted at 40c, No. 3 extra at 38c, and No. 3 for feed at 36c, middle freights, west. Buckwheat—Steady, at 44c for No. 2, high freights west or porth and \$60. 2, high freights west or north, and 45c east or low freights to New York. Rye—Steady, at 52c to 52½c for No. 2 white. Corn—Steady; Canada, 46c for cars of new, and new American at 50c on track

WILL PUSH IT NO FURTHER

Pavement Matter. Says He Thinks the Council Should

luvestigate. The sole topic of conversation around the city hall today was the

ne Advertiser.
Chicago, Dec. 8
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42/4 42/3/4
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90 10 3/9/4 Many people felt that even if the ease Ald. Matthews speaks of be true, the council not having legal powers in the matter, are not a proper body to discuss it. And then again other people cannot see that it is an offense against the law for a citizen to accept pay from a paving company for promoting a pavement on his street. Of course other people who are on the street and called upon ta pay for the pavement may not like it, but as the citizen cited is only acting as agent for Was Remanded for Sentence Until Fire Engine To Be Tested—Question the pavement company, he is doing nothing wrong. But Ald. Matthews' statement has set people talking, and there are people in London who think the whole pavement history of Lon-

don the past few years should be in-Ald. Matthews when seen today said hat as far as he was concerned the natter would be pushed no farther. "I merely stated what I had been told," said the alderman. "I made no

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 47s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, dull, 42s; short rfbs, 16 to 24 lbs, weak, 45s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, weak, 43s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, weak, 42s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, weak, 41s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 47s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 34s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, quiet, 34s 3d; American refined, in pails, quiet, 35s 6d.

Butter—Nominal.

Albert Pugh was arrested this after-

noon by Detective Rider on an information laid by Elijah Bavin charging WILL MAKE CLEAN BREAST.

A case will be heard at the county court this week, in which a son may appear 179 bbls; sales, 4.700 pkgs; flour was quiet and steady, Buckwheat flour-Firm. Rye and steady. Buckwheat flour—Firm. Rye flour—Quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 117,000 bu; sales, 970,000 bu; wheat opened easy and later declined on the poor cables, snow in the west and liberal Northwest receipts: December, 90%c to 91%c; May, 85 11-16c to 86%c; Jply, 82%c to 83c. Rye—Steady. Corn—Receipts, 36,750 bu; sales, 55,000 bu; corn was weak and lower on selling for long account and easy cables; December, 51c; May, 48%c. Oats—Receipts, 331,500 bu. Sugar—Raw weak; fair refining, 3%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 2%c; refined dull. Coffee—Firm: No. 7 Rio, 6%c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Firm. Hops—Steady.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

BURIAL OF THE WELL-KNOWN "OUEEN OF THE GYPSIES"

Deceased Destroyed.

The older residents of the city will emember the famous Boswell family in this city was named after the fam- known, as sne nad travel ous leader of the band, who was known as the "Queen of the Gypsies." One of the "Queen's" daughters died

in this city, and the mother caused a solid Italian marble figure to be erected over the grave in Mount Pleasant ed.

Reminiscences of Once-Famous bond. While looking through Lloyd's Weekly (London, England), of Nov. 22, Mr. William Mason met with the following references to the death and burial of the Gypsy Queen: "At Falkirk on Friday, in the presence of thousands of spectators, the fu-neral took place of the aged Queen of the Boswell tribe of gypsies. The funeral was on a most elaborate scale. The oaken coffin was borne by chosen gypof gypsies who used to travel through sies from the gypsy tent, through the country at frequent intervals. For densely crowded streets, to the place some reason or other the Boswell House of burial. The dead queen was widely

"The effects of the queen of the Boswell tribe of gypsies, who died and was buried in Falkirk last week, have been destroyed at the gypsy encampr in accordance with a native custom of d over the grave in Mount Pleasant ed. The goods destroyed were valued emetery.

She was seen in this vicinity for the of valuable costumes, a solid silver last time about four years ago. She George III. tea set, antique china, siltraveled in a gorgeously decorated cartvan wagon and was regarded as a woman whose word was as good as her

DARK TRAGEDY IMPENDING IN LONDON FIRE BRIGADE

'Dan's" Death Warrant Is Issued-End of a Noble Animal-Served 25 Years.

There are tragedies in the lives horses as in the lives of men. And a tragedy in the life of a fire horse is soon to be enacted at the central fire 450 Twenty-six years ago, old "Dan,"

the big bay horse that for almost a London, Dec. 7.-Live cattle steady, at quarter of a century hauled the hook of the steady, at the lock of the fires of the steady, at the lock of th He was no ordinary colt, for on his mother's side he was well-bred, and he could boast of a father who was one of the finest stallions of the class of horses known as "Cleveland Bays." to \$6; poor to medium, \$3.50 to \$4.75; of horses known as "Cleveland Bays." As he grew into maturity, he distinheifers, \$150 to \$475; canners, \$150 to \$240; bulls, \$2 to \$4; calves, \$250 to \$675. in a muddy field without signs of weariness. And Dan had a temper peculiar to himself, and made barrels of trouble for the men who broke him. He was too good a horse for ordinary farm work, however, and one day when the city of London advertised for a horse for the fire department his owner, brought him to this city.

A WISE HORSE

From the first Dan showed his aptitude for the work he was placed at. He soon learned what the beatings of the big brass gong meant, and as the alarm clanged out, and the doors of his stall flew open, he would gallop under his harness in front of the big hook-and-ladder wagon, and in a fev-er of excitement, would wait for the click of the last snap, when he would tear away with the firefighters to the scene of the fire.

Day or night made no difference to

Dan. He trusted implicitly in his driv-Elgin, Ill., Dec. 7.—Butter ruled firm on the board of trade today, selling at 25c per lb, the same as last week. Sales in it a part of his duty. A whip cut be it a part of his duty. A whip cut he never knew, and he would strain every nerve and muscle to the utmost in response to his driver's urging to increase his speed. Dan appeared to know what was expected of him and the terrible responsibility he carried. Ald. Matthews Speaks of the Somebody's life might be in danger women and children perhaps asleep and unaware of the peril. Workmen in a factory, penned up by an awful fire, and waiting for ladders to save them. He was sure footed, but some-times he stumbled and almost threw his driver from the seat. But if Dan

GAME TO TH CORE . statement regarding the alleged rakeoff on pavements made by Ald. Matthews at Monday night's council meeting.

One night, nowever, orave Dan was doing his best on Wellington street.
It was pitch dark and neither horse of the days Dan's dreaming of the paths in the park. The don branch of the Mission to Lepers and as faithful a piece of horseflesh as of the year. To keep pedestrians away was held in the Y. M. C. A. building ed along, the mud splashed over the life ended.

stumbled. He was

three times Dan almost went off his feet, and at last he landed amongst a pile of cobblestones, and the faithful fellow, galloping at full speed landed head over heels in the road. Game still, and with the harness broken and lamed in one front leg, he brought the men to the fire-but for weeks Dan was unable to answer to the fire alarm. "Geordie" Gray was driving him at

this time, and he says that Dan took his illness to heart like a man. was in fearfully low spirits until he again placed on the active list. This was the only time in Dan's life that he was ill.

SERVED TWENTY-ONE YEARS.

Thus in all sorts of weather, at all hours of the day and night, for 21 years Dan carried the firemen and the oig hook and ladder wagon to fire after His great strength, his gameness and his intelligence, made him a warm favorite in the stable, and he was so to speak looked upon as one of the

Gradually Dan aged, however. The terrible tension of the hundreds of runs he had participated in told on him, and he became enfeebled. The men made things easy for him as best they could, but a fire horse is a fire horse, and Dan at last found himself unable to "deliver the goods." Chief Roe report

DAN WAS PLAYED OUT.

He was examined, was tried in many the men petted him, and promised him ways, was bought and took his place that he should never be abused—and Dan was handed over to the city to pull around the corporation wagon used in flushing the sewers. He was removed to a stall in the back, away from the other horses—the younger generation, who were now in the heyday of fire life, and all that was left to Dan was the memory of the past. Each clang of the alarm gong thrilled him through and through, and he would tug at his halter to answer the summons. Like old Trotty Veck, whom Dickens writes about in "The Chimes," Dan never appeared to realize that he was played out when duty called.

In the stall at the rear he fretted and made himself cross and miserable. He yearned to be groomed regularly to poration work was not to his liking, and he plainly manifested his dislike. But even for such work as pulling the sewer wagon he was declared to be unfit, and a new horse was purchased. And with the purchase of the

new horse came DAN'S D ATH WARRANT.

for those who have no money and who are unable to care for themselves even though they be men and woman-and there is less room for a horse, even though he has been as true as steel for 20 years.

And so Dan is to die within a couple of days-to be eased of his troubles and struggling to his feet again, and by the fumes of chloroform. The city would tear along with the wagon. will not sell him, because he might be One night, however, brave Dan was started and ill used, and the city has

About Finished.

of Municipal Phones.

gaged putting the finishing touches on

HE PLEADS GUILTY AGAIN ARE NEARING COMPLETION

trates for Third Time.

December 15.

For the third time in as many weeks | The repairs on the Central fire hall David Stockford, thief, thimflammer, are not yet completed, but the buildand man with a fondness for aliases, ing is beginning to look ship-shape and was yesterday brought before Squires tidy. Today the contractors were going Smyth and Lacey, and for the third over the building measuring for intertime he entered a plea of guilty to a jor furnishings, and men are busily encriminal offense

As in the other two cases, a Middlethe repairs and cleaning up the place.

Wednesday afternoon the test of the new chemical engine will take place.

A. Serle; C. R., G. Stickles: S. C. R., to be met were well described, the repairs and cleaning up the place.

Wednesday afternoon the test of the new chemical engine will take place.

W., H. King; S. B., C. Manness; J. P., made by the medical missions. sex farmer was the complainant. sex farmer was the complainant, new chemical engine will take place at the factory of the Canadian Fire Enence for working his games among the gine Company. The test takes place at residents of the rural sections, and the 3 o'clock, and Chief Roe, Chairman county police would not be surprised Greenlees and the members of the marif more of his misdeeds would come to the surface. His latest victim to be heard of is Thomas Robinson, of West Nissourl, whom he recently visited, and from whom he stole a coat, vest, and socks, and also secured \$10 in cash.
Stockford pleaded guilty, and was remanded to jail for a short term besecure the goods and also to find some

trace of the cash.

Stockford was brought before the junior judge this morning for sentence on the two other charges, to which he had pleaded guilty, but sentence was postponed until Dec. 15. The death of Miss Maud Pearson, occurred last night at her home 472 its hands.

ber of months.

some day this week MUNICIPAL PHONES. The notice of motion of Ald. Matfore he will be committed for trial. An Monday night, is not looked upon as a seffort is to be made in the meantime to thews, put in at the council meeting Monday night, is not looked upon as a terested in cheap phones. It is said that it would cost at least \$100,000 to put municipal phones in operation in London, and it is felt that the people would never sanction such an expendi-ture. Most people are in favor of cheaper phones, but they would prefer

ket, fire and light committee will

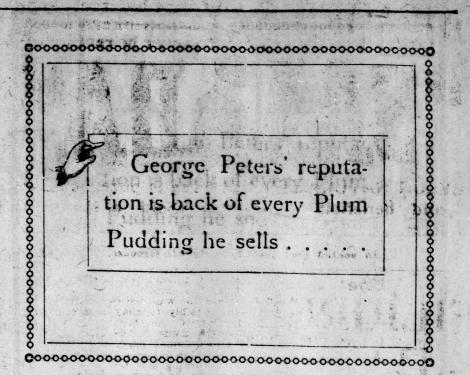
A new team of horses for the fire

department are expected by Chief Roe

rather than the city take the job upon Ontario street. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Peurson and had been ill for a numericipal phone project; and some of them lecting statistics for use in the muni-cipal phone project, and some of them are of great interest. Figures, for

to see a private corporation enter into competition with the Bell Company,





scribers in the town, and yet the price of the phones, under municipal ownership is only \$12 a year. It remains for the council at its next meeting to say whether the question of municipal phones shall be sub-mitted to the people at the forthcom-

instance, obtained from Fort William

show that there are only 182 sub-

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

-Mrs. A. Smith, of Ingersoll, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Talbot,

-Miss Nellie Hemsworth and Mrs. William Kirwin, of Ingersoll, are visiting friends in London -Thomas Fallon, of London, spending a few days with James O'Rourke, at Chatham.

-Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, of London pent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Weaver's parents in West Lorne. -Mr. Ehnos, of Fansville, who in ends retiring to Zurich or London, has disposed of his fine farm to Mr. Porterfield, of near Clifford, for \$7,500. -Sarnia Observer: A large asser

blage of people turned out Sunday afternoon to hear Hon. G. W. Ross, a Andrew's Presbyterian Church when he delivered a most thoughtful and inspiring address on the effect of home mission work on the develop ment of national character. His address delighted his hearers and the collection then given on behalf of the Sunday school mission fund amounted to the handsome sum of \$108 07, being upwards of \$40 more than what was asked for.

A JESUIT ORATOR. Rev. Father O'Bryan, S. J., of Monin the Jesuit Order, will deliver a lec ture this evening in the hall of St. Mary's Church on "Lay Co-operation. ADJOURNED A MONTH.

The cases as to breaches of the fire limits bylaw were adjourned for one more mouth in court this morning. GUILTY OF THEFT. Herbert Morris, who has on several

occasions enjoyed the leniency of the police magistrate is again in jail awaiting sentence for theft. He has 19 YORK STREET. been working for Mr. Frank Smyth. grocer, and since the 20th of last month has been stealing divers sums of be admired, to place himself once again in the big truck and dash away. Cormoney. He was charged in this mornhe pleaded guilty to stealing \$8 only. which plea was accepted by the crown. The lad was remanded until Friday for

sentence. BEWARE OF BURGLARS.

The banks whose headquarters are in Montreal have been notified by the police department of that city that a band There is scant room in the world of burglars have headed for Canada, with the intention of operating in Ontario. Upon receipt of that notice the banks in Montreal have sent circulars ton; assistant secretary. R. to all their branches, ordering them to were received in London this week.

HOOPS ON THE SNOW. Park Commissioner Fearce has asked Price and W. Riley. ever tightened a trace will have its from ferbidden ground, hoops have on Monday afternoon, the president, been placed on the illegal paths. The Mrs. Robinson, in the chair. Mrs.

HONORED THE PRINCIPAL. Principal and Mrs. Kirk entertained

el School at their residence, 388 Wil- beautiful and appropriate solo, "The liam street, the other evening. A most enjoyable time was spent in social intercourse, and games. The students took the occasion to present Mr. Kirk with a handsome leather writing case and silver inkstand. An address testifying to the good feeling and appreciation of the students for the staff given last night by Rev. Shields Boyd and institution generally, was also

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George F. Rossiter: treasurer, M. D. Dawson; financial secretary, A. Woon minute secretary, W. L. Manness take every precaution to guard their trustees, R. Taylor, F. Rossiter and premises. Copies of these circulars W. Moore; auditors, F. Possiter, T. Spettigue and W. E. Manness; medical officer, James D. Wilson: room com mittee, T. Spettigue, D. Palmer, E. H.

first summons was issued yesterday. Sheffield, the new secretary of the Y. and was fixed for tomorrow in the W. C. A., conducted the opening exercises, giving a Bible reading, dealing with the perfection, purity and power of the Christian character. A maga-David Stockford Before Magis- Repairs to Central Fire Hall the teachers and students of the Mod- Pakhoe, was read by Miss Bood. The zine article, dealing with the lepers of Children's Home" was exquisitely rendered by Miss Eva Williams. The thanks of the society were tendered to Mrs. Sheffield and Miss Williams for

An excellent lecture on China was at Memorial Church, under the auspices of the Young People's Society when the church was crowded. The At the meeting of Court Fride of the lecture, which was iliustrated, took Dominion, No. 5669, A. O. F., held last the spectators-auditors through China. The speaker spoke of the fertility of night, the following officers were the land and its possibilities. The reelected for the ensuing year. P. C. R., ligion of the land and the difficulties

How People Lose Their Money.

By concealing it about their person; by stowing it away in mugs, jugs and jars; by sewing it up in skirts and ticks; by tucking it under the couches and carpets, in eupboards and bureau drawers; these are some of the ways by which people lose their money, sometimes THEIR LIVES.

How People Save Their Money.

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more and more the master, both at

"But he was restless, very restless

with which he never seemed satisfied.

inquiring look with which she watched

was old enough to notice that this

their wine—why should they, when the general would not drink?—had

talk,' said he. 'Your reception aug-

here broke in, in what seemed an un-

naturally loud voice. 'Come and sit

"'We had hung about this door, cur-

ious children that we were, in hopes

of catching a glimpse of the queer new settle which had been put into place

that day. But we scampered away at

this, and were playing in and out of

the halls when the library door again

him to carry a glass of wine in to the

general. I do not like his looks. I am

going upstairs for some medicine. This he whispered in choked tones as

who was standing where he could look

into the library when our father came

out and saw the settle and the gen-

important, and to him, too, now that

he has come to know a man's pas

been right and that death was the

[To be Continued.]

Corns Grow Between the Toes

his orders.

Extractor.

'Where's Sambo?' he cried, 'Tell

"'Here the door closed.

"'You do not look well,' my father

FILIGREE

BY ANNA KATHERINE GREEN this work and everything else was in-

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we come guest, who kept his appointment to a day.

"At this point in her narrative Mistress Callista's voice fell and the flame which had thrown a partial light.

"Such were Callista Moore's first memories. Those which followed were me as she went on to say:
"Reuben and I,'—Reuben was her more definite and much more startling. President Jackson, who had a high brother—'were posted in the dark coropinion of her father's ability, advanced him rapidly. Finally a position was met the general at the door. We had given him which raised him into na- expected to hear high words, or some tional prominence. As this had been explosion of bitter feeling between the goal of his ambition for years, he them, and hardly knew whether to be was much gratified by his appoint- glad or sorry when our father welcomment, and though his smiles came no ed his guest with the same elaborate more frequently, his frowns lightened, bow we once saw him make to the and from being positively threatening,

became simply morose.
"Why this moroseness should have sharpened into menace after an unex- supper. Our mother was there - a ected visit from his once dear, but great event in those days-and toasts long estranged companion-in-arms, his were drunk and our father proposed daughter, even after long years of con- one to the general's health. This stant brooding upon this subject, dares not decide. If she could she might be peace, and turned upon me his great

"The general was a kindly man, sharp of face and of a tall thin figure. but with an eye to draw children and make them happy with a look. But his effect on the father was different. From the moment the two met in the great hers, felt that there was something hall below, the temper of the host betrayed how little he welcomed this guest. He did not fail in courtesy—
the Moores are always gentlemen—but
the time, I have often done so since ing from its edge without knowing so persistently in my memory that what it was that hurt them, slunk to scarcely a year passes without the lars which mark the entrance to the library, watched the two men as they walked up and down the halls discuss-know the story—that hour was the ing the merits of this and that detail general's last. He died before leaving of the freshly furnished mansion. These the house; died in that same dark lib-ing, even caught some of the sentences which passed between the so-called friends: and though these necessarily conveyed but little meaning to their childish minds, the words forming them were never forgotten, as witness these phrases confided to me by Mis-Callista twenty-five years after-

lack,' remarked the general, as they paused to admire some little specimen of Italian art which had been lately received from Genoa. 'You have received from Genoa. money-too much money, Moore, by an amount I might easily name - a home which some might call palatial, a lovely, if not altogether healthy wife, two fine children, and all the honor, which a man in a commonwealth like this should ask for.

Politics are my life,' was the cold response. 'To bid me drop them is to bid me commit suicide.' Then, as opened and my father came out. an afterthought to which a moment of intervening silence added emphasis, for you to drive me from them would be an act little short of mur-

"'Justice dealt upon a traitor is not murder,' was the stern and unyielding reply. 'By one black deed of treacherous barter and sale, of which none of your countrymen is cognizant but myself, you have forfeited the confidence of this government. Were I, who eral sitting at one end of it, was so unhappily surprised your secret, to chattering about it in my ear at the allow you to continue in your present place of trust, I myself would be a traitor to the republic for which I have fought and for which I am ready to die. That is why I ask you to re-

The two children did not catch the threat latent in that last word, but they realized the force of it from their sions and temptations. But he father's look and were surprised when quietly said:
'You declare vourself to be the real signs of illness on the general's

only man on the commission who is acquainted with the facts you are pleased to style traitorous?" "The general's lips curled. 'Have I

"Something in his stern honesty Reuben had of him before he fell has seemed to affect the father. His face always struck me with strange pathos. turned away and it was the other's which was next heard. A change who, for all his apparent health, will had taken place in it and it sounded almost mellow as it gave form to these do not wonder he does not like to talk words:

'Alpheus, we have been friends. You shall have two weeks in which to think over my demand and decide. If at the end of that time you have not returned to domestic life you may expect another visit from me which can not fail of consequences. You know my temper when roused. Do not force me into a position which will cause us both endless regret."

"Perhaps the father answered; per"Yerhaps the father answered; per"It is standard remained to never burns the flesh—it is entirely vegetable in composition and does not destroy the flesh. Use only Putnam's, it's the best.

haps he did not. The children heard nothing further, but they witnessed the gloom with which he rode away to the White House the next day. Remembering the general's threat, they imagined in their childish hearts that their father had gone to give up his post and newly-acquired honors. But done so, and from that day on carried his head higher and showed himself age of 13 they are, as a rule, wedded.

DOCTORS SAY that habitual Japan JUNIOR LEAGUE MAY NOT BE tea drinkers can never be really well. IN EXISTENCE THIS WINTE IN EXISTENCE THIS WINTER

ter the Organization.

on May Be Represented on the English Law 1 Bowling Team.

CARRIED OUT HIS FROMISE. Toronto, Dec. 7 .- President Roberthon, of the O. H. A., today appointed his sub-committee, who will interview the other sporting associations in Ontario with a view to forming a central athletic union to control sport in this province. The gentlemen named are the president, J. G. Merrick, Francis Nelson and F. D. Woodworth. THE RING.

and possibly to allay a great mental uneasiness, he began having some changes made in the house; changes which occupied much of his time and GANS THE BEST MAN. Philadelphia, Dec. 7.—In a six-round bout at the National A. C. tonight Geo. Men working one day were dismissed the next and others called in until Gans put Holly to the floor several times, but Holly easily responded before the limit of count. Gans had the better of the argument throughout.

WHIST SCORES. which had thrown a partial light on her countenance died down until I could but faintly discern the secretly The following are the scores of the last two whist matches: Nov. 24 Orients defeated Sergeants' Mess. points; Rockets and Liberals, tie; Manhattans defeated Woodbines, 13 points; Seventh Athletic Association.

Dec 1—Manhattans defeated Fast every league makes London a strong- er hockey town, but at the same time 10 points; Woodbines defeated Seventh Athletic Association, 30 points; Liberals defeated Sergeants' Mess, 20

president in the grounds of the White Liberals House. Nor could we understand what Manhattans followed. We were summoned in to Sergeants' Mess Seventh Athletic Association (Rockets BIG MEET AT HAMILTON. round eyes in surprise; but I, who Londoners will be interested in the

toast was not responded to and that the general did not even touch his New Year's whist meet, which will be held at Hamilton, Dec. 31 and Jan. lips to the glass he had lifted in compliment to our mother, who had lifted Thursday, Dec. 31, 8 p.m. - Open ompass game Friday, Jan. 1, 10 a.m. - Open compass game; 3 p.m., open compass game; 3 p.m., open fours match; 8 this attempt at good fellowship.

it was a hard courtesy, which cut while and my father's attitude and look as it flattered. The two children, shrink- he faced this strange guest has dwelt compass game; 3 p.m., open comso persistently in my memory that what it was that hurt them, slunk to scarcely a year passes without the match; 8 p.m., open compass game; covert, and from behind the two pil-scene coming up in my dreams with 8 p.m., final pairs match. YESTERDAY'S TURF WINNERS.

At New Orleans-Sea Shark (Hegleson), 7 to 1; Ben Chance (E. Davis), circumstances (W. Hicks), 9 to 5. well, how well! down to each and LOOKING GLASS MATCHED. every detail. Our mother had gone back to her room, and the general and my father, who did not linger over

Buffalo Courier: The crack Cana-

dian pacer Looking Glass 2:194, for-merly owned by Col. W. Perry Taylor, of this city, but now by Dr. Forest, of withdrawn to the library at the sug-gestion of the general, whose last words are yet lingering in my ears, "The time has come for our little Uxbridge, has been matched to race Gypsy Girl, owned in Toronto, for \$1,000 a side, the race to take place at Ottawa during the great ice meeting the last week in January. If the

Too Many Clubs Wanted to En est betting event of the season

departure. The estimated cost for the round trip is \$500 each. Any member of the local club who wishes round trip is \$500 each. Any member of the local club who wishes to go of the local club who wishes to go will require to hand his name to the secretary, James S. McDougall, on or before Dec. 15, as all names of representatives to the team must be in Toronto not later than Dec. 20 of this of naming three representatives.

Another important feature in lawn bowls for 1904 is the world's championship competitions in singles and doubles to be held at the world's fair in St. Louis on Aug. 15, 16 and 17. A team of English bowlers is to be brought out by Mr. Carmichael, secretary to Sir Thomas Lipton.

HOCKEY. JUNIOR LEAGUE MAY BE OUT OF

Some time ago doubts were expressed for the Junior City League, and hattans defeated Woodbines, 13 points; the latest report has it that the or-East End won by default from the ganization will not be in existence the juveniles have no one to blame but themselves. They lost time getting a rink for their games, and before they valued it, it was too late. Then, there were too many teams to ar-range into a league. Nine teams had announced their intention of joining, and it would have taken up the rink for the whole season to play off the games. The teams who entered the league last season, however, are termined not to give up until it has been seen for sure that a league cannot be conducted with success, and to-morrow night a meeting will be held at the St. John's A. C. rooms. Only the teams of last year will attend and applications to form new teams will be received and considered.

MONTREAL VS. NEW YORK. The first international hockey match of the season will take place at the Clermont avenue rink in Brooklyn during the latter part of the month, when the strong Montreal team will cross sticks with the champion seven of the Crescent A. C., of Brooklyn.

In former years the Canadians have usually broken even in the series of games played in this city. This time the Crescents intend to send the visitors home thoroughly beaten. Inasmuch as the American teams are mainly composed of Canadians, the visltors from the Dominion will never take

TO BE HEARD ON THURSDAY. The case of Harry Peet, of this city, who is applying for reinstatement, will be heard on Thursday at the meeting of the O. H. A. executive. It is thought that Peel will be put back in the amateur ranks. Mr. Alfred B. Cox, the member of the executive, will attend the meeting.

NEW MONTREAL HOCKEY. Montreal, Dec. 7. - The Federal Amateur Hockey League was ushered into old horse is as good as he used to be existence at a meeting held Saturday Gypsy Girl will have to step very fast night at the Savoy. It may be explainto conquer the tough old nut. Look- ed at once that the Federal League is ing Glass always wins his heats the the realization of the efforts made durlast hundred yards, and he will come ing the past week or so to gather the that distance like a conquering hero, no mistake. If both horses go to the post all right this will be the great-

'CYNTHIA" AND MARGARET ANGLIN

the Grand Last Night.

very moment our father was giving

asked him more than once since then how the general looked at that critiof Frederick Lemaitre by Henry Miller.

never tell me, never relieve my mind, "Cynthia" was one of the notable "Cynthia" was one of the notable a clean, clear-cut, sparkling novelty, Broadway successes of last year. It free from even the suggestion of ofbrow; for then I could feel that all had was produced here last night at the Grand Opera House, which was natural result of the great distress he felt at opposing my father in the one desire of his heart. That glimpse which crowded with an audience assembled to welcome Margaret Anglin in the namerole. The witty and charming play is by Manager Daily as a fitting vehicle from the pen of Henry Hubert Daviss in which to introduce as a star, Mr. Reuben had of him before he fell has from the pen of Henry Hubert Davies, In Which to Introduce for several years A little child looking in upon a man, an young English author, who is mak-ing rapid progress. Long before the "stock" comedian of America. A feain another moment be in eternity-I conclusion of the first act one could ture of this performance will be the in-understand its great success at New troduction of up-to-date vaudeville feaunderstand its great success at New York; after the second one wondered that New York ever permitted it to escape. Elsie De Wolfe played the part of Cynthia on Broadway, but it seems inconceivable that she could But can be cured without pain in one day by Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. This standard remedy make it more attractive than does Miss Anglin. She is delightful. She is charming. Now arch, now roguish, now full of witching tricks. For some years past Miss Anglin has essayed many roles more or less ambitious. As Cyn-thia Jerold in the present play she is Ninety per cent of the inhabitants actress and the character being admirof Western and Central Africa are ably wedded into an artistic whole. Mohammedans, and every man of note The main idea of the story is divertin Central Africa owns slaves, his station in life being rated by the number of slaves he owns and the wives he obliged to retrench. In her innocence, possesses. When the girls reach the

the wife secretly gets a big loan at ar extortionate rate of interest. The usua result. Time up, and the money-lender insisting upon payment. So they sell out, take up housekeeping in a couple of rooms and begin all over. It is a clean play-the author having steered clear of the eternal sex problem—and possesses some literary distinction, something to be praised in this, the heyday of inane farce, hodge-podge musical comedy and rip-roaring melodrama. There is wholesome sentiment, much kindness of heart, and not a sug-gestive line in the entire play. Miss Anglin was at her best in the last act. Perhaps it was rather that that act makes the most direct appeal to the audience. In the first two actashe was the society butterfly, In the last act she was the real In the last act she was the real woman, loving, winsome, self-sacrificing. London playgoers will wait many moons before they witness a more delicious scene than that in which the young wife pleads with her husband to be taken to his African post. There were laughter and tears in that scene. Also it was cleverly timed to immediately precede the final curtain and sent the audience away with that

almost superfluous to speak of Mr. Henry Miller, Miss Anglin's leading support. For years his name has been synonymous with the highest type of acting. Frederick Lemaitre, a one play of Clyde Fitch's, preceded the comedy, Mr. Miller taking the part of thespian, who acts in his rooms for the benefit of a stage-struck maiden. He ran the gamut from lightest Charming Combination at comedy to tragedy. The clamax was tremendous, and the curtain brought

an ovation from the house.

Mr. Marten Selten was the Jewish A CLEVER PLAY WELL ACTED money-lender, in "Cynthia," a part that nine out of ten actors would burlesque. He plays it admirably, at just the right pitch, voice and gesture—the great temptations in a character of this type were never overdone. The supporting company was excellent and the mounting adequate.

> "THE GAY MR. GOLDSTEIN." "The Gay Mr. Goldstein," which is to be presented at the Grand tonight is a clever comedy production, and not only fensive lines, but is presented by a company that is stronger on all points than the majority of the farce comedy companies now touring the country.
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> "The Gay Mr. Goldstein" is considered tures at fitting intervals.

NEAR-BY PLACES

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HARRIETSVILLE.

Harrietsville, Dec. 8 .- Mr. Mayberry, ingersoll, is a guest of his daughter, Mrs. L. D. Boyer.

Mrs. Annie Ryall, Leamington, is visiting at the home of her cousin, Solomon Mrs. Smith, Lambeth, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Barr, last

her daughter, Mrs. Robert Barr, last week.

The Sunday school entertainment of the Methodist Church will be given on Dec. 22, and the Church of England Sunday school will hold theirs on Dec. 18.

The Ladies' Aid had their monthly meeting on Tuesday at the Methodist Church, a good attendance being present. During the afternoon a dainty luncheon was served, making the event an enjoyable affair.

A very quiet wedding took place be-

reception by the brethren. After the business proceedings on oyster supper was served downstairs, and with speeches, songs, etc. the social hour was an enjoyable one. Visiting brethren were present from Thorndale, London, Thames, ford, Nilestown and Belmont.

About 33 tons of cheese were manufactured at the cheese factory at this place during the month of October.

William Brooks is having a large ice-house built for his sum or supply of ace. George Venning, of seley, met with a rather unfortunate accident at his farm a few days ago. He was driving a team hitched to a wagon, when the tongue came down, causing the team to run away. The tongue ran into the ground, and a few days in Ireland, arriving home about two months from date of departure. The estimated cout for the sum of the services of a surgeon.

resentatives to the team must be in Toronto not later than Dec. 20 of this year. The local club has the privilege of naming three representatives.

Another important feature in lawn

THAMESVILLE. Thamesville, Dec. &.-Mrs. M. Minshall, of the River road, Howard, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Luke.
Mrs. Stiles, of Algonac, Mich., is here
visiting her mother, Mrs. Edmonds. Mr. Alva Everitt is very sick at present.

Miss Ada Ripley returned home on

Saturday.

Mr. Benjamin Bothoryde spent a few with friends at Mount Brydges last week.
The sale of the late E. L. Everitt's

THE ELECTION CASES

Court of Appeals Grants an Extension Until Jan. 1.

Toronto, Dec. 8. — The North Perth and North Norfolk election cases have been extended until Jan. 1. The ap-peal against the extension was dismissed by the court of appeal yester-day, Justice Osler's recent order being supported.

No decision has been given on the motion heard last week by Mr. Justice Maclennan, of the court of appeal, to commit Mr. Monteith, the petitioner, for refusing to attend for examination in proceedings by Liberals to have the petition dismissed as being out of the statutory time. Yesterday's decision will likely materially affect that case, now Mr. Justice Osler has been confirmed in his granting further time to attend the examination had relied up-on, the court's order extending the

The poll book and practically everything except the ballots are being examined at the Parliament buildings the Conservatives' proceedings unseat Hon. E. J. Davis. He is be examined there on Wednesday.

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-Miss Robinson, Orillia, is visiting with friends here. -The meeting of the hospital trust, called for this afternoon, has been postponed until tomorrow. -City Editor Ranton, of the Strat-

ford Beacon, has resigned and will be succeeded by Mr. T. J. Tobin. -The iocal Ladies' Orange Lodge spent a pleasant social time together in the Albion Club building last even-

-The London police have been asked to look for a Toronto boy named Fletcher, who was last seen here at exhibition time

-Major Layborn, of Wolseley Baracks, recently inspected the armories of the two Guelph companies of the Thirtieth Regiment. -Mrs. Kaye (nee Buchan), wife of Captain John D. Kaye, held a recep-

tion at Wolseley Barracks yesterday, and will receive again today. -Mr. James Hand, C. P. R. engineer. formerly of this city, but who for several months has had his headquarters Calgary, has been transferred to

-The annual meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew of St. Paul's Cawas held Sunday night after service, and the following officers were lected for the ensuing year: Director, Mr. Blandford; secretary and treasur-er, Mr. Brown; assistant secretary, Mr.

-The ladies of the Shelter Home committee of the Children's Aid Society beg to gratefully acknowledge the November: Mrs. H. E. Gates, clothing Foresters' Lodge, basket sandwiches; Mrs. Bentley, apples; Mrs. F. O. Toon, clothing and Sunday school papers; Mrs. Wm. Davidson, game; Mrs. A. St. L. Mackintosh, apples; Mrs. Yarker, clothing; Mrs. Sayer, clothing; Mrs. A. G. R. Hamilton, clothing; First Metho-dist Church, bread; Miss Leghe, boy's and toys; St. Andrew's Society, provisions: Mrs. J. Callard, jelly, etc.; Mrs of Foresters, No. 5744 (W. Richards), bread and cakes; Mrs. Henry Hussey and Mrs. T.Cox, clothing, quilts and sheets; Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt, two jars fruit and magazines; Mrs. Brophy, preserves; a friend, 50 pounds of flour; Northwestern Cereal Company, London, three bixes Force, box breakfast food, box Malta Vita, biscuits. raisins, and jelly; Mrs. James Stewart, preserves; James Morrison, drygoods, 21 new pairs children's hose, 5 caps, etc. Several donations in cash were also received during the month.

SPEAKER AND SINGERS. Thursday evening an important affair will be given in the Auditorium. Rev. R. E. Knowles, of Galt, is to deliver his lecture "Our Relations," and Miss Edna Mortimore, of this city, will make her debut on the concert platform. Mrs. Mackelcan, of Hamilton will also sing. Mr. Knowles is one of the acknowledged great speakers of

of great interest. CALLS FROM CHINA AND INDIA: Tonight at Huron College several ad- asphalt pavement on the street the council chamber. dresses will be given. Rev. W. C. gutter to be in the center instead of

White will speak on "China's Appeal to at each side, the Christian Student," Miss McKin- The petitic ney on "India's Call for Help," and Saunders, John McNee, James McNee, intended to expose it. Rev. L. M. Tucker on "The Call for Volunteers." The public are invited. LIBERAL GIFTS. Liberal donations were made on Sunday at the Christian Workers'

Church, the collections for the day amounting to \$507 46 or \$150 more than John Shopland.

Ald. Matthews announced that a til at last, his worship squelched the a year ago. The services were the most successful in the history of the deputation was on hand, and should alderman, and ended his share in the church, not only from the financial standpoint, but from point of attendance. The meetings were addressed by Ald. Mrs. E. Serle, the first member of the local church to become a missionary. GRADUATING RECITAL.

Miss May Shoebottom, A. L. C. M., of Virden, Man., gave her graduating cided to hear the deputation and the recital at the Conservatory of Music, last night, and her piano playing was a credit alike to herself and to her tutor, Mr. W. Caven Barron. She was ably assisted by Miss Pauline Mowat. Miss Shoebottom showed careful trainably assisted by Miss Pauline Mowat.
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The death of Mr. George Gibson, Walnut street, took place yesterday at Victoria Hospital. Mr. Gibson, who had been a long time ill, was 69 years of age, and was one of the best-known of London's citizens. For many years he belonged to the firm of Screaton & Gibson, bricklayers, and was a leading contractor. He was also a member of the Veteran Firemen's Association. He was a brother of Mrs. Prince of Detroit. Mrs. Thos. of Mrs. Prince, of Detroit; Mrs. Thos Pellow, of Walkerton, and William Loughrey, of this and also of Messrs.

Charles Gibson, of this city, and Robert Gibson, Elgin county. He is survived by five sons and three daughters The latter are Mrs. R. H. Williams and Mrs. G. C. Stevens, of this city, and Miss Matilda, at home. The sons are Messrs. Edward, Henry, William and Robert, all at home, and George, jun. also of this city. 'The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

THE CASE FELL THROUGH

Milkman Berry Failed in Charge

Against Wm. O'Brien. Last week Mr. T. Berry, a milkman, was summoned to court to tell why it was that samples of milk sold by him were found to contain a too arge percentage of water. He claimthat he bought the milk complained of from Mr. Wm. O'Brien, a far-mer, of London Township, and the magistrate adjourned the case to give Berry a chance to bring O'Brien before the court, as he said someone

should be punished. Yesterday O'Brien was charged before Squire Smyth with selling milk adulterated with water, and the chief witness was Berry. Evidence was taken, but the charge was dismissed,

Rake=Off Said to Have, Been Paid on Pavement

of Things He Heard.

The Aldermen, However, Do Not Handle the Matter.

Polling Places Named for the Election-King Street Pavement Bylaw Rescinded.

A savoring of sensationalism was council meeting by Ald. Matthews, deputation should be heard. when prominent matters were being known-well, something would be Trinidad asphalt and should be given heard to fall. Last night Ald. Mat- what they wanted. In copclusion he thews sprung a portion of these rumors, to the astonishment of his whose pavement and prices suited the M. Smart, meat, pickles and sugar; Mrs. | nothing very heavy was heard to fall.

brother aldermen and the mayor, but people interested on the street. as far as the council was concerned but nevertheless a large amount of sprung a sensation. He stated that overcoat; Mrs. (Dr.) Hueston, bag po-tatoes, bag turnips and two bags ap-ples; Mrs. J. Marshall, two stoves, two of the Clarence street property owners day, he said, a man came into his for an asphalt pavement on that street office and told the alderman that he between Dundas and the G. T. R. was (the citizen) was getting a rake-off of sent to the board of works; the bylaw pany on the King street pavement. which had been drawn up for a Triniwhich had been drawn up for a Trini- Ald. Matthews went on to say that dad asphalt payement on King street the man quoted had named another between Wellington and Maitland was man whom he (Ald. Matthew) did not rescinded, and the pavement will be and the statement was made before proceeded with in the spring on the three witnesses, the man adding that initiative plan, a deputation will be he had documents in his pocket which sent to Toronto to see what can be would prove what he said, done to secure a lowering of insurance rates, the polling sub-divisions and were fined on King street, if they're deputy returning officers for the ap- paying out money like this," conclud-

vanced a stage, and a grist of other of the subject would not elevate the ousiness was attended to.

CLARENCE STREET PAVEMENT. Just as soon as the matter of the city should not lay a macadam pave- been bribed he should name him. ment on Clarence street between Dunthe city lay a Trinidad Pitch Lake and should not be discussed in

The petition was signed by W. E. work being exposed, he did, and he T. Fox, Robert Reid, George M. Reid, James C. Duffield, A. Talbot, E. C. and pushed ahead a pavement for the Booth, W. McDonough, S. A. Smyth, Barbers or the Warrens, he should Lawson & Jones, Frank Lawson, H. J. be paid for it, and the man was do-

heard in support of the petition, debate.

Ald. Forristal seconded. 2 committee, and Ald. Gerry moved in amendment that it be sent to the assessment commissioner. After an argu-

argument dropped.

Mr. W. E. Saunders then address Referring to the peculiar specifications laid down in the petition for asphalt,

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Ald. Matthews Tells the Council Mr. Saunders said they were all modern and were worthy or a trial. The petition was then referred to the board of works to deal with. THE OLD SQUABBLE.

> Pavement squabbles, as usual, also characterized No. 2 committee's report. two clauses of which dealt with King A deputation waited on the council, and desired to address the aldermen re the proposed roadway between Maitland and Wellington streets. Ald. Cooper, however, in a perverse manner, objected to the deputation being heard by the council. They should have come before the board of works and would

now only waste the council's time, he Ald. Forristal intimated that this The wrangle dragged along, Ald Coodiscussed. For some days there have per appearing to feel that his commit been rumors going the rounds that tee (No. 2) was being snubbed by the certain people knew certain things one of the deputation, got a hearing. about certain payements which would Mr. Heaman spoke but a minute be made known one of these days, and two, and said that there was competithat when these things were made that the people of King street wanted

Ald. Matthews, who had hitherto, There was much talk at the meeting, taken little part in the discussion,

proaching municipal elections were ed Ald. Matthews.

Mayor Beck took the matter up, and appointed, Ald. Campbell's scheme for said it was one the council could not the grading of civic salaries was ad- deal with. And anyway the discussion

dignity of the council.

SAID IT WAS "OUTRAGEOUS." Ald. Cooper characterized the stateproposed pavement on Clarence street ment of Ald. Matthews as outrageous, came up, a wrangle was engendered. and an insinuation that some of the A petition from W. E. Saunders and 23 aldermen had been bought. If Ald. others was received, praying that the Matthews knew of anyone who had Mayor Beck again reminded Ald. das street and the G. T. R., but that Matthews that it was a dirty subject

Ald. Matthews replied that if the mayor did not want to hear of dirty Ald. Cooper said if a man worked Jones, Gorman, Eckert & Co., T. In-gram, George Gray, C. Ayers, P. N. Williams, Alfred Tyler, John M. Moore, for some time, the mayor and Ald.

"The men who are making all the Ald. Cooper, however, promptly trouble are the men who got the moved that the petition be sent to No. money," said the alderman, as he

> Clauses 9 and 10 of the committee's report were then carried as follows: ALD. MATTHEWS VOTED ALONE.

Clause 9 of the committee's report ecommended that in view of the city solicitor's opinion, re proposed King street pavement, between Wellington and Maitland streets, that the bylaw to provide for construction of a Trinicil grant the prayer of the petition. dad pitch lake asphalt pavement on said street be repealed and that the proposed construction of an asphalt ticular class of asphalt) on said street be advertised under local improvement clauses of municipal act, on the initia-

> Clause 10 was as follows: That the request of W. J. Thompson et al., for awarding of contract to lowest tenderer for asphalt pavement on King street, between Wellington and Maitland streets; that of Warren Bituminous Paving Company, for California asphalt, although the petitioners asked for Trinidad asphalt, be filed, the city solicitor's opinion being that the city cannot accept a tender for any different kind of pavement than that peti-

tioned for.
On clause 9, a vote was taken, and the yeas and nays called for, Ald. Matthews voting nay alone. report recommended that the petition George Geoghegan.

pany for an asphalt block pavement on Wellington street, from Dundas to Grand Trunk Railway, be laid over, and that the engineer be instructed to call for tenders for construction on said street of various kinds of pavements in the street of the said street of ments, yiz.: asphalt block, sheet asphalt, brick and birulithic pavements.

The report was not accepted, however, and on motion of Ald. Matthews, seconded by Ald. Campbell, it was decided to give the people what they betitioned for asphalt block—and the engineer will be instructed to call for enders for that class of a roadway at other clauses of No. 2's repor

vere accepted without discussion.

lessrs. Malloch and Trebilcock, of Clarence street, to erect wooden buildngs, sheeted with iron, inside the fire mits, as such buildings were declared o be infractions of the bylaw, and hat as his clients had already

The point in the matter was that the limits bylaw calls for brick, stone or iron buildings, and the city engineer does not consider a wooden building

within the law. Mr. Cowan was present, and in the course of a speech made things sizzle. He informed the mayor right away opinion that under the company's charthat the city had permitted similar ter they are compelled to carry the park buildings to those of his clients to be commissioner free. erected without a murmur within the said nothing, and he considered the present prosecution of his clients out and out persecution. The city, he said, had put up just such a building on the market. Mayor Beck himself had tory. And if the prosecution of his clients was not called off. he would City Engineer Graydon and as publi begin prosecutions against the city and against the mayor for infractions fire limit bylaw. Mr. Cowan added that if the city wanted fight, he was prepared to carry the question of a fire proof building and what it meant clusive franchise to St. Clair Balfour

decided on motion of Ald. Greenlees, seconded by Ald. Becher, to refer the matter back to No. 3 committee, and call off the prosecutions of the Clarence that the council grant the franchise.

street business men for the time being.

INSURANCE RATES. The letter from the underwriters to by adopting certain suggestions made underwriters, Ald. Matthews moved that the city appoint another vide fireman and thereby obtain a lowering act. of the rate to the extent of 5 cents. The city now has 29 firemen, and if the num-ber is brought up to 30 the reduction street pavement was filed. in the key rate will take place. Mayor Beck said that it would be bet- without debate.

ter to allow the matter to rest a while, as when he was in Toronto he had made arrangements for a conference today with the underwriters to ascertain just what the city can obtain from the King street was rescinded; the bylaw inderwriters in the way of easing the for a cement curb and gutter on B and he proposed that the council send King street bridge, was deferred, as a deputation to Toronto today to con- was also that for a macadam pave-

On motion of Ald. Forristal, it was prohibit the sale of hay and straw on decided to send Mayor Beck, who also the market on Saturdays was given has to attend the Niagara power con- two readings. ference, Ald. Greenlees, and a business nan who is affected by the increase

insurance rates, to be selected by the

WANT FINE REMITTED. A communication was received from the Warren Paving Company, asking No. 2, Woodmen of the World, for the remission of the paralty imposfor the remission of the penalty imposed by the city for the failure of the company to complete the pavement on King street, between Maitland and

Will am streets, within the t me specified n the contract. Mayor Beck and several of the aldernen were in favor of granting the request, as it was felt the Warren Company had been singled out for severe treatment, and a motion to send the previous to the visit of Lord and Lady

request to No. 2 committee carried on e following vote. Yeas-Ald. Campbell, Greenlees, Ger-

cher and Matthews-4. WHERE TO VOTE.

nunicipal election were then appointed as follows:

Smith. Subdivision No. 2-268 King street; Jas. Grant. Subdivision No. 3-347 Ridout street-Subdivision No. 4-264 Bathurst street; Joseph Graham.
Subdivision No. 5—296 Talbot street; Subdivision No. 6-230 Grey street; John

Subdivision No. 7-145 Clarence street; Alfred Hale. Subdivision No. 8-Mrs. Walton's house, High street: Alex. Atcheson J. Hennessey No. 10-36 Euclid avenue;

William A. Reid.
Subdivision No. 11—Trebilcock's Hall;
George C. Young.
Subdivision No. 12—91 Stanley street; George Fitchett. WARD TWO. Subdivision No. 1-70 Carling street: W. H. Galbraith Subdivision No. 2-237 Queen's avenue; don, the next to face the music, . Dawson. Subdivision

3. Gahan. Sam Friendship. Subdivision No. 6-37 Grosvenor street; W. H. Smith ivision No. 7-St. George's Church life," remarked the magistrate, as he Subdivision No. 7-St. George's Church school; Levi Hammond.
Subdivision No. 8-R. A. Jones' store, Wharncliffe road; W. G. R. Bartram.

WARD THREE. Subdivision No. 1-346 Colborne street; William Wilson. Subdivision No. 2-510 King street; John Whittaker. Subdivision No. 3-T. A. Atkinson's house, corner Burwell and Simcoe streets;

J. G. Bradley.
Subdivision No. 4—118 Hamilton road;
Samuel J. Bell.
Subdivision No. 5—364 Grey street; Jas. M. Pirie.
Subdivision No. 6-470 Hill street; Thos. Cole. Subdivision No. 7-337 Hill street; Frank Wright.
Subdivision No. 8—518 Hamilton road;
William Develin.
Subdivision No. 9—East End Hall;

Charles W. McKerlie. WARD FOUR. Subdivision No. 1-380 Dufferin avenue; W. H. Irvine. ion No 2-518 Maitland street W. Howie, jun.
Subdivision No. 3-350 Central avenue; on No. 4-647 Maitland street; Henry Pratt.
Subdivision No. 5—698 Colborne street;
Charles Webster.
Subdivision No. 6—779 Colborne street;
W. R. Garner.

GRADING SALARIES. Upon Ald. Campbell's salary schedule or civic employes being read, by its for civic employes being read, by its author, Mayor Beck stated that he was opposed to the adoption of the sched-ule for several reasons, one of which was that it would not do justice to a man of the stamp and ability of Assessment Commissioner Grant, who was now underpaid and would be underpaid

under the proposed schedule.

Ald. Campbell replied to the mayor and said that its object was to deal MOULD GO TO LAW.

fairly by the employes and also by the people. A new alderman, for example, came into the council. He knew nothngineer would not allow his clients, ing about who was deserving and who was not deserving, but he was approached by a friend who worked in the city hall, and who wanted an increase in salary, and the green alder-man swallowed his scruples and voted for the increase. He thought the maximum salary was fair to the heads of much money in the erection of such buildings when stopped by the engineer, he asked that the council take such action as would not compel them and thereby place the aldermen beyond to tear their buildings down.

The motion to have the bylaw for the schedule prepared was finally carried. Regarding the difference between City Engineer Graydon and Manager Carr in regard to Park Commissioner Pearce's right to ride free on street cars the solicitor's opinion will be sought before anything is done. It is Mr. Graydon's

No.3 committee's report went through fire limits section of the city and had with a jump. The first clause recommended that Geo. Leadbitter be given permission to run a shooting gallery in this city free of license fee; the second clause related to the purchasing of cererected just such a building at his fac- and the third was for the adoption of the rag and bone area as drafted by

ed some days ago.

THE GARBAGE CANS. City Solicitor Meredith wrote that he had been instructed to prepare a bylaw for the granting of a ten year exunder the London bylaw, to the court for the placing of garbage cans on the street, but that he had not pre All things being considered it was pared the bylaw, because the city had no power to grant the exclusive fran-

chise asked.

The solfcfor's letter was sent to No. the city solicitor will be instructed to 2 committee, who had recommended Ald. Matthews gave notice of motion that at the next meeting of the council, he will move that a bylaw be prepared and submitted to the electors of he city being read, and which states the city of London at the aproaching that the local key rate may be reduced elections on the questions of the establishing of a municipal telephone system for the city of London, as provided by section 576 of the municipal

A communication from J. H. McMe-

committee's report carried

BYLAW RESCINDED. The bylaw which had been passed for a Trinidad asphalt pavement on usual burden of local business men, cher street, from the Ridgeway to ment on Clarence street. The bylaw to

COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS.

A number of communications and petitions were received, and were dealt with as follows: From W. C. Fitzgerald, on behalf of Uniform Rank of Pine Grove Camp,

Hall, for one hour each week during the winter months, for drill purposes Granted. From S. Jones, asking for the use of the city hall on the evening of Jan. 22 next, for the purpose of holding the Lotos Club ball. Granted. From Baldwin & Baldwin, asking for pay for sweeping Richmond street

From W. T. Devlin, and others, askry, Abram, Cooper, Wyatt and Mayor ing that the electric light at the corner of the Hamilton road and Pegler Nays-Ald. Forristal, Stevenson, Be- street, be raised so as to light the adproperty. Referred to No. 3 committee

\$12 Referred to No 2 committee

From R. H. Chowen, et. al., for an Polling subdivisions and deputy re-turning officers for the approaching and Ontario streets. Referred to No. 3 committee. From George Lane, asking for free WARD ONE.

Subdivision No. 1—City Hall; J. B. use of the city hall, for the Broommakers on Dec. 18, for an assembly. As the hall is already engaged for that date, the application was left in the hands of the treasurer. Those present were Mayor Beck, Alds. Campbell, Greenlees, Becher,

Forristal, Gerry, Stevenson, Abram, Cooper. Matthews, Wyatt, and City Clerk Edwards.

WATER REPORT PRESENTED. The water commissioners met yesterday afternoon, those present being Chairman William Jones, Commissioner J. W. Jones, Mayor Beck, Superintendent Moore and Secretary Ellwood. The report of Engineer Chipman was presented, but was too large to be discussed then. It will receive due con-

sideration in the course of the next week

or two.

train.

LONDONER IN TROUBLE. The Hamilton Spectator's police court man says: Thomas Connors, of Lon-No. 3-565 Richmond street; a few remarks in extenuation of the charge." All the court stared to hear such phraseology from a vag. He claimed he was in hard luck and that

it was dire necessity which had com-

pelled him to steal a ride on the

administered the usual dose-\$5 or 21

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